The Canadian Post.

CHAS. D. BARR, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.] [POSTAGE PREPAID BY THE PUBLISHER.

Vol. XVIII. Whole Number 939. LINDSAY, ONT., FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1877. Terms, $1.50 in Advance.

Barristers, Attorneys, Etc.

BRUCE SMITH, Barrister, &c. Office, Hamilton's new block. Kent street, Lindsay. 941 ly.

W. & GEO. DUNSFORD'S LAW and Chancery Offices, over O. Bilton's store, Lindsay. 941 ly

D. MOORE, Barrister, Attorney, Solicitor, and Notary Public. Money to Loan. Kent Street, Lindsay. 941 ly.

JOHN A. BARRON, (late of Ketchum & Barron) Barrister and Attorney-at-Law, Solicitor in Chancery, Notary Public, etc. Lindsay, Ont. 941 ly

DUDSPETH & WOODWARD, Barristers, Solicitors, and Notaries Public. Winnemoth Block, Lindsay. 941 ly. Chas. H. Woodward.

P. DEVLIN, Barrister, Solicitor, Attorney, Clerk of the Peace, and Agent for Thomas Stock. 941 ly

DUNN, B.A., Barrister, and Solicitor in Chancery, Lindsay. Office, Doheny Block, Kent Street. 941 ly

S. MARTIN, Law, Chancery and Notary Public, Solicitor in Chancery, Office in Thorsett's Block. 941 ly

FERGUSON & McDONNELL, Barristers, Solicitors and Notaries Public, Winnemoth Store, Kent Street. W. McDonnell.

LAFFERTY & WHITESIDE, Barristers, Attorneys at Law, Solicitors in Chancery. Office over Ontario Bank, Kent Street, Lindsay. J. L. Whiteside.

O'REARY & O'LEARY, Barristers, Solicitors, Attorneys, Notaries Public, etc. Office, Kent Street, Lindsay. Next door to Post Office. J. O'Leary, Q.C. M. O'Leary.

LEWIS & McDONALD, Attorney Solicitor, Conveyancer, &c. Money to Loan at lowest rates of interest on approved Mortgages. Office, Lindsay. Office, Oshawa.

Hotels.

HUFFMAN HOUSE, Peterboro, Ont. Allan P. Huffman, Proprietor. 938 ly.

CUMMIN'S HOUSE, Victoria Road Station. John Cummins, Proprietor. The bar is well supplied with the best liquors and cigars. Good stabling and careful hostler. 904 ly.

GLOBE HOTEL, next door to John Chisholm's store, Kent st. J. S. McCarthy, Proprietor. Bar supplied with choice liquors and cigars. Good stabling and sheds. 941 ly.

GRIFFEN HOUSE, (late Coryell), Seagrave S. Griffen, Proprietor. The house has been renovated, papered, and furnished in first-class style. Good stabling and attentive hostler. Board, $1 per day. 939.

OSBORNE HOUSE, (Late Irwin's) Hotel, corner Kent and York sts., Lindsay. W. A. Jewett, Proprietor. This house has been thoroughly renovated and improved, and furnished throughout with new and fashionable furniture. 904 ly.

DOMINION HOTEL, William St., Lindsay, opposite C. L. Baker's old stand. O. Donnelly, Proprietor. Every attention paid to travellers. The bar is stocked and bar supplied with the choicest liquors. Good stabling and attentive hostler. A call is respectfully solicited. 922 ly

BOWMAN HOUSE, (Late Fenton House,) King street, Omemee. W. H. Bowman, Proprietor. The house has been refitted and refurnished, and is now first-class in every particular. First-class ample rooms for commercial men. Good stabling, &c. The best $1 day house in the district. 912 ly

THE WINDSOR HOTEL, Corner King and York Streets, Toronto, is now open. $2 per day. Free omnibus to all trains. Cabs and appointments are first-class. Travellers will find the Windsor the model $2 hotel of the Dominion. Scully & Finnigan, Proprietors. 911 ly

QUEEN'S HOTEL, Corner King and Knaplesby Sts., Woodville. A McPherson, Proprietor. This hotel has been recently built and newly furnished throughout. The bar is supplied with the best wines, liquors and cigars. Sample Rooms for commercial travellers. Good stables and sheds. Attentive hostler. The patronage of the travelling public solicited. 909 ly.

WM. KEMP'S H., Graduate of Medical Schools in Toronto, Medical Referee to Canadian Order of Foresters, Member of Ontario Medical Association, Member of Victoria Medical Society, Consulting Physician to Provincial Peel Street, Lindsay. 941 ly

Business Cards.

JAMES McKIBBIN, CROWN LANDS AGENT. Office in the Court House, Lindsay. 904 ly.

HAVILAH DAVIS, Issuer of Marriage Licenses, FENELON FALLS, ONT.

