

The Godefrich

DEVOTED TO COUNTY NEWS AND GENERAL INTELLIGENCE

GODERICH, ONT., FRIDAY, APRIL 8, 1881.

(MOGILLICUDDY BROS. PUBLISHERS. \$1.50 A YEAR IN ADVANCE.)

New Advertisements.

Prints—Colborne Brothers.
Manitoba—Thos. Greenway.
Great Sale—J. C. Dettler & Co.
New Drug Store—Geo. Rhyms.
The Old Stand—D. C. Strachan.
Chancery Sale—H. MacDermott.
House Wanted—Apply at 310 ALBION.
Girl Wanted—Mrs. John Ranford.
Court of Chancery—H. MacDermott.
Royal Mail Steamships—H. Armstrong.
Cottage for Sale by Auction—J. C. Currie.

Traveling Guide.

GRAND TRUNK.
EAST.
Goderich, Lv. 7.00am. 12.00pm. 3.15pm. 9.00am.
Seaford, Ar. 7.20 " 1.10 " 4.45 " 10.50 "
Stratford, Ar. 8.45am. 1.15pm. 6.30pm. 1.00 " WEST.
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Clinton going north on 10.15am. 1.00pm. 4.15pm.
roving south. 3.54pm. 8.02am. 7.21am.
STAGE LINES.
Lucknow Stage (over) ar. 10.15am. dep. 4pm.
Kincaid " (Wednesdays) ar. 1.00pm. dep. 7am.
Benmiller " (Wednesdays) ar. 9.00am. dep. 9.15 " Saturday arrives 9.00am. dep. 9.15 "

Dentistry.

M. NICHOLSON, SURGEON DENTIST. Office and residence, West Street, three doors below Bank of Montreal, Goderich 1732

Real Estate.

FOR SALE.—LOT 9, LAKE SHORE
Twp. of Colborne, containing 113 acres, 30 acres cleared, balance excellent timber. Soil a good clay loam. An improved property adjoining the Point Farm it is in consequence most cheaply situated. For particulars apply to J. J. Wright, March 1st 1881. 1776-4.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—AT
Dungannon, 12 miles from Goderich, consisting of 1/2 of an acre of land, well fenced; a frame house, a good well and pump are also on the premises. The lot is well improved. Terms reasonable. Particulars can be had from Mr. M. R. Brown, Merchant, Dungannon, or R. E. Brown, Nile P. O. 1767-4.

HOUSE AND LOTS NOS. 33 AND
76, corner of Victoria and East streets, in the town of Goderich, for sale cheap, or will be exchanged for farm property. Apply to JAS. SMALL, Architect, office Crabb's Block, or J. C. CURRIE, auctioneer. 1777-4.

SHEPPARDTON—FARM FOR
SALE. 60 acres, 50 acres cleared and well fenced. Brick Cottage 18x20, stone cellar full size of house. Also cow stable 18x20. There is no waste land on the creek. A very fine orchard situated with about 100 trees and other buildings. Terms very easy. Apply to R. T. HAYNES, lot 16 Lake Shore Road, Colborne Township, or to GARROW & PROCTOR. 1778-4.

FARM FOR SALE.—BEING LOT 9,
con. 13, Colborne, about seven miles from Goderich, comprising 30 acres, 50 cleared. A frame house, a good well, a cow stable and a stable and other outbuildings are on the premises. A young orchard, good pump, etc. on the farm. The farm has road on two sides of it. Four acres of fall wheat are sown. Distant only 1 mile from a post office. For particulars apply to Wm. SHUTTLES, Stratford, P. O. 1777-4.

CHEPPARDTON—STORE, WITH
POST OFFICE, for sale or to rent, with 1 acre land. Stock all fresh and good. Will sell on very easy terms. Also cow stable 18x20. For further particulars apply to R. T. HAYNES, lot 16 Lake Shore Road, Colborne Township, or to GARROW & PROCTOR. 1778-4.

VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.
Lot 6, Con. 8, Township of Colborne, Co. Huron, containing 28 acres 75 of which are cleared and in good state of cultivation. There is a frame house 20x28 with cellar under the whole, kitchen 16x20, wood shed 16x20, stable 18x20 for horses, also cow stable 18x20. There is a well with a never failing spring, and a good young orchard with about 100 trees selected. Terms easy. For particulars apply to THOMAS WATSON, proprietor, Carlow or to GARROW & PROCTOR, Goderich. 1776-4.

FARM FOR SALE.
Comprising Lots Nos 15 and 19, Con. 3, in the Township of West Wawanosh, belonging to the late Mr. Charles McMillan, containing 100 ACRES in all. Over thirty acres are cleared. There are over 200 acres of good hard wood, and the balance Cedar and Pine bush. A small frame house and a well are also on the premises. A good road runs through the farm. For particulars apply to JAMES TRUMBULL, Esq., Dungannon, or to Mrs. WATSON, Goderich, or to this office. 1775-4.

Auction Sales.

COTTAGE FOR SALE AT AUCTION.—Mr. J. C. Currie will offer for sale on SATURDAY, APRIL 16th, at 12 o'clock, noon, the BRICK COTTAGE, with large garden attached, situated on St. George's street, opposite the site of the old English Church. The house is in excellent repair. This property will be sold to the highest bidder.—J. C. CURRIE, Auctioneer. 1778a.

AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE
TOWN PROPERTY.—The vacant lot on corner of East Street and Court House Square, known as the McConnell property, having a frontage of 16 ft. 8 in. on the Square, will be sold by public auction on SATURDAY, APRIL 16th 1881, at 12 o'clock p. m. This is a corner lot and one of the most eligible business sites in town. It will be put up subject to a reserved bid. Other particulars made known at time of sale. J. C. CURRIE, Auctioneer. 1778-3.

IN THE MARITIME COURT OF
ONTARIO.—Auction sale of Schooner "William Wallace" and her cargo, in the matter of the said schooner and to be directed, I shall offer for sale by Public Auction at my chambers in the Court House, town of Goderich on the EIGHTEENTH DAY OF APRIL, at twelve o'clock noon, the Schooner "William Wallace," of about 31 00/100 tons burthen, together with her tackle, apparel and furniture as she now lies at the Port of Goderich. Terms—Ten per cent in cash at time of sale, and the balance in one month thereafter, without interest. Dated 31st March, 1881. Commissioner taken by ROBERT GIBSON, Deputy Marshall. Sealed by SEAGER & MORTON, Solicitors, Goderich. 1778-3.

Auctioneering.

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

NEWS ABOUT HOME.

"A child's among ye, takin' notes, An' faith he'll prest it."

TOWN TOPICS.

A Spring opening—The mouth of a rat trap.
Next Friday will be good Friday and a general holiday.
Richard Simmons left for the Northwest one day last week.
TELL IT TO ALL.—\$1 will get THE SIGNAL for the remainder of 1881.
The Canadian Methodist Magazine for April is a very readable number.
Mr. D. C. Strachan has moved back to his old stand at the Albion Block.
Tuesday last was one of the rawest days of the season—a keen frost and a high wind prevailing.
Owing to the illness of Miss Blair, the scholars attending her department of the public school had a holiday on Wednesday.

SPRING SHOW.—The West Riding of Huron Spring Show will be held in Goderich on Wednesday next, April 13th.
Conductor Crawford was incapacitated from duty during the week, owing to inflammation having set in his burnt hand.
The Census brigade, directed by commander Platt, are on their rounds. It will take them about a month to complete their labors here.

Mr. Geo. Rhyms has purchased the good will of Mr. Geo. Cattle in the drug business, and has opened out in Blake's block, corner of Montreal street and the Square.

The friends of Rev. James McLaughlin (formerly of this place) will be pleased to learn that he is succeeding well with his mission work among the Indians of the northwest.

Mr. D. McDonald, Clerk of the Crown, has been indisposed with a severe cold for some time past. We are pleased to see, however, that he is now on the mend.

TEMPERANCE.—The Goderich section of Temperance Obedts will hold an entertainment consisting of dialogues, recitations, etc., on the evening of Tuesday next the 19th inst. Admission 10cts.

A stylish wedding, in which a well known caterer to the comforts of the public is expected to take a leading part, is on the cards for next week, and there is a flutter in certain circles of Goderich society.

The sound of the auctioneer's hammer will be heard in the Albion Hotel tomorrow. Mr. Currie's services have been in great demand during the past fortnight, and he is "just the man for Galway."

THE HYMNAL.—The hymnal is now being used regularly at the services of Knox Church in conjunction with the psalms and paraphrases. Last Sunday's evening closed with the familiar hymn "Rock of Ages."

Mr. George Brown, formerly of the Bank of Montreal, Goderich, and now Manager of the Ontario Bank, at Winnipeg, has been visiting friends in this vicinity during the past week. He left for Manitoba on Monday.

PASSED.—Among those who passed their primary examination for admission to McGill University were the following from this county: James Grey, Brockfield; A. J. Rutledge, Bayfield; W. R. Ross, Goderich.

INCREASING.—We are pleased to report a cheering increase in our circulation during the past week. Our offer of the SIGNAL for the remainder of 1881 for \$1 is being accepted by many who find that they can't do without a live local paper. Business men, make a note of this.

EDUCATIONAL MEETINGS.—Services in the interest of the Educational Society of the Methodist Church will be held by the Rev. Dr. Williams as follows: Sabbath next, Ashfield, 10 a. m.; Lucknow at 6.30 p. m.; Wingham, Monday; Brussels, Tuesday; Belgrave Wednesday; Blyth, Thursday; at 7 o'clock each evening.

CHURCH OPENING.—The formal opening of St. George's Church, the new Episcopal place of worship, will take place on Sunday, April 24th. Rev. Canon Carmichael has signified his intention of being present at the opening, and we understand other prominent churchmen will also attend.

SHORT-HORN SALE.—There is to be a notable sale of short-horn cattle at Port Huron on the 18th and 19th of May, at which time there will be put up for sale choice selections from the herds of Avery & Murphy and John P. Sanborn, of Port Huron; T. Berkett, of Base Lake, and H. V. Attrill, Mr. Richard Hawley, of Goderich, will also put up for sale his famous and beautiful white bull, "Beaconfield." There will be a great number of prominent stock men present.—[Ex.]

R. C. BAZAR.—Arrangements are on foot for the holding of an extensive bazaar, under the auspices of St. Joseph's R. C. Church on the 1st, 2nd, 4th and 5th of July. Rev. Father Watters would be pleased if the ladies who are laboring for the success of the bazaar would give all the necessary information with regard to articles, etc., at as early a date as possible. The arrangement of details in connection is in the hands of an efficient committee.

IS IT TRUE?—It is now reported that Charles Melton, alias "Nigger Sam," is not dead.

Mr. George Stewart, of Colborne, who has been attending the Ontario School of Art, at Toronto, returned home this week.

Miss Fraser, daughter of the Deputy Registrar Fraser, leaves to-day for a visit to friends in Hamilton and the east. She will be absent for several weeks.

FASHIONABLE.—Miss Stewart's spring opening will take place on Wednesday and Thursday next, and the ladies of Goderich and vicinity may look for a treat in the millinery display.

SOCIAL.—The Ladies Aid society will give a social in the M. E. Church this (Friday) evening. A programme consisting of music and speaking, etc., will be given. A good time is expected. Admittance, 15 cts.

The Gasoline which St. George's Church will be lighted was tested on Monday evening last. On the whole the experiment was successful, although the peculiar weather on the evening in question militated somewhat against the thorough working of the test.

We are sorry to see that Capt. A. E. McGregor, is suffering from another attack of his old enemy, rheumatism. The captain has been engaged by the Beatty Line to take command of the steamer "Sovereign," and hopes to be in good trim before he gets afloat.

AT THE BANQUET.—Amongst those present at the military banquet to Lieut. Col. Taylor, at London, last week, were the following officers of the 33rd Huron Battalion: Lieut. Col. Ross, Capt. Miller, and Quarter Master Jordan, of Goderich; and Surgeon Holmes, of Brussels.

OUR POPULATION.—The population of Goderich, as taken by the town assessors, is as follows: St. David's Ward, 1,286; St. Andrew's, 1,179; St. Patrick's, 1,162; St. George's, 550; total, 4,195, against a total of 4,323 last year, this shows a falling off of 133 in population during 1880. Which looks bad for the N. P.

LITERARY ENTERTAINMENT.—A literary entertainment will be held in the Temperance Hall on Tuesday evening next, under the auspices of the Mechanics' Institute. A very full programme has been prepared, and a most enjoyable treat is, it is believed, in store for the people of Goderich. For particulars see programmes.

