In order to keep pace with the spiritof improvement, we this week send our paing, from Messrs. Millar & Richard, Type Founders, of Toronto, As a matter of course, the cost of this improvement is considerable, involving an outlay of nearly Five Hundred Dollars, for which, there is a pay day ahead. In order to assist us in meeting our engagements in this matter, we look for a large increase in our subscription list, and, in order to encourage those who do not take our papers to do so at once, we will send either the Messenger or Standard from the 1st of September to the end of 1877 for the small sum of \$1,25, in advance. This, surely is cheap enough. We commence with an extra edition of 100 copies, and, ar long as they last, back numbers, containing the new story, from its commencement, will be furnished to all new subscribers. As it is our intention to devote the proceeds arising from New Subshribers towards paying for our new type, we hope the appreciating public will drop in and ask us to draw up goodly number of receipts for \$1.25.

### Who Stole the Ducks?

got hovering around the premises of Mr. Henry Atkins, Livery Stable Keeper, Millbrook, and only left him one duck, out of a flock of twenty-three. Mr. Atkins presents his compliments to the gentlemen who honored his premises, by their sublime presence, on that evening, and regrets that they too timid to arouse him from his slumbers, as it would have afforded him the most exquisite pleasure to have got out his very best Rig, and driven his young friends to their rendez-

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### No Lecture Apology.

Mr. Hindman Barney, who was to have given his Lecture on "The Fight with King Alcohel," desires us to state that it was not his fault that he was not on hand in time to keep his appointment, on Saturday evening last. The Midland train, from the North was detained over three hours, by the fire raging beyond Lindsay. The rails had become so heated in one place, that they doubled up, in front of the wheels of the locomotive. The train did not reach Millbrook till after eight o'clock. Mr. Barney intends visiting this section again sometime in

CIVIC HOLIDAY.—By advertisement, it will be observed that the arrangements have been made for the trip to Niagara. Fare, about \$2.50 from Mill-

Mr. Hugel is also arranging for a cheap Excursion to Sturgeon Point, on the same day, to accommodate those who cannot go to the Fails. Return ticket, from Millbrook, about 65 cents.

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### MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's father, Millbrook, on Wednesday, August 30, by the Rev. Rural Dean Allen, Mr. John Read, Merchant, to Margaret Jane, eldest daughter of Mr. Geo. Fair all of Millbrook.

### BIRTHS.

At Millbrook, on the 26th August, the wife of Mr. T. S. Marshall, of a son. At Millbrook, on the 27th August, the wife of Mr. Thomas McClean, of a son, still born. At Millbrook, on the 28th August, the wife of Mr. David Chambers of a daughter.

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Manvers, August 26, 1876.

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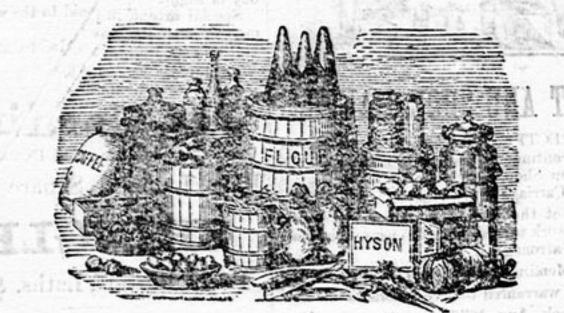
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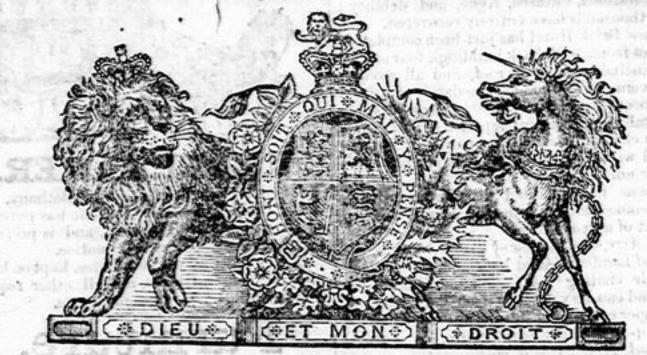
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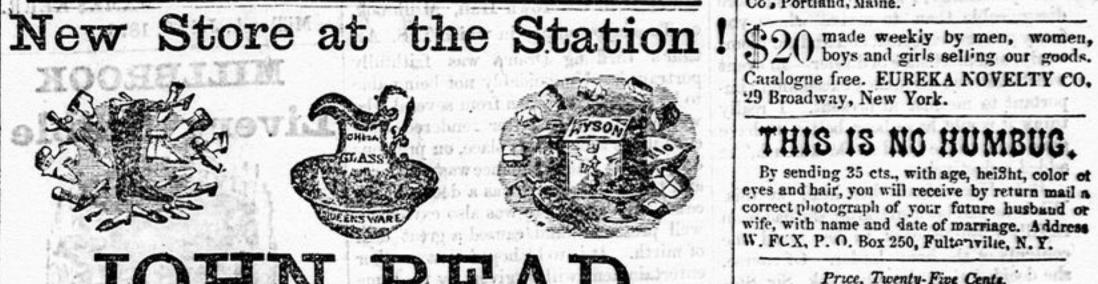


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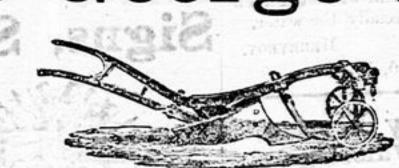
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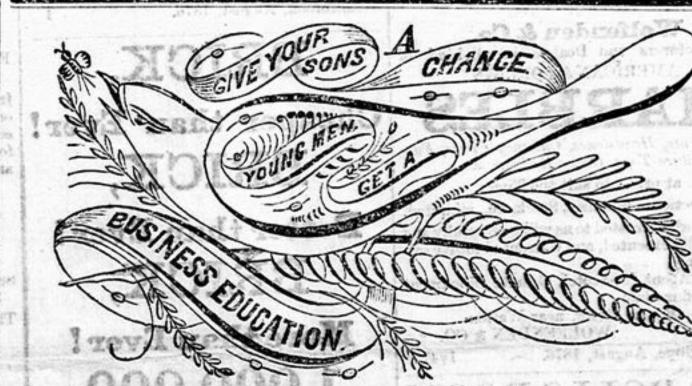


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