Odds and Ends.

A Student's Joke.

Ebenezer Sweat, of Brunswick, is a provision dealer. He has been a 'meat man' in Brunswick for the last half century, and has probably furnished Bowdoin students tougher meat and harder meat than they ever experienced in an after life. Ebenezer is considerable of a wag, but a story is told in Brunswick, which shows that at least on one occasion he was outwitted.

A student called into the market one morning, and seeing a large tub full of eggs on the floor, eyed it very wisely for some moments, and thus accosted Mister Sweat:

'I will wager twenty-five cents that I can jump into that tub and not break an egg.'

'You can't do it,' said Sweat.

'I'll stake twenty-five cents I can.'

'Well, here's twenty five,' continued Sweat, 'put up your money.'

The money was accordingly solemnly put into the hands of a third party, and the student prepared for the difficult encounter.

In a moment he made a leap, and the next moment he fell crash into the tub of eggs and rested his feet on the bottom—breaking nearly all the eggs in the tub.

'There,' exclaimed Sweat, in a fury of delight, 'you've lost; I knew you could not do it,' not thinking in his delight of winning, of anything but that.

'Well,' replied the student, as he coolly turned and went out of the market, 'there is your twenty-five cents.'

It was a long time before Ebenezer Sweat recovered from the effects of the joke.

Turning the Tables With a Vengeance.

A small farmer not far from the ancient city of Brechin had long been suspected by the gamekeeper on the estate, of which his farm formed part, of emptying his snares.—Early one fine morning the farmer was engaged in taking out a newly caught hare, when, happening to glance round, he espied the keeper making towards him with all haste. Not the less disconcerted, the farmer disengaged the struggling animal, and giving her a slight kick turned her adrift. 'I've found you at last,' exclaimed the gamekeeper 'Yes, I've found you out at last,' said the farmer, as he confronted the keeper, and shook his closed fist in his face. 'I have lang thocht that was your wark,' as he pointed to the empty snare. 'Now, look you here,' added the seemingly enraged farmer, 'I dinna care a strae hoo many beasts you shoot on my grund, but I'll no alloo you or any ither bodie to tether your vermin among my stuff. So mind you that,' he added, as he turned his heel and bent his steps homeward, inwardly chuckling to think how neatly he had made Nimrod catch a Tartar.

Thackeray speaks of a place in Ireland where the sense of elegance was so keen that the servants brought up the coals for the grate on a clean plate.

Have a plan.—Few people follow any definite plan in life. That is why so many come out almost anywhere, and about as often next to nowhere at all. The fixed purpose, the heroic do-or-die is a spectacle which one in a thousand have no comprehension of.

"Tell me, ye angelic hosts, ye messengers of love, shall swindled printers here below have no redress above?" The shining angel band replied, 'to us is knowledge given, delinquents on the printer's book can never enter heaven."

A deacon in Illinois objected to an organ purchased by his church, and when called on to close the services with prayer, said: 'Call on the machine! If it can sing the glory of God it can pray too. Call on the machine!'

Two cooks in a Chicago hotel got into a riot, and one had her head broken with a skillet. The coroner recommended that people should pay more attention to the thickness of the skull, or such accidents would be very common. A cook's skull ought to be at least half an inch thick the way skillets are made now.

A music teacher once wrote that 'the art of playing the violin requires the nicest perception and the most sense of any art in the known world.' Whereupon a Western editor comments thus: 'The art of publishing a newspaper and making it pay, and at the same time making it please everybody, beats fiddlin higher than a kite.'

A man, stopping his paper, wrote to the editor: 'I think folks otteat to spend ther munny for paper, mi daddi dos to, and everybody sed he was the intelligentes man in the country and had the smartest family of baz that ever dugged taters.'

There is a negro debating society in Bainbridge, Ga., at whose last meeting was debated the question whether education or money is the most beneficial to a community. The advocates of education won the prize—$20 in gold—and then followed a row, the unsuccessful competitors demanding, 'What de debil dem chaps dat thought money was no counts wanted wid de gold.'

The 'local' of the *London Free Press* sensings of Spring. Hear him: 'Piles of chips, old boots, hoop-skirts, oyster cans, *et hoc*, are burning in the back yards, giving an ambrosial scent to the fresh April air, while the sale of garden implements, women making soft soap and jawing at each other over the fence, are among the other primary symptoms of Spring fever.'

DAILY LINE TO ROCHESTER.

The Superb New Lake Upper State Cabin Steamer,

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Carrying United States and Canadian Mails and Express,

Leaves Port Hope every morning for ROCHESTER,

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This is the favorite summer route from Toronto to Rochester, Albany, &c. The cheapest and quickest route from points east of Port Hope on the Grand Trunk to Rochester, Buffalo, &c. The favorite route to Avon and Clifton Springs, &c.

Passengers and freight take cars alongside steamer at Rochester Landing.

Connection made at Cobourg and Port Hope with Royal Mail line Steamers from Hamilton and Montreal.

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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, 50 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 Bexley, 91 acres.

