

Local Matters.

Cold nights.
Warm days.
Farmers busy.
Fine Spring weather.
Splendid weather for sugar making.
New York letter received too late for this week.

GREAT inducements for cash at Jas. A. Mitchell & Co's.

The Crouter insolvent estate will be sold by auction, to-day.

The Rev. Mr. Washington, of Cannington, will preach in the Methodist Church, here, next Sabbath evening, at 6 o'clock.

FARMERS wishing to raise first-class stock will do well to see P. McCorquodale's Thoroughbred Blood Stallion, lot 3, con. 3, Eldon.

ALL accounts and overdue notes not settled before the 1st of May, will be handed into Court for collection. Jas. A. Mitchell & Co's.

A GOOD second hand Melodeon for sale. The instrument is in first-class order, and will be sold cheap, apply to J. C. Gilchrist, Woodville.

Warning.—We have repeatedly warned the boys against tearing down posters and if they do not stop it we will have one or two of them arrested.

Sale of Real Estate.—We would remind our readers of the sales of farm property to take place at the "Eldon House," on Saturday and Monday next. Read the advertisements in another column.

× We are now open to proposals to any one who wishes to work our garden "on shares." We will furnish the old boots, straw hat, spade, hoe, earth, and heaven will throw in the dew and sunshine, all that is required of the party of the third part is the manual, the muscular, the bone and sinew, the early rising, the backbone, and—the crop.

Presentation.—On Friday, 4th inst., Mr. David Marshall, Chief of Police of Port Hope, was the recipient of a handsome walking stick, presented to him by Mr. John Lethbridge, conductor, of this place. The *Times* says the cane is a beautiful, crooked handle, English Oak, and is admirably adapted for "gathering them in." Young men who collect in crowds at street corners, "be-ware" and do not be gathered.

Presentation.—The *Daily Globe*, of Tuesday, says:—"Mr. Donald Murray was yesterday presented by his friends on the police force with a gold watch and \$100 in money as a token of their respect, on the occasion of his retirement after nine years' service. Mr. Murray intends to settle in Manitoba." Mr. Murray was a former resident of this vicinity, having attended school at Lorneville in his youth, and his many friends will hear with pleasure of this tribute of respect paid him.

× Last Friday evening, an old gentleman from the Mariposa side of the line having been requested by a neighbor to buy him a pan of bread while in the village, procured the required amount from the baker and deposited it in his sleigh, and went into the "Northern" to have a "wee drap o' something" before starting for home. Returning in a short time, imagine his astonishment to find that a vagrant cow had taken advantage of his absence to have a "big feed." The bread was all gone. He said "demme."

Personal.—Dr. Jno. McCrimmon, of this place, has, we learn from the *Bruce Reporter*, decided to commence the practice of his profession in the town of Kincardine. The *Reporter* says—"Mr. McCrimmon is a graduate with high honors of McGill University, Montreal, as well as a Licentiate of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Edinburgh, Scotland, and comes to us with the strongest commendations of ability. He is a young man fully versed in the latest advances of the science of medicine, and we bespeak for him a successful and remunerative practice."

Lacrosse.—A meeting was held in the "Eldon House," last Thursday evening, when the following officers were elected:—President, Mr. Thomas Edwards; 1st Vice-President, Mr. Wm. White; 2nd Vice-President, Mr. Henry Edwards; Secretary, Mr. Wm. C. Gilchrist; Treasurer, Mr. Jas. B. Henderson; Field-Captain, Mr. J. A. Mitchell; Captain, Mr. J. B. Henderson; Committee: Messrs. Peter Campbell, Geo. McGimsie, E. J. Sidey, D. McIntyre and W. Armstrong. The Club has organized this year under very favorable circumstances the only drawback being want of a proper field to play in. The Town Hall lot, in which they practiced last year, is rather small and it would be almost impossible to play a match in it. It seems strange to us, that in a village situated as Woodville is, there is not a field set apart for the purpose of ball-playing. Another meeting will be held to-night, when it is to be hoped the committee will be able to report having secured a suitable field.

200 pieces Ashten's best Prints, reduced from 15 cents to 12½ cents, cash,—the old credit price—at Jas. A. Mitchell & Co's.