WHO IS HE?—If you see a fussy little man at your front door with his coat collar turned up and his hat sheered over his left ear, do not set the dog on him. He is not an impudent dog, or a mendicant, or a tramp, or a new and independent patent, or even a mission; he is only the man who wishes to ascertain your eldest daughter's age. So deal gently with the census taker.—[Ex.]

LITERARY SNEAK THIEVES.—We have been informed that certain persons have a habit of visiting the Mechanics' Institute library and carrying off periodicals, etc. It is high time this petty meanness and dishonesty on the part of these persons was stopped. One or two cases of pilfering occurred during the past week, and the perpetrator or perpetrators, it will be necessary to have the periodical returned to avoid further publicity.

SALES OF CURLING STONES.—There have been several transactions in curling stones during the past week. A. McD. Allan has sold his pair to Harry Smith; Col. Ross a pair to W. R. Miller; Capt. Murray McGregor parted with his pair to C. R. Dunford; and J. Colborne disposed of a pair to W. T. Welsh. Mr. Steve Andrews also purchased the stones of Mr. Jas. Thomson some time ago. The value of the curling stones owned by members of the Goderich Club is estimated at about \$400.

Mr. Joseph Kidd bought at Georgian Bay, recently, 3,000,000 feet of pine, ready to be boomed and brought down as soon as navigation opens. He has also about 1,000,000 of hemlock, elm and basswood, up along the shore. We are informed that he intends bringing down by his new boat, the Josephine Kidd. He is about to have the telegraph wire extended to his office at the works, as soon as the frost is out of the ground. It will be of the greatest convenience, since his son commands the electric key.

I. O. O. F.—P. G. M. Jno. Gibson, instructed the Patriarchs of Huron Entertainment No. 28, in the new secret work on Thursday afternoon, of last week. In the evening the new work was thoroughly taught and exemplified by P. G. M. Gibson to the members of Huron Lodge No. 62, and visitors from neighboring Lodges. At 11 o'clock p. m. about fifty of the members sat down to an excellent oyster supper, which had been prepared by Mr. Jas. Bailey, at the Union Hotel.

COMPLIMENTARY.—The *Expositor* in its report of the curling matches played in Goderich last week, has the following: "At the conclusion of the match the Goderich Club entertained their visiting brethren in right royal style at Curry Brothers hotel. The spread was of the most sumptuous kind and was duly appreciated by the hungry curlers. The evening was most pleasantly spent, and the Seaford men speak in terms of the highest praise of the kind and courteous manner in which they were treated, and say that next to themselves they know of none in whose possession they would sooner see the medal than in that of the Goderich Club for this year."

EXTENSIVE SALE.—An extensive sale of household and hotel furniture will be held at the Albion Hotel, Market Square, Goderich, commencing on Saturday, April 9th. Among the articles offered to be disposed of are a piano and safe, and a large quantity of household and hotel furniture and bar fixtures. The whole will be sold without reserve. For particulars see bills.

CANNIBALISM.—Robert Thompson, blacksmith, was yesterday brought before the Mayor, charged by Wm. McKeown with assault. Defendant bore evidence of having been roughly used, his nose which had been badly bitten, being almost entirely covered with pieces of sticking plaster. This savage assault grew out of a quarrel over the settlement of an account, McKeown for four years having done the wood work in connection with Thompson's blacksmithing business. The result of the trial will appear next week.

CURLING.—The following is the result of the match played on Friday last at London between two rinks of the club of that city and two rinks from Goderich. As will be seen by the score the Lake Town men kept near the ice during the greater portion of the game:—

GODERICH. Rink No. 1.
J. Colborne, John Simpson,
E. Martin, James Durand,
Archie Dickson, Robert Henderson,
Capt. Dancy, D. Dodd,
Skip, 25.

LONDON. Rink No. 2.
A. McD. Allan, D. Reagan,
A. M. Ross, James Bayfield,
H. H. Smith, J. Christie,
M. S. Skipton, S. Crawford,
Skip, 25.

SUDDEN DEATH.—While sitting in his son's shop on Thursday morning, Mr. James Campbell, one of the oldest settlers in Goderich, suddenly expired. The deceased had gone down to the shop, as was his daily custom, and made no complaint about feeling unwell. He was very old, being 82 years of age. He came from the county of Sligo, Ireland, and settled in Goderich in 1839. He was one of the first councilors in the town, and at one time ran quite an extensive shoe business. A few months ago his aged partner in life died. Deceased leaves three daughters and four sons behind him, one of his sons being Mr. Wm. Campbell, First Deputy Reeve of Goderich. The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon at three o'clock.

A LIVE BUSINESS FIRM.—It will need no direction from us this week to draw attention to the "loud" announcement of J. C. Dettler & Co., on our fifth page. A great clearing sale is advertised, and quotations are given which will strike every reader with astonishment. A *bona fide* reduction in price has been made on the goods, and the public can take advantage on bargains. The firm is one of the oldest and most reliable in town, and their name to any advertisement is a guarantee of good faith. Scan the list of bargains, and then go on to the store of J. C. Dettler & Co., and view the goods. The sale will continue for two weeks, but as the first who go to the store will be the first to get all who would enjoy the privilege of the best selection should not fail to visit J. C. Dettler & Co. early.

PRESENTATION.—On Wednesday evening an interesting occurrence took place after the regular meeting of the Fire Brigade at their rooms in the Fire Hall. On that occasion the Chief of the Brigade, Captain T. N. Dancy, was presented with a handsome silver fruit basket and butter cooler. The presentation was made on behalf of the Brigade by Lieut. McKenzie, and appropriate remarks were spoken by Fireman John Martin. Capt. Dancy, on rising to respond, said: Members of the Fire Brigade, allow me to tender you my very sincere thanks for the very handsome present you have placed before me, but not being aware until this moment that I was to be the recipient of this beautiful donation, I feel inadequate to the task of making a suitable reply. However, it is very satisfactory to me to know (as just expressed by a member) that the Company have confidence in me as their Chief, and I assure you that I have full confidence in the members of the Company, and feel sure that, as heretofore, when our services are required we will be found in our places and render a good account of ourselves; and I may further say that I believe the people of our town have confidence in the Brigade. This is a satisfaction to us to know that our services are appreciated. I might have made one exception. I allude to the member that rose to his feet at the Council Board, and made all kinds of insinuations about us, but I think we have little to fear from that source, for the public will consider from whence it came, and give it weight accordingly. In conclusion, let me say that it is a source of happiness to me to know that the best harmony exists between all of our members, and the pleasure we have in meeting together repays us for the duty, although sometimes arduous, we have to perform. Allow me to again thank you for the very handsome present you have been so kind as to present me with.

Business Items.

A man shot in C. G. Newton's hat and turning store, but no one wondered when they heard that he was selling new styles in all goods at old style prices. He always keeps the perfect fitting shirts on hand. Call and see them, no trouble to show goods. C. G. NEWTON.

School Board Meeting.

The regular meeting of the School Board was held on Monday evening, Mr. Crabb in the chair. Present—Messrs. Buchanan, Ferguson, McGaw, Cook and Swanson.
Minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

The Principal's was read and on motion was received and filed.
The following accounts were read and ordered to be paid; viz:—HURON SIGNAL, \$1; W. T. Welsh, 75c; Jas. Saunders, \$10.60.

The following communication was read from W. R. Miller, Principal of the school.
GODERICH, April 4th, 1881.
GENTLEMEN.—I beg leave to report, that for disobedience to his teacher, and refusing to submit to punishment, I have suspended Joseph Murray until he expresses sorrow for his conduct and submits to such punishment as I may consider necessary. Hoping my action may meet with your approval,
I remain your obedient servant,
W. R. MILLER.

On motion the Board approved of the action of Principal Miller.
Miss Longworth asked two weeks' leave of absence on account of sickness in her family.
On motion the request of Miss Longworth was granted by the Board.
The Board adjourned.

AT RIDGEWOOD FARM.
What We Saw and Heard There about Thoroughbred Stock.—The Success that has attended Mr. Attrill's Efforts.

Immediately opposite Goderich, and on the northern bank of the Maitland, is situated "Ridgewood Farm," the property of H. Y. Attrill Esq. The farm occupies some four hundred acres, and is finely situated, and within easy distance of the town. For some years back Mr. Attrill's name has been identified with the breeding of thoroughbred stock, and at the different agricultural fairs of Ontario his name has become as "familiar as a household word."

On Tuesday of last week we paid a visit to "Ridgewood," and were kindly shown over the premises by Mr. David Hain, the obliging and energetic manager of the stock yard and farm. The cattle sheds form a court as it were, being composed of two wings and a main extension, while a mammoth shed and barn occupies a considerable portion of the fourth side of the "Court."
Entering at the left hand side of the range of buildings, we were shown the magnificent herd of Princesses for which "Ridgewood" has become noted. Here we found, Red Rose 14th, Red Rose 16th, Red Rose 17th, Red Rose 20th, Red Rose 21st, Red Rose 22nd, Princess Carlotta, Red Rose 23rd, Princess Clarence and other magnificent cows and heifers. Besides these the splendid animals, Red Rose 15th, Lady Ann, Princess of the Valley, Princess of Ridgewood and Princess of Airdrie were absent at Bow Park for breeding purposes. Mr. Attrill has also the number of all who would enjoy the privilege of the best selection should not fail to visit J. C. Dettler & Co. early.

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A RISE IN BEEF.

Our Town Butchers add Another Point to the Price of Salted Beef.
Some time ago, when beef was in great demand, and prices were correspondingly dear, a facetious reporter stated that that article of diet was never so high since the cow jumped over the moon!

It was reported last week that the meat dealers in town were about to raise the price of that article a cent per pound. A few days ago, a SIGNAL reporter called upon Mr. Steve Andrews, one of our leading butchers, and asked:
"Is it true that meat is up a cent a pound, Mr. Andrews?"

"Yes," replied the other, as he assiduously chopped at a leg of mutton with a cleaver.
"What's the cause?" asked the reporter, anxious to get the reason from a butcher's lips.
"It's the Old Country trade," was the response. "You see there's been a great demand for heavy beef, and our farmers sell their fattest and best cattle for exportation. The demand is strong, and only the smaller animals are kept for home consumption."
"And Mr. Andrews, who is not a man of many words, returned to his mutton."

Marine News.
The ice is still in the harbor, and the opening of navigation here is a thing of the uncertain future.
The diver who went over to Pelee Island to fix up the tug Sampson has returned to Sandusky, having patched up the leak.
The steam barge Coral has been sold by Capt. H. Ives, of Windsor, to Stoke & Tiffin, of Wallaceburg, for \$5,500. She will be engaged in the carrying trade between Dresden and Buffalo.

The sun crossed the line with northerly and westerly winds prevailing. Old salts predict that for the ninety days following such winds will be the most prevalent, and numerous instances are cited of such prognostications proving correct.

CAPT. McARTHUR left Goderich on Monday last for Detroit to take charge of the propeller Samuel F. Hodge, a fine new boat launched in January last. She will run between Buffalo and Duluth, and is considered one of the best on the lakes.

Dunbar's drill, on the Limekilns, which went to work last week, was on Friday morning early, by the explosion of a cartridge, sunk and damaged to the extent of \$500. She has been repaired and hauled out on the ways for repairs. She will be out again in a few days, as will also the dredges.

Colborne.

Mr. James Jones and William C. Robertson cut 16 cords of maple wood out of the solid tree in 17 hours with a champion saw. Let us hear from the boys in the bush.

Mr. Thomas Lawler intends building a cider press this season for which he has the timber ready. He does not like to see the farmers going 5 or 10 miles with their apples, when they can be made into cider much nearer.

The quarterly services in connection with the B. C. Church were held at Zion appointment on Sunday 3rd inst. The Rev. Mr. Webber from Exeter conducted the services both morning and evening. The congregations on both occasions were very large and the sermons were very forcible and were attentively listened to.

The following is the result of the examination held in S. S. No. 4, T. Elliott, teacher during the last week of the quarter ending March 31st: Fifth class, marks possible 780, J. Kernighan 694; fourth class, marks possible 635, Serena J. Fisher 615; third class, marks possible 625, Emily R. Mitchell 487, Leah Flick 400, Henrietta Halliday 370, Ellen Munnings 368, Lydia Flick 336, Rachel Panbaker 285; second class, lat. John Good, 2nd John McClure, 3rd Wm. A. Mitchell 4th, Mary A. Peffer, 5th, Martha Blake, 6th, Caroline Blake, second p. 1st, Mary Panbaker, 2nd Adaline Krupp, 3rd Richard Fisher, 4th Mary McClure.

Clinton.

Mr. ROBERT MATHESON, formerly of the *New Era*, and later on head master of Napanee High School, obtained a first place at a teachers' examination held recently in Chicago, and is now on the staff of an educational journal.

