Local Intelligence.

THE BRANT HOUSE was opened to the public on Monday.

MR. JAS. BARBER intends starting for Winnipeg next week.

VOLUNTEER CAMP.—It is announced that the 20th Lorne Rifles will go to camp at Niagara on June 19th.

LAMBS KILLED.—Mr Joseph Anderson, of Nassagaweya, had seventeen lambs killed by dogs the other night.

DEANERY MEETING.—Rev. W. J. Mackenzie was at Burlington two days this week attending a meeting of the Ruri-decanal Chapter.

THE usual weekly excursion train for Manitoba left the Hamilton and North-western station yesterday afternoon. A great many people went from Hamilton.

PERSONAL.—Mr. W. W. Evatt, barrister of Toronto and formely of Milton, has been suffering lately from a severe attack of pleurisy, but is, we are happy to say recovering.

SAD BEREAVEMENT.—We heard this morning that Maggie, eldest daughter of Henry Robinson, Esq., warden of the county, died of rheumatic fever last night, at her father's residence.

MR. JOS. MARTIN and Miss Martin left on Tuesday via. C. V. R for San Francisco, Cal. They intend going thence to British Columbia, and visiting various points of interest on the Pacific coast.

"CROWQUILL," who contributed two original poems which were published in recent numbers of the CHAMPION, and which were greatly admired, has favored us with another this week. It appears on our first page.

ADRIFT.—Three men drifted out into the lake on Saturday in a scow from the piers at Burlington Canal. There was a high wind which made the water very rough and they were nearly swamped, but were rescued three miles out by a yacht.

"FAIR PLAY'S" communication is rather too personal for publication and we are forced to decline to let it appear in the CHAMPION. We would recommend the inhabitants of Ash to try and settle their differences amicably if possible. Publishing them would only add fuel to the flame.

A HANDSOME PRESENT.—Miss Helen Smith, of Burlington, who has been lately on a visit to her sister in Beachville, Mrs. Solon Martin, very kindly and considerately donated a surplice and stole to Trinity Church of that place. The present is exceedingly appropriate and costly.

CREDIT VALLEY RAILWAY.—There is a great rush of emigration via. the Credit Valley short route. The excursions to the North west which run over this road are well managed, and people have found it out. Travellers say that it is a great treat after being shaken upon the rough tracks of some other railways to take a run on the splendidly kept, smooth line of the C. V. R.

CATTLE.—Messrs Dennison and Andrews, having purchased a large number of fat cattle from farmers in the neighborhood for May delivery, have been busily engaged the week in receiving them. Among the number we have received from Jas. Carmer, Lake Carmer, 10 head, averaging 1,750; Mr. D. Hartley, 2 head, 1,900; Mr. C. Smith, 1 steer, 1,100; Mr. H. Lee, 2 head, 1,750; Mr. A. McCallum, 1 [illegible] 1,300; Mr. J. Hall, 3 head, 1,920; Mr. John Kerr, 2 head 3,100, and Mr. W. Moore, 1 head, 1,100.

ENTERTAINMENT.—An entertainment will be held in B. H's school House on Tuesday evening, May 24th. The following ladies and gentlemen have kindly promised to assist:—The fair named Carey Family, Mr. Grove, and Mr. A. Robertson, Dundas Readers. The instrumental music by the Aikens Water-cure Band. The following pieces will be rendered by the young amateurs:—The Nuisance in Church, Scene in a Barber's Saloon, A grand orchestra [illegible] Mr. Keeler [illegible] Admission, 25c; children, [illegible]

THE TWO GOOD FRIENDS appeared at the Council Hall last week to a fair house in Carey's Mistakes, the Delicate Ground, and the farce of "The Day after The Fair." The company is an excellent one and the entertainment throughout was of great ability. Harry Howard, one of the best of great ability in Lady, equally at home in light comedy and in more serious parts. One of the most attractive features of the entertainment was the singing of Mrs. Howard. She possesses a sweet and finely cultivated voice of considerable power, and her encores were rarely took the house by storm. The company will appear again to-night in Fairy Stratagem in specialty, King Richard III., to be followed by the farce of The Corner of the Pound and Hens. Stupid Lovers. There will also be vocalistic Harry Howard. We bespeak for this excellent company a bumper house.