WM. MARGACH, Land Agent for the Counties of Victoria, Ontario and Durham. Office Brick House west of the Union School, Lindsay. 904 ly

SCARTH, COCHRAN & CO., Stock Brokers, Real Estate Agents, 58 Toronto St., Toronto. W. G. Scarth. J. L. Scarth. R. Cochran. References—Sir Sandford Fleming, Quebec Bank, Quebec; Dominion Bank, Toronto. 904 ly

Auctioneers.

ELIAS ROWES, Auctioneer for the Counties of Victoria and Peel. Charges moderate. Address Manilla P. O. Ont. 929 ly.

Educational.

THE LORETTO CONVENT, Of Lindsay, Ontario,

Is admitted to be THE FINEST IN CANADA. The sanitary arrangements are being pushed into the new Normal School at Ottawa, the Director of which has been pleased to adopt these three adopted in any Educational Institution in the United States or elsewhere.

Board and Tuition for Ladies Twenty-Five Dollars a Year, including French.

Address, LADY SUPERIOR, Lindsay, Ont., Canada.

ONTARIO LADIES' COLLEGE.

CALENDAR 1877-78.

1st Term. September 5th to November 13th.
2nd " November 14th to February 5th.
3rd " February 6th to April 18th.
4th " April 19th to June 27th.

Our new buildings, for the accommodation of fifty additional pupils, are under contract to be ready for occupancy in January next. Pupils may register pupils in order of application until we are full.

HONORS FOR COMPETITION.

The Paterson Gold Medal; two Medals by His Excellency the Governor General; the Christina Tuckey Scholarship; several prizes of 240 each, &c.

Full particulars in regard to course of study, honors, physical exercises, buildings, expenses, etc., will be given on application, or over for the asking, and which will be forwarded on application.

Pupils may Board with the Principal, P. E. Lindsay. Brantwyn receives a reduced ticket at Christmas rates.

J. E. SANDERSON.

Whitby, July 19th, 1877. 927

Livery Stables.

GUNIGAL'S LIVERY STABLES, YORK STREET, LINDSAY.

Comfortable conveyances and good horses on hire at reasonable rates. BRIAN GUNIGLE. 904 ly.

LIVERY NOTICE.

WORKMAN & SON

Will undertake and begs to inform his friends and the public that he has purchased the livery business of Mr. W. Hewitt, which will hereafter be carried on under the name and style of Workman & Son, and respectfully solicits a share of the patronage formerly extended to this old established business for the past fifteen years. 939 H. WORKMAN

HOWDEN'S LIVERY STABLES, KENT STREET, LINDSAY, ONT.

Keep a good class of Horses, Carriages, Buggies, Cutters, Sleighs, Harness, &c., on the most reasonable terms. Horses boarded by the day or week on the most reasonable terms. Special attention to the accommodation of Commercial Men. Hack to and from all trains. Cab in connection. Opposite the Post Office. 904 ly

DOUBLE HAIL STAGE

Leaves the stables every morning at 7 o'clock for Cambridge, calling at Oakwood and Manilla, and connecting with mixed train coming from Lindsay. Returning, leaves Cambridge at 2 p.m. on the arrival of the mail from the south reaching Lindsay at 5 p.m., giving connections in same time for Beaverton, Oakwood and Manilla.

A COMFORTABLE CAB

In the stables. Fare from Trains and Boats, and any place within the corporation, 10 cts.; to any one called by the corporation, reasonable extra charge. Orders may be left at Mr. C. Bell's store, or at the livery office. 904 JOHN HOWDEN

Architects.

W. BERLINEY, Practical Architect, Carpenter and Builder, Shop on the Old Stand, Lindsay.

Blacksmiths.

HORSESHOEING & REPAIRING AND MAKING CUTTERS, SLEIGHS, WAGGONS AND BUGGIES.

Staking Axes always on hand and made to order.

R. & A. Harrison, Lindsay.

Marble Works.

R. & H. Harrison, Lindsay, Importers and Dealers in AMERICAN AND ITALIAN Marble AND SCOTCH AND CANADIAN GRANITE.

Monuments, Headstones, Fencing, Etc.

Lowest possible prices and satisfaction guaranteed. An inspection of our stock and prices solicited. Our works are on Colborne street, opposite the Episcopal Church. 871

Printing.

STEAM JOB PRINTING.

The Canadian Post JOB PRINTING DEPARTMENT

Is now supplied with steam power, enabling us to execute JOB PRINTING in a style not to be excelled by any house in the County, at prices as low as the lowest, for cash or approved credit. Our facilities for the printing of Pamphlets, Posters, Programmes, Circulars, Cards, Billheads, Letterheads, Envelopes, Notes, Receipts, Visiting Cards, Tickets, Checks, Drafts, Bills of Exchange, Law Blanks, Etc., Etc., are unsurpassed by any house in the County. Country Merchants, Farmers, Mechanics, Manufacturers, Societies, Associations, Companies, Corporations, Professional Men, Public Men, Tradesmen, Hotel Keepers, Steamboat Men, Railway Men, Agents, Canvassers, Etc., Etc., will find it to their interest to patronize home. Orders by mail promptly attended to. Address, THE CANADIAN POST JOB PRINTING DEPARTMENT, Lindsay, Ont.

