

Odds and Ends.

A firm in Stratford advertises as follows:—Their parlor furniture is elegant; their bed-room furniture is rich; their mattresses are downy; their ceilings are comfortable.

It is easy to "know thyself," but who is to introduce you? Most people go through life without making the advantageous acquaintance in question; and if a friend should take the liberty of introducing you to yourself, you hate him forever.

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An elderly gentleman, accustomed to "indulge" in the bar-room of a certain tavern, where sat a grave friend by a fire. Lifting a pair of green spectacles upon his forehead, he rubbed his eyes, and calling for hot brandy and water, he complained to the friend that his eyes were getting weaker and that even spectacles did not seem to do them any good.

"I'll tell thee, friend," replied the Quaker, "what I think. If thou wear thy spectacles over thy mouth for a few months, thine eyes would get well again."

WHITENESS.—Whiteness is one of the most valuable articles in the world when properly applied. It not only prevents the decay of wood, but comports greatly to the healthfulness of all buildings, whether of wood or stone.

Out-buildings and fences, when not painted, should be supplied once or twice a year with a good coat of whiteness, which should be prepared in the following way. Take a clean, water-tight barrel, or other suitable cask, and put into it a half bushel of lime.

Slack it, by pouring water over it boiling hot, and in sufficient quantity to cover it five inches deep, and stir it briskly till thoroughly slacked. Then the slacking has been thoroughly effected, dissolve it in water, and add two pounds of sulphate of zinc and one of common salt; these will cause the wash to harden and prevent its cracking.

When a beautiful cream color may be communicated to the above wash, by adding three pounds of yellow ochre, or a good pearl of lead color by the addition of lamp, vine or ivory black. For a varnish color add four pounds of amber, Turkish or American—the latter is the cheapest—one pound of Indian red, one pound of common lamp black.

For common stone color, add four pounds of raw umber and two pounds of lamp black. This wash may be applied with a brush, and will be much superior both in appearance and durability to the common whiteness.—Journal of Chemistry.

OHLENGAND BLEACHING HARNESS.—In the first place I subject the harness to one or two coats (as the harness may need) of lamp black and castor oil, warmed sufficiently to make it penetrate the stock readily. Then make about two quarts of soap-suds, and with a sponge wash the harness with sufficient lamp-black to give it a color, or, what is better, Russian blue, which gives it a new and fresh look. This compound should be applied sparingly, and well rubbed in, which can be quickly done, and will leave a smooth and clean surface. By saturating the stock in the first place with oil, the soap and water are prevented from penetrating it in the process of washing.

When leather is permitted to absorb water or soap, it has an ultimate tendency to harden it. When the harness is washed first (as is generally the case), the water repels the oil; consequently in the one case you wash the oil out of the stock, and in the other you have the soap and water. By oiling first it softens the stock, so that it can be washed off in at least one-half the time required when washed before oiling, and also saves the scrubbing process, which defaces the grain of the leather. It will remain soft, smooth, and supple, and the fact of its being penetrated with oil. The whole process can be accomplished without the delay of waiting for it to dry. Consequently the harness can be oiled and cleaned in much less time, will remain softer, wear longer, and look better than when cleaned by the old method; and I consider these reasons of sufficient importance for every one having a harness to give this method a fair trial. The English patent harness blacking, which is commended for keeping leather soft and giving it a good polish, is made by dissolving together over a slow fire, three ounces of turpentine, two ounces of white wax; then add one ounce of ivory black and one drachm of indigo, to be well pulverized and mixed together; when the wax and turpentine are dissolved, and the ivory black and indigo stirred in. Apply very thin, and brush afterwards.—Scientific American.

Over a disease which distresses us and which our friends can be instantly relieved and quickly cured by using Dr. J. Briggs' Alternative as an irrefragable remedy for all pains and inflammation. Sold by Druggists.

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DOMINION Stove Depot.



G. STEPHENSON Began to announce to his customers and the public that he has just received a large stock of the NEWEST and BEST PATTERNS of

COOKING, BOX & PARLOR STOVES,

Which he is prepared to offer at Greatly Reduced Prices.

Attention is directed to his general assortment of TINWARE as well as other articles usually kept in a first-class Store and Tinware Establishment.

A splendid pattern of Dumb Stoves manufactured on the premises.