FOUR JUBILEE SINGERS.—The Nashville Jubilee singers appeared in the Town Hall on Tuesday evening to a crowded house, extra seats having to be brought in to accommodate some who would, rather than go away, have had to stand. Their singing and playing were wonderfully good. Without manager, unpolished in manners, they have not highly cultivated voices, but their singing was very musical and their voices of that kind that is most suited to render popular music, which was, of course, of a very pleasing style, and they did not demand particularly highly trained voices to render it. Some of the plantation hymns, to people not acquainted with the peculiar conditions and to which they originated, and accustomed to a more decorous style of praise, seem at first shocking irreverent, but there is no doubt that the southern negroes, when singing them, are thoroughly sincere and devout.

Waterdown.

Our bus driver, Mr. J. F. Scott, let his horse get away from him while on his way to the station last Thursday. The wagon was pitched over an embankment, throwing out the only occupant, Mrs. John Cleaves, who received a very serious cut on the head.

The Odd fellows of Waterdown are fitting up a new lodge room in Mr. Oscar Sedley's block. The appartments are spacious and will afford every convenience to the brethern.

Messrs. Eager have their store repaired and will be able to resume business this week.

Rev. Geo Richardson, late of Milton, supplied the Methodist pulpit on Sunday last, preaching the anniversary sermon of the Sunday School.

A call will shortly be extended on the part of Knox congregation to the Rev. J. Morris, one of the graduating class of the term just closed in Knox college, Toronto.

The High School Literary Society had a good meeting on Friday last. The main feature of the programme was a debate on the following subject: "Resolved that inventions are beneficial to the laboring class." The affirmative was championed by Messrs. W. T. Evans, B. A., and N. Aikens; the negative by Messrs. Thomas Jones and W. H. Polem. The speeches on both sides were to the point, and the subject was well handled. The audience decided by a majority of one in favor of the affirmative. Essayists of the evening were Miss Fraser and Mr Thompson. Readers, Messrs. Hunter, McMonies and Miss Cleaver. Singers, Misses McMonies. The students are preparing a rare treat for next Tuesday evening, when the annual school entertainment will be held.

The name of Mr. James Beaty, sen., the well-known former publisher of the old Toronto Leader and Patriot, is mentioned in connection with one of the vacant Senatorships.

Omagh.

Although the weather have beeen very unfavorable, the greater number of our farmers has finished their seeding.

Miss Sarah Dixon, who has been residing for some time in Toronto, has again returned to our midst.

A few of our enterprising inhabitants have for some time back been talking of erecting a sidewalk to the principal public buildings of our town. A step in this direction is very much needed, as our mud, for toughness and elasticity, will, we think, compare favorably with even that much renowned Manitoba mire. We hear that the contract was let last year, but as yet the contractor has not begun operations. We hope he will by his actions dispel the general impression that we are as near having it now as ever.

Mr. Robert Beaty, broker and banker, of Toronto, was visiting his friends in this neighborhood on Sunday last.

The measles are still raging in this vicinity. Some folks who had taken every precaution to guard against them have at last taken them in alarming numbers. We tender them our sincerest sympathy and hope they will be submitted to no serious inconvenience and will eventually come through the trying ordeal unscathed.

Dame rumour says that an enterprising young citizen of our town is at no distant date going to take unto himself a better half from among us.

Our Presbyterian church is now in a flourishing condition. Mr. Malcolm, a young student from Knox College, has been secured through his summer vacation and is highly spoken of.

JUSTITIA.

News Items.

Cetewayo has been defeated by disaffected chiefs, aided by the Boers.

Locusts have swept away the crops in Panama, and a famine is threatened in several districts.

A fatal case of yellow fever at Oswego, N. Y., has caused some excitement in that community.

A twelve hours' heavy snow storm has blocked all the roads in the neighborhood of Deadwood, Dak.

Seven persons were killed in a collision on the railroad between Glasgow and Carlisle, Monday night.

The council of Cote, St. Paul, Quebec, has refused to grant liquor licenses in their municipality.

The Ameer has caused the heads of 150 insurgents to be exposed on the gates of Jellalabad as a terrible warning to agitators.

Sir John Macdonald, it is said, has recently received several threatening letters from New York dynamiters.

Every effort is being made at Montreal to prevent an undue number liquor licenses being granted by the commissioners there.

The sheriff of Newcastle, Del., on Saturday, whipped nine prisioners convicted of theft. Two were whites.

The shareholders of the ill-fated Consolidated Bank have received a third call of ten per cent on their stock.

Supporters of the Government have been privately informed that the Canadian Parliament will not be pororogued until June 4th.