WELL STOPPED.—On Thursday last a team of horses ran away from the neighborhood of the Great Western Station. They were followed by the owner's dog, which took in its teeth the trailing lines, and hung on to them until it brought the horses to a standstill near the office. Such a dog is worth owning.

Bellevue.

Bowmanville, Ont. March 22, 1881.
Whereas certain parties in the town of Seaford are advertising and offering for sale Organs and Pianos bearing our name. We hereby give notice that said parties have no authority whatever from us to sell our instruments and would advise all intending purchasers to deal with Messrs. Wade Bros., of Seaford, who are our only authorized agents in and for the County of Huron.

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A LIFE FOR A LIFE.

BY MISS MVLACK. CHAPTER XXV.

It was a dead face—not frightful to look at, beautiful rather, as the muscles slowly settled—but dead, quite dead. I laid him down again, still resting his head against my knee, till he gradually stiffened and grew cold.

literal "worm that dieth not, and fire that is never quenched," I could almost smile. Sufficient are the torments of a spiritual hell.

do read it, that question will have been answered. It can do you no harm if for one little minute I think you as my wife; no longer friend, child, mistress, but my wife.

from what has been done, I may at last be able to detail these events. For both Max's sake and my own, it seems best to do it, unless I could make up my mind to destroy my whole journal.

"I never will leave you as long as I live." Then I ran back to Penelope, and told her I should walk home with Dr. Urquhart; he had something to say to me.

sewing in some book, and thinking how true it was—it is strange how soon a great misery grows familiar. Walking up from the first few minutes of total bewilderment, I seemed to have been aware all these twenty years that my Max killed Harry.

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An Altered View of Manitoba.

Already we are beginning to see the effects of the policy of the Government in the dealings with the Pacific Railway Syndicate. Mr. Peter Imrie, who was sent out as a delegate by the Lanarkshire farmers, visited that Province last year and reported favorably on it as a field for immigration. He did this on two grounds, first, that the farmer may there become his own landlord for a mere nothing; and second, that the quality of the soil is so high that wheat may be grown there at a cost to defy competition in the English market, and potatoes at a rate to defy competition in the American market—if only they can be carried thence at a reasonable rate.

In a letter to the North British Agriculturist, published in Edinburgh, under date of February the 19th, he expresses his regret that he is obliged to alter his opinion with respect to that Province, by reason of a gigantic railway monopoly—in other words, of the Pacific Railway Syndicate. He goes on to say:—

Grain grown in the North-West can be of little or no value till carried to the markets of the world; and this the monopolist railway company will of course do just on such terms as may best suit itself. I greatly fear the charges may be made as high as possible consistently with not stopping production. The company may be expected to permit settlers to live and toil only, but never to grow rich. In short, it is not now a place worth going to.

Let us suppose the charge in excess of fairly remunerative rates be 6d. per bushel between Winnipeg and Montreal. Such a rate would not stop production, but it would come to the same thing, as a rent of £1 per acre for all land yielding 40 bushels to the acre.

Capitalize that, at say, twenty years' purchase, and the real cost of the land to the settler may be set down at £20 per acre, or £3,200 for the 160 acres promised "for nothing." Really the cry of "160 acres for nothing" is a delusion and a snare in the presence of such a contingency.

Of course I do not say positively that the railway company will thus at once put on the screw—it would be bad policy to do so until the country gets filled up a bit; but after that they will of course just do exactly what will put most money in their own pockets. I therefore conclude that any one settling in the North-West under these new conditions will place himself under something worse than any landlord—viz., an absolute railway lord—a corporation without a conscience, and with peculiarly practical powers of rack-renting.

In saying all this I am aware that there are certain reservations under the railway contract calculated to make it appear that the monopoly is not absolute. But really these reservations are mere moonshine, as every one acquainted with the topography and circumstances of the country knows.

I write all this with the greatest reluctance. But I cannot help myself, as my favorable report has been widely circulated, and may lead to people going to a country whose attractions have for the present been seriously obliterated, and will remain so unless the monopoly clause (clause 15) of the railway contract be revised,—a result which I will even yet hope for, if the subject be properly ventilated.

The Late Mrs. Anderson.

Mrs. Mary Anderson, who died last week at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. J. S. Porter was one of the pioneer settlers of the County of Huron. She was a daughter of Captain McGarvey, of Stranraer, Wigtonshire, Scotland. With her husband she left her native country and emigrated to Canada about 51 years ago. They resided in Toronto about two years. On leaving Toronto they came to Goderich. The passage from Toronto to Goderich was made in a sailing vessel. They were accompanied from Toronto by Mr. Alex. Broadfoot, the Messrs. Carnochan, and Adam Black. These gentlemen with their families were on their road out from Scotland to settle on their homesteads in Tuckersmith. The voyage from Toronto to Goderich was a very rough and tedious one, lasting over five weeks. On the passage they lost most of their goods and ran out of provisions. The Messrs. Carnochan, however, had with them a good supply of oat cake, hams, &c. This they generously shared with the other passengers, and thus kept them from suffering for food, and the deceased lady frequently mentioned this voyage, and ever spoke with the deepest feeling of the kindness she received from the Tuckersmith pioneers, and the friendships then formed continued through life. Shortly after arriving in Goderich Mr. Anderson took up land in Goderich township, and with his family settled upon it. The country was then a vast wilderness, but Mr. and Mrs. Anderson continued to reside on their Goderich township home until they saw it and the surrounding country a beautiful agricultural district. About ten years ago they removed to Marine City, Michigan, where they resided for about three years, when Mr. Anderson died, shortly after which the subject of our sketch came to reside with Mr. Porter at Egmontville, and lived with him until her death. She leaves two sons and three daughters, all of whom are married. Her eldest daughter, Mrs. Love, died about five years ago. Mrs. Anderson was most highly esteemed by those who knew her best. She was a truly Christian woman who never permitted an opportunity for doing good or for aiding a deserving person or worthy cause to pass unimproved, and her memory will long be affectionately cherished by many even outside of her immediate family circle.—[Expositor.]

Samuel Muir, of Tara, died from the effects of poison about ten o'clock March 20. It is not known whether it was taken accidentally or intentionally as he lived alone, his wife having died recently. Another family, living in the same house, heard his cries and gave the alarm. The door was forced open by the neighbors, and he died about five minutes afterwards.

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Words of Wisdom.

Making apologies is a mean business, but the necessity of making them is still meaner.

He who works and waits, wins. Common sense is the gift of heaven; enough of it is genius.

Ceremonies and bills of fare seem to be necessary. Many people would not know how to act without the one nor what to eat without the other.

The ambitions and vanities of an old man are too weak and ridiculous to be dangerous.

The time spent in reading books that do not make us think is worse than useless. One good book, however, is food for a lifetime.

If there were no listeners, there would be no flatterers.

If contentment is happiness, it is better to be contented with a good deal than with a little.

The man who has no foolishness in his nature probably has something worse in place of it.

We owe one half of our success in this world to some circumstance, and the other half to taking the circumstance on the wing.

Crime is the outgrowth of vice; to stop the former you must weed out the latter.

A cunning man is often shrewd but seldom wise. He sets so many traps for others that he generally gets into some of them himself.

Good breeding is so natural and easy that it can be taken for mere simplicity.

There is a kind of honesty that is nothing but fear, and a sort of patience which is nothing but laziness.

Courtesy is more natural to woman than to man. A woman seldom outlives all of her courtesy, and never becomes a prude until she is obliged to.

A Political Dodge.

It is a pleasant thing to see brethren dwelling together in unity. Sir John Macdonald must have looked with great deal of satisfaction upon the union of the Orange and Green in East Northumberland. But peace folded her wings over the riding to no avail, as his candidate was defeated. When we see Orange Grand Masters working tooth and nail for Roman Catholic candidates, we may make up our minds that the days of tolerance have at last been reached, and the millennium is close at hand; that is to say, if we have not already made up our minds that the whole thing is a humbug, and that the gentleman of the Orange and Green who join hands in an election campaign will probably be found throwing stones at each other's procession the first chance they get.

There is a good deal of humbug in life, but in no case is it more apparent than when Sir John Macdonald pulls the strings and sends out Orange Grand Masters to stump for Roman Catholic candidates.—[Telegraph.]

Marine News.

The following appointments of captains for the season of 1881 have been announced by the Western Transportation Company.—Propeller Argosy, Capt. Richard Gardner; Boston, Capt. Valentine Jones; Buffalo, Capt. James Drake; Badger State, Capt. Alex. Clark; Commodore, Capt. Wm. Dickson; Chicago, Capt. Edward Condon; Empire State, Capt. Delos Waite; Fountain City, Capt. James Gibson; Idaho, Capt. Burton Penny; Montana, Capt. J. H. Bissett; Milwaukee, Capt. W. H. Round; Oneida, Capt. Robert Jones; Potomac, Capt. J. Carlisle; Vanderbilt, Capt. J. Williams.

The river and lake shore boats will be run as follows this year:—The Saginaw, under a new captain, will run on the Alpena and Detroit route. Capt. Frank Helmer, who runs on the Saginaw last season, will run the City of Concord, which he and J. E. Botsford & Co. have bought off the N.T. line. The Concord will carry salt from points on the U. S. shore to Ohio ports. The propeller St. Paul will tow barges from Duluth to Buffalo. The Keweenaw, Pearl and Flora will ply between Detroit and Mackinaw. The M. D. Ward will make daily trips between Port Huron and Port Austin. The Saginaw Valley will make semi-weekly trips between East Saginaw and Cleveland. The Mary Martin will run between Bay City and Port Austin.

Before the New York Assembly Committee, Gilbert Henshaw, produce broker, testified that he had visited a number of oleomargarine factories. The oleomargarine was made from peanut lard and oleo, oils, alum, and acids. In some factories the employees were exceedingly filthy, working half naked.

Some families in Kingston, N. Y., last week, became ill after eating largely of pork and beans, and inconsiderately put their blame on the pork, until a medical examination revealed that it was entirely free from trichinae, but that the beans were infested with small black insects. The bean which is thus infested presents on its surface a faint, black spot, underneath which one or more of the insects may be found. Persons who have eaten heartily of such beans have been taken violently sick with vomiting, accompanied by general weakness and prostration, which continues for a few days. It follows, that people ought to "know beans" before they eat them.

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Fun and Fancy.

The butchers of Brooklyn have just started for sociability "The Leg of Mutton Club." There motto should be, "In Eve-union there is strength."

TRUTH—"Money does everything for a man," said an old gentleman, pompously. "Yes," replied the other man, "but money won't do as much for a man as some men will do for money."

A lawyer's brief is very long. And Mr. White is brief. A man is dry when he is green, and the man who is green when he is dry is a lawyer. A fire is hot when it is cooled. A lamp is heavy though it's light. A shoe is bought when it is soled. A man can see when out of sight.

FOR HIS WIFE—"Is there a letter here in a sealed envelope for my wife?" he asked the postmaster, while the green fire from his eyes made the office look like a leafy forest. "Yes, sir," answered the post-master, as he handed it out. The jealous man tore it open, when lo! and behold! it was the milliner's bill for \$100.

"You look so happy that I suppose you have been to the dentist and had that aching tooth pulled," said a Galveston man to a friend with a swollen jaw. "It ain't that that makes me feel happy. The tooth aches worse than ever, but I don't feel it." "How's that?" "Well, I feel so jolly because I have just been to the dentist, and he was out; a happy man cut a pigeon wing on the sidewalk."

Never reckon your enemy too cheaply. Judge justly concerning the opposing force and then make your arrangements accordingly. "I will make an attack on England!" said Napoleon in a rage after the Peace of Amiens to Lord Whitworth. "That is your affair, sir," was the reply. "And I will not contest you," continued the tyrant. "Ah, sir, that is our affair," calmly retorted the Englishman.

A SATISFACTORY EXPLANATION.—Old Mose and another old darkey were discussing matters and things, when Jim Webster happened to pass. "Dar am about 40 regular chicken stealers in Galveston, including Jim Webster," remarked the old man. Jim observed the remark, so he came right up to Mose and threatened to eliminate him if he didn't take it back. "Den dar am 40 regular chicken stealers in Galveston, not includin' Jim Webster. Is yer satisfied now?" Jim said, very much affected: "Uncle Mose, when a man pologizes, he jess disarms me right. Shake, old man. Taint often now-a-days dat anybody flatters me as you jess done."

Jessie Adams, a Canadian girl aged 17, at Chicago, ran away with and married Charles Young, three weeks ago. They took apartments at the Union Park Hotel, where Young Sunday night fired three shots at his bride, and then escaped. She was only slightly wounded. Young was jealous.

Four students of Syracuse University were arrested on Saturday, charged with committing an assault upon a fellow student, Ezra S. Tipple. Tipple was kidnapped, bound, gagged, and taken five miles into the country, where he was tied to a tree, his head shaved, and he was abandoned by the students.

