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3000 dozen of Women's, Girls, and Children's Stockings. Just think what that means, 36,000 pairs, that is the exact figures for one of the biggest purchases we ever made in hosiery. This big lot of Hosiery we purchased last February when cotton hose was not seasonable and the manufacturers wanted money. Having three stores and being able to sell part of the lot to one of the keenest wholesalers in Toronto, made it possible for us to handle the quantity and now we are selling Hosiery 35 to 40 per cent less than we could sell them if we paid the manufacturer regular prices.

1200 Pr. Women's Fine Lisle Hose.

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In colors of Black, Tan, and White, also plain Black Silkolene; very fine gauge. Regular 25 to 30c stockings. This big purchase made it possible for us to sell them at per pair..... .11c

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1600 pairs of Women's Fine Black Cotton Hose in seemless feet, fleeced lined. This hose sells regularly at 18c pair, but the way we bought this lot we are able to sell them at per pr 11c

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The past few weeks have been hard on our little feathered friends who came back to us from the south at their usual date, but found cold winds and snow storms to greet them. The grub had not begun to stir in his earthy bed and flies and insects were still dormant. There is one bird, our choicest songster, who has not yet arrived but may be expected any morning. He is always heard first in the morning, having apparently arrived during the night. About the 24th of May he is due here, or just when the leaf buds on the maples are half expanded and showing a lively green. Song sparrows and robins have been with us for some time and at the peep o' day the robins make merry chorus, although little attention is paid to them, but some of these fine mornings a new and decided note will be added to the orchestra when Sir Oriole arrives with his merry whistle, and his orange and black spring dress will be seen flitting in and out among the delicate young greenery. He is a dainty charmer and we eagerly await his coming, for it means warm weather and summer. Who will be first to hear his melodious whistle?

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One Whitty of Toronto Junction has learned that it is just as serious a matter to commit perjury in a liquor case as in any other, and will stand his trial for the deed, to which he has made confession. It was one of the stock arguments against local option that it would be fruitful of perjury, but perjury is perjury wherever found and there is severe and feasible punishment for committing the deed whenever it crops up just as there is punishment for any other crime.

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Of all the inventions produced to annoy mankind, the prayer chain is one of the worst. Our Hatherton correspondent did not put it strong enough last week. It is a nuisance without any just reason for living and it has the lives of ten cats. You need not be afraid of breaking the chain, because it can mend itself like the tropical crab which can throw off its legs and grow new ones. As a freak in this respect it beats everything in nature. We know this to be a fact, because it has been smashed remorselessly in this house a dozen times and still the links (this should be spelled lynx) continue to reassemble themselves apparently as strong as ever. Break them every chance you get and perhaps in time the thing will wear its life away.

Our Scrap Book

ACCIDENT IN ST. VINCENT

It becomes our painful duty to record the very sudden death of Mr. Joseph Emery, of the above township, on the afternoon of Saturday last, he was at work with a horse power shingle machine and had just stopped up to oil some of the gearing, when the fly-wheel burst with an explosion like that of a shell, scattering some of the pieces to a distance of 30 rods; one of them, weighing 11½ pounds, struck the deceased on the thigh and hip with such force as actually ground the bone to powder, and inflicted an awful wound on his side. Medical aid was called in but it was of no avail, as he rapidly sank from the effects of his injuries, and in the space of four hours death put a period to his sufferings. —Owen Sound Times, July 25, 1862.

POLITICAL

There are four candidates in the field for Grey—Dr. Mahaffey, Conservative Independent; George Jackson, Liberal Independent; Nassa C. Gowan, Conservative Opposition; Jess T. Purdy, Liberal Opposition, the late member, who will certainly be re-elected. The Leader boasted the other day that Mr. Frazer of Owen Sound, who had been mentioned as an opposition candidate, but declined to run, would not oppose Mr. Jackson. This was utterly untrue, as Mr. Frazer explains in a letter published elsewhere.—Globe of June 8, 1861.

As a matter of history Mr. Purdy was not re-elected. The plum went to Geo Jackson and Mr. Purdy disappeared from politics. He died in north Dakota about ten years ago at the age of 92 years.—Ed. Advance.

A universal system of weights and measures has been under discussion for very many years. It is admitted that the metric system is the only system worthy of universal acceptance but it appears impossible to get English-speaking countries to adopt it. So far back as 1861 the metric system was discussed without result as the following taken from the Globe of Sept. 7 that year will show: "At the Congress of Social Science, recently held in Dublin, M. Chevalier, the distinguished French writer on political economy, gave a short history of the efforts which have been made to introduce a universal system of weights and measures into all countries. In 1790 the centessimal system was adopted in France, and it is now used in France, Spain, Portugal, Greece, Belgium, Italy, the Netherlands, and in three of the republics in South America. M. Chevalier considers the French system as the best for all nations. Professor Hennessey stated that the great object was to hit upon a measure that would meet the wants of the world at large. The metre and its divisions appeared most suitable, for the metre is a fraction of the meridian of the earth. He had heard a great deal said against the metre because it was a French system, but if it were the best it should be adopted and become cosmopolitan. The Social Congress passed a resolution recommending the adoption of a uniform and general system of weights and measures."