Particular attention paid to orders for RIVE-TROUGHS, PIPES, &c.

On hand a supply of Pumps, Lanterns, &c.

Call and examine list of prices and articles, and be convinced that a saving may be effected by purchasing from

GEO. STEPHENSON, Next Door to Kleiser's, 31 Colby Street, Lindsay, Nov. 23rd, 1869.

Important to Families. Groceries! Groceries! Groceries!

CHEAPER THAN EVER If you wish to buy good and cheap Groceries go to

MITCHELL'S Corner of Peel and William Streets, and next door to Lovell's & S. Miller.

If you wish to buy Tea, worth 70 cents, for 55 cents go to

MITCHELL'S If you wish to buy Cheap Sugar of every grade, go to

MITCHELL'S If you wish to buy the best kinds of Tobacco, Smoking and chewing, go to

MITCHELL'S If you wish to buy the best Raisins, and Currants, the freshest and best Lobsters, Sardines, and Pickles, go to

MITCHELL'S If you wish to buy a barrel of Herring, or a cwt. of the best Codfish go to

MITCHELL'S If all you wish to buy the cheapest Soap of all kinds, the cheapest Brooms and pails, the cheapest oils and cresses, the best and cheapest Dye Stuffs, the best Crochery and Glassware, go to

MITCHELL'S If farmers wish to sell their produce and get an equivalent for it in goods or money, let them go to

MITCHELL'S If you want to buy the best Coal Oil and the cheapest Lamps go to

MITCHELL'S If you wish to save money, and get a good article, go to

J. MITCHELL'S, Corner of Peel and Wm. Streets Lindsay.

NEAT DOOR TO KLEISER'S, 31 COLBY STREET, LINDSAY.

CELEBRATED Peterboro Ales.

I beg respectfully to inform my customers and the public generally that I have appointed Mr. W. Calcutt as my Agent, to whom all orders can be given and accounts paid.

HENRY CALCUTT, Peterboro, March, 1870.

Referring to the above, I shall always have on hand, a choice stock of

DRAUGHT AND BOTTLED ALES, PORTER AND BROWN STOUT,

In barrels of 2 gallons up to 60 gallons. W. Calcutt, Agt. Cellars under Holtor's Store, Kent-st. Lindsay, March, 1870.

PETERBORO SALT COM'Y.

Capital \$30,000. Shares \$10. H. CALCUTT, W. CALCUTT, Agt. President.

LANDS FOR SALE!

THE following valuable lands will be sold cheap, upon liberal terms, to suit the purchasers.

North-west quarter of lot No. 7 in the 11th concession of Emily, 30 acres, all cleared and under a high state of cultivation.

East half of Lot No. 6, in the 7th concession of Laxton, 100 acres, about 30 acres cleared, with good buildings thereon.

South-East part of lot No. 4, in the 1st con. of Beaky, 91 acres.

IN THE TOWN OF LINDSAT: Lot 2 west of St. Lawrence Street, Lot 2, w. of South St., in Subdivision of Park G

For particulars apply to F. R. MARTIN, Solicitor, Lindsay, Feb. 21st, 1870.

\$500,000 TO LOAN!

\$500,000 TO LOAN in sums of \$300 and upwards, on improved farms, in the older and better settled parts of the County of Victoria; interest charged in advance at eight per cent., and is not required in advance thereby giving the borrower the use of the money for the full term of the loan.

T. CORCORAN, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN

Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, Millinery, Ready-made Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Ladies' Furs, Men's Hats and Caps, &c.

Also, a large and well assorted stock of GROCERIES. CONSTANTLY ON HAND

Keenan's Block, Opposite the Jewett House, Kent St., Lindsay

NEW WATCHES! NEW JEWELRY!

THE MAMMOTH RED WATCH A. KLIESER.

Has a large assortment of New Watches, Colored Gold Jewelry, Silver Jewelry, Rings, Lockets, Chains, Charms, &c.

Watches from \$4.00 to \$200, Clocks from \$1.50 to \$80, Concertinas from \$0.70 upwards, Accordions from \$1 upwards, Violins from 1.50 upwards.

Spectacles, School Books, Stationery, Toys and Fancy Goods A Splendid Assortment of Meerschaum Pipes from \$1.50 to \$30.