STEAMBOAT BILLS. RAILWAY BILLS. BUSINESS CARDS. PERSONAL CARDS. BILL HEADINGS. SHOW BILLS. PROGRAMMES. STAGE BILLS. CONCERT TICKETS. NEWS CARDS. LABELS.

Orders from the trade and the public will receive the same attention as those from the publishers of the Canadian Post themselves. Specimens of work can be seen at the office of the Canadian Post, Lindsay.

Dentistry.

NELANDS & BRO., Graduates of the Toronto College of Dental Surgeons, Ontario. DENTISTS. Office on the Old Stand, Lindsay.

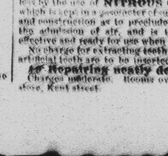
THE PEOPLE'S DENTAL INSTRUCTOR. A Book showing how the teeth may be preserved to old age. This little book is a treatise on the teeth, Natural and Artificial, written by J. Neelands, L.D.S., and may be obtained for 15 cents from any agents from at his office. The great success that has attended the administration of Nitrous Oxide Gas, in the extraction of teeth, is the painless extraction of teeth is such that in the use of it for about ten years it has been given to thousands of persons, and in no instance has it failed, and but a recent trial to the use of Chloroform or Ether. J. Neelands makes a special study of extracting teeth, and has given the gas to about 95,000 persons without an accident or failure.

Artificial teeth inserted of matchless beauty and perfection. After having experimented for many years with the various modes of retaining artificial teeth firmly in the spongy mouths, we have succeeded in perfecting an Atmospheric Suction Plate which is successfully in every case. Patients from a distance will please call early in the day and secure an appointment.

Office—Rear of R. & A. Bigelow's store. Don't forget the place.

J. NEELANDS, L.D.S. JAS. S. NEELANDS, L.D.S.

W. H. GROSS, L. D. S.,



[With Teeth.] [Without Teeth.]

DENTIST.

Artificial Teeth of rare excellence inserted on the most approved principles, which a perfect fit guaranteed in the most difficult cases. At the office of dental operations performed, and none but the best material used.

The extraction of teeth rendered perfectly painless by the use of NITROUS OXIDE GAS, which is kept in a gasometer of such perfect design and construction as to preclude a possibility of the admission of air, and is therefore always effective and ready for use when wanted.

No charge will be made for extracting teeth (with gas) when artificial teeth are to be inserted.

Lost teeth restored, and all other operations in dentistry performed at moderate charges. Rooms over J. Kennedy's store, Kent street.

Insurance.

THE LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.

FIRE AND LIFE.

THE LARGEST FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY IN THE WORLD.

Capital	$10,000,000
Accumulated Funds	15,000,000
Invested in Canada	250,000
Yearly Income, over	5,000,000
Daily Income	13,700

Rates and Premiums as low as in any other respectable Company. The settlement of loss prompt and liberal. The resources and standing of this company afford those insured in it perfect security against loss.

THE LIFE DEPARTMENT

Has been introduced into Canada, and particular attention will be paid to this branch of the business. For particulars and to effect insurances apply to

R. SPIER, Agent for Lindsay and Co. Victoria.

1859. 1877

FARMERS! INSURE WITH THE AGRICULTURAL OF LONDON.

Capital, $241,000

Deposit with Dominion Gov't, $50,000

Live Stock and everything else, included under one sum in "Ordinary Contents."

No other policy so favorable in this respect.

No hazardous risks taken.

No dividends or profits for any one except the policyholders.

Organized on the true Grange principle.

No interest charged on due bills till due.

MR. JOHN HORE

Is now on the "war path." Send him word to call.

S. CORNELL, Agent.

CANADA FIRE & MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Capital fully subscribed, - $1,000,000.

HEAD OFFICE, HAMILTON, ONT.

Jonathan Wilson, President. C. D. Corby, Manager.

The claims in St John's fire only $17,500, and these were fully paid within 15 days after the occurrence. The C. F. and M. is one of the safest and best managed of our Canadian Fire Insurance Companies.

F. C. TAYLOR, Agent.

ISOLATED RISK AND FARMERS' INS. CO.

Capital, $600,000. Deposited with Dominion Government, $100,000.

Hon. A. McKenzie, M.P., President. J. Mewburn, Jr., Manager.

The Isolated Risk did not have a single loss in the St. John's fire.

The Isolated Risk includes all the best features and advantages common to similar companies.

The Isolated Risk is a stock company, and not subject to the exigencies of Mutual Companies.

F. C. TAYLOR, Agent, Lindsay.
JAMES BELL, Agent, Verulam.
W. JACKSON, Agent, Ops.

STATEMENT OF THE Connecticut Mutual Life INSURANCE CO.