IN THE TOWN OF LINDSAY:

Lot 9 west of St. Lawrence Street,
Lot 3, w of South St., in Subdivision of Park G
" 4 west " " "
" 1 " Duke street " " F
" 3 " " " " F
" 3 east " " " F
" 8 " Wolf " " G
" 4 " " " " G
" 5 " " " " G

For particulars apply to

P. S. MARTIN, Solicitor, Lindsay

Lindsay, Feb 21st, 1870.

FARM FOR SALE

FOR SALE, on easy terms, the S. ½ of Lot No. 6, in the 4th con. of the Township of Fenelon. This farm is at present leased to Robert Addison, is nearly all cleared, under a high state of cultivation, and well watered. There are on the premises, buildings suitable for ordinary farm purposes.

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Lindsay, July 30, 1870.

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THE Subscribers are prepared to lend, on the security of farm property, a large amount of private funds, on the most reasonable terms. Interest payable at their offices in Peterborough and Lindsay as may suit convenience of borrower. Apply to.

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Nov. 21, 1870.

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Oysters Constantly in Stock.

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Reduced Expenses, Promptness, Low Interest.

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Lindsay, Oct. 24th 1870.
Laxton, March 16th, 1871.

WHEAT ON THE RISE.

NOTICE TO MY PATRONS!

THE Subscriber begs leave to notify his Customers that he will

Close his Books against Credit on the First day of November, 1869,

and will confine his business to Cash, up to the 1st day of March, 1870. All parties desirous of settling up with him will have an opportunity of doing so up to the 15th of November next, after which date all accounts, notes, &c., will certainly be placed in the hands of the collector.

Trusting in a good return before the 15th of November, thanking you for past patronage, and soliciting a continuance of the same, I remain, truly yours,

JAMES WATSON.

P.S.—My stock is now complete in

T H A S

AND A

General Assortment of Groceries, Dry Goods, Boots & Shoes, Ready-Made Clothing, Crockery, &c., &c.

The prices of which will draw attention. My purpose is to clear out the present stock instanter.

JAMES WATSON.

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To the Inhabitants of LINDSAY and surrounding country.

HAVING bought out Mr. Searl's Photograph Business, I intend establishing myself in Lindsay. I have fitted up my Studio with all the

Latest Improvements!

and intend making only

FIRST-CLASS PICTURES

I will introduce every valuable discovery in photographic science and spare no expense to make my work equal to any in the Province.

There is nothing in the discoveries of science in late years that has made such progress as Photography. By comparing the Photographs taken some years ago with those made now it will be seen that the former were more caricatures than true pictures.—The vulgar, chalky faces of the past are superseded by those of artistic shading, and pictures made only to fade by those of permanence and durability.

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SATISFACTION GIVEN!

or no pay, is my motto.

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Lindsay August 20, 1870.

NEW Planing Mill

THE Subscriber intimates to the people of Lindsay and surrounding Townships that since the late fire which destroyed his mill, he has

Erected a New Establishment,

and that the machinery is now in good running order.

DISSOLUTION of PARTNERSHIP

THE Co-Partnership heretofore existing between G. W. Smith and J. P. Davis, has been dissolved by mutual consent.

The planing business formerly carried on by G. W. Smith has been disposed of, and for the future will be carried on by A. S. Smith.

G. W. SMITH, J. P. DAVIS,

Nov. 3, 1870.

Fresh Arrivals OF Biscuit & Confectonery

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Has Just Received the following list of cait fresh from the largest establishment in the Dominion:

New Dominion Mixture,
Queen Biscuit, Wine Biscuit
Arrowroot Biscuit,
Abernethy Biscuit Lemon Snaps,
Ginger Snaps,
Cream Biscuit, Fine Water Biscuit
Digestive Biscuit,
Boston Crackers, Butter Crackers,
Oyster Crackers,
Soda Biscuit, &c., &c., &c

☞ Look at the Window for an assortment of Confectionery, a small portion of which is exposed.

Shoo Fly Gum.

W. J. ROBINSON, Wm. Street, Lindsay.

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W. M. ROBSON

Who has acquired a reputation for a Good article in Teas and Coffees, has now for sale

Fine Full Flavored Moyune Hyson, at 5s.
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Note the above selection, warranted to give Satisfaction, with a full assortment of Cheap Groceries always in Stock, at

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The Canada Landed CREDIT COMPANY.

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The borrower has always the privelege liberating his estate from the mortgage at any time, on giving six months' notice, whilst the Company remains bound to the end of the twenty-three years; and the amount paid into the sinking fund, with interest and compound interest, is then allowed him in settlement.

He has the privelege, as he may find it convenient, of paying into the sinking fund over and above his regular contribution, any even sum, over one hundred dollars, in reduction of his mortgage, and for which he is allowed six per cent. compound interest; such payments, of course, shorten the term considerably.

No Commissions charged—no shares required to be taken—No fines to pay, and no expenses of renewals.

Further particulars and forms of application may be had of the Secretary, 22, King Street, Toronto. Or of

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Lindsay, Jan. 17, 1870.

