Also,—300 HOOP SKIRTS, of the best make and Latest Fashions,

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KENT-STREET, LINDSAY.

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commune to be found under the mud and rubble heaped depender by the devastating flood at Sheffield. The sulterities are doing their best to cleanee the town, and to affort relief to the sufferers. The local subscription on Saturday evening amounted to over \$22, 000.

Chinese Caucifixion.—Mr. James Johns of Amoy, gives an account of a crucifixion which he witnessed on the 28th of October. The vicini was a well-known thicf. The criminal was crucified at noon on Wednesday, and Mr. Johns spoke to him at five in the evening. He complained of a pain in the chest and thirst. On Thursday he slept some hours, when the cross was fall down within the gool compound. No one was allowed the surface of the same and thirst, when the cross was taid down within the gool compound. No one was allowed the surface of the same and the sweet meat the cross was fall down within the gool compound. No one was allowed the surface of the same and thirst, when the cross was fall down within the gool compound. No one was allowed the cross was fall down within the gool compound. No one was allowed the cross was fall down within the gool compound. No one was allowed the supply him with food or chirds, and during the day there was quite a fair in front of the eross, when the cross was fall down within the gool compound. No one was allowed the surface of the same and suit and been returned to the Assessor, and have consequently been adjusted before the Chiffs and all disapted before the Chiffs and all decreased the projects of the leaders of the leaders of the surface of the same which a surface of the s

year—a young nobleman who has distinguished himself as an active supporter of the volunteer movement. Lord Haddo is at present on a visit to his uncle, the Hon. Arthur Gordon, Governor of New Brunswick.

### THE DUKE OF NEWCASTLE.

The London Star of March 22nd says:— We are sorry to say that on Saturday after-noon the Duke of Newcastle was seized with very alarming symptoms. For some hours his life was thought to be in a critical state. On Sunday his Grape regained his conscious-

### AMERICAN NEWS ITEMS.

The New York ladies are now said to be he heaviest speculators in stocks.

A little boy in Chicago having been left lately to take care of the baby, failed to keep it quiet, and hit upon the happy expedient of sitting on a pillow with which he had first covered the child's head. The mother came in just in time to rescue the infant Deedemona from death.

A Spanie's journal, El Boletia de Comerseo, published at Santander on March 5th, contains the following extraordinary statement:—The Paris correspondent of a democratic journal reports the following fact:—M. Lespont, a first-class surgeon of the invading army in Moxico, had a hundred Mexican prisoners in his hospital, and fearing that they were likely to rejoin the guerilla bands as soon as they could, he cut off half the fore-finger of every one of them in order to render them incapable of drawing a trigger. This barbarous not was perpetrated six months ago, and no journal kas ever dared to rue by witnesses, and among others by M. Lond, an assistant surgeon, who, rather than be an accomplice of the crime resigned the commission which was accepted, but not till after he had been kept in close arrest for two months.

Conk Assigns—Caution to the Fennan Fennan filter was defined in the late Field-Martial had been scandaring the ten men convicted of having illegally practised military exercises and evolutions at lilarney, on the 26th December last, were put forward to receive sentence. Mr. M. Barry, counsel for the Cown that the ends of justice would be satisfied if the prisoners were allowed to stand out on their own recognizances, grounding his sanggestion upon the opinion expressed by the jury that the

instice would be eatisfied if the prisoners were allowed to stand out on their own recognizances, grounding his suggestion upon the opinion expressed by the jury that the prisoners were not aware that they were violating the law, and upon the fact that for 40 years a conviction had not been had under the Statute in which the ten prisoners were presecuted. Sir Colman O'Loghlen, upon behalf of the Crown, declined to accede to the suggestion. Mr. Justice Keogh them sentenced nine of the ten prisoners to twelve months' imprisonment. He pointed out to them the folly of the preceedings in which they had taken part, and said that the decision, by application to the Executive for mitigation of their sentence, would depend upon the state the country was in and the continuance of the demostrations which had been made.—Cor. Examiner.

DEATH OF THE EARL OF ABERDEEN.

We have to record the death of this estimable noblemant, which took place at his continuance of the line of the Rapidan and the Death of years labored under serious disease (disbettes) which in a great measure incapacitated him from active life. He however an as Lord Haddo for seven years in the House licement of the monactive life. He however an as Lord Haddo for seven years in the House

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### The Canadian Bost.

LINDSAY, C.W., Friday, 15th April 1864.

### THE POLITICAL SITUATION.

THE elections so far, as was generally expected, have resulted in the srs. Cartier, McGee, Galt, McDonald and Simpson, were all re-elected on Monday by acclamation.

The Reform Convention of North Waterloo have nominated Mr. Isaac Bowman as their candidate for the representation of the Riding, in opposition to Mr. Foley, who has so fancy that the Summer sun would disgracefully proven recreant to the sions of a lifetime His defeat is considered certain.

