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February 15th, 1866.

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LINDSAY, FRIDAY, MARCH 2nd, 1866.

Ops Township Council Proceedings.

The Council met. Present : the Reeve. Deputy-Reeve, and Councillors Collins and Duck. Absent, Councillor Connolly. Mr. Connolly entered and took his seat. Moved by Mr. Collins, seconded by Mr. Duck .-That an order for \$27.20 be granted John Connell, part payment of putting a railing on the East Cross Creek Bridge. G. F. -Carried. Moved by Mr. Connolly, seconded by Mr. Duck,-That the Reeve, Councillor Collins and the mover be a committee to examine the West Cross Creek Bridge, and let a contract for repairs of the same .- Carried. Moved by Mr. Connolly, seconded by Mr. Collins, -- That Stewart Pogue get an order for \$2, for making a bridge between the 9th and 10th Concessions. Lot 22, over Stoney Creek. G. F .- Carried. Moved by Mr. Connolly, seconded by Mr. Collins,-That the Auditors' Report now read, be received and adopted .- Carried. Moved by Mr. Collins, seconded by Mr. Reid,-That Peter Hepburne get an order for \$2, being for Statute Labor perby Mr. Reid,-That \$11.80 be paid the Secretary and Treasurer of School Section No. 1, for Non-Resident School Tax 1855. Also \$22.14, due Section No. 2, Non-Resident School Tax 1865 .- Carried. Moved by Mr. Duck, seconded by Mr. Connolly,-That Mr. Collins' Statute Labor for 1865 be commuted for Gravel furnished by him therefor .- Carried. Moved by Mr. Reid, seconded by Mr. Duck,-That J. Connolly,

Moved by Mr. Connolly, seconded by Mr. Duck,-That the bond of John Moore, Collector for 1864, be cancelled and given up to him, the conditions being satisfied .-Carried. Moved by Mr. Connolly, second- at Port Perry which will be a great boon ed by Mr. Reid,—That \$4 each be paid the to that section of the country. In appoint-Auditors for 1865 .- Carried. Moved by ing Joseph Bigelow, Esq., agent of the In-Mr. Collins, seconded by Mr. Reid,-That stitution, the Roard of Directors made a the Revee and Messrs. Connolly and Duck be a committee to let the Printing for the current year .- Carried. Moved by Mr. Connolly, seconded by Mr. Collins,-That James Walls, License Inspector, get an order for \$6, in full of all demands for the above office for the past year .- Carried. Yeas, Farrell, Connolly, Reid and Collins; Nay, Duck. Moved by Mr. Collins, se- L.A. Godey. \$3 per annum. conded by Mr. Connolly,-That the salary of the License Inspector for the current year splendid engraving entitled "Knuckle be \$16.-Carried. Moved by Mr. Duck, down." The colored Spring Fashion plate seconded by Mr. Reid,—That the Clerk no- is as usual unapproachable for beauty; tify the Tavern-keepers to take out their and the numerous patters of needle-work, Licenses, and give in the necessary petition embroidery, crochet, &c., can not fail to be therefor at the next meeting of this Council. of the highest interest to the ladies. Rey--Carried. Adjourned till the 3rd Satur- "payli's Idols," by Marion Harland, conday in April.

Esq., be requested to call on Robert Irwin,

Esq., and request him to pay to Thomas

Graham the sum of \$6, which he got from

this Council to pay said Graham .- Carried.

Lindsay Branch Bible Society,

The annual meeting of this Society was held on Wednesday evening last in the Canada Presbyterian Church. After the preliminary business was transacted the meeting was opened by singing and prayer. The President, W. Thornhill, Esq., occupied the chair, and in a few brief remarks, ing or humbug. Farmers having money to referred to the object of the Society, and lamented the entire absence of all Ministers of the Gospel presiding over the several congregations of the town. S. B. Johnson, Esq., the agent of the Society, then addressed the meeting, and gave a cheering account of the progress which had been made during the year both by the Parent Society in England, and the auxillaries of the United States and Canada, and the increasing interest which was manifested by the various branches which he had the pleasure of visiting, Lindsay proving the exception. From the report presented by the Secretary it appears the funds of the Corder from any bookseller. Lindsay branch are in a healthy state-the collectors having obtained a much lurger sum than usual, and double that of last year. elected, and a hope expressed that more in- bath uext, at 11 o'clock, a.m. erest would be manifested in the cause than heretofore.