Gross Assets 31st December, 1876	$26,711,606 33
Liabilities, assuming 4 per ct. int	25,001,043 00
Surplus	$1,710,563 33
Total Receipts since organization to 1876.	
For Premiums	$19,783,141 15
For Interest & Rents	3,010,069 37
	$18,793,194 52

Disbursements.

Claims by death and matured endowments	$35,624,174 15
Surplus returned to Policy Holders	30,305,394 37
	$1,736,917 50
Expenses including Commissions to Agents, Salaries, Printing, Stationery, &c., &c	10,058,326 06
Business of 1876.	
Receipts	$9,819,114 33
Disbursements to Policy Holders, Death Claims and Matured Endowments	$3,601,746 35
Surplus returned to Policy Holders	1,367,050 37
Expired and Surrendered Policies	1,151,481 81
	$6,018,278 53
Expenses, including Commissions to Agents, Salaries, Printing, Stationery, &c	2,211,028 23
	$8,229,306 76
Ratio of expenses to income, 1876	22 per ct.
Ratio of expenses since date of organization, 8 per ct.	53 per ct.
Policies in force, 31st Dec., 1876	66,618

The surplus here disclosure returned to Policy Holders in cash on whole life plans varying from not less than 30 per ct. in the first year, to 50 per ct. and upwards at 4th year; returns a reduction of 50 per ct. is allowed on first annual premium if decided on whole life policies; allows 6 per ct. interest upon short term endowment policies; allows a like credit of 50 per ct. is allowed.

JAMES B. KNOWLSON, Agent, Lindsay.

THE Ottawa Agricultural INSURANCE COMPANY.

HEAD OFFICE, OTTAWA.

Capital, $1,000,000.00.

Deposited with Government for Protection of Policy Holders.

$50,000 IN CASH.

DIRECTORS:

President, Hon. James Skead. Vice-President, R. Blackburn. Secretary, Jas. Blackburn.

Insures against Loss or Damage by FIRE & LIGHTNING.

The OTTAWA AGRICULTURAL INSURANCE COMPANY is a purely Canadian Company, which insures nothing more hazardous than Farm Properties and Private Residences.

It insures the contents of houses, such as furniture, wearing apparel, &c.

It insures all products of the farm, agricultural implements, carriages, harness, &c.

It insures animals, even when killed by lightning on the property of the insured.

It insures churches, parsonages, colleges, convents, school houses, and all risks of this class.

It does not insure factories, shops, hotels, or any other risk of this kind, thereby avoiding the serious losses to which many companies are liable.

Farmers and owners of private residences will find it to their advantage to insure in the "Ottawa," as their terms are more liberal than those of any other Company doing a similar class of business in the Dominion.

Insure in the Ottawa, thereby saving money and at the same time encourage Canadian enterprise.

The insuring public will please notice that our DEPOSIT is not in Dominion Government stock, generally of doubtful value, but CASH, securing absolute safety with low rates.

We would caution farmers and others not to be deceived by parties asking them to be insured in the Agricultural, but to be sure it is in the OTTAWA AGRICULTURAL, as the Agricultural and Arts Protection Company is a name insure in no other.

H. A. WALLIS, General Agent.

Office in Dominion Telegraph Office, five doors west of the Ontario Bank, Lindsay.

W. E. Elliott, Travelling Agent for Victoria County.

An active Agent wanted for Emily and Ops.

THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND SISTERHOOD HOME being now in full occupation, the Committee are prepared to receive ladies desiring board where they can have medical or surgical advice with good and skilful nursing; or of ladies requiring to be temporarily boarded in order to be under the care of competent medical men. Good nurses supplied for outdoor patients. Address to Lady Superior, THE SISTERHOOD, 50 Brock-street, Toronto.

Real Estate.

FOR SALE.—Several small houses and lots in Lindsay. Well situated. Easy terms.

16th Sept., 1876. 883-tf E. D. ORDE, Lindsay

FARM TO RENT.—Lot No. 1, 10th Con., Emily, containing 100 acres. About 55 acres under cultivation. For further particulars and terms apply to MICHAEL O'DONOHUE, Lindsay.—933-tpf.

FARM FOR SALE.—N. W. ½ of Lot No. 18, in the 10th Con., Emily, containing 50 acres; 40 acres cleared and in a good state cultivation; new frame barn. Terms, liberal. Apply to NEIL HENNESSEY, Lindsay, P. O. 930-tf

FARM FOR SALE OR TO RENT. East Half of Lot 20, in 1st Con., Verulam, containing 100 acres; about 70 acres cleared; good buildings. Three miles from Fenelon Falls. Apply on the premises to G. O. KEITH, Fenelon Falls. 931-tf

FARM TO RENT OR SELL.—Lot 9, Front Range, Somerville, fronting on Balsam Lake. 80 acres cleared; good frame barn and shed; hewed log house; nice garden. S. & O. BIGELOW, Lindsay. July 3rd, 1877. 920 3m.