We understand that Mr. Cockburn. the new Solicitor-General West, will be opposed by Mr. Caleb Mallory, be opposed by Mr. Caleb Mallory, UNION SCHOOL.—An adjourned meeting of the Township of Hamilton, who of the Board was held on Saturday, April 9th.

It is cheering to note that prepar

Market building will give employ likely be the means of circulating a

and progress; and that at its clos good town of Linds

### A TRIP OUT NORTH.

appropriate, nor the most pleasant for such a visit; but the time was greeably, and, let us hope, profit-

ably spent.

The hurried character of our visit, ven if we had time and space at our sposal, will prevent us from giving we may indicate one or two things remains in the forest. It is expected, pretty nearly over for the season.

At Fenelon Falls we visited the new Saw Mill, lately erected by the Messrs. Smith, brothers of our "D. M.," North Elbox.-Many thanks for worthy County Judge. They have ous work night and day during the

> quaintance in the person of Mr.W.A Brown, who keeps a comfortable inn, where the cold and weary traveller is always hospitably entertained.

Coboconk was our next stopping place. The Cronk property here has lately been purchased by Mr. Daniel Halliday, in connection with other enterprising gentlemen, and we may expect increased activity in every promising locality. We understand that it is Mr. Halliday's intention to erect a grist mill next summer; and if this is done, it will give an im-

boon to that part of the County. About eight miles further North we reached the commodious Hotel
—a better cannot be found in these
Northern Townships—owned and occupied by George Rumney, where we remained all night. Mr. Rumney's house occupies a pleasant situation on the bank of Gull River:

"The public patronage has been used in debauching public opinion."

Was he sincere then, and does he entertain the same opinion now? If so he must be a most incurable hypocrite, and a far more dishonest man than any of those he denounced in 1858. It he was not sincere, he most have been a shameless libeller, and in either case he should be treated with universal contempt.

"The public patronage has been used in timber dues and ground rents was \$395,700, and from slide dues \$72,763, m. king a total of \$468,463. This is a serious discrepancy which impairs the value of the whole remove the contempt of \$468,463. This is a serious discrepancy which impairs the value of the whole remove the contempt of \$468,463. This is a serious discrepancy which impairs the value of the whole remove the contempt of \$468,463. This is a serious discrepancy which impairs the value of the whole remove the contempt of \$468,463. This is a serious discrepancy which impairs the value of the whole remove the contempt of \$468,463. This is a serious discrepancy which impairs the value of the whole remove the contempt of \$468,463. This is a serious discrepancy which impairs the value of the whole remove the contempt of \$468,463. This is a serious discrepancy which impairs the value of the whole remove the contempt of \$468,463. This is a serious discrepancy which impairs the value of \$25,927.

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tion of a Reform Convention. A
keen contest is anticipated.

Heap and Maguire. Absent—Rev. Messrs.
Vicars, Johnson, and Philp, Dr. Fidler,
Messrs. Lang, Thirkell, Matthie, Dundas,
McBurney and Broughall. There not being

Mr. G. M. Roche advertises that he is pre-pared to advance money on farm property.—

We beg to direct the attention of our reads to Houses. Gillies & Lancachire's advertisemen

we may indicate one or two things that struck us more particularly. In the first place we were surprised at the extraordinary activity displayed in lumbering operations. In every direction—on the road-side, in the fields—piled on the shores of the Lindsay merchants are still in the fields—piled on the shores of the Lindsay merchants are still in the Lower Province. Mr. James Lenihan is averal of the Lindsay merchants are still in the Lower Province. Mr. Thomas, (Thomas at present in Montreal, and his stock will be open in a day or two. Mr. Thomas, (Thomas at present in Montreal, and will make extensive purchases of everything in their line. Messrs. Dobson & Mallions to the making additions to the making additions to the province of the part of the year 337,461 acres were added by surveys, making a total of 6,246,018 acres, from which deducting sales and free grants of 242,072 acres, a balance of 6,003,945 acres from which deducting sales and free grants of 242,072 acres, a balance of 311,394 acres still disposable. The price of lands sold during the year amounted to 235,391 acres, the purchase money to 232,070 and the receipts to 75,961. On the colonization roads 6,681 acres were located as free grants to actual settlers. To the 5,900,557 disposable at the commence ment of the year 337,461 acres were added by surveys, making a total of 6,246,018 acres, from which deducting sales and free grants of 242,072 acres, a balance of 311,394 acres still disposable. The price of lands sold during the year was \$33,913, and the gross amount received in payment of instalments, rents, etc., \$27,766, from which taking the extensive purchases of everything in their line.