Woodville, next Monday evening, when addresses will be delivered by Rev. Dr. Burns, Foronto ; Rev. John McTavish, Woodville; Rer, John McLaughlan, Beaverton; and Rev. Mr. Gampbell and Dr. Tweedie, Fine engravings, pretty fashions, and interosing realding.

Parties indebted by Note or of Window Glass, Putty, &c., &c. The wants of all, in our line of business, cannot fail to be supplied. PHYSICIANS' PRE-SCRIPTIONS and FAMILY RECEIPTS CAREFULLY PREPARED, and CATTLE MEDICINES kept constantly on hand, at the NEW DRUG STORE, on Kent Street,

> OPPOSITE S. & O. BIGELOW'S. COULTER & CHAMBERS.

Medical Council Election.

The election of a representative for Queen and King Divisions, to the General Council of Medical Convention of Upper Canada took place at Whitby, on Monday, 19th ultimo, Sheriff Reynolds acting as Returning Officer. Dr. McGill, of Oshawa, and Dr. Eastwood, of Whitby, were the only candidates. After 27 votes were recorded for Dr. McGill, his opponent resigned. The proceedings were brought to a close by three cheers for the Queen, three for the Returning Officer, and three for the successful

The election for Newcastle and Trent Divisions was held at Cobourg. Dr. Dewar, of Port Hope, and Dr. Gilchrist, of Cobourg. were the only candidates. At the close of the poll Dr. Dewar was declared elected, the vote being Dewar, 11; Gilchrist, 8.

Postponed.

J. F. Gimson finds it impossible to enter Stock-taking until the 15th instant. The Goods are now being measured, and getting ready for calling, either into the Stock Book, or at the call of Bargain Seekers, so that all interested in obtaining Good Value for their money, have this extension of time allowed them. A fine assortment of Carpets and Crumb Cloths still in the Basement. Also some 25 Dresses of those Black Silks that are lower than the Wholesale Prices!

TEA MEETING AT CAMBRAY.—The memformed by him and charged to him on the bers of the Canada Presbyterian Church, Rolls for 1865. Also \$2 to William Jack Cambray, will hold their annual soiree son, for like work.—Carried. Moved by next Tuesday evening, when the Rev. Dr. Mr. Connolly, seconded by Mr. Reid,— Burns, Toronto, Rev. John McTavish, Wood- fond of roast pig as Charles Lamb was, and That William Fagan receiv the sum of \$5, ville; Rev. J. B. Muir, A.B., and Rev. A. will have it, keep a microscope in your That William Fagan receive the sum of \$5, ville; Rev. J. B. Muir, A.B., and Rev. A. kitchen. It will have to play an important were most likely to be attacked with the disease, and suspected that this was the printage of t ried. Moved by Mr. Connolly, seconded Campbell and Dr. Tweedie, Manila, will de who is not as familiar with the microscope ceeds to aid in liquidating debt on the Church. We trust our friends at Cambray eschew Westphalia ham. may have a large and profitable gathering.

> St. Andrew's Church .- Ordination of Elders. On Sabbath morning, the 4th March, Sheriff McDougall, Thomas Robertson, G. McPherson and Peter Levs will (D. V.) be ordained Elders to represent the congregation of the above Church. As this is the first time that Elders are to be ordained in Lindsay, it is confidently to be expected that there will be a large congregation to witness the interesting ceremony in St. Andrew's Church.

> BANK AGENCY AT PORT PERRY .--- The Royal Canadian Bank has opened an Agency most judicious selection; and we feel certain that the business of the agency will be conducted with care and ability under his management. Messrs. Cochrane & Cochrane, Barristers, of Whitby and Prince Albert, are the Bank solicitors.

GODEY'S LADY'S BOOK. Philadelphia

The March number of Godey contains a inues to increase in interest; and altogether the literary matter can not be excelled by any other magazine.

More NEW GOODS this day at S. & O. Bigelows, their Stock is very complete for this season of the year. We can with every not contagious, according to the common confidence recommend our friends to this firm. They keep good articles, sell very cheap, and have only one price, no jockeyspend should be sure to call.