DESIRABLE FARMS FOR SALE. Lots 13 and 14, in the 11th Con., Township of Ops. 200 acres. About 80 acres cleared and under cultivation. Comfortable buildings. Immediate possession given. Apply to O'LEARY & O'LEARY, Barristers, Lindsay. August 16, 1877.—930 tf.

A DESIRABLE FARM FOR SALE within two miles of the Town of Lindsay, on the Fenelon Road. East Half of Lot 26, Con. 5, Ops, 100 acres; 60 acres cleared, log buildings, small orchard, good well, and everything comfortable. For further particulars apply to MICHAEL DUGGAN on the premises, or to P. S. MARTIN, solicitor, Lindsay.—913-tf.

FARM FOR SALE.

Lot No. 6, in 6th Con. Fenelon,

Containing 100 acres, and partly cleared. The Victoria Railway runs through a corner of the property. For further particulars apply to the proprietor, DONALD McDONALD, Cameron P. O., or to P. McDONALD, at J. Chisholm's store, Lindsay. 924-tf.

VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY FOR SALE.

The South Half of Lot 16, in 7th Concession, Eldon, for Terms easy. For particulars apply to MESSRS. HUDSPETH & WOODWARD, Barristers, Lindsay. 935-1.

FARMS FOR SALE.

Lot 27, and South Half 28, in 8th Con. of Fenelon; the finest improved farm in the Township.

Lots 21 and 22, in 11th Con. of Fenelon.

South Half 9, in 3rd Con. of Somerville.

West Half 18, in 1st Con. of Somerville.

North Half 19, in 6th Con. of Somerville.

All improved farms. Apply to JOHN A. BARRON, Barrister, Fenelon Falls. 938-4

FOR SALE. A number of RESIDENCES AND BUILDING LOTS IN GOOD SITUATIONS, in the Town of Lindsay, and also a

FARM IN LAXTON.

Terms easy. For further particulars apply to MESSRS. HUDSPETH & WOODWARD, Barristers, Lindsay. 935-1

VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.

Adjoining the town of Lindsay, being LOT 22, IN CON. 4, TOWNSHIP OF OPS.

Containing 200 acres, 150 acres cleared with valuable improvements thereon.

Price and terms of payment made reasonable. An inspection invited. Address, J. F. KEENAN, Lindsay, Aug. 16th, 1877. 928-tf. Lindsay.

FARM FOR SALE OR TO RENT. East Half Lot No. 25, in 10th Con. of Eldon, containing 105 acres; 75 cleared and well cultivated; balance timbered and some cedar of the best kind. There are a good frame house, good frame barn, with stable and granary, all nearly new and in good order, good well in yard; and a never failing spring creek near the door. The farm is on a good road, within three miles of the Victoria Road Station and Post Office on the Victoria Railway, where there is a Best-class grist mill, saw mill, and every convenience; it is within half a concession of the Victoria Road, a well-conducted Separate school just built in the section, and will be paid for in January. This is one of the best wheat farms in the county, either for fall or spring. Terms easy. For further particulars apply to HENRY POLLOCK, on the premises; or to SMITH POLLOCK, Glenarm P. O. Aug. 7th, 1877. 928-tf

VALUABLE PROPERTIES FOR SALE

Lot 22, Con. A, Mariposa.

Containing 100 acres; 80 acres cleared. There are good frame dwelling, barn and outhouses, on the premises.

Also

West Half Lot No. 17, Con. A, Mariposa,

Containing 100 acres. Good frame barn, dwelling, and other outbuildings. These are close to Victoria.

West Half Lot 4, Con. 11, Emily,

100 acres; 75 acres cleared; log house, barns and outhouses.

Frame Hotel at Glenarm,

With Furniture, Fixtures, &c., free of land attached, and good driving shed, stable, &c. Immediate possession given, if well suited.

Frame Dwelling in Lindsay,

Situate on Lindsay Street, immediately north of the Saving Bank.

The above properties will be sold on reasonable terms. For further information apply to the owner.

A. McALPINE, Lindsay.

FARMS FOR SALE.

The North Half of Lot No. 23, in the 3rd Con., and the West Half of Lot 23, in the 4th Con. of Eldon,

300 Acres. There are about 120 acres of excellent farming land, consisting of part clay and part sandy loam. About 40 acres of which are cleared and under cultivation, remainder hardwood bush. A comfortable Log House is erected thereon. About 60 acres of the land consists of a beaver meadow, capable of raising from 30 to 50 tons of hay per annum, and considered the best beaver meadow in the county. The remaining portion of the land is swamp, but by cleaning out a creek that runs through the lots, and proper drainage, both the swamp and beaver meadow are capable of being converted into excellent meadow land. The farm offers unusual advantages to a party desirous of raising stock. Never failing creek and spring on lots. Two miles from Eldon Station, on T. & N. R. R., and 9 miles from Woodville.