Condemned notes of $1 and $2 denomination to the value of $40,000 were burned at the Deputy Receiver-General's office at Toronto on Saturday.

The Mail would do a good service to its readers by placing an extinguisher upon the political economists who pen some of its "leaders."—St. Catharines Journal (conservative).

Fifty buildings were blown down and two hundred damaged by the cyclone in Kansas City on Sunday. Several people were killed. It is estimated the track of the cyclone extended fifteen miles.

An annual tax imposed by the Quebec Government on all incorporated companies has been declared ultra vires by Mr. Justice Rainville, sitting at Montreal.

It is stated in Montreal that the syndicate composed of three directors of the Bank of Montreal that took the Local Government loan has made $250,000 by the operation.

The city and district savings bank of Montreal netted over 16 per cent. for its shareholders during the past year, and only paid its depositors, working people generally, 3 per cent.

The Welland Tribune states that work will begin in a few days on the Canada Southern railway "cut off" to Niagara Falls. Mr. Horton of St. Thomas has the contract for its construction.

News from Fort Assiniboine states that the Crees are preparing for a general war, and that 300 lodges of Canadian Indians are waiting on the Canadian side of the line, ready to cross to Montana at the proper moment,

The apple aphis has attacked trees in the neighborhood of Kingston in millions, and with results quite alarming to fruit growers. Unless some climate change stops the ravages of the insect the fruit crop must be wholly destroyed.

There is over a foot of snow over a great part of Ireland, England and Scotland. The heavy storms of sleet and snow have done great damage. In the north the snow is as heavy as during winter, and thousands of lambs have died.

Since the opening of navigation there has been about 2,000 tons of coal received by the Hamilton dealers. Owing to the lateness of the season this is somewhat less than was received up to a corresponding date last year.

During the cyclone in Missouri on Sunday a woman was carried fifteen rods and killed. At Brookfield, Mo., five persons were killed and ten or fifteen injured. At Oronogo nearly the whole town was destroyed. Six people were killed and upwards of thirty wounded.

The curiosity of a child of five had been aroused be seeing a magnifying glass. "How many times does it magnify?" asked a gentleman, thinking to puzzle him. "As many times as you look through it," was the quick reply.

A wag, who thought to have a joke at the expense of an Irish provision dealer, said, "Can you supply me with a yard of pork?" "Pat," said the dealer to his assistant, "will ye be afther givin' the gentleman three pigs' feet?"

Two men named John and William Near, of Caradoc, have been arrested on a charge of aggravated assault. It appears that they stuffed William Banas' mouth with fish-hooks, and endeavoured to make him swallow them. They have been remanded for a week.

Two American sharpers were arrested yesterday charged with swindling a French Canadian farmer of the neighborhood of Montreal out of a promissory note for $300, on the pretence of making him an agent for the firm of C. B. Mahan & Co., agricultural implement manufacturers.

The Count De Delva, grandson of King Theodore of Abyssinia, the son of Prince De Deira, Haytien Minister at Paris, was in Montreal on Thursday. He is colored, and was refused admission to the Brunswick in New York, but found rooms in the Fifth Avenue.

A drove of a dozen cattle were followed by a gentleman in Montreal on Thursday who noticed that they were diseased. He discovered that they were all slaughtered privately, and the flesh sold for food except the worst parts, which were used for sausage-making. The health authorities are asked to prosecute.

DETROIT, May 15.—August Anderson was killed by an accident in a Lake Superior mine on Tuesday. It is stated as a fact that for two generations past all the male members of his family lost their lives by mine accidents. His grandfather, father, all his brothers, and cousins were thus deprived of life.

The floor of the Masonic hall, Belmont, gave away during the evening service of the Salvation army there on Sunday last. A panic was narrowly escaped, but fortunately no one was injured.

MOODIE, PA., May 16.—This town was shaken last night by an explosion of powder in the magazine of the coal-breaker. One man was torn to pieces and another is missing. The windows in nearly all the houses were broken.

"Splendid colour, isn't it?" asked the fishmonger, cutting open a salmon. "Yes," replied the purchaser, "looks as if it were blushing at the price you asked for it.

Dr. Talmage gives this little pen-picture of Samuel J. Tilden;—"A few days ago I saw in a railway car the sickest looking man I ever saw out of bed; his chin and hands afflicted with the worst palsy I ever saw, either in or outside of an hospital, exciting the pity and sympathy of all who looked at him. He is one of the candidates for the Presidency. This is the pathos and tragedy of political life, that a man will clutch at bubbles though he stands with both feet in the grave."