Starting.—The Messrs. Birney, of Toronto, are in town, with a view to the immediate re-opening of their cheese factory. We are glad to see this, and hope the effort will be successful.

The Band.—Woodville Brass Band has been re-organized, under the leadership of Mr. E. Wendt. A subscription list is in course of circulation to provide them with new music, and it is hoped the villagers will subscribe liberally. Donations to the band fund may be left with the Treasurer, J. J. Cave, ADVOCATE Office.

A CAR-LOAD of Liverpool land salt arriving to-morrow. Cheap for cash, at Jas. A. Mitchell & Co's.

School Examination and Festival.—On Wednesday, 9th inst., Mr. Reazin, Public School Inspector, examined both divisions of the Woodville School, and expressed himself well satisfied with the general proficiency of the pupils. At the close of the examination Mr. Reazin and Mr. Gilchrist were invited by Miss Waddell to the lower room, where they were agreeably surprised to find a splendid repast spread before some eighty or ninety children, of ages varying from two to fourteen years. While they were thus enjoying the luxuries set before them, they observed without anxious beholders who would fain have joined them, but pacified their hunger by resolving not to depend on anticipation in the future. This festival prepared by the children to celebrate their teacher's birthday, shows that the kindest feelings exist between them.—Com.

FULL stock new Dry Goods at Jas. A. Mitchell & Co's.

GONE CRAZY.—Robert Allan, a young man who worked in R. & G. Pringle's waggon shops for a number of years, went crazy on religion last week, and he became so violent that he had to be sent to the asylum. He had been attending the revival meetings now going on in the Methodist Church here, and being naturally of a weak mind the excitement was more than his intellect could stand.....A young lady, a Miss Tomlinson, of Boxgrove, is reported to have gone crazy through a religious excitement while attending the revival meetings at the Lutheran Church, on the 6th Con. Markham.—*Economist*.

DIED.—At Woodville, on April 16th, the infant son of Mr. John Logan, aged 3 weeks. The Funeral will take place at 2 o'clock this (Thursday) afternoon.

WHAT THEY SAY OF IT! A FEW FACTS FOR THE PEOPLE.—There are but few preparations of medicines which have withstood the impartial judgement of the people for any great length of time. One of these is Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Read the following and be convinced:—Thomas Robinson, Farnham Centre, P. Q., writes, "I have been afflicted with rheumatism for the last ten years, and have tried many remedies without any relief, until I tried Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil and since then have had no attack of it. I would recommend it to all."—J. H. Earl, Hotel Keeper West Shefford, P. Q., writes, "I have been troubled with liver complaint for several years, and have tried different medicines with little or no benefit, until I tried Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, which gave me immediate relief, and I would say that I have used it since with the best effect. No one should be without it. I have tried it on my horses in case of cuts, wounds, etc., and think it is equally as good for horse as for man."—A. Maybee, Merchant, Warkworth, writes, "I have sold some hundreds of bottles of Electric Oil, and it is pronounced by the public, 'one of the best medicines they have ever used; it has done wonders in healing and relieving pain, sore throats, etc. and is worthy of the greatest confidence.'"—Joseph Rusan, Township Percy, writes, "I was persuaded to try Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil for a lame knee which troubled me for three or four years, and I never found anything like it for curing lameness. It is a great public benefit."

BEWARE OF IMITATIONS.—Ask for Dr. Thomas Electric Oil. See that the signature of S. N. Thomas is on the wrapper, and the names of Northrop & Lyman are blown in the bottle, and Take no other. Sold by all medicine dealers. Price 25 cents. NORTHROP & LYMAN, Toronto, Ont., Proprietors for the Dominion.

NOTE.—Electric—Selected and Electrized 115

WATERTOWN
AGRICULTURAL
Insurance Company!

Net Assets, \$1,058,157.60
Government Deposit, \$100,000.

INSURES nothing but Farm Property and private residences. It not only pays all losses by fire, but for damage done by Lightning, whether fire ensues or not. It pays for live stock killed by Lightning anywhere on the farm.

Money to Loan at Lowest Rates.
GENERAL FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE AGENT.

G. B. FOTHERINGHAM,
at THE ADVOCATE Office,
WOODVILLE, ONT

New Advertisements.