The Herald's Albany correspondent says that a sensation was created at the hearing on the New York Street Cleaning Bill, on Monday night, when a letter from Dr. Peters was read, stating that for the first time in the history of New York true spotted typhus, which only originates where great filth abounds, has made its appearance in New York without being traced to importation.

A despatch from Candahar states that a rebellion has broken out at Herat so great in its strength that Ayoub Khan by this time is probably exiled or taken prisoner. The rebels are headed by Mohammed Hassan Khan, Governor of Kushk, who induced Mohammed Jan's regiments to join him in the attack on Herat and it is supposed that Mohammed Jan was murdered with this end in view. It is pointed out that this gives Abdurrahman Khan an opportunity to bring all Afghanistan under his sway. The same despatch states that Abdurrahman is on his way to Candahar, but another says that it is now too late in the season for the English troops to march to India.

EPHES COCOA.—GRATEFUL AND COMFORTING.—By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected Cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavoured beverage which may save us many a doctor's bill. It is by the judicious use of such articles of diet that a constitution may be gradually brought back to its normal state. We may escape many a fatal shaft by keeping ourselves well fortified with pure blood and a properly nourished frame.—[Civil Service Gazette.—Sold only in Packets and Tins.—JAMES EPPS & CO., Homoeopathic Chemists, London, Eng.—Also makers of Epps's Chocolate Essence for afternoon use. 1761.

NEWSPAPER LAWS.—We call the special attention of postmasters and subscribers to the following synopsis of the newspaper laws: 1. A postmaster is required to give notice by letter (returning a paper does not answer the law) when a subscriber does not take his paper out of the office, and state the reasons for its not being taken. Any neglect to do so makes the postmaster responsible to the publishers for payment. 2. If any person orders his paper discontinued, he must pay all arrearages, or the publisher may continue to send it until payment is made, and collect the whole amount, whether it be taken from the office or not. There can be no legal discontinuance until the payment is made. 3. Any person who takes a paper from the post-office, whether directed to his name or another, or whether he has subscribed or not, is responsible for the paper. 4. If a subscriber orders his paper to be stopped at a certain time, and the publisher continues to send, the subscriber is bound to pay for it if he takes it out of the post-office. This proceeds upon the ground that a man must pay for what he uses. 5. The courts have decided that refusing to take a newspaper and periodicals from the post-office, or removing and leaving them uncollected for, is prima facie evidence of intentional fraud.

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A Toronto sausage maker has been detected using horseflesh in his business and the people of the Queen City, who very properly object to being fed upon carrion, are determined that he shall carry on (1) the business any longer.

CHARLES D. BARR, of the Lindsay Post came off victorious in the recent libel suit brought against him by Grace, of the Lindsay School Board. By making a plucky stand on the matter in question, did Charles D. Barr his adversary from getting either an apology or damages. This is a coup de Grace, so to speak, to the embroglio.

NICHOLAS FLOOD DAVIN has been giving his opinion of Canadian Parliamentary speakers, and pays a high compliment to the leading men on both sides of the House. Referring to a recent debate, he says that "Mr. Cameron (Huron) spoke with the force of a practical man and an astute lawyer." "Praise from Sir Hubert is praise indeed."

The stand taken by the Liberals during the last general election, that the foreign demand regulated the price of Canadian farm produce, is now admitted even by the most extreme Nation Politicians. Since that time, whenever the price of grain fell below its normal figure, our N. P. friends, who had put a "maak" tariff on grain, shrieked, "Oh, the Liverpool markets are down!" thus endorsing those who had previously pointed out the absurdity of putting on a high tariff on grain. Now that Canadian consumers are paying an extra cent a lb. for meat, there is no credit taken to the increased duty on live stock, but the "Old Country demand" is said to be the cause of the rise. The hollowness of the Agricultural Protection cry has been proven after two year's trial; and those farmers who were caught by it in 1878 have a rod in pickle for the party which promised them much and gave them nothing.

The total returns for East Northumberland are Crouter, 1,190; Kennedy, 1,700, giving Crouter a majority of 190. The official count in Carleton gives the following totals—Irvin, 1470; Connell, 1425; majority for Irvin, 45. The following is a portion of Mr. Irvin's address, and will give an idea of the outspoken character of the man.

"The people of this county must not, cannot, shall not stultify themselves before the world, by sanctioning those acts so fatal to the Dominion at large, and that policy of Protection, so especially damaging to this Province. We must not endorse their broken pledges, all of which is done if a Government candidate is elected without opposition. I am resolved to save the people of Carleton this stigma, as no other man has offered. I, who profess to be only a farmer in the backwoods, have determined to place myself at your disposal. I have no money to spend in bribery, and if elected it must be by the independent voice of the electors, who by my election will have done all that in them lies to wipe away the stain resulting from the acts of the present Government."

A STRANGE political contest is going on at Northampton between Henry Varley, the celebrated revivalist, and Bradlaugh, the noted infidel. Bradlaugh, it will be remembered, was elected to the position at the general election, and raised some excitement by refusing to be sworn. Afterward he expressed a willingness to take the oath but it was found necessary to make his admission to the House of Commons the subject of a vote, and he took his seat upon the division being in his favour. His case was brought before the Courts and it was adjudged that he was sitting illegally, and liable to a heavy penalty. Such being the case, Bradlaugh resigned, and placed himself in the hands of the electors. It had been said that the noted infidel owed his former election to having run in a pair with Labouchere, and it was thought that the constituency would reject him were he to run on his own merits. There was talk of Miss Coutt's—that was new husband—that is, the late Ashmead-Bartlett, coming out as the Opposition candidate, but that gentleman after due deliberation thought he had as much business on hand as he could well attend to, and declined to be the nominee. At this stage, Rev. Henry Varley came forward as an opponent to Bradlaugh, from a religious stand point, while a regular candidate was also set up by the Conservative Party. And now the battle will not be fought out on straight political issues alone, if at all. Politics are politics and religion is religion, and we cannot see why the one is sought to be dragged into the other. If a clergyman attempted to run a church on politics, he would soon be denounced, and we fail to see why a politician should attempt to run politics on church principles. We have known many real religious men, like our own Mr. Farrow, who made very indifferent politicians, and we have also known excellent political tacticians, of the Sir John stripes, who made no loud professions of piety.

Latest accounts report that Earl Beaconsfield is sinking fast.

THE Toronto World never seems Blue to us; nay, it is well re(a)d. But we Horton to pun.

It is said that a number of county postmasters are in the habit of using cancelled stamps, and the authorities are about to investigate the matter. It is also said that some otherwise excellent people cannot see where the harm is of using a stamp that has already been used, but which the post office clerks have failed to deface. Perhaps, there are fewer temptations to profligacy there trying than to tear up an unmarked postage stamp which has already done service, but which would pass muster again. But to palm off a postage stamp which has already been used is just as bad as stealing the value of the stamp in cash, whether it be an undefaced one, or one cleansed and re-gummed.

THE editor of the Stratford Times is convinced that he made a "jolly old ath of himself" in the matter of the Judge Squier investigation controversy. In his last issue he drops the subject altogether, and instead of endeavoring to argue his case, or let himself out of the difficulty by a manly apology for his ignorance of facts regarding the matter, he publishes a mournful wail against the editor of THE SIGNAL for the unpalatable dose of enlightenment given him on the subject under discussion. Whipped curs will whine, and although we pity the Times man in his tribulation, yet justice had to be done in the premises. Next time he starts to bully and bluster he will look before he leaps.

A Prophecy. The next general election will give the Government of Canada to the party of that distinguished Irish Canadian, the Hon. Edward Blake.—[Irish Canadian.]

A Voice from New Brunswick. We congratulate the Liberals of Canada on finding that the votes and hearts of the people of New Brunswick are at one with those of all true Liberals all over the Dominion.—[St. John Telegraph.]

An Independent Opinion. The success of the two Liberal candidates, one in New Brunswick and the other in an Ontario constituency, unexpected in both cases, is a pretty good indication of the way in which the tide of public sentiment is running. It is doubtless true that the Government is as strong as ever in Quebec, but it is not by any means as strong as ever in Ontario and the Maritime Provinces. Its success at the last elections in Ontario was phenomenal, for the Liberals were routed on their own ground, horse, foot and artillery. But the Government must make up its mind to lose largely both in Ontario and the Maritime Provinces the next time. It will be fortunate if it does not find itself left in the lurch.—[Telegraph.]

Canadian salt. From the New Era.

For a considerable time interested parties have endeavored to prove that Canadian Salt was inferior to English, for dairying purposes, and although it has been most clearly shown that such was not the case, but that the Canadian article was in every respect equal to the English, and in some points superior, there still remained a certain prejudice among some cheese makers against Canadian salt. As further testimony in favor of our own article of manufacture, we give the following letter received by Mr. R. Ransford, of the Stapleton Salt Works, (near Clinton), from Mr. Thos. Ballantyne, of Stratford, than whom there is no better authority in Canada, on the matter:—

STRAFORD, 24th March 1881. DEAR SIR,—I should have attended to yours of the 17th inst. sooner; I leave for England to-day, and have only time to drop you a few lines with reference to your Factory Filled Salt. I have cheese on hand now, in the manufacturing of which I used Higgins' Eureka and your own Factory Filled Salt as an experiment, and to test, as far as possible, the quality of yours as compared with Eureka, before giving my opinion. Having now done so, I can with confidence recommend it to our Dairy men. I am well satisfied with its quality, and consider it equal, as far as I have been able to judge, to any salt ever used by me in the manufacture of cheese. Yours truly, THOMAS BALLANTYNE.

Erasmus. James Drew has gone to London to attend the Grand Review of the K. O. T. M. now in session in that city. Mr. J. D. Ronald has shipped one of his celebrated fire engines to Amherstburg, as per order received from that corporation a short time ago. Mr. Ronald has also gone to Amherstburg to give instructions in the working of the same.

A gentleman from Hamilton has entered into partnership with Duncan McIntosh, woolen manufacturer, of this place. It is the intention of the firm to enlarge and increase the facilities for manufacturing.

Nil. EDUCATIONAL.—The following is the standing of the pupils of Nile according to recitation, behavior and attendance: Class 5.—1 G. Pentland. Class 4 Sen.—1 E. McIlwain, 2 M. McIlwain, 3 B. McKnight, 4 T. Hogan, 5 D. McIlwain. Class 4 Jun.—1 E. Kerr, 2 J. McKnight, 3 T. Sheppard, 4 W. Echlin, 5 S. Jackman. Class 3 Sen.—1 J. McKnight, 2 L. Dodd, 3 D. McIlwain, 4 G. Smylie, 5 J. McWhiney, 6 S. Baillie, 7 F. Hutchins, 8 E. Garner, 9 R. Young, 10 J. Baillie. Class 3 Jun.—1 R. Black, 2 G. Jackman, 3 E. Stewart, 4 C. Elliott, 5 R. Echlin.

Parliament. TO THE WEST.—The Dakota fever is still raging. Some more from this vicinity intend starting soon for the far West.

PERSONAL.—Mr. William Murchison, who has been attending Kinsardine High School for some time past, is back among us again. He looks as if hard study agrees well with him.

CONCERT.—The concert given by Mr. Ward and his juvenile class was held in the Granger's Hall in this place on Wednesday evening last. The attendance was not so large as was expected. Though the audience was small, a very enjoyable time was spent. The concert was brought to a close by singing "God save the Queen."

Auburn. The friends of Dr. Hutchison will be pleased to learn that he is going to locate in this village. We understand he has succeeded in securing an office, and will commence to practice in a few days. The Doctor is a skilful physician, and we predict for him a large practice in this section of the county.

ACCIDENT.—Robert Tunney, an employee in Mr. McVettie's saw mill, on the 31st ult., E. Wawanosh, met with a painful accident on Thursday, the 31st ult. He was engaged in drawing logs into the mill and got his arm caught in the bull wheel, when it was broken in several places. It is feared amputation will be necessary.

How HE GOT FOOLED.—A hotel keeper in the township of Hullett was the victim of a practical joke on the 1st inst. A customer went in to his hotel in a hurry carrying a jug and told him to fill it with the best whiskey, quick. Jack got up, and hurried to fill the jug but it would not fill as there had been a hole drilled in the bottom of it. Jack said some bad words, and smashed it up and smashed it against the pump.

CHEESE.—Mr. John Caldwell, the proprietor of the Maitland cheese factory, called a meeting of patrons on the 31st ult., which was poorly attended. He decided to make a personal canvass, in which he is now engaged. He has called another meeting for the 12th inst. If he succeeds in getting sufficient patronage he has decided to stop in Ontario and run the factory instead of going to Manitoba.