If you want the best watch in the world buy the CELEBRATED SEWILL WATCH, The only watch accepted as reliable by the Lords of the Admiralty after being severely tested against scores of watches manufactured by our most popular British makers, and now the only authorized time-keeper in Her Majesty's service.

Remember this is the leading house in the County in the above line of business. Opposite Thirkell & Perria's Drug Store, Kent Street, Lindsay, Jan. 17, 1870.

New BOOT & SHOE Store!

IN THE BUILDING LATELY OCCUPIED BY A. CADOTTE.

W. & J. WHITE Would intimate to the inhabitants of Lindsay and County of Victoria, that they have opened a Boot & Shoe Establishment in the premises lately occupied by A. Cadotte, where they intend to keep on hand a stock of the most reasonable goods, of the best manufacture and quality to be found in the Dominion.

All kinds of work manufactured on the premises. Particular attention will be paid to the LADIES' DEPARTMENT which will be found

Replete with the Latest Styles and Fashions. A large variety of Kid and Satin Boots and Shoes, will be kept on hand, or made to order.

A Good Fit and Perfect Satisfaction Guaranteed. A Call is Respectfully Solicited. W. & J. WHITE. Lindsay, Sept. 29th, 1869.

General Insurance Agency.

S. CORNELL, AGENT, LINDSAY Agricultural Mutual Assurance Association.

HEAD OFFICE AT LONDON, ONT. Only 25 cents per annum for every \$100. The following table, compiled from the latest reports, will show its superiority over other companies.

Table with 4 columns: Company Name, No. of Policies, Capital, Deposit with Govt. Includes Agricultural (London), Ontario Farmers (London), Canada Farmers (Hamilton), Beaver Mutual (Toronto).

CROWELL WILSON, M.F., President. A. & D. C. MACDONALD, Secretaries. S. CORNELL, Agent, LINDSAY. Office next door to Doynton Hotel, William Street, Lindsay.

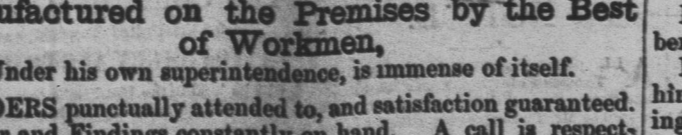
The Gore District Mutual Fire Insurance Co.

THE OLDEST FIRE MUTUAL IN CANADA. HEAD OFFICE, GALT, ONTARIO

President, John Davidson, Esq. Vice-President, R. S. Strong, Esq. This Company insures against loss or damage by fire, buildings, at 4 per cent of all kinds on the most favorable terms.

Always on the Increase

"Be off! you Rascal! and buy a Pair for Yourself!" at LYONS'. Very Cheap!



JOHN LYONS, Is now receiving his Fall Stock of Boots & Shoes

From various Houses in Montreal and elsewhere. When the whole stock is received, it will comprise the finest selection ever brought to Lindsay. The work Manufactured on the Premises by the Best of Workmen.

Under his own superintendence, is immense of itself. ORDERS punctually attended to, and satisfaction guaranteed. Leather and Findings constantly on hand. A call is respectfully solicited. JOHN LYONS, William Street, Lindsay, Sept. 21st 1869.

BERTRAM BROS. CANADA THE ONLY Dominion Life Co'y.

OPENED IN WORKMAN'S BLOCK! Stock Damaged by Fire!

The Remainder of their Stock saved from the Fire will be disposed of at a considerably reduced figure. Lindsay, March 15th 1870.

A LARGE STOCK OF Choice Furniture!

ANDERSON'S FURNITURE WAREROOMS, WILLIAM STREET, LINDSAY.

And when there ask to see the Wonderful Chair. Just Received a Large Stock of Silver-plated Coffin Trimmings. The Trade supplied at Moderate Prices. Coffins always in Stock.

JOHN ANDERSON, Drug Warehouse!

COULTER & SON Are now showing a splendid assortment of Lamps, of all the Latest Styles, and fitted up with the new improvement in burners and chimneys.

COAL OIL! COAL OIL! Just received 3,000 Gallons of No. 1 Coal Oil, which we offer at the lowest price by the gallon or barrel.

Dye Stuffs! Dye Stuffs! We have on hand Dye Stuffs of every variety, warranted to give satisfaction both in quality and price.

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AGENTS: F. WHALLEY, Agent, Lindsay.