ERIATUM.-In Auditors' statement of Counaccounts published last week the following errors appeared: under Abstract report, instead of 1865-66, read 1864-65. In Auditors' report with reference to the Town of Lindsay County rate, read 1864, instead

OUR Young Folks. Boston: Ticknor &

Fields. \$2 per annum. This excellent little publication, now in its second volume, is a very suitable work o be placed in the hands of young people.

PEEL-STREET CHURCH .- We have been equested to announce that the Rev. Dr. A large addition was made to the Committee. Burns, of Knox College, Toronto, will preach The officers of the previous year were re- in the Canada Presbyterian Church on Sab-

THE Whitby Gazette contains a notice of a donation party at which the Rev. J. been supposed to be owing to the poison of Source.—A Congregational Soiree will be Shaw of Whitby was presented with a cake cholera being carried by winds are thus saheld in the Canada Prosbyterian Church and \$100 by the ladies of the W.M. Church tisfactorily explained. of that town.

> ARTHUR'S HOME MAGAZINE. Philadelphia: T.S. Arthur & Co. \$2 50 per annum. The March number is up to the mark.

Trichina Spiralis

SUPERIOR REFINED COAL OIL, on hand AT THE NEW DRUG STORE, coal Oil Lamps, Chimneys of all kinds, including the Smokless Chimney, Wicks, Shades. Also, an extensive stock of GEN-UINE DRUGS. CHEMICALS, PERMIT UINE DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PERFU- killed had been attached by Triching Spi-MERY, PATENT MEDICINES of mostly ralis, a small worm which swarms into all kinds. DYE STUFFS of the best qua- every part of the animal and human syslity. Lollard's celebrated SNUFFS. Paints, tem when once it obtains a foothold in it, Oils, Varnishes, Bronzes, Brushes. All sizes It appears that this terrible disease is not restricted to Germany, but also exists in the Western States, propagated by the distilery swill impregnated with strychnine and other poisonous substances used there in manufacture of whiskey. In Detroit a German woman has recently died of Trichina Spiralis, and it is supposed that the disease, although not heretofore known to the Clover and Timothy Seeds Wanted. physicians of this country, is much more common than is generally supposed. A late number of the Cincinatti Commercial

"It was reserved for an age of microscopes to discover that the Herodian horror was only an aggravated case of the trichina in the stomach and viscera. We are indebted to the German physicians for this important addition to the list of ills which flesh is heir to-swine flesh in particular. It is not a pleasant reflection that a single ounce of this flesh may contain a hundred thousand animaculæ, and that while they show the same preference for swine that the devil did, they readily colonize in the human stomach, and are indefatigable pathfinders through the human system. Microscopic as they are, they endure extremes of temperature with a tenacity of life that is wonderful. They boil, fry and stew with composure. Any degree of heat under 212 rather quickens than refirst sensation of heat awaken to an alarm-

Good people who dearly love a roast of pork, a slice of ham, or a savoury sausage, have flattered themselves that triching were indigenous to Germany and would confine their labors to the domesticated and demoralized offspring of the wild boar of the Thomorgian forests. Not a bit of it. Since the German physicians made such a valuable use of their microscopes, others have been engaged in the inspection of pork, and the result is the announcement that trichinæ have developed themselves in the swine of America. The Chicago papers inform us that a load of pork put on sale at Peoria, Illinois, ast week, was examined microscopically, and two of the hogs were alive with triching Dressed hogs at Dixon, were also discovered to be inhabited by these infinitessimal creatures. The St. Louis papers of Saturday announce the poisoning of two families in that city from eating diseased pork, though no attempt appears to have been made to discover the character of the disease. Doubtless it was the Herodian horror.

There are two ways of keeping trichinæ out of the human stomach. Buy a microsliver addresses. Tickets 25 cents. Pro-German sausage imported particularly. Yield not to the temptation of Bologne, and

> THE SOUTH SIMCOE NEWS .- This is the title of a new paper just started in the village of Bradford, Messrs. Porter & Boughton, publishers and proprietors. The News is neatly got up, appears to be carefully edited, and should receive the cordial support of the people of South Simone. The News as its rospectus states, will be a " moderate Reorm" in Politics, and is furnished to subscribers at the low rate of one dollar per aunnm. We wish our confrer the most abundaut success and a long age.

CORRESPONDENCE.

THE APPROACHING PESTILENCE. AND HOW IT SPREADS.