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Would respectfully announce to their numerous friends and customers that they have opened up a large and varied stock of Heavy and Shelf Hardware, in

KEENAN'S NEW BRICK BLOCK,

Where they are prepared to offer their customers even greater advantages than heretofore. It shall ever be their utmost endeavor to merit in the future that share of the public patronage which has been so freely bestowed in the past.

They shall always have a Large Stock of

Coal, Iron, Steel, Blacksmith's Tools,

CARRIAGE TRIMMINGS,

Paints, Oils, Glass, Agricultural Implements,

CHOPPING AXES, CUT AND MACHINE SAWS,

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With a Full Stock of SHELF HARDWARE which will be sold at the VERY LOWEST RATES.

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STOVES! STOVES!

The Subscriber has on hand and for sale the best assorted stock of

COOKING PARLOUR

BOX AND STOVES.

Ever brought to this market, selected by himself from the best manufactories in the Dominion. Having bought for cash I will sell at prices which will astonish intending purchasers.

CALL AND EXAMINE.

D. BROWNE.

NOTICE

All those indebted to the subscriber, either by note of hand or book account are respectfully requested to call and pay before the twentieth day of February as all unpaid notes and accounts after that date will be handed over to the proper authorities for collection.

D. BROWNE.

Lindsay, Jan 24, 1870.

Always on the Increase

J HN LYONS

Is now receiving his Spring and

Summer 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

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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.

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Lindsay, April, 1871.

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Begs to intimate that he has on hand at his

Ware-Rooms on William Street, Lindsay,

a large and well assorted Stock of

FURNITURE OF THE LATEST PATTERNS, AND VERY BEST MATERIAL,

all of which he is determined to sell at the Lowest Prices, that Good Furniture can be sold for.

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Also a Large Stock of Silver-Plated Coffin Trimmings on hand The Trade Supplied at Moderate Prices.

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ORGANS AND MELODEONS.

Parties desirous of procuring one of those celebrated instruments would do well to call ok the undersigned and

EXAMINE SPECIMENS!

Teey will be sold in Lindsay at the same for which they can be procured in Toronto, or at the Factory in Boston.

These Instruments are not Equalled

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GOOD AND CHEAP! FOR SALE AT GOODWIN'S

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The large number of Worthless Machines, manufactured for the purpose intended, imposed upon the Public by false representations of inexperienced Agents, who sell Machines upon the same conditions that they sell Patent Medicines, require no comment.

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Machines Rented out by the Week, or Monthly Payments for Machines sold, or ☞ Cheap for Cash! ☜

R. A. GOODWIN, Sewing Machine Agency,

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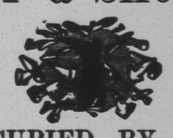
New BOOT & SHOE Store!

IN THE  BUILDING

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☞ All kinds of work manufactured on the premises. Particular attention will be paid to the

LADIES' DEPARTMENT

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Replete with the Latest Styles and Fashions.

A large variety of

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A good Fit and Perfect Satisfaction Guaranteed. A Call is Respectfully Solicited.

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Lindsay, Dec. 20th, 1869.

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BOOTS & SHOES

WHETHER THEY ARE WORN OUT OR NOT

are respectfully requested to

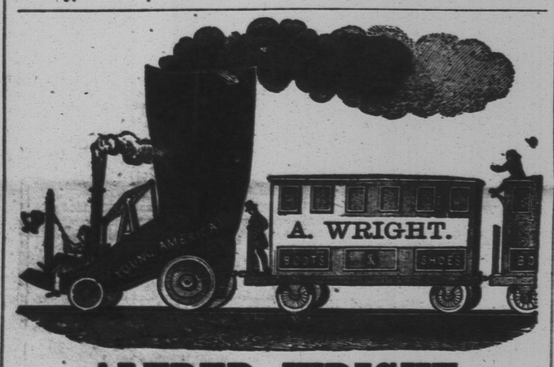
CALL AXD PAY UP IMMEDIATELY

Excuses will not Meet Liablities

Therefore none will be taken.

L. MAGUIRE.

Lindsay, 15th March, 1870.



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All Classes of Boots and Shoes

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Are Constipation, Asthma, Consumption, Laryngitis, Nervous Debility, Dyspepsia, Chronic Bronchitis, Chronic Diarrhoea, Melancholy,

Debility resulting from Typhoid and other low fevers, Dyptheritic Prostration, Hysteria, Hypochondria, Amenorrhoea, Chlorosis, Anæmia, Leucorrhoea, Nervous Excitability, Marasmus or Wasting of the Muscles, Aphonia, or loss of Voice, Chorea or St. Vitu's Dance, Sluggishness of the Liver, Interrupted and Feeble Action of the Heart, Suffocating Feelings caused by mucuous obstructions of the Lungs and Air Passages leading thereto, and debility from various causes, many cases of which appeared hopeless.

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This Company insures against

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Ordinary Farm property insured at as low a rate as any other Company.

Agent at Little Britain,

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Little Britain, Jan. 1, 1870.

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William St. - - Lindsay.

THE subscriber having purchased the Hotel lately carried on by R. G. Bell, intimates to the farming community and others that no pains will be spared to make the Royal Hotel worthy of patronage

Good Stabling and an Attentive Hostler.

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