Also the

East Half of said Lot 23, in the 4th Con. of Eldon,

Nearly all dry land and easily cleared, and within one mile of Eldon Station.

Also,

Lot No. 4, in the 9th Con. of Laxton,

200 Acres, good land, in good settlement, and within 3 miles of Norland and 5 from Coboconk.

Also about

4,000 Acres of land in the Townships of Somerville, Laxton and Bexley.

Lists and particulars of which can be obtained by application to the undersigned.

TERMS:—One-third down, and balance in five yearly instalments with interest.

E. D. ORDE, Lindsay.

Lindsay, 7th May, 1877. 922-tf.

Little Britain.

NEW GOODS AT J. BROAD'S GENERAL CLOTHING AND TAILORING STORE LITTLE BRITAIN.

Agent for Ontario Farmer's Mutual Ins. Co. Whitby, 25 cents per 100, and also for the Citizen's Life Ins. Co., Montreal. Also Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

THE SEASONS.

"When the spring comes laughing
By vale and hill,
By win-flower waking
And daffodil—
Sing, stars of morning,
Sing, birds, in blue,
Sing blue of speedwell,
And my love's eyes.

"When comes the summer,
Full-leaved and strong,
And gay birds gossip
The broad-winged long—
Sing hid, sweet honey
Thas no bee sips;
Sing red, red roses,
And my love's lips.

"When autumn scatters
The leaves again,
And piled sheaves bury
The broad-wheeled wain—
Sing flutes of harvest
Where men rejoice;
Sing rounds of reapers,
And my love's voice.

"But when comes winter
With hail and storm,
And red fire roaring
And icple warm—
Sing fired and going
Of friends that part;
Then sing that glad meeting
And my love's heart."

THE NOBLEMAN OF THE STEPPE.

A Russian Story.

BY IVAN TOURGUENEFF.

[CONTINUED FROM LAST WEEK.]

A ringing laugh resounded round about, and again suddenly broke off, checked by the expectation of what was to come.

"Or perhaps your nose——"

"Stop!" the sharp, sharp voice suddenly interrupted the tormentor. "Are you not ashamed of yourself to be torturing a poor man?"

Ill looked about. In the door stood Tchertapkanoff. As a distant relative of the deceased tenant he had received an invitation to this family gathering. During the reading of the will he had as usual kept at a proud, contemptuous distance from the rest.

"Stop!" he repeated, with a commanding motion of his head.

Mr. Stoppel turned quickly about, and as he saw a gaudy, clad, insignificant looking man, he enquired half aloud of his neighbor (caution will hurt no one): "Who is that?"

"Tchertapkanoff a fellow of no account," whispered the other one in his ear.

Stoppel assumed a haughty mien. "And what right have you to command here?" he said through his nose and winking at his eyes. "What kind of a bird are you, if you will permit me the question?"

Tchertapkanoff flared up like gunpowder when touched by a spark. His rage took away his breath.

"Dz-dz-dz-dz!" he gasped, as if some one were suffocating him, and then thundered away: "Who am I? Who am I? I am Pantalei Tchertapkanoff, of an ancient, noble race, and my great-grandfather served the Czar. And who are you? I a bird? I a bird? Oh! oh!"

Rostislay Adamitsch turned pale, and stepped aside. He had not expected such an explosion of wrath.

Tchertapkanoff rushed forward. Stoppel felt hurt in great consternation; the guests pressed forward to restrain the excited assailant.

"We will fight! we will fight!" cried the furious Pantalei; "we will fire at each other over a pocket handkerchief, or you shall ask my pardon.

"Apologise! apologise!" whispered the agitated heirs, who had gathered around Stoppel; "he is just like a madman; he would like to cut your throat."

"Pardon me, pardon me," stammered Stoppel; "I did not know.

"And beg *his* pardon, too," continued the incensed Tchertapkanoff.

"I beg your pardon, too," said Rostislay Adamitsch, turning towards Nedopuskin, who was trembling as if he had a fever.

Tchertapkanoff at last composed himself, seized Tichon Ivanitsch's hand, cast a bold, challenging glance about him, and, as not a single eye was raised to meet his, strode amid the profound silence of the company out of the room, accompanied by the new possessor of the estate Besselendejewka.

From that moment these two never separated. The estate of Besselendejewka was situated at a distance of eight versts from Bessonovo. The extravagant gratitude of Nedopuskin soon grew into a passionate admiration. The week, Kaniguin, over there is a Best-class grist mill, saw mill, and every convenience; it is within half a concession of the Victoria Road, a well-conducted separate school just built in section, and will be paid for in January. This is one of the best wheat farms in the county, either for fall or spring. Terms easy. For further particulars apply to HENRY POLLOCK, on the premises; or to SMITH POLLOCK, Glenarm P. O. Aug. 7th, 1877. 928-tf

VALUABLE PROPERTIES FOR SALE

Lot 22, Con. A, Mariposa.