DYE STUFFS E. GREGORY.

Corner of Kent & William Streets, Lindsay. A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF COAL OIL LAMPS WILL BE ON HAND SHORTLY.

Dye Stuffs of all Kinds

AND OF QUALITY UNSURPASSED! FOR SALE BY EDMUND GREGORY,

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Boots & Shoes.

ALFRED WRIGHT, Manufacturer of all kinds of BOOTS & SHOES, (Sign of the Big Boot.)

Kent Street, Lindsay, Has now on hand the Largest Stock of Boots and Shoes (suitable for the Season) ever offered in Lindsay.

At as Low a Figure As the commonest City or Penitentiary Slop Work. He would respectfully solicit an examination of his stock, being positive he can offer inducement to cash buyers superior to any other house in the trade.

Parties purchasing WHOLESALE will find his terms as liberal as can be had in either Toronto or Montreal. P. S.—The subscriber hereby notifies all persons indebted to him either by note or book account, not to be backward in coming forward to settle their accounts with him, as he is much in need of cash.

ALFRED WRIGHT, Lindsay, March, 1868.

Sheriff's Sale of Lands.

County of Victoria, } Will be sold at my Office, 24th March, 1870. } 682-418

DENTISTRY. MR. NEELANDS having secured the services of

Richard Nimmo, L.D.S. A FIRST-CLASS DENTIST who has operated for several years in some of the best dental offices in the Province, will now be enabled to do all work connected with Dentistry promptly. Particular attention being given to the extraction of teeth at cheap rates and recommended to call.

Insolvent Act of 1869. CANADA, Province of Ontario, } In the County Court, } County of Victoria, } In the matter of JOHN EASTCOTT, } as Debtor.

ON Saturday, the thirtieth day of April next, the undersigned will apply to the Judge of the said Court for a discharge under the said Act. JOHN EASTCOTT, Debtor. Lindsay, 14th day of March, 1870. 680-418

JOB WORK. Of all commissions executed at the War Office.

THE ONLY Dominion Life Co'y. FULLY LICENSED BY THE GOVERNMENT. ITS NEW BUSINESS Increases in an Unprecedented Ratio Being last year 125 per cent. in excess of previous years.

Assurers now joining the Company participate in the LARGE PROFITS to BE DIVIDED AFTER the 30th of NEXT MONTH.

Applicants are respectfully invited to obtain information and forms of proposal, A. G. RAMSAY, Manager. S. CORNELL, Agent at Lindsay.

ONTARIO FARMERS' MUTUAL Fire Insurance Com'y. HEAD OFFICE - WHITBY. J. B. Bickell, President.

Only 25 Cents per \$100, per annum, on ordinary farm property, where out-buildings are 80 feet from the house.

Proportion of Assets to Liabilities for each \$100. AGRICULTURAL, 106 3-10; BEAVER, 97 7-10; CANADA FARMERS', 43 6-10.

Insurance in the Ontario Farmer Cheapest, Soundness, Prompt Payments. F. WHALLEY, Agent, Kent Street, Lindsay.

GORE DISTRICT Mutual Fire Insurance Company. (Established 1836.)

his Company insures against Loss or Damage by Fire on favorable terms.

Ordinary Farm property insured at a rate as any other Company. Agent at Little Britain, JOHN KELLEY. Little Britain, Jan. 1, 1870.

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PARTIES insured in other Companies and desirous of availing themselves of the extraordinary advantages offered by this Co. will be liberally dealt with. RATES LOW. AS-SEVERED. F. WHALLEY, Agent, Lindsay.

NIAGARA DISTRICT MUTUAL Fire Insurance Co'y. ESTABLISHED 1836.

All kinds of Property from isolated Farm, to cities, hamlets in Towns and Villages insured. Town Residences insured on peculiarly favorable terms. FRANCIS WHALLEY, Agent, Lindsay.

UNFAILING EYE PRESERVERS. LAZARUS & MORRIS' PERFECTED SPECTACLES, AND EYE-GLASSES.

With a full knowledge of the value of the assertion, we claim that they are the most perfect optical aids ever manufactured. To those needing Spectacles, we afford at all times an opportunity of procuring the best and most desirable.

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We take occasion to notify the public that we employ no peddlers, and to caution them against those pretending to have our goods for sale.

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