St, Louis pastors are considering the idea of bringing to the attention of thier congregations the fact that, through advertisements of free toys, &c., in religious and other newspapers, the names and addresses of boys and girls are obtained and indecent publications are sent in reply. The Society for the Suppression of Vice, of St. Louis, has in one year captured 44,061 obscene circulars, 3,866 obscene pamphlets, 96 obscene photographs, and 62 negative plates.

An immense land slide is reported to have occurred last evening on the banks of the Yamachiche river in the province of Quebec, carrying away several acres of land with its trees and everything completely right across the stream, and blocking the current for a long distance. The water is rising fast in the river and further danger is apprehended. The slide caused a loud noise in the neighbornood and frightened the inhabitants very much. Had it happened before the hour for the logging men quitting work a great number of lives would inevitably have been lost as the slide was so sudden. It is over 50 years since a similar extensive slide occurred on the banks of the same river.

Nearly all the tradesmen in Dublin have received a circular termed an analysis of the special juries on the eighteen trials under the Crimes Act. Enclosed with the circular was a slip containing the words, "Woe to you if you have any goods of these jurors, for you, and likewise they, will have the blood and suffering of innocent people upon your heads." The slip was signed "By Hook or Crook." The circular has caused a sensation.

In the southern and western states the cyclone and hurricane season has opened early, and already the number and destructiveness of tornadoes may be called phenomenal. This indicates that in southern latitudes the solar energy is felt above the average; and favors the probability that, ere another week has passed, the polar wave which now chills us will have been "squelched" by the approaching heat wave, bringing summer upon us with a burst. The New York Herald, a good authority on the weather, says that a cold spell between the 9th and 16th of May is a regular thing almost every season.

A Newfoundland dog lately appeared as a witness in a London polite court, his evidence being interpreted by his master. It was to the effect that the dog had run down the steps of the Thames embankment to enjoy a splash when he observed a woman struggling in the water. His first impulse was to plunge in after her, but a moment's reflection told him that there would be great difficulty in landing her without assistance. He therefore hurried back to his master, looked up into his face, gave two sharp barks and ran down to the steps again. When he saw his master follow him he jumped into the river and dragged the woman to the embankment.

THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S VISIT.—Arrangements at the Educational Department Museum, Toronto, are being made for the Royal Canadian Academy Exhibition by Dr. May, Superintendent of the Museum. The cases have been removed from the centre of the room, and three walls are being constructed diagonally with the windows, so that the light will be better thrown on the pictures hung on these walls, thus showing them to better advantage. A number of the pictures for the exhibition have already arrived. It is expected that His Excellency will open the Exhibition on the 28th inst. The management of the Ontario School of Art has written to the Governor-General, asking him to be present at a reception of the School and distribute the certificates to the successful artists during his visit.

THE HIGH PRICE OF STOCK.—The farmers of Ontario are in clover just now. Meat of all kinds is away up in price, and the demand was never more lively. Cattle that a few years ago would stand for hours in a market place seeking a purchaser, are now snapped up, and fine samples are keenly competed for. In fact the demand for the export trade has assumed such gigantic proportions, that breeders are now in the happy position of being importuned to sell. Independent of the increased wealth thus netted by the agricultural class of our people, there is another advantage not to be lost sight of. The high price of cattle induces farmers to pay more attention to raising cattle, consequently they sow less wheat, and their land not only has a rest, but becomes enriched. The lot of the Canadian farmer is just now a happy one.—Canadian Sportsman.

It is stated that many years ago a Bermudian was so unfortunate as to be imprisoned for some offence in the goal at York, Pa. One day he planted some seeds he had in his possession in the goal yard. About the time the plants blossomed his sentence expired and he left town. The gaoler's wife was interested in the plants and watched their growth. A small bright red fruit appeared on the vines and all persons were cautioned against touching the fruit, as it was considered poisonous. One day the Bermudian returned and, seeing the love apple matured, called for salt, and vinegar, with which he seasoned some of the apples, which, to the horror of the gaoler's wife, he proceeded to eat with a relish. He quieted the woman's fears by explaining the nature of the vegetable. The precious seeds of the remaining tomatoes were carefully distributed among the neighbors, and so the cool, delicious tomato soon became a common garden vegetable.