Containing 100 acres; 80 acres cleared. There are good frame dwelling, barn and outhouses, on the premises.

Also

West Half Lot No. 17, Con. A, Mariposa,

Containing 100 acres. Good frame barn, dwelling, and other outbuildings. These are close to Victoria.

West Half Lot 4, Con. 11, Emily,

100 acres; 75 acres cleared; log house, barns and outhouses.

Frame Hotel at Glenarm,

With Furniture, Fixtures, &c., free of land attached, and good driving shed, stable, &c. Immediate possession given, if well suited.

Frame Dwelling in Lindsay,

Situate on Lindsay Street, immediately north of the Saving Bank.

The above properties will be sold on reasonable terms. For further information apply to the owner.

A. McALPINE, Lindsay.

FARMS FOR SALE.

The North Half of Lot No. 23, in the 3rd Con., and the West Half of Lot 23, in the 4th Con. of Eldon,

300 Acres. There are about 120 acres of excellent farming land, consisting of part clay and part sandy loam. About 40 acres of which are cleared and under cultivation, remainder hardwood bush. A comfortable Log House is erected thereon. About 60 acres of the land consists of a beaver meadow, capable of raising from 30 to 50 tons of hay per annum, and considered the best beaver meadow in the county. The remaining portion of the land is swamp, but by cleaning out a creek that runs through the lots, and proper drainage, both the swamp and beaver meadow are capable of being converted into excellent meadow land. The farm offers unusual advantages to a party desirous of raising stock. Never failing creek and spring on lots. Two miles from Eldon Station, on T. & N. R. R., and 9 miles from Woodville.

Also the

East Half of said Lot 23, in the 4th Con. of Eldon,

Nearly all dry land and easily cleared, and within one mile of Eldon Station.

Also,

Lot No. 4, in the 9th Con. of Laxton,

200 Acres, good land, in good settlement, and within 3 miles of Norland and 5 from Coboconk.

Also about

4,000 Acres of land in the Townships of Somerville, Laxton and Bexley.

Lists and particulars of which can be obtained by application to the undersigned.

TERMS:—One-third down, and balance in five yearly instalments with interest.

E. D. ORDE, Lindsay.

Lindsay, 7th May, 1877. 922-tf.

Little Britain.

NEW GOODS AT J. BROAD'S GENERAL CLOTHING AND TAILORING STORE LITTLE BRITAIN.

Agent for Ontario Farmer's Mutual Ins. Co. Whitby, 25 cents per 100, and also for the Citizen's Life Ins. Co., Montreal. Also Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

any frame. In the corner stood pipe-stems and guns. Thick black spider's webs were suspended from the ceiling.

"M. N. O. P. Q. R," said Tchertapkanoff, slowly, and then shouted furiously—"S—S—S, you stupid beast!—S—S—S!"

But the unhappy poodle only twitched with his nose and could never make up his mind to open his mouth; he remained sitting, pulling in his tail anxiously, curling his snout, blinking and turning his eyes with a melancholy air, as if to say: "To be sure, you are my master."

"So eat, then! Eat!" repeated the indefatigable master, unwilling to abandon his experiment.

"You have frightened him," I remarked.

"Well, then, let him go to the deuce!"

And he gave the dog a kick. The poor creature rose slowly, let the bread fall from his nose and went, as it were, on tiptoe, and with an expression of deep injury, out into the vestibule. And really to be treated thus, in the presence of a stranger who was calling for the first time!

The door to the adjoining room creaked deferentially and Nedopuskin stepped in, smiling and bowing with great friendliness.

I rose and returned his greeting.

"Do not allow yourself to be inconvenienced," he stammered. "Do not allow yourself to be inconvenienced in any way."

We resumed our seats. Tcherpkanoff went into the next room.

"Since how long have you been in use of pomatum, and the habit of uttering from time to time a significant "h'm." But it is safer to assume that it was the restless, gypsy blood in Masha's veins which impelled her to this step. However that may be, on a beautiful summer evening Masha tied some of her clothing in a small bundle, and sallied forth from Tchertapkanoff's house.

During three days previous to this, she had been sitting, like a wounded fox, curled up in a corner and leaning against the wall. She had not spoken a word to anybody, but her eyes had wandered about restlessly, and her brow had been contracted into something like a frown; and now and then she had smiled and moved her hands as if she were wrapping something about herself. She had had moods like that occasionally before, but they had never lasted long; Tchertapkanoff was well-aware of this, and he had therefore not allowed her or himself to be worried. But when, on returning from the dog-kennel, where, according to the report of the keeper, his last two greyhounds had just died, the maid-servant came to meet him, and told him with quivering voice that Masha Akiefiewna begged to be remembered to him—that she wished him well, but that she could never more return to him; then Tchertapkanoff turned several times about on the same spot, gave vent to a hoarse roar, seized his pistols (to be prepared for emergencies), and rushed off in pursuit of the fugitive.