Fort Albert. The piling and other timber work in connection with the harbor is about completed; we now await the dredge.

Mr. Edward O'Connor has taken the contract from Mr. R. H. Delong, to build a new hotel, on the site of the one lately destroyed by fire. It is to be completed by the 15th of May. Mr. Delong intends having the main part veneered with brick, which will make it a respectable building.

Railroad matters are quiet here at present; but when the T. G. and B. reconstruct their road, we hope for an extension from Wingham to this place. It is reported they have been offered 96 for \$1,000,000 of bonds, which shows they are not dead yet.

An individual wearing a large plug hat, brand new, was found wandering in the bush near Teeswater a week ago, enquiring from the natives where he could get a cheap railroad. He was directed to an old saw mill, which had ceased to hum, (even the N. P. could not revive its music), and shown two parallel lines of decayed scantling, which started at the old mill, and ended at the slab pile, on which rested the remains of an old four wheeled structure badly battered, and rusted with disuse and age. He was informed this valuable property could be bought. After two days negotiation, and the disappearance of a large quantity of old rye, in which time the plug hat was beginning to comport itself with the occasion, and assimilate itself to the surroundings, a bargain "fast and sure" was concluded for the large sum of three dollars and seventy-seven cents, payable at Kintail, from the first earnings of the road; and the man with the plug hat, chartered a boy with an old horse and wagon, to remove his purchase to Kintail. But he got so bewildered with the magnitude of his purchase, he lost his way, and still he wanders. At last accounts he was asking the natives to take him home, and the Township of Ashfield would reward them handsomely. When asked who he was, he mournfully exclaimed: "I was once conqueror but now I resemble that other plug hat man, at Port Albert who went to Ottawa, and on his arrival did not know himself from his respectable brother at home."

AURORA REVIVUIS. Benmiller. Mr. J. Rogers, Jr., who has for some time resided on the Huron Road, Goderich Tp., has moved into Benmiller.

K. O. T. M.—The next monthly review of Barzillia Tent, No. 259, will be held in the Temperance Hall, on Monday evening, 11th inst.

THE FALL WHEAT.—This winter has been unusually hard on fall wheat, many farmers in this part intend plowing down the land on which they had made large calculations, and sowing it with spring grain.

REMOVED.—The following residents have recently removed from this village: Mrs. W. G. Luker to Victoria (B. C.), and Mr. Jno. Scott and family to Clinton. Their absence will be very much felt for some time.

The following list comprises the officers elected for Div. 308, Sons of Officers for this place for current quarter: P. Cantelon, W. P.; Sarah Phrammer, W. A.; Wm. Robertson, R. S.; James Stewart, A. R. S.; Thos. Heddie, F. S.; Chas. Walter, Treas.; W. Moore, Chap.; Chas. Stewart, I. S.; Jno. Stewart, O. S.; And. Heddie, P. W. P.

RELIGIOUS.—The Rev. C. W. Vollick preached his farewell sermon on Sunday, 3rd inst. His discourse which was very earnest and effective, has left an impression which will not be soon forgotten. The Rev. gentleman has this esteemed partner in life, during their stay of two years on Matiland circuit, made a host of friends, all of whom wish them Heaven's richest blessings wherever their lot in the future may be cast.

OBITUARY.—We have to chronicle the death of Mr. Samuel Carlisle, of Hay, after a long and painful illness, which he bore with christian fortitude and patience. Deceased was widely and favorably known, and leaves a wife and large family to mourn his death.

A PERCHERON STALLION.—A couple of weeks since Messrs. D. & J. Fisher, of Colborne, went to Chicago with five stallions. We understand that several of them have been sold at good figures. On Saturday last a splendid Percheron stallion, purchased by them in Chicago, went up to Goderich, and we understand they intend travelling it in this section the coming season.—[New Era.]

A GENEROUS ACT.—Mr. Philip Greenwood, of Uborne, has been very ill for some time and not able to leave the house. Some twenty-five or thirty of the young men in the neighborhood turned out with lance tooth and champion saws and cut up about 40 cords of stove wood for him. Then after the inner man was satisfied they turned into the Montreal House where they had a real "fandango," which they kept up till the small hours.

MANITOBA. The fourth Excursion party for the North West, via the Great Western Railway will start WEDNESDAY, APRIL 20TH, 1881.

FREIGHT MONDAY BEFORE. For particulars apply to G. W. R. agents, to THOS. GREENWAY, Centralia. or to W. J. WHITE, Express Agent, Exeter.

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Owing to falling health I have disposed of the good will of my business to MR. GEORGE RHYNAS, and would recommend him to the public for their patronage. Signed GEO. CATTLE.

In regard to the above I would announce to the people of Goderich and vicinity that I have opened out a Drug Business in the corner of Blake's Block near the market, and have purchased a fresh stock of Pure Drugs and Chemicals, and by careful attention to business will endeavor to merit your patronage. Your ob'dt servant, GEO. RHYNAS.

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GRAND OPENING! TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY, April 12 & 13. MISS STEWART has now at hand the closing consignment of her purchases of SPRING & SUMMER MILLINERY, for the season of 1881. The novelties introduced this season are both numerous and pleasing, and Miss Stewart has succeeded in making a selection as various in description as in price, and which will be appreciated on inspection. There are a myriad of extremely pretty new things this year, and the styles and colors are very materially altered from those of last season, so that the Ladies will be gratified to see that Miss Stewart has spared no pains and gone to great expense to have them all included in her Stock. As usual, her assortment of the Staples in Millinery, such as: SILKS & SATINS, (all grades and colors), LACES, GLOVES, HOSIERY, PARASOLS, FRENCH FLOWERS, FEATHERS, Etc., is very complete, and all the newest Shades, Tints and Colors are represented. Miss Stewart has acquired the agency for Cornwell's Improved Self-Fitting Hat.

PRINTS AT COLBORNE BROTHERS FROM 5 CENTS A YARD UP. THE BEST VALUE IN TOWN.

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BLACK CASHMERES at 28c, do 35c
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do do 45c, do 60c
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Goderich, Jan. 13, 1881.

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THE WORLD OVER.

A Boston court has decided that if a woman lends money to her husband she cannot get it back. The decision will not be new to many wives.

It is now said that the gentleman known as Commandant Alfred Aylward, now serving with the Beers, is no other than Murphy, the Manchester informer.

An affray has occurred between the people and police who were protecting a process-server on an estate near Ballaghaderin, county Mayo. Two men were killed and many wounded.

At a London musical entertainment a song was sung in which Mother Ship-ton's prophecy was alluded to. An English gentleman hissed because, he said, he thought it blasphemous to make a song from a prophecy in the Bible.

Mrs. Capt. Flagstaff, inspired by jealousy, in Montague, Michigan, where Emma Drake, aged 17, was working, threw twelve ounces of sulphuric acid over the girl, burning her face and the upper part of her body terribly.

Kibaltchitsch, a Nihilist, has been arrested in St. Petersburg on a charge of making the bombs which were used by Roussakoff and his accomplices. He will be tried with the rest, whose trial has been necessarily postponed.

An exchange says:—"To clean out a stovepipe, place a piece of zinc on the live coals in the stove; the vapor produced by the zinc will carry off the soot by chemical decomposition. Persons who have tried the process claim that it will work every time.

Mrs. J. W. Mackey, wife of the Bonanza king, gave in Paris the other evening the most magnificent ball of the season. For the dancing she furnished not only the best band to be had, but a group of singers who sang the waltzes, giving a marvellous spirit of fascination to the dance.

The legislature of Wisconsin has passed, and the governor has signed, a bill to prohibit, break up, and utterly annihilate the pernicious and immoral practice of "treating." All persons who may invite others to drink, and all persons who may accept such invitations, are made liable to arrest and punishment.

Alvin Bronson who was the only survivor of the war of 1812, died at Oswego, N. Y., on Saturday, aged 98. Bronson had charge of the military stores belonging to the Government of Oswego, and to prevent their being captured by the British threw them into the river, for which he was confined in prison at Kingston.

It is reported that Senator Cochrane has already purchased seventy-five bulls in Great Britain, and has made arrangements for the purchase of two hundred more. They are of the Hereford, Short-horn and Polled Angus breeds. He will also secure some thoroughbred stallions and one hundred half bred mares. These are all for his ranch at Bow River, and will be further supplemented by eight thousand head of cattle purchased in Montana and Dakota.

Chas. Harger, managing editor of the Evening Wisconsin, at Milwaukee, has been arrested for a violation of the new Anti-treating Law, the complainant being the city editor of the same paper. It is understood the proceeding is to test the validity of the new law.

A sensational, but apparently authentic, report has reached London from Paris. It is that the Sultan a few weeks ago made a secret proposition to the French Government to depose the Khedive, and put in his place any one named by France. By this the influence of England in Egypt would be destroyed, and that of France vastly increased. For this France should float a new loan for the Sultan, and furnish military support if necessary. The French Government, after getting the whole scheme laid before it, declined to accede to the proposition, and revealed the whole proposal to the English government.

Transombranz. - An exchange indulges in the following very practical reflections:—"If one-tenth as much pains was taken to improve the physical man as there is to improve the short-horn cattle or Berkshire pigs, what a world of manly beauty we would soon have! When we see what care and experience can do for the brute creation, we can easily fancy what it would do for ourselves. Just go to the poultry, dog, and pet stock show, and you will see what careful breeding can do. A beast or a bird can be improved beyond recognition, and yet there is man, proud, haughty man, no better physically than he was when the world was young and when the twilight of history found him sheltering in caves and living on raw meat and blubber. And yet civilization is mighty!"

Metecological Report.

State of the weather for the week ending April 4th.
March 28th - Wind at 10 p.m. North-west, light, clear. Number of miles wind travelled during 24 hours 222.
March 29th - Wind at 10 p.m. North, fresh, hazy. Number of miles wind travelled during 24 hours 364. Snow furries during the day.
March 30th - Wind at 10 p.m. North, fresh, cloudy. Number of miles wind travelled during 24 hours 583. 1/2 inch of snow fell during the afternoon.
March 31st - Wind at 10 p.m. North-west, fresh, cloudy. Number of miles wind travelled in 24 hours 617. 3 inches of snow fell during the day.
April 1st - Wind at 10 p.m. North, fresh, cloudy. Number of miles wind travelled during 24 hours 644. 2 inches of snow fell during 24 hours.
April 2nd - Wind at 10 p.m. South-west, light, clear. Number of miles wind travelled during 24 hours 312. Snow furries during the day.
April 3rd - Wind at 10 p.m. North, light, clear. Number of miles wind travelled during 24 hours 509.
April 4th - Wind at 10 p.m. North-west, fresh, partly clear. Number of miles wind travelled during 24 hours 373.
G. N. MACDONALD, Observer.
Goderich, April 6th, 1881.

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The Poet's Corner.

Bairnies, Cuddle Deon. The bairnies cuddle deon at night, Wi' muckle fauch an' din;

Wee Jamie wi' the curly head— He aye sleeps next the wa'—

At length they hear their father's fit, An' as he steels the door,

The bairnies cuddle deon at night, Wi' mirth that's dear to me;

The British Sovereigns. First William the Norman, Then William his son;

With this title some one sends us a little tract, containing epigrammatic expressions from Col. Robert G. Ingersoll's latest lecture.

"Honest industry is as good as pious idleness," says the colonel.

Well, that's all right. That's orthodox. The Bible says the same thing and said it long before the colonel thought of it.

"Christ believed the temple of God to be the heart of man."

"Reason is the light of the soul, and if you haven't the right to follow it, what have you the right to follow?"

"Yet in the church I had ra her speak five words with my understanding, that by my voice I might teach others also, than ten thousand words in an unknown tongue.

died long ago. I wasn't acquainted with any of 'em.—[Ingersoll. Same way with the men who saw Servetus burned.

"If they hear not Moses and the prophets, neither will they be persuaded though one rose from the dead."

"Render therefore unto Caesar the things which be Caesar's, and unto God the things which be God's."

Certainly not; nor any good man. "A good man showeth favour, and leniency; he will guide his affairs with discretion.

Of course, colonel; they are the hardest kind to save.

"I will never ask God to treat me any fairer than I treat my fellow men."

Most persons have heard of the celebrated encounter of O'Connell with the famous scold, Mrs Moriarty, the huckster of Dublin.

There was at that time in Dublin a certain woman, Biddy Moriarty, who had a huckster stall on one of the quays—near opposite the Four Courts.

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"Reason is the light of the soul, and if you haven't the right to follow it, what have you the right to follow?"

"Keep a civil tongue in your head, you old diagonal," said O'Connell, calmly.

"Don't be in a passion, my old radius—anger only wrinkles your beauty."