To the Editor of the Canadian Post:

SIR,-Feeling interested in the preservation of the health of my fellow-townsmen. I desire permission, through the columns of the Post, to ask our Municipal authorities, if any, and what measures have been taken by them to guard against a visit from that much dreaded pestilence Asiatic Cholera! A general apprehension exists that Canada will be visited by it during the approaching Summer. It would be well, therefore, that by the adoption of suitable precautionary measures we be in some degree prepared for it should it visit our town. Should it be the case that no consideration has yet been given by our town authorities to this important subject, I earnestly nope that they will

no longer delay doing so. I take the liberty of appending a few extracts from a very important letter on "the spread of the Cholera," written by Dr. Chas, A. Lee, Professor of Hygiene, &c., University of Build, and read before the "Health Commissioners" of the City of New York, which I believe will be found to contain much valuable information on the subject. The Dr. writes as follows:

"I have no reason to believe that disease is ever communicated directly from one person to another even under circumstances o the greatest intimacy; in other words, it is

understanding of that word. On the other hand, facts abundantly prove that the disease is portable, and always follows the great routes of travel and commercial intercourse. I hold, also that we have satisfactory evidence that the disease is communicated through the evacuations of those infected with it, and in this way only. I could adduce many instances, where there can be no question that the cholera has been conveyed to hitherto healthy localities, by means of one infected person, in whom the disease has manifested itself by an apparently trifling diarrhea. Persons so affected may doubtless travel from one place to another without serious developement of the disease, and leave behind, in privies and water-closets germs which may give rise to a deadly epidemic. It is this fact, so generally overlooked, or not recognized, that has thrown so much mystery over the causes and mode of extension of this most fatal and

mysterious malady.

This fact also explains those apparent anomalies in the progress of the disease, why it often takes no defined course in its wanderings, but spreads indifferently in different directions and to different quarters; now with the wind and now against it; now following the main routes of travel, nevertheless often deviating from them, but travelling no faster in any case than ships, railroad cars and sometimes seems to take, and which have

Although cholera is fundoubtedly communicated by the fresh dejections of those infected, I think there can be little doubt that if the poison may not be actually present in the stools just discharged, it may be generated in them at a later period, under certain conditions favourable to its development.

These conditions are now pretty well under-straws how the stream flows. It may not

stood. The contact of such discharges with putrid animal and vegetable matter, is very certain to develope the poison of cholera, and an impure atmosphere, from the presence of similar matters, favors its rapid dissemination. The accumulation of filth and organic remains, imperfect sewarage, over-crowding of tenement-houses, and the saturation of the earth with the products of decay, are the chief causes of the greater intensity and diffusion of the disease in large cities and diffusion of the disease in large cities than in other localities. To these, however,

may be added the great imprudence with which cholers discharges are emptied, into common privies, gutters, and sewers, which serve as foci from which the malady spreads in every direction. Hence, we find that in localities visited by the disease, the houses

and streets in which those infected reside are the places of the greatest danger. But while these are being depopulated, the epidemic spreads rapidly, attacking first these low, filthy, overcrowded places, where the predisposing and favoring causes most abound; afterwards, ravaging portions of a city and localities which were at first wholly exempt, and which were probably deemed

safe from any danger of attack. I think the experience on board the Atlanta tends strongly to confirm the correctness of these views. The disease originated in the steerage, where it may have been brough by one individual laboring ender cholerine.
As the water-closets used by the steerage passengers were not used by the first cabin passengers or the crew, not one of these latter were attacked by the disease, while large numbers of the steerage passengers, who exclusively used them were seized with the malady. Does not this theory also afford a good explanation of the fact, that the disorder is generally more active on lines of travel by water than by land? Although these views seem to me to be abundantly sustained by well-known and acknowledged facts, I am ready to admit that there are some phenomena which cholera exhibits in its wanderings, which it is difficult to explain tards their vitality. They become torpid like frogs and lizards in winter, but at the to prevent us from profiting from what is actually known.