Messrs. Dobson & Saleck are continually making additions to the E-boice stock of Family Groceries, Crookery, Wines and Liquors.

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### MR. McGEE'S OPINION OF JOHN A., GALT AND CARTIER.

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### THE ELECTIONS.

WEST NORTHUMBERLAND - Norday, Thursday, the 14th instant. NIAGAAA-Nomination day, Monday, the

NORTH WATERLOO - Nomination day.

Mr. Buchanan, the erratic member for Hamilton, and President of the Council in the Tache-Campbell Cabinet, will be op-posed by Mr. McElroy, Marrie of the city. Mr. Buchanan will likely be settened. KILLED BY A BRAR.-We have intelli-

It is cheering to note that preparations are being made for extensive milding operations this season.

Mr. Keenan has already a number of workmen engaged in removing the debrie of the great fire of '81, preparatory to digging the cellars for a number of stores, which, when completed, will bring his splendid brick block up to the corner of Kent and Broadway streets, and forming as fine a range of brick etores as can be found in any town in the Province.

Mr. McDonnell, our worthy Mayor, members of the great fire of '81, bremises erected last year.

Burres FANIEL—We see the misting all the shope of writing all the shope in Lindsay could not furnish enough butter to ever a small piece of bread. A Montreal merchant bought up every pound, good and bad, that he could lay his hands on; and if there is any in the country, the roads are in such a deadful stats as to render it next to impossible for the farmers to come into market. Butter will command a large price for some time.

New Strame.—Captain Crandell, the onterprising proprietor of the "Woodman," lately launched another steamer. The new oraft is 60 feet long, 14 feet beam, flat-bottom, and will be fitted up with engines of '26-horse-power. The new steamer will end and the premises erected last year.

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on the corner of Kent and William

Gold Freeze.—The Chaudiere gold mines
are just now the cause of a good deal of excitement in Lower Canada. The Huntinglong that the pure article would cost from five to
eight dollars a gallon, adding that there was
not a gallon of the genuine article of the

tenders will be asked for, and the building will be immediately commenced and completed at as early a date as possible.

The Spring Assises for the County of Victoria opens next Tuesday. There will be a heavy criminal calendar. We understand that Sidney Smith Q.C., will appear for the Crown.

Mr. Norman Macdonald, class, Cambrey Hotel, died suddenly on last trainer aight. A fit of apoplexy is supposed to have been the cause of his death.

Watches, Clocks and Jewellery can be cleaned and repaired cheaper and better at the Victoria Hall than elsewhere.

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## CROWN LANDS.

however, that in two or three weeks, operations in the woods will be purchased largely without overstocking, and the lower canada maintained in the lower c their goods, staple and fancy, having been purchased with care will command ready sale.

Solution in Lower Canada, and the expenses under this head amounted to \$2,-

> 283,935 acres of surveyed Crown lands in At a Reform dinner given in Montreal, in 1858, Mr. McGee spoke thus of the gentlemen who are now his colleagues in the Govmernent:
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> "The lumber requires to be swept out of the old hospital at Toronto. The atmosphere there must also be presided. It is in a contract the control of the collection of th the old hospital at Toronto. The atmosphere there must also be purified, for it is already so foul that honest men canuot breathe in at a large the deal was \$171, 021. There were 11,012 acres of clergy lands sold during the year, leaving \$2,925 acres disposable. The price of the lands sold was \$27,674. The gross collections of the lands sold was \$27,674.

134, leaving a net revenue of \$18,054.

Again:

"No one who pay my regard to the politics of the country, but will admit that the present Government is a Government of Corruption, Their faith is in Corruption, and their creed is in Corruption itself! They have endeavored to compt every elass in the executive, the judicial, and the popular power."

Again:

"They have enteavored to corrupt the Legislature, to corrupt the Legislature, to corrupt the Press."

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and for slide dues \$1,000; total expenses \$26,927.

The receipts for Indian lands and timber were \$70,763; the interest on investments, \$68,756; annuities and grants, \$35,020; making a total of \$174,540. The payments, comprising the annuities to Indians, salaries, surveys &c., amounting to \$147,816. At the commencement of the year the total sum, as represented in the books of this Department, at the credit of the various Indian lands, was 1,484,653; at its close it was \$1,530,-288, showing an increase of \$45,634.

The report then speaks at some length of the fisheries, surveys in Upper and Lower Canada and the progress of settlement on colonization roads in both sections. Under the head of "general observations" the Commissioner says: "The quantity of public lands sold during the year was not equal to that of 1862. The falling off was in Upper Canada. In Lower Canada the quantity sold was slightly in excess of the previous year. The total amount of revenue frem land last year as compared with 1862, shows a still greater diminution; the amount collected in 1862 being \$701,890, while that collected last year was only \$556,016."—

# MANAGEMENT OF THE CROWN