ANOTHER OUTRAGE ON THE FRONTIER.

The United States immigration officer at Buffalo who has of late years been acting so officiously against Canadian travellers going across the line had his counterpart fifty years ago. Here is how one man was treated at Detroit as described in the Globe of September 12, 1862:

"On Tuesday last Mr. Alexander Williamson, an Englishman residing in the township of Rochester, in the county of Essex, procured a pass from the American consular agent at Sandwich to enable him to visit Detroit and return. He transacted his business and was about to return in the evening when the Yankee guard at the ferry took his pass, but instead of allowing him to proceed home locked him up for the night. In the morning he was handcuffed and marched around the city in that condition for fully five hours. He was first marched down to the ferry dock, then taken before Col. Smith, a local military functionary, then to Marshal Dickie's office, whence he was ordered to the barracks where they told him they would compel him to enter the army, and insisted upon administering the oath to him: peremptorily refusing to be sworn, he was again led to the Marshall's office, where he underwent the form of a trial, and was made the subject of much merriment by the officers present, who looked upon the thing as a fine piece of sport. He was then handed a pass with instructions to retain it in his own possession, and led to the ferry dock, where it was taken from him, and where he would still have been detained but for the intervention of Mr. Munger, the consul who gave the first pass. The Essex Record, which relates these facts, demands that something should be done by the Canadian Government to prevent a repetition of such outrages.

Good Liniment.

You will hunt a good while before you find a preparation that is equal to Chamberlain's Liniment as a cure for muscular and rheumatic pains, for the cure of sprains and soreness of the muscles. In case of rheumatism and sciatica it relieves the intense pain and makes sleep and rest possible. In case of sprains it relieves the soreness and restores the parts to a healthy condition in one-third the time required by the usual treatment. It is equally valuable for lame back and all deep seated muscular pains. 25 and 50 cent sizes for sale by W. E. Richardson.

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ROUTE

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Tuesday—By Spring Mill to 10th line, south to Joe Hulbert's for noon, thence to Kimberley for night, where he will remain until Wednesday noon.

Wednesday—At 1 o'clock will leave by Epping and Rocklyn to James Bailey's for night

Thursday—Home to Findlay's Livery for noon and by way of gravel road to George Baker's for night.

Friday—To John King's Sr., King's Corners for noon, thence to Robert Day's for night.

Saturday—To John Vanwyck's, Annan, for one hour, thence to City hotel, Owen Sound, for noon, where he will remain until 4 o'clock, thence to his own stable, Kilsyth, where he will remain until the following Monday morning. This route will be continued throughout the season, health and weather permitting.

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MONDAY evening—Berkeley.
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The rest of the week Markdale House Stables.

Demotte, 29842, is a handsome, game, level headed horse with a perfect disposition; to see him is to like him, and after looking over his pedigree all must admit that he is one of the best bred horses imported. Where will you find another in this country with as fast a sire and dam? His grandsire, Gambetta Wilkes, sired Gambolier, the sire of the great Eel 2.2¼. His grandsire on his dam's side, C. F. Clay, has more to his credit in the 2.10 list than any other horse in Kentucky, and is also one of the, if not the greatest, sires of high actors in the United States. Demotte is a beautiful high going horse with a great turn of speed kimself, having been a close 2nd in 16¾. I have put this horse's fee very low, within reach of the owner of the ordinary mare, while the owners of the best mares will get the service of a $25 horse for just $12. Those wishing to bargain for living colts can do so by applying to me. I have also made arrangement for pasture close to town for mares sent a distance.

Markdale Steam Laundry

Andrew Wilson, Agent, - Flesherton

We quote you a few of our summer prices: All starched shirts, 10c each; Summer cotton underwear, 5c each; handkerchiefs, 1c each; wash vests, 10c; duck trousers, 15c, and other articles at proportionately low rates. We try our best to please you. If we fail to do so tell Andy and we will put them right.

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For sale cheap, or rent, immediate possession Lot 30 con. 14, Artemesia, about 75 acres clear, comfortable log house and frame barn. Apply to R. J. Sproule, Flesherton, or John J. Martin, across the road from said lot.

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Brown Leghorn Eggs for hatching, from first class pen. All prize birds at East Grey fall fair are in this pen: Eggs 50c. per setting of 15
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