The practical lessons which flow from these considerations are the following: 1. Quarantine regulations cannot be too

strictly, nor too rigidly enforced. 2. The most thorough sanitary measures must be enforced and carried out in all places offered to the invasion of the disease. especially in large cities, where every effort should be used to have all houses, streets, alleys, privies, drains, cess-pools, &c. thoroughly cleansed and disinfected. 3 All intercourse with places infected

with the disease must be absolutely prohibited, or, at any rate, guarded with the greatest care and precaution. 4. Should the disease unfortunately be introduced into a place, cholera stools should

never be emptied into necessaries and water closets in common use. 5. The police should be instructed to pour into every privy and water-closet suitable disinfectants, or furnish the same for this

The Resident Physician then remarked that this letter satisfastorily explained certain facts observed by Dr Rich at the cholera Lazaretto in the Balearic Islands, and at Malta in 1831. Dr. Rich states that he there observed that the persons who had charge of the privies and dejections of the patients be chairman of this meeting.

I am, sir, Yours truly. PRO BONO PUBLICO. Lindsay, Feb. 27, 1866.

THE DUTY OF OUR TOWN AUTHOR-ITIES IN VIEW OF THE AP-PROACHING PESTILENCE.

To the Editor of the Canadian Post, Sir,-Would you allow me to occupy your collumns by a few remarks as to the sanitary arrangements of the town, in anticipation of the coming visit of Asiatic Cholera to Cauada? It has been my lot to

witness a considerable amount of the coming pestilence, and perhaps a few remarks from you might place the community in a position to resist its inroads to a great extent. Being so erratic in its course it would be foolish in the people of Lindsay to imagine that it will traverse the great highways and leave the inland towns unscathed, must recollect it has wings as well as legs, and leaps from place to place in a most eccentric manner-now escaping a town it had formerly heavily afflicted; again taking exactly the same course as in former visitations-instance in one epidemic in Edinburgh appearing in the same house in a second epedemic as it had done in the first. But there is one important fact that it revels in filth and fattens on misery. Cleanliness is now admitted to be the best safeguard, and it is not the cleanliness of the man himself but also of his neighbour that he must look after. It is as well to make our preparations in time, as it is worse than useless to up the pest-house. Should the epedemic once appear our preparations would be much more inefficient than now, both on account of the terror it inspires, and also by reason of that strange lethargic condinion of the system which the bravest and strongest complain of during its presence in the atmosphere. The disease itself is not positively contagious, but according to the best medical knowledge is transmitted in some inexplicable manner through exoid of but former experience shows the feeble nature of this very hope. Rising like an illomened bird from the interior of Asia, it fiew West, to light on the coast of the Meditera- Opening of the British Parlia nean, grasping its prey in Egypt where at Alexandria the deaths were 400 a day, now very soon at Constantinople where 2000 were its victims in consequence of its being notoriously the most unclean city in the world. Again on wing to the Adriatic, thence on tireless wing to Spain. England never made more preparations to resist the invasion of any enemy than she is now making to resist this. The United States are organizing all their sanitary committees and cleaning their pest holes, so that it is nearly time for us to look to ourselves and prepare to meet the coming foe should he invade us. It will not do to hug oneself with the belief that we are safe. We have never had an epedemic of Cholera in Canada since the uilding of our railroad, so we cannot yet judge what rapid transportation from the black-some said a deep purple-velvet great thoroughfares may produce, as far as carrying the pest is concerned-not that I wish to be an alarmist, but " forewarned is forearmed.'

THOMAS BENSON, M.D. Lindsay 27th Feb., 1866.

PRESBYTERIAN UNION.

To the Editor of the Canadian Post

Sir.—In the issue of your journal of the 6th Feb., I read an extract from the Patriot on " Presbyterian Union at the Antipodes." I assure you that it was with no small pleasure that I observed that the various Presbyterian bodies of New South Wales have united and will henceforward form one Christian of Denmark, who stood at the Church. I entirely endorse your observations on the desirability of a like union amongst the Presbyterian Churches of Canada. I think such a union is coming, if we may judge of its approach by certain things which are taking place around us.