F A R M
FOR SALE!

UNDER a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage bearing date, the twenty-sixth day of January, 1878, and made by Donald Currie and his wife (as to dower,) to James Stuart, the undersigned is instructed by Duncan Sinclair, Esquire, to whom the said mortgage has been assigned, to sell by

PUBLIC AUCTION

—AT THE—
Eldon House, Woodville,

—ON—
Saturday, April 19, '79

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,
That valuable Farm known as the North-East Quarter of Lot No. 5, in the 1st Concession of the Township of Eldon, in the County of Victoria.

—containing—
FIFTY ACRES MORE OR LESS,

This property is situate within three miles of the Village of Woodville, and within one mile of the Village of Lorneville, a station at the junction of the Midland and the Toronto and Nipissing Railways.

TERMS.—Ten per cent. cash at the time of sale, and a sufficient sum to make up one-third of the amount of purchase money within one month from the date of sale. The balance may remain upon mortgage on the property, payable in instalments, in one, two, and three years, with interest at eight per cent. per annum if the purchaser should desire it.

The property is in good order and cultivation and in a good agricultural neighbourhood. There are no buildings and the purchaser will be let into possession immediately after the sale.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. Mowat, MacLennan & Downey, Solicitors, Toronto, or to the undersigned,

ARCH. CAMPBELL,
WOODVILLE.

Dated, 7th Day of April, 1879.

Auction Sale!

—OF—
VALUABLE

F A R M!

PROPERTIES.

—IN THE—
TOWNSHIP OF ELDON,

In the County of Victoria, there will be sold on

Monday, April 21st, '79

At one o'clock in the afternoon, by ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL, Auctioneer, at the

ELDON HOUSE, Woodville,

By virtue of powers of sale contained in certain mortgages which will be produced at the sale, the following properties:

PARCEL I.
UNDER mortgage from George Richardson, the south-west quarter of lot No. thirteen in the seventh Concession of the Township of Eldon, in the County of Victoria, containing fifty acres more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises about 12 acres cleared, having erected thereon a small log house and barn, situated about 8 miles from the Village of Woodville.

PARCEL II.
UNDER mortgage from John and Mary Shaw, the west half of Lot Twenty-one in the Third Concession of the Township of Eldon, in the County of Victoria, containing one hundred acres more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises: about 40 acres cleared and under cultivation, situated 6 miles from Lorneville.

—TERMS—
One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid down on the day of sale. For balance, terms will be made known at the sale.

For further particulars apply to

JONES BROS. & MCKENZIE,
Solicitors, Masonic Hall, Toronto.

Or to

J. C. GILCHRIST, ESQ.
Woodville, Ont.

Toronto, March 27th, 1879.

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ELDON MILLS.

WE have recently put in new mill stones, new cleaning machinery, and other valuable improvements, and have in our employ ONE OF THE BEST MILLERS IN THE COUNTRY. To our customers

We Guarantee Quantity and Quality!

And respectfully request a continuance of their patronage. Flour and Feed delivered to all parts of the village free of charge.

WHITE & BRO.

GREAT CLEARING SALE

McMILLAN & McLEOD

WOULD INTIMATE THAT THEY INTEND TO COMMENCE A CLEARING SALE.

—OF—

DRY GOODS!

Groceries, Boots and Shoes.

—ON THE 1st DAY OF APRIL TO CONTINUE—

FOR ONE MONTH!

Notwithstanding the great advance in all kinds of goods, we have reduced prices lower than was ever known in Woodville.

Prices to Suit Hard Times and Cash Customers.

WE TRUST THAT OUR NUMEROUS CUSTOMERS WILL AVOID THEMSELVES OF THIS

Rare Opportunity

of Buying Cheap Goods.

REMEMBER YOU WILL SAVE FROM 15 TO 20 PER CENT. BY BUYING CHEAP GOODS AT

McMILLAN & McLEOD'S, WOODVILLE.

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DAVID SIDEY'S

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—OF—

HARDWARE, BOOTS & SHOES

Is selling at

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CHEAP HARDWARE

Boots and Shoes at your own prices.

A LARGE STOCK OF GROCERIES

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