Bishop Bowman's Singular Experience.

Bishop Bowman does not believe that spirits upset chairs and move tables, but he is not able to account for many remarkable experiences. "We are much nearer the spirit world than we think, perhaps," he says; "and the spirits of the departed dead, I am convinced, have a certain influence over our minds. When on the Red Sea I made it a practice to pray every night and morning for my wife, from whom I was absent, and who was at the time an invalid. One evening I knelt down as usual and tried to pray for her, but found I could not do it. This worried me very much, but I attributed my incapacity to nervousness. On the following morning I again tried to pray for Mrs. Bowman, experiencing the same difficulty. At length the thought occurred to me, 'Your wife may be dead.' On my arrival at Rome I found a letter conveying the news that Mrs. Bowman had died on the same evening that I found myself unable to pray for her."

DIED.

WORDEN.—In Acton, on the 7th inst., Freddy, infant son of Mr. J. P. Worden, aged 5 months.

Business Locals.

IF you want a first-class Shirt, go to Treble's, 8 King street east, Hamilton.

IT is about time you changed your fur Cap for a Felt Hat. If you want a stylish Hat, at a low rate, go to Treble's, 8 King street east, Hamilton.

CLOCKS, JEWELLRY, &c.—Mr. J. W. Fraser, the enterprising jeweller, has just received a very large stock of American Clocks, Gold Bracelets, Gold Rings, and also a lot of the celebrated Boss Spectacles. Mr. Fraser is a practical watchmaker and employs none but competent assistants, so that all parties having repairing to do may rely on having it done in a workmanlike manner.

FINEST STOCK of Ties and Scarfs in the city at Treble's Great Shirt House, 8 King street east, Hamilton.

All the latest styles in Spring Hatt just received at Treble's, 8 King street east Hamilton.

SUCCESS IN BUSINESS.

THE CAREER OF A NEW JERSEY ORGAN-BUILDER, DANIEL F BEATTY.

Success in business is undoubtedly the result of intelligence, pluck, and enterprise. It is said that the Hon. Daniel F. Beatty, of Washington, N. J., began business in 1870 *Without one dollar*. Since that time he has built up an enormous Piano and Organ trade all over the civilized world by his remarkable pluck and enterprise. His attention was early turned to music, and in this way he became interested in the sale, and finally in the manufacture of musical instruments at Washington, New Jersey, which bear his name. His first operations were on a small scale, but his active and progressive mind saw wide fields open to energy and enterprise. He has never wavered or faltered in this project. By his shrewd, skilful, and persistent newspaper advertising he has attracted wide attention everywhere, so that at the present his instruments are in use in all parts of the civilized world. He believes in the free use of printer's ink, and it has paid him a thousand-fold.

Mr. Beatty was the man who first conceived the idea of reducing the prices of Pianos and Organs. He new the agents were making entirely too much profit on them, the same as was being done on sewing machines. He at once began to expose the deception practiced by leading manufacturers, who asked $450 for an Organ that could be sold for $90, and still have a fair profit, or $1,000 for a Piano that $297 is sufficient for. Then the war began. He was ridiculed and misrepresented in a shameful manner by the monopolists, whose large profits were in danger. No stone was left unturned to defeat and ruin him. Circulars were printed and sent out, and circulated by their agents, articles were published in music trade journals, and many other dirty tricks were resorted to. But, by the course of right and justice, Mayor Beatty has succeeded in reducing the Prices of Pianos and Organs, so that he is said to be by far the most successful man that has ever engaged in the music business.

On the 18th of Sept., 1881, a fire destroyed his immense factory, employing at the time about 400 hands. The indomitable will of the man immediately asserted itself, and a new factory, covering 4 acres, combining all the improvements in manufacturing, which had suggested themselves, was erected, and in 120 days was in running order, and turning out 50 completed organs daily. The new factory is one-third larger in size, with facilities for manufacturing that are not equalled by any Reed Organ works on the Globe. It is equipped for running all night, having a complete Edison Electric Lighting system, with 300 lights. A special Railroad has been built to the factory door, for saving all the expenses of cartage on lumber, coal and organs, thus saving a large per cent. in cost of manufacture. He offers as an inducement to come and visit his works and select an organ, a reduction from $5 to $15, according to distance travelled. This includes a free ride upon Beatty's Switch-Back R. R., connecting his establishment with the Delaware Lackawanna and Western Railroad.