He overtook her about two versts from his house, on the edge of a birch grove, on the highway to the capital of the district. The sun was hanging low over the horizon, and tinged the trees, the grass, and the earth with its blood-red glow.

"You are going to Jaff—to Jaff!" groaned Tchertapkanoff, as soon as he caught sight of Masha. "To Jaff!" he repeated, flying at her and reeling at every step.

Masha stood still, turning her face toward him. She had the sun behind her and she looked quite dark, as if carved in dark wood. The white in her eye became glaring, but the eyes themselves—the pupils—assumed a darker color.

She threw her bundle aside, and crossed her arms on her bosom.

"Are you going to Jaff, you miserable creature?" he repeated, making a motion to seize her by the shoulder, but her glance struck him, fear overmastered him, and he remained motionless.

"I am not going to Jaff, Pantalei Jeremeitsch," answered Masha, calmly and gently; "but I can't live any longer with you."

"How! Live no more with me! Why not, Masha? Have I in any way offended you?"

Masha shook her head.

"You have not at all offended me, Pantalei, but I feel so melancholy: for the past I thank you; but I cannot remain."

Tchertapkanoff was amazed; he slapped his thighs with his hands and moved nearer to her.

"How is that possible? You have lived in my house, lived with me so long and enjoyed peace and happiness all the while, and then suddenly feel sad. "Stop, you say, I will leave him; and you will have a cottage of your head and walk off. All respect has been shown to you, as if you were the lady of the house——"

"I should never have demanded that," Masha interrupted him.

"How, not demanded it! From a strolling gypsy you have been made the mistress of the house—and you have not demanded it? You monster of Ham's race! Is it then possible to believe this? There is some treachery behind it!"

Again he flew into a rage.

"I am not thinking of treachery and never have thought of it," said Masha, with her singing distinct intonation. "I have already told you, sadness has come upon me."

"Masha," said Tchertapkanoff, striking his breast with his fist. "Enough of this! You have tormented me long enough—now let us be friends. By the heavens, only think of what Tichon will say—have at least pity on him."

"Remember me to Tichon and tell him——"

Tchertapkanoff raised his hands.

"No! no! and again no! You must not go! Your Jaff shall wait for you in vain!"

"Mr. Jaff," began Masha.

"Meister Jaff," repeated he, mockingly. "What sort of a Jaff is that? He is a rogue, an arrant knave, and he has a face like a monkey's.

For about half an hour Tchertapkanoff kept quarreling with Masha. Now he stepped up close to her, now he started back, raised his fist as if for a blow, now he bowed down low before her, wept and scolded.

"I cannot," Masha kept repeating, "I am sad. Longing will kill me."

Gradually her features assumed an indifferent, almost sleepy expression, so that he was moved to ask whether perhaps she had not been drugged with henbane.

"It is only melancholy," she replied for the tenth time.

"And if I should kill you," he cried suddenly, pulling out his revolver from his pocket.

Masha smiled and her face became animated.

"Well," she said, "kill me if you wish. Pantalei Jeremeitsch, but I cannot return."

"Then you will not return?" and Tchertapkanoff cocked his pistol.

"No, my love. Never in this life shall I return. I always keep my word."

Tchertapkanoff thrust the weapon into her hand and sat down upon the earth.

"Well, then, you may live. Without you I will not live. If you don't care for me, then I don't care for anything."

Masha stooped down, took up her bundle, laid the pistol upon the greensward, turned the barrels away from Tchertapkanoff and stepped close up to him.

"Alas, my love, why should you harm yourself? Why not know us gypsy girls, then? That is our way, our nature. When the yearning for change comes over us, and drives our souls away into distant foreign lands—how then can we remain? Do not forget Masha—a friend like her you will never find again; and I will not forget you, my darling. But our life together is at an end."

"I love you, Masha," whispered Tchertapkanoff through the fingers of both his hands with which he had covered his face.

"And I have loved you, my friend Pantalei Jeremeitsch."

"I loved you—I loved you to madness; and when I think that you will leave me so suddenly in order to roam about the world, then I cannot but imagine that you would not have done it if it had not been for that miserable wretch."

Masha responded only with a smile.

"And still you have called me unsellish," she said, throwing her arm far back and giving him a slap on the shoulder. He sprang to his feet.

"Accept then at least some money from me; how can you go away without a penny! But rather kill me. I say it deliberately. Kill me at once."

Masha shook her head again. "Kill you! And why are people sent to Siberia, my dove?"

Tchertapkanoff trembled. Only for this reason then, only for the fear of penitentiary! He threw himself on the grass. Masha stood silent at his side.

"I am sorry for you, Pantalei Jeremeitsch," she said with a sigh. "You are a good man—but I cannot do otherwise. Farewell."

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

LOCAL MISCELLANY.

COBOURG.

SCHOONER BURNED.—The schooner Lumina, lying at Proctor's wharf, Brighton, all summer, was consumed by fire on the