"Jintleman! Jintleman! the likes of you a Jintleman! Whas, that bangs Banagher.

"Easy now—easy now," cried O'Connell, with imperterable good humor,

"It's a lie for you; I never had such a thing in my house, you swindeling thief."

"Go, rinse your mouth in the Liffey, you nasty tickle pitcher; after all the hard words you speak it ought to be filthier, you dirty chicken of Beelzebub."

"You saucy tinker's apprentice, if you don't cease your jaw, I'll—"

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Belleville, Ont. Messrs. SCOTT & BOWNE:—Dear Sirs: I feel it a duty to owe not only to you but to the community, to make the following statement:

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Farm and Garden.

Experiments in Planting Potatoes.

From the Massachusetts Ploughman we clip the following:—

"Much has been said and written relating to the best seed to plant, and how to plant it to get the largest quantity of good potatoes. While one farmer will declare that he is confident that it is best to put two good-sized potatoes in a hill, another asserts with equal confidence that two eyes in a hill is enough; while one party plants only the large end of the potato and throws away the seed end, and another prefers the seed end; and there is also a difference of opinion in regard to planting large and small potatoes; one party insisting that to plant small potatoes is a ruinous practice, while the other declares that large potatoes are over ripe and are not as good as the smaller and greener ones. There is also a difference of opinion in regard to planting the same seed several years in succession, and of obtaining new seed from a higher northern latitude.

We must not lose sight of the fact that the potato is not the seed, but a tuber or a root; that two varieties planted in the same hill will retain their distinctiveness, though we have heard intelligent men deny it. Tubers can no more mix than the roots of an apple and pear can mix and produce a tree. This point being settled, we can better understand what qualities are most desirable in spring; for if it is not possible to change the variety, then vigor of growth is about all that we can do by the selection of tubers.

An ordinary potato has from twelve to twenty eyes, though varieties differ and some may come under and others go over this number; but in any variety the number of eyes in a small potato is about as many as in the large ones. This being the case, if we put two small potatoes in a hill, as is the rule with those who plant small potatoes, we shall have thirty eyes to start; if one half of them start some of them must start with very little vigor. As the potato is small the stalks must be very near together, and having but a very small amount of nourishment to draw from, in the potato, the roots must seek to gather nourishment from the soil; but so many stalks are to be supported that the roots crowd and cramp each other; the result of this is small stalks and leaves, and a very large number of small potatoes. If two large potatoes are planted in a hill they will afford more nourishment to the young sprouts, the stalks being farther apart will grow more vigorous, because the roots are not so cramped. The more vigorous the tops, as a rule, the result will be a better crop than the small potatoes afford, but a large proportion of them will be of small size.

A series of experiments very carefully tried have led to the conclusion that heavy seeding produces much the largest number of potatoes, but not the greatest quantity of good market potatoes; that light seeding will produce nearly the same weight of potatoes, while most of them will be large enough for market.

Two years ago an experiment was tried to ascertain which end of the potato was best for seed. A good sized potato was cut in the middle, so that one half would be the seed end, and the other half the large end; the halves were cut again, and the two pieces from the seed end planted in one hill, and the two pieces from the other end, planted by the side of it, the hills being three feet in the rows and the rows three and one-half feet apart, and thus one row contained the seed end and the next row the other end of the same potato. The result, as might have been anticipated, was a very large number of small potatoes from the seed end; and not quite the same weight of large potatoes from the seed of the large end of the potatoes.

The trial was a failure, and only proved what was before known, that many eyes in a hill make small potatoes. The fact that the seed end has nearly all of the eyes was entirely overlooked at the time of planting. The present year the same experiment was tried over again, but the precaution was taken to remove all but two eyes from each piece, whether from the seed or the other end of the potato. The result at digging was 132 pounds to the rod from the seed end, of which 106 pounds 9 ounces were market potatoes; and 25 pounds 7 ounces small potatoes; the largest potato weighed 1 pound 14 ounces. The seed from the large end produced 114 pounds 2 ounces, of which 94 pounds 8 ounces were market potatoes; and 19 pounds 9 ounces were small potatoes; the largest potato weighed 1 pound 6 ounces.

Thus it will be seen the result was in favor of the seed end. The tops came up stronger and continued more vigorous throughout the season. But one trial is not sufficient; several trials should be made by different persons, and the results published; then correct conclusions could be drawn, and at least one point in agriculture settled. We intend to continue the experiment another year.

A few years ago an experiment was tried to ascertain the difference between potatoes from a high northern latitude and those that had been grown on the same land for ten years. The trial was made by planting alternate hills with the imported seed, and treading all alike; the result the first year was 9 pounds of

potatoes from the imported seed to 5 pounds of home grown. The same experiment was tried the second year, by importing fresh seed, and the result was 9 pounds of the imported to 6 of home grown. But this trial was hardly a fair imported seed might not originate from the same seedling. To be sure on this point seed should be sent north and planted a few years, and then returned and planted by the side of a portion of the same seed that had been planted here."

The Inventor of the Kilt.

Mr. Burton in a volume of his "History of Scotland," has a curious passage on the invention of the kilt, which was due to a Quaker. The Highlanders, in part at least, had been accustomed to wear a sort of plaid, which they wrapt about themselves in many folds, greatly to the inconvenience of those of them who required to use their limbs with freedom. A certain part of the large mass of cloth was wrapped round the thighs, heavily adjusted in plaits, and was secured to its position by a belt, after the manner in which the Israelite girded up his loins. This cumbersome arrangement subsequently received, to distinguish it from the modern innovation, the name of the belted plaid. One who had noticed the cumbersome inconvenience of the belted plaid suggested the happy idea of cutting away the part wound round the loins from the rest of the plaid, and forming it into a permanent tunic, while the other part became a shawl or plaid adjustable at pleasure. This idea having the simplicity of true genius, was so decided and unquestionable an improvement, that it took general root. The belted plaid became speedily obsolete, and the Highland costume, as it is known in later times, was perfected in the plaid and the kilt, otherwise called the philabeg. The most likely date assigned to this revolution is half way between the two rebellions, when Wood was laying down his roads. The merit of the invention is attributed to Thomas Rawlinson, an English Quaker, well-known in his day for worth ability and enterprise.

Caricaturing the British.

In the streets of Lahore, according to an Anglo-Indian contemporary, the popular amusement of late has been a satirical representation of the Afghan war. A performing monkey is ordered by his master to show how the British marched into Afghanistan. The monkey came jumping along, dressed up for the occasion in all the bravery of red coat yellow trowsers, plumed hat, and an old toy gun. He strutted about to a lively accompaniment on the tom-tom, and ever and anon would make a rush with his gun at any unfortunate who happened to come in his way, stroking a pair of false moustaches, and looking fiercely around upon the rabble. Orders were then given to how the British came back from Cabul. The monkey divested himself of his gorgeous uniform, and snatching up a dirty old rag, came forward once more, with slow and tottering steps. Covering his face with the rag, he skulked along until he got behind shelter. The roars of laughter which greeted this suggestive little comedy were well deserved. When the monkey-like trick of invading Afghanistan was resolved upon, the ignominious sequel of an inevitable withdrawal was plainly foreseen and, indeed, announced in advance by the late government. The laughter of the Lahore experiment enables us to estimate the prestige which we have gained for that madcap enterprise. [Pall Mall Gazette.]

A Word to Girls.

Dress as plainly as your parents will allow you, but in bright colors (if they become you), and in the best materials—that is to say, in those which wear longest. When you are really in want of a new dress cut it (eg make it) in the fashion; but never cut an old one merely because it has become unfashionable. And if the fashion be costly, you must not follow it. You may wear broad stripes or narrow, bright colors or dark, short petticoats or long (in moderation), as the public wish you; but you must not buy yards of useless stuff to make a knot or a flounce, or nor drag them behind you over the ground. I have lost much of the faith I once had in the common sense, and even in the personal delicacy of the present race of average English women by seeing how they will allow their dresses to sweep the streets as if it is the fashion to be scavengers. If you can afford it, get your dresses made by a good dressmaker, with the utmost attainable precision and perfection; but let this good dressmaker be a poor person living in the country—not a rich person living in a large house in London. Learn dressmaking yourself, with pains and time, and use a part of the everyday needle work, making as pretty dresses as you can for poor people who have not time nor taste to make them nicely for themselves. You are to show them in your own wearing what is most right and graceful, and to help them to choose what will be the prettiest and most becoming in their own station. If they see you never try to dress above yours, they will not try to dress above theirs. [Mr. Raikin.]

Hennell wants a barber as Mr. Galligan has left town.

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Journalistic Brotherhood Love.

There were several loungers gathered in the back room of a Galveston saloon says the News, and somehow or other the subject of newspapers came up for discussion. One man said that editors were more jealous of each other than any other class; that they never had a good word for each other. A long-haired youth, with a solemn look, spoke up and heaving a sigh, said that he had had some experience with editors, and he found them the reverse of jealous of each other, that a Texas editor was always willing to deny himself comforts for the benefit of a brother editor. "Where did that happen?" "It happened in a Western Texas town where I lived," sighed the young man. "I had dashed off a little poem of ten or fifteen cantos about 'Beautiful Spring.' There were two rival papers in the place—the Eagle and the Tribune. I had heard the editors were deadly enemies and I thought to shed each other's gore, and I was afraid if I let the Tribune publish my poem first there would be a deadly encounter I finally resolved to have it appear simultaneously in both papers. When I called the editor of the Tribune he said that the editor of the Eagle had a large family, and that he would prefer it appear in the Eagle as persona; he loved the editor of the Eagle. I went to the Eagle man, and he said the editor of the Tribune was his warmest personal friend, and he would let him have the poem. It would be like putting bread in his mouth and clothes on his back. So, owing to the love those editors had for each other, I couldn't get my poem into either of their papers, and it hasn't been published yet. I never saw men so anxious to help each other out of distress, and once more the long-haired poet sighed like a bellows. There was a pause, and an old coon with a frost-bitten nose declared and unquestionable an improvement, that it took general root. The belted plaid became speedily obsolete, and the Highland costume, as it is known in later times, was perfected in the plaid and the kilt, otherwise called the philabeg. The most likely date assigned to this revolution is half way between the two rebellions, when Wood was laying down his roads. The merit of the invention is attributed to Thomas Rawlinson, an English Quaker, well-known in his day for worth ability and enterprise.

Good Manners.

Notice some reasons why the young should cultivate good manners very earnestly. Because the rights of others demand it. Courtesy is simply a carrying out of human rights. Men have a right not only to life, liberty and property, but to recognition, respect, the comfort and enjoyment of life. We have no more right to deprive them of these by our conduct to them than to rob them of their good name or of their property. A boy owes it to his elders to treat them with respect, and to all to behave toward them with thoughtfulness for their welfare. If he is insolent on the street, or disorderly in a lecture or at school, he is a kind of swindler. A girl owes it to society to act with kindly care for the feelings and enjoyments of others; if she is rude and boisterous in public places or in a concert she disturbs others by munching candy, or by whispering and giggling, she is a cheat. She defrauds others of the pleasure they have a right to because our manners will in some way cling to us through life. The habits of language and the gait in walking to which one accustoms himself in the first twenty years of his life, always go with him, so a coarse, rude spirit, or a selfish, disagreeable manner indulged in for the first twenty years will flavor the whole after life. Because our manners will influence others powerfully, for good or evil. Behave nobly, and you draw others toward a noble life; behave meanly, and you inevitably demoralize others. One rotten apple will spoil a dozen sound ones and 'evil communications' from one bad example will 'corrupt the good manners' of those who would otherwise be noble. Because our manners make us attractive or repulsive to others, and so affect our success in life. Many lads owe their positions to their courtesy; others have lost excellent chances because they were known to be unprincipled selfish and coarse.

Grey.

Duncan McDonald has purchased a yearling thor'bred, paying \$100 for him. He got him from near Gal.

M. & C. Clemens have sold their farm, lot 11, con. 13, containing 100 acres to J. N. Knetchel, of Brussels, for \$3,920.

Alex Stewart and James Livingstone auditors for this township did their work in a very satisfactory manner.

The Whitfield Methodist Church is receiving a thorough renovating, in the way of painting and kalsomining.

Ethel.