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od. The contact of such discharges with | be out of place if I give a few indications of

the Synod to consider the propriety of a union among the Presbyterian Churches of

2. A Union Church is now in process of erection at Cacouna, in regard to which the Rev. Dr. Cook, (Kirk,) and the Rev. Mr. Clarke (C.P.C.) Quebec, have manifested the most lively interest, and exhibited the

of Cote St. Presbyterian Church, on the 13th. where the teachers of the other Presbyterian Churches were present as guests, the Rev. the interruption, and n Dr. Taylor, of Erskine Church, expressed gaze from the ground. his decided conviction that union was com-

town or village where there was only room and noisy Commons-never rough and noisy for one Presbyterian Church, if said Church he built and a minister appointed to it from the other Presbyterian Church (Kirk) noth-nature, to display bad manners—had adjusting would be done by them to foster a divi- ed themselves as well as they could to the sion or build another Church." 5. At a missionary meeting held a few

nights ago in St. Paul's Church, Montreal, (Kirk,) the Rev. Mr. Clarke, of Durham, deprecated most strongly and most intelligently the sin of the continued separation of the Presbyterian Churches in Canada. .These are a few intimations of the pro-

cress of sentiment in the Province on this subject. It requires only a glance to see that such a union would be much better for ministers and congregations, than the present state of matters, especially in those towns and sections of the country where the former are poorly paid and the latter so small that they are unable, often unwilling to pay them

I am yours truly, J. B. MUIR, A.B., Min. St. Andrew's Church. Lindsay, Feb. 19, 1866,

COAL OIL MEETING AT SHERIFF'S CORNERS, VERULAM.

To the Editor of the Canadian Post. Sir,-Hearing that you feel deeply interested in the people in that vast tract of country through which your valuable paper is so extensively circulated, you will confer a great favor upon many of your readers by

inserting the following:

A meeting of the inhabitants of the above locality was held in the School House on Wednesday the 28th Feb. inst., for the purpose of considering the propriety of forming a company to sink a test well in the neighbourhood. As your readers are aware, considerable excitement has for some time prevailed in this part of Verulam on account of the unmistakeable discovery of petroleum in a well sunk on the farm of Mr. Wm. Hunter. After calmly examining the excellent indications of petroleum throughout the locality, the meefing unanimously signified its determination to take proper steps towards organizing a joint stock Oil Company, and passed the following resolutions: 1. Resolved, That Mr. John S. McSweyn

pany consist of 300 shares of \$10 each. 4. Resolved, That Messrs. Wm. Graham, John Murdock and J. S. McSweyn, be a committee to see about advertising and calling next meeting.

5. Resolved, That Mr. McSweyn do now leave the chair, and that Mr. Joseph Cowan

take the same.
6. Resolved. That the thanks of this meeting are due to Mr. McSweyn for the able manner in which he has discharged the duty of chairman. The meeting then adjourned to meet or

Wednesday the 16th March, 1866. J. S. McSWEYN, Chairman, WM. GRAHAM, Secretary.

Sheriff's Corners, Feb. 28, 1866.

THE SABBATH BELL. To the Editor of the Canadian Post : Sir, -- I have just seen one of our Councillors, and he informs me that our Town Council would be willing to grant us the use of the Town Bell for our diets of worship on Sunday. There are two things we must consider, 1st. Let there be the same time for our morning and evening services. I am willing to change my hour in the evening to suit others. Suppose then that we could get the English Church, the Peel-street Can. Pres. claims. Church, the Methodist Church, and St. Andrew's Church to enter at 11 o'clock, a.m., and the same, the New Connexion Methodists in addition, at 7 o'clock p.m., we would have no difficulty 2nd. in giving my friend Mr. Armstrong a respectable sum for ringing the bell for 10 or 15 minutes before 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. on Sunday. I wish to co-operate with the ministers of the above Church es in bringing this matter to a successful issue. I remain yours truly,

J. B. MUIR. Lindsay, Feb. 19, 1866.

THE crowded state of our advertising columns this week prevents the appearance of several articles and a number of adverthe skin. The epedemic it seems by some tisements. "A stabbing affray," the "Bapmedical journals has lost its strength already. tist Soiree" and advertisement of French

Parliament.