OBITUARY.—Mr. James Spence, a prominent and well-known resident of this place, died on Wednesday evening last, at the age of 67 years. Mr. Spence was in attendance at the last meeting of the Maitland Presbytery, which was held in Wingham. While from home he caught a severe cold, which terminated in inflammation of the lungs, and which proved fatal as above stated. On Wednesday evening he was a native of Forfarshire, Scotland, and came to this country about 30 years ago. He first settled in Quebec, and afterwards removed to Hollin. He came to Ethel something over 12 years ago, and was appointed postmaster, and carried on a general mercantile business. At the formation of the Presbyterian congregation here, over which the Rev. Mr. McRae has pastoral charge, he was unanimously chosen as an elder, which position he certainly adorned, and the congregation and pastor will keenly feel his loss. At the meeting of Presbytery above alluded to, he was appointed a representative to the General Assembly. He was a good, Christian man in the latest sense of the term, and was generous and kind to a fault. None ever applied to him, either for counsel or advice, that did not leave him feeling better than they came. He will be much missed in Ethel and vicinity. He leaves a family of three daughters and one son, all of whom are married. His son is township clerk of Grey, and will likely continue the business in Ethel. Mr. Thompson, wife of Rev. Mr. Thompson, of Brucefield, is the youngest daughter of Mr. Spence.

About Caults.

In the Globe of Saturday last the following advertisement appeared in the personal columns:—
TO CAPTAINS OR PERSONS GOING TO SEA—A child's caul for sale, in good preservation.

Many who read the above, and especially Canadians, were ignorant of both what a caul is and what the peculiar merit may be that makes it valuable to seafaring people. In the old country, however, it is different. In the London papers cauls are regularly advertised, and sometimes bring as much as one hundred guineas. What, then, is a caul? It is a thin membrane, encompassing the heads of some children at their birth. It is held by the ignorant that a child born with one is destined for a lucky existence, and sailors are almost unanimous in the opinion that any one who possess such a rarity enjoys immunity from death by fire or water.

The naming of a member was not so common an event formerly as it has recently become in the British commons, and the consequences were not so well understood. "Sir, air, I must name you," Speaker (now often threatened upon a member's persisting in any disorder. Being asked on one occasion what would happen if the threat was put into execution, and a member named, he answered, "The Lord in heaven knows!" During the present session the threat has been put into execution several times, and what invariably happened was the suspension of the member from the service of the house during the remainder of the day's sitting. But neither the naming of a member nor the consequences of it have seriously excited the home rulers, or lessened their hostility to the Government's Irish measures.

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TO THE PUBLIC:—

Having disposed of my Photo Business in Goderich, I would take this opportunity to return thanks for the many favors received since commencing business here seven years ago. For my successor, Mr. Sallows, I bespeak a continuance of the patronage so kindly tendered me, and knowing him to possess superior ability, predict for him a successful business career. Respectfully, R. R. THOMPSON, Photo.

With reference to the above, I would inform all interested that my aim will be to produce work at the lowest prices consistent with Good Quality, and shall spare no pains to give satisfaction. A fine assortment of Albums, Frames, &c., to hand in a few days. A call solicited.

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COUNTY CLEANINGS.

W. J. Armstrong, of Exeter, an implement agent, recently forged a note, and ran away with his hired girl, leaving a wife and seven small children behind. James Sinclair, a young lad working in Mr. Schnarr's flax mill, Crediton, became entangled in some of the machinery and had his leg broken in three places. Mr. Alex. Davidson, of Seaforth Commercial hotel, left for Lexington, Kentucky, this week to attend a great horse sale there. He intends purchasing a blood stallion if he can get anything to suit him.

APRIL PROVERBS.—A cold April the barn will fill. An April cold carries away the frog and his brood. April showers make May flowers. When April blows his horn, it's good for hay and corn.

Miss Lydia McCallum, Winthrop, has just completed a quilt containing four thousand pieces. The whole of this work was done by her in the short space of two weeks. Where is the next young lady so deft with her needle.

On Friday night a complimentary supper was given to Mr. John H. McDougall in Bowden's (late Wier's) Hotel, Seaforth, by the members of the Canadian Lodge of Foresters and other friends, on the occasion of Mr. McD. leaving for Dakota.

SHEEP DISEASE.—Mr. Geo. Smallcombe, of Uxborne, lost a fine ewe with a disease called the "grub." It is very prevalent in England and Scotland. A few drops of turpentine poured in its nose would have saved it, perhaps, if done in time.

GOOD WORK.—A few days ago Mr. Wm. Sinclair and Mr. Colin Munroe chopped, split and piled six cords of wood in nine hours. The work was done on the farm of Mr. Thomas Munroe on the Mill Road, Tuckersmith. These men must be equal to a sawing machine; but this is the kind of stuff young Canadians are made of.

Mr. Lauchlan Kennedy, 7th concession of Hibbert, while felling trees in his bush on Thursday last week, afternoon was instantly killed by a tree falling on him. Deceased was a highly respectable and well-to-do farmer, not more than 35 years old.

A HEAVY LOSS.—A report is in circulation to the effect that Mr. Alfred Brown, a one time prominent resident of Morris, but now residing in Southern Dakota, has lost by the excessive cold during the past winter one hundred sheep and half as many cattle.

SOLD OUT.—Mr. F. Dodge, at present carrying on business in the Stone Block, Wingham, has sold out his stock and shop fixtures to Mr. Thomas Read of Belfast, the former at 90 cents in the dollar and the latter for \$200. Mr. Dodge is smitten with the exodus fever. He intends taking a tour to Dakota very shortly, with the object of prospecting for a desirable location to settle on.

OBITUARY.—Died at Hensall, on Tuesday morning, 29th inst., Jane Barber, beloved wife of Mr. John Scott, Sr., a native of Tarriff, Aberdeenshire, Scotland, and for many years a resident of Tuckersmith, in the 55th year of her age. Mrs. Scott was well and favorably known in this neighborhood, and though for many years in delicate health, yet she continued to discharge her usual household duties till a few months ago when deceased and her husband retired to the village of Hensall.

Dashwood is situated on the boundary between the Townships of Hay and Stephen, seven and a half miles from Exeter, and boasts of two general stores, two hotels, two carriage shops, two blacksmith shops, two saw mills, one grist mill, a shoe store, harness shop, tin shop, tailor and carpenter shop, furniture rooms, a jewelry and sewing machine establishment, &c., also a daily mail from Parkhill, 16 miles distant. There is a good opening here for a doctor, there being none nearer than Zurich, six miles distant.

The following are the dates of the spring shows in Huron this year: Turnberry, Wingham, Tuesday, April 12; South Huron, Bruceville, Tuesday, April 19; West Huron, Goderich, Wednesday, April 13; East Huron, Brussels, Wednesday, April 13; Morris Branch, Blyth, Friday, April 15; Stephen and Uxborne, Exeter, Thursday April 21.

ANOTHER BULL.—Mr. John Thompson, of the third concession of McKillop, has purchased from Mr. Robt. McMillan a thoroughbred Durham bull calf, ten months old, paying therefore the sum of \$100. This bull was raised by Mr. McMillan and is from excellent stock on both sides and is a particularly fine animal. He was sired by "Sir Roger," a bull owned by Mr. George Sprout, of Tuckersmith, and latterly by Mr. Sam. Scarlett, of McKillop.

PERSONALS.—Mr. Eph. Elliott, of Exeter, has returned from Kingston, where he had been attending the medical college. He very successfully passed his matriculation examination last fall and passed in arts the second time.

BULLS.—Mr. John Tough of the Brownson Line, Stanley, recently sold a monster bull for exportation to the Old Country, which weighed 2,500 pounds. He was sold for 41 cents per lb. Mr. Tough has purchased from Mr. McTaggart of Clinton, another very superior young animal for which he paid \$135.

STALLION SOLD.—Mr. C. Dale, Sr., has disposed of his imported stallion "Glenlee" to Mr. John Willis and Mr. Jonathan Carter for the sum of \$1,000. It will be remembered that "Glenlee" is the mate of "Wellington," the horse now

owned by Mr. Carter, and the pair were imported by Messrs. Love and Brown some years ago. Mr. Dale purchased him at the Live Stock Sale in Clinton, and has made three very successful seasons with him. He has left as good stock as any horse in the country.

At Wm. Rand's sale, Morris, the 30th ult., a gentleman, by accident, stumbled into a pen containing several goats. One of them not liking the sudden intrusion immediately assumed the offensive and before friends could rescue him he was rather roughly handled. Moral.—Never interfere even with a goat in his own house.

CONTRACT LET.—The contract for sinking the test well in Hensall has been awarded to Messrs. George and Peter McEwen, of Goderich, their being the lowest tender received, viz., \$1,500 for sinking it a depth of 1,200 feet and \$2 for every additional foot until they reach a depth of 1,500 feet, should it be necessary to go that depth.

Blyth is at the present time considering the propriety of having a cemetery outside the limits of the corporation, and a meeting has been called by the Reeve for the purpose of taking the matter into consideration. No doubt remains in the mind of anyone of sufficiently reasoning capacity, that the site of the present burial place in this village is really very unsuitable.

BIG WORK.—One day recently Messrs. Colin Campbell and Robert Nett, of the 8th con. of Hullett, cut twelve cords of stoverwood in seven hours on the farm of Mr. Gordon Campbell. They say that if anybody in the county of Huron of their own weight can beat this they would like to hear from them. Their united weight is 300 pounds. Come on now, boys, try your muscle. This work was done with a lancetooth saw.

Lochalsh.

OBITUARY.—On Saturday morning, 27th ult., the youngest son of the late Donald McKee, breathed his last. His death was caused by a severe cold, which settled on his lungs. He was about two years of age.

EPIDEMIC.—A disease of a similar nature to scarlatina, but in a very mild form, is very prevalent in this vicinity. The school is almost empty on account of it. No deaths have occurred, and none are likely to take place, if proper care be taken of the patients.

HYMENEA.—One of those transactions, the consummation of which is always looked forward to with no small degree of pleasure, and which cause a flutter of excitement to those who are to participate, occurred on Thursday, 31st ult., when Mr. Alex. McCauley, of Huron Township, and Miss Isabella McKee, of this place changed what some people call "single blessedness," but which a certain writer has perhaps more fittingly termed "single cussedness," for "marriage happiness." A large number of the friends and acquaintances of the bride and bridegroom were invited, and a very enjoyable time was spent. We wish the happy couple joy and long life.

CANADIAN NEWS.

While Henry Wylan, aged 75, of Halifax, N. S., was chopping wood in his yard on Saturday, he dropped dead. Boring operations for the St. Lawrence tunnel developed a strata of rock running all the way across the bed of the river.

A silver mine has been discovered on the farm of Mr. Garner Chesbro, in Rawdon, Hastings county. Isaac Secord, for several forgeries, was sentenced at the Bramford Assizes to four years in the Penitentiary.

The editor of the Western Chronicle, Kentville, N. S., has been presented with a sound Nonpareil apple said to have been grown in 1878.

Mrs. Luscombe, while attending to her duties to her store at Hamilton, a few days ago, was seized with an attack of apoplexy and died in a few hours.

Dr. Francis Tumblety, well but unfavorably known in Ontario, has been arrested in New Orleans for picking the pocket of a government clerk.

The temperance people of Toronto have passed a vote of censure on Mr. Jas. Beatty, M. P., for West Toronto for his vote upon the Scott Act.

A man named Louis Ratelle created some consternation in the Church of St. James, Montreal, on Sunday, by taking off his trousers while service was in progress. He was quite sober but insane.

The election of a successor to the late Mr. Thompson, M. P., for Caribou, resulted in the return of Mr. Reid over his three opponents. All four candidates were Conservatives.

The special jury appointed to try the Waubun case have failed to agree, and were discharged on Saturday. It is understood that nine jurymen were in favor of a verdict for the plaintiff.

A monster named Cheval was condemned to six months' imprisonment for trafficking with Chicago and other United States points in the virtue of young females in Montreal.

Two hundred and seventy-three ounces of gold were produced from 374 tons of quartz, at the Sherbrooke gold mines, Nova Scotia, during February, the result of 2,328 days' labor.

Dr. Wilson, President of Toronto University College, has given up the use of intoxicating liquors, not because he regards his former habit of a glass of wine at dinner as sinful, but for the sake of students who look to him for example.

Hon. Oliver Mowat and Miss Mowat will cross the Atlantic early in May. They go to join Mrs. and Miss Mawat, who have spent the winter in Italy and Southern France, which is a great advantage to the health of the former.

The temperance movement is extending over the Province of Quebec, Riviere des Prairies being the last village heard from. Its inhabitants refuse to give licenses or allow the sale of imported wines.

Mr. James Fisher, B. A., of Stratford, has been spending a few weeks in the Sunny South, taking in the Mardi Gras Carnival at New Orleans, and seeing the sights generally. He brought back with him a young alligator about six weeks

old, which he presented to Mr. Porteous, of the Aven Hotel. The little fellow is quite lively, and is a genuine curiosity in this Northern clime. If he lives until 1883 Mr. Fisher intends to be carried into Parliament on its back when the general election comes around.