On Tuesday, February, 6th the Queen opened Parliament in person. The Times Her Majesty was attired in half mourning,

and walked with slow steps to the throne, followed by the great officers of State: the Marquis of Lansdowne, bearing the Crown upon a cushion; the Duke of Argyle, holding the Sword of State; the Marquis of Winchester, supporting the Cap of Maintenance; and several other nobles performing their appointed functions. Her Majesty stopped for common with the whole assemblage, had risen on her entrance. The Queen wore a

robe, which, whether it were purple or black,

looked intensely black in the dim light of the chamber, trimmed with a white miniver and a white lace cap, a la Maria Stuart, to the portraits of which unfortunate lady she bore in this attire a remarkable similitude. Around her neck she wore a collar of brilliants, and over breast the blue riband of the Order of the Garter. Other ornaments she had none, and looked in this simple and highly becoming costume "every inch a Queen," and far more picturesque and regal than if she had worn the royal robes that had become so distasteful to her. Her Majesty was accompanied by their Royel Highnesses the Princesses Helena and Louright of the Throne; the two Princesses, attired in half mourning, like their illustrious mother. To the left of the Throne were the Duchess of Wellington, Mistress of the Robes, the Duchess of Athole, and other ladies. The Prince of Wales occu-

the coming union.

1. The Rev. Mr. Rogers of Peterboro
C.P.C. at the Cobourg Presbytery gave notice that at next ordinary meeting he would move "That this Presbytery do overture move "That this Presbytery do overture the interval that elapsed between the summons of the Commons and the reply, the Queen sat silent and motionless, with her eyes fixed upon the ground. She seemed

to take no heed of the brilliant assemblage around her, but to be wholly absorbed in melancholy meditation. Even when the Commons rushed helter skelter, like a mob most cordial co-operation.

3. At a social meeting of the Montreal and strivings unseembly to witness among C.P.S.S. association, held in the basement gentlemen, but which seemed to be considered an essential part of the day's performance, Her Majesty took no notice of the interruption, and never once lifted her

When silence had been restored; when the real Parliament of the British people, 4. At a late meeting of the Presbytery of the governing power that holds the purse, Montreal (C.P.C.,) it was resolved that in a and with the purse the sword—the rough except on this occasion, when bad arrangescanty accommodation afforded them, the Lord Chancellor, standing to the right, on the second step from the throne, announced that her Majesty had been graciously pleased to command him to read the royal speech, which he should proceed to do in her Majesty's own words. His Lordship then read ON THE HUNTER FARM, VERU-

The reading concluded, the Lord Chancellor bowed his obeisance to the Queen, who slightly, but courteously, returned the salute. Then rising from the Throne, the whole of the brilliant, assemblage rising from their seats at the same time, Her Majesty stepped slowly down, kissed the Princess of Wales, who sat almost at her feet, shook hands with the Prince Christian, and, handed out by His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, followed by the Princess of Wales and the Duke of Cambridge, retired by the door at which she had entered, with the usual flourish and following, in which heralds and Garter Kings of Arms delight, and which they only are learned enough in their art to record. Thus ended the opening of the thirty-seventh Parliament of Queen Victoria.

Commercial.

LINDSAY MARKETS. .Thursday, March 2nd, 1866. Fall Wheat,.....\$1 10 to \$1 35 Spring Wheat, 1 00 " 1 05 Oats, per bush...... 0 20 " 0 27 Pease, per bush 0 40 " 0 50 Potatoes, per bush...... 0 00 . 0 25 Barley, per bush...... 0 50 " 0 50 Timothy, per ton...... 6 00 " 7 50 Clover, per ton...... 5 50 " 6 00 Flour, per brl...... 6 00 " Fresh Butter, per lb...... 0 12 " 0 14 Eggs, per doz..... 0 00 " 0 15 Beef, per 100 lbs...... 5 00 " 6 00 Veal per lb. per atr..... 0 05 " 0 00 Ham per 1b...... 0 00 " 0 00 Tallow, per lb...... 0 08 " 0 14 Turkeys, each 0 40 "

New Advertisements. COCHRANE & COCHRANE.

Chickens per pair..... 0 20 " 0 25

Ducks per pair 0 40 " 0 45

Hogs, per 100 lbs..... 7 00 "

Barristers, Attorneys, &c Prince Albert & Port Perry, C. W.

S. H. COCHRANE, L.L.B. W. M. COCHRANE. County Crown Att'y.

Insolvent Act of 1864. In the matter of WILLIAM CHAM-BERS, of the Township of Emily,

The Creditors of the Insolvent are notified that he has made an Assignment of his Estate and Effects, under the above Act, to me, the undersigned Assignee, and they are required to furnish me, within two months from this date, with their Claims, specifying the security they hold, if any, and the value of it; and if none, stating the fact; the whole attested under

Lindsay, 27th Feb., 1866.

NOTICE. PARTIES INDEBTED

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