A RARE BIRD.—Master John Bell, of Belleville, shot a duck on the Au Sauble recently. It must have emigrated from Alaska, as it was white, green, red and black. Mr. Wm. Dimin, taxidermist, is going to stuff it and put it along with his collection in his aviary.

It has been discovered that a sausage manufacturer, who lives over the Don, at Toronto, has been in the habit of using horseflesh and other carion meat in the manufacture of sausages. The small that arose from his place led to the discovery of the fact.

It is stated that nine million feet of square timber will find their way to the Quebec market from the Upper Ottawa this season. A number of shantymen are returning to Ottawa from Michigan, the inducements being the improved wages paid by the Ottawa lumbermen.

The following letter was received not long ago by a gentleman, from an aspirant to municipal honors in Huron county: "Dear friends, will you be kind enough to use your influence in my Election as I am running for Deputy Reeve in your Interest Please work up your Part of the T P and ablige me yours W. K."

A Frenchman living in Kingston cut a piece off his tongue because he believed that it wagged too much, and often got him into trouble. The final result of this rigorous remedy remains to be seen, but if all tongues that wagged too much were treated in the same way there would be a considerable amount of blood lost.

The Synod of the Reformed Episcopal Church of Canada, will hold their annual meeting at Ottawa on the 20th of May, when matters affecting the management of the Church in Canada, will be discussed, and delegates appointed to attend the General Council to Philadelphia.

A foot race of 100 yards took place in the park at Toronto, on Thursday afternoon, between Duncan Foley, of Bradford, and James Ross, of Guelph, for \$25 a side. After several false starts, the men got off well. Foley kept the lead throughout, winning by three feet, in 10 1/2 seconds.

From a report of the auditors, presented to the Leeds and Grenville County Council on Wednesday, the amount of the deficiency in the treasurer's office appears to be over \$7,000. Mr. McMullen, on behalf of Mr. Schofield's bail, a flutter of excitement to those who are to participate, occurred on Thursday, 31st ult., when Mr. Alex. McCauley, of Huron Township, and Miss Isabella McKee, of this place changed what some people call "single blessedness," but which a certain writer has perhaps more fittingly termed "single cussedness," for "marriage happiness." A large number of the friends and acquaintances of the bride and bridegroom were invited, and a very enjoyable time was spent. We wish the happy couple joy and long life.

IN THE LIBEL CASE OF Wm. Grace, Chairman of the Leeds School Board, against Chas. D. Barr, proprietor of the Canadian Post, in which \$5,000 damages were claimed for a criticism in the Post on the actions of the chairman and other members of the Board in re-engaging a teacher of alleged intemperate habits, the jury brought in a verdict for defendant.

If it pays to advertise liberally and largely during the holidays, why does it not pay equally as well in proportion during other seasons of the year? Undoubtedly it does. Business men advertise freely during the holidays because they have goods they want to sell, and they want the public to know the fact. The same principle applies in favor of liberal advertising at all times.

"GENTLEMAN'S MISTAKE"—Henry Phillips, of Montreal, calling himself a gentleman, while engaged in breaking the law was ordered to "move on." There was nothing of Poor Joe about him though, and he made the following speech to the policeman: "Sir, I am a property holder and I support you and your class, I won't move on. Now arrest me if you dare." But notwithstanding that this gentleman belonged to a good family and had been under arrest once for shooting with intent to kill, the policeman arrested him. This morning the Recorder told him that all men were equal before the law and fined him \$10 and costs, which the man paid.

Mr. J. C. McLagan, a prominent citizen of Guelph, formerly a publisher of the Mercury, and well known to many in this section, his father and brothers being old settlers of Logan, left that city on Thursday, en route for British Columbia. The evening previous the parlors of the Wellington Hotel presented an animated appearance, the occasion being the assembling together of a large number of the most prominent citizens of Guelph to do honor to the departure of Mr. McLagan. A presentation was made to himself and Mrs. McLagan of two addresses, a handsome silver service, a gold locket, and a purse well filled with golden eagles. A joint address was presented by the St. Andrews and Caledonian Societies, and read by Mr. E. F. Johnston. The address from the citizens was tendered by Mr. A. M. McKinnon. The recipient made appropriate replies to both addresses. The remainder of the evening was passed in a social manner.

We have a copy of the tenth annual report of the Ontario Institute for the Deaf and Dumb, Belleville, of which R. Mathison, an old newspaper man, is the executive superintendent. The number of pupils during the year ending September, 1880, is stated to be the largest of any year, having been 281, of whom 119 were females. There have been close upon 600 pupils since the opening. The following facts are of interest: Of the aggregate, 215 were deaf mutes from birth, 73 lost their hearing from fevers, 24 from colds, 12 by accident, 12 from measles, 20 from spinal diseases, and 75 from various other unknown causes. The statistics gathered do not bear out the prevalent idea that deafmutes are caused in very many cases by intermarriage. One family sent 5 children to the institution; 2 families sent 4 each; 8 families, 3 each; and 33 families, 2 each. The inspector's report is on the whole satisfactory.

The jury at the London Assizes returned a verdict of \$1,500 in favor of Mrs. Howie, who claimed damages for the death of her husband at the hands of one Kent, of Biddulph, in the course of a quarrel some years ago.

Detective Hodge arrested Thomas Bridgeman immediately after his release from Perth County jail, on a charge of indecently assaulting a young woman in the Township of Nissouri several months ago.

It is found by the trustees of the Protestant Home at London that to remove the old Northern Hotel, which has been offered as a gift by Mr. Crony, and put in fit condition will cost about \$600, and the offer will therefore be declined.

A quantity of goods for a grant in Goderich township arrived by G. T. R. last week; we understand that had the money for the same been expended with some merchant in town, he would do just as well for them as the Toronto retailer.

Mr. Jas. McGill, of Gorrie, accompanied by his daughter Miss Emma will start for Manitoba on Monday next, intending to spend the summer there. Miss McGill has filled the position of organist and choir leader of the Methodist choir for a long time past in a very acceptable manner.

Parties getting their bills printed at this office will get a notice in this department gratis of charge.

Friday April 8.—Farm Stock and Implements. Property of Richard Armstrong, Lot 16, con. 1, Goderich township. J. C. Currie, auctioneer.

Saturday April 9, and following days. Furniture &c., of Albion Hotel. J. C. Currie, auctioneer.

Tuesday, April 12.—Credit sale of Farm Stock and Implements. Property of the late Daniel Dalton, at Lot 1, con. 7, W. D. Ashfield. J. C. Currie, auctioneer.

Saturday April 16.—Town properties, farms, household furniture, lumber horses, wagons &c., Currie's auction mart. J. C. Currie, auctioneer.

Goderich Markets. GODERICH, APRIL 7, 1881. Wheat, (Fall) 9 bush. \$1.00 @ \$1.05. Flour, (Spring) 9 bush. 2.50 @ 2.75. Oats, 9 bush. 0.38 @ 0.40. Peas, 9 bush. 0.40 @ 0.45. Barley, 9 bush. 0.65 @ 0.75. Potatoes, 9 bush. 0.36 @ 0.45. Beef, 9 lbs. 10.00 @ 10.00. Chickens, 9 lbs. 0.25 @ 0.30. Butter, 9 lbs. 0.18 @ 0.20. Eggs, 9 doz. (unpacked) 0.12 @ 0.13. Cattle, live weight 0.04 @ 0.05. Hides, 9 lbs. 6.00 @ 7.50. Pork, 9 lbs. 6.50 @ 7.00. Salt per barrel 0.90 @ 1.00.

Stokes—In Goderich, on Tuesday, 5th of April, the wife of Mr. Jacob Stokes, of a son, Knights of the Nile, March 27th, the wife of Mr. C. Knights, of a daughter.

Routledge—In W. Wawanosh, March 31, the wife of Mr. T. Routledge, of a son. Armstrong—In Hullett on the 30th inst., the wife of Mr. Charles Armstrong of a son.

W KNIGHT, PRACTICAL BARBER and Hair-dresser, begs to return thanks to the public for the patronage he solicits a continuance of custom. He can always be found at his Shaving Parlor, near the Post Office, Goderich.

The People's Column. WANTED.—A GOOD GENERAL Servant. Apply personally or by letter to MRS. JOHN RANSFORD, Clinton, 1781.

HOUSE WANTED.—A NEAT COTTAGE preferred. Possession desired about the middle of May. Apply at THIS SIGNAL OFFICE.

MISS WESTON, PRACTICAL Dress and Mantle maker, would visit to the ladies of Goderich that she has been the mistress of dressmaking at her residence on the Cambria Road, near the village of Chippewagon, in the County of Huron, yeoman, who died respectively in or about the months of May, 1880, and August, 1876, are on or before the 13th day of April, 1881, to send by post prepaid to Messrs. Garrow & Proudfoot, Solicitors for the Plaintiffs, their full particulars and description, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said order. Every creditor holding any security in or to produce the same before me at my chambers at the Town of Goderich, on the 21st day of May, 1881, at ten o'clock, in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.

DURSANT TO AN ORDER OF THE COURT OF CHANCERY made in the matter of the estate of John Charles Kirkpatrick, and in a case, Kirkpatrick vs. Stevenson, the creditors of John Charles Kirkpatrick, late of the village of Chippewagon, in the County of Huron, who died in or about the month of March, 1880, are on or before the 6th day of MAY, 1881, to send by post prepaid to Mr. Colin Graeme Cameron, Solicitor for the Plaintiffs, their full particulars and description, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said order. Every creditor holding any security in or to produce the same before me at my chambers at the Court House, in the Town of Goderich, on the 21st day of May, 1881, at ten o'clock, in the forenoon, being the time appointed for adjudication on the claims.

BRITISH ASS. COY. OF TORONTO—Established 1833. PHOENIX INS. COY. OF LONDON (England)—Established 1782. HARTFORD INS. COY. OF HARTFORD, Conn.—Established 1810.

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COMPTON'S SURPRISE CORN. The best field corn yet introduced. Ground oil cake kept constantly on hand. JAMES McNAIR. Hamilton St. 1778.

SHERIFF'S SALE OF LANDS. County of Huron: By virtue of a Writ of Habere Facias issued out of the Hon. Majesty's County Court of the County of Huron, and to me directed against the Lands and Tenements of Robert Brahm at the suit of George E. Jackson, Henry R. Jackson, and Samuel T. Jackson, I have seized and taken in Execution all the right, title and interest of Robert Brahm in and to Lots numbers one hundred and ninety two and one hundred and ninety three, south side of Queen's Street, Petty's Survey, in the village of Hensall, in the County of Huron, which Lands and Tenements I shall offer for sale, at my office in the Court House, in the Town of Goderich, on SATURDAY, the SECOND DAY of JULY next, at the hour of 12 of the clock, noon.

ROBERT GIBBONS, Sheriff's Office, Goderich. Sheriff of Huron, March 15th 1881. 1730.

Medical.

H. G. MACKID, M. D., PHYSICIAN, Surgeon and Accoucher, Graduate of Toronto University, Office opposite Cameron & Cameron's Bank, Lucknow. If not in office, enquire at the Bank. 1707-y.

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

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

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

Legal.

GARROW & PROUDFOOT, BARRISTERS, ATTORNEYS, SOLICITORS, &c. Goderich. J. T. Garrow, W. Proudfoot. 1751.

B. L. DOYLE, BARRISTER AND ATTORNEY, Solicitor in Chancery, &c. Goderich, Ont. 1751.

SEAGER & MORTON, BARRISTERS, SOLICITORS, &c., Goderich and Wingham. C. Seager, Jr., Goderich. J. A. Morton, Wingham. 1751.

S. MALCOLMSON, BARRISTER AND SOLICITOR, Office—Corner of West Street and Market Square, over George Acheson's, Goderich. 1751.

E. CAMPION, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Solicitor in Chancery, Conveyancer, &c. Office over Sheppard's bookstore, Goderich, Ont. Any amount of money to loan at lowest rates of interest. 1751-y.

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

JAMES SMALL, ARCHITECT, &c. Office, Crabb's Block, Kingston st., Goderich. Plans and specifications drawn correctly. Carpenter's plasterer's and mason's work measured and valued. 1751.

R. WATSON, HOUSE, SIGN and Ornamental Painter, Parlor decorating made a specialty. GRAYNING, GILDING, GLAZING, Shop on North Street, opposite the Registry Office, Goderich. 1751.

STRATFORD BINDERY—ESTABLISHED 1868. This establishment is chiefly devoted to job and library work, especially to those antique and economical half and morocco styles. In all cases the best of stock and workmanship, with strength and beauty combined. Bindery over John Dutton's drug store. GEORGE STONE. 1751.

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

MONEY TO LOAN ON FIRST Mortgage at reasonable rates of interest and on terms to suit borrowers. Address JAMES STEWART, Salford P. O. 1750.

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