But amid the rush and hurry of a vast business Mr. Beatty never forgets the duties of a man and a citizen.

He has four times been elected Mayor of Washington without his own seeking, which office he now holds. His fellow citizens chose him. He conducted no campaign whatever, and was not even at home on election day. His generous donation of orders upon the largest local stores to supply flour to the needy during the past winter, and his liberal contributions to the various religious organizations, without regard to denomination, are indicative of but a few of the many incidents that are continually transpiring, and which have made him exceedingly popular among his fellow-citizens.

Men who have won for themselves honorable distinction in their particular vocations in life, and which we denominate as the successful self-made men of the day, are apt to possess all the qualifications necessary for the high position of public trust, and form the mucleus from which the Nation draws its best supporters. Mayor Beatty's career, thus far has been marked by untiring perseverance, indomitable will, acute perception, and good, sound common sense.

HARPER'S MAGAZINE for June is an unusually varied number, profusely and beautifully illustrated. The frontispiece (illustratiug "Faustus"—a poem by S. S Conant) is from a drawing by E. A. Abbey. Mrs. Z. B. Gustafson contributes an article, finely illustrated, on Lambeth Palace, the residence of the Archbishop of Cauterbury, 'the Primate of all England.' Colonel Higginson continues his American History series, treating in this number—under the title of 'The Hundred Years' War'—the numerous conflicts from 1662 to 1762 between the Colonists and the Indians and French. The tendency now apparent on the part of art connoisseurs and dealers toward the Indian in place of the Mongolian type is the occasion of an exceedingly interesting article of the subject of 'Indian Art in Metal and Wood,' by J. P. Kipling, Curator of the Central Museum, Lahore, and Director of the Mayo School of Art. The article is fully illustrated by pictures representing the best works of the Hindu artificers. Ernest Ingersoll contributes an article, splendidly illustrated, called 'The of Home Hiawatha,' describing Minnesota, and giving special attention to the milling industry at Minneapolis. William C. Wyckoff's paper entitled 'Sunlight Mysteries' is the first popular exposition that has been made of the results of Professor Langley's experiments at Alleghney and Mount Whitney. These experiments relate to the sun's light and heat, and the results reached are very remarkable and suggestive. H. Sutherland Edwards contributes the first of two papers on the Romanoffs—bringing the history of that dynasty down to the reign of Alexander II. The paper is illustrated by thirteen protraits.

Titus Munson Coan, M.D., contributes a very important paper on Carlsbad waters, with reference to their medicinal qualities and the various classes of invalids benefented by them. The new novel, 'A Castle in Spain,' illustrated by Abbey, promises to be a wholesome and popular farce. It will be to most readers a welcome relief from the tedious psychological studies now so prevalent in the literature of fiction. Mrs. Spofford contriuutes a short story, 'The Mount of Sorrow;' Charles Reade a humorous sketch entitled 'Rus;' and 'A Working-Girl,' a brief but interesting story entitled 'An Æsthetic Idea.' Poems are contributed by Annie Fields, Miss A. A. Bassett, S. S. Conant, Geo. E. Montgomery, and John B. Tabb. To this varied table of contents is added the always timely and interesting matter in the Editor's Easy Chair, Literary and Historical Records, and Drawer.

A temperance movement has opposed itself to Sabbatarianism in Washington by a demand for the opening of the National museum, the Congressional library, the United States Botanical garden, the conservatories of the Agricultural department, and Medical museum on Sunday because "it is a shame there is no place open for visitors on Sunday except bar-rooms."

ANOTHER GREAT VICTORY for the CASH SYSTEM.

One thousand two hundred and seven yards of Dress Goods, worth from 20 to 25c, per yard, to be sold at 12½c. per yard. These goods are being sold at 20c. in most stores in the city, but we cleared out the entire lot at a price which enables us to sell them at 12½c. per yard. They are bound to sell like hot cakes. They are grand goods; come and see them. It is the best line of goods we ever put through our hands at the prices. Splendid shades, splendid patterns and splendid cloth.

CROMPTON'S.
We sell Crompton's Corsets cheaper than any house in the City of Hamilton. Ask for our prices and then you will be satisfied.

WHITE SHIRTS.
Ask to see our 75c. and $1 White Shirts. They are splendid goods for the price, and a perfect fit. Boy's White and Colored Shirts at low prices.

HOSIERY.
Stacks of Hosiery selling off at 10c. Pratt & Watkins are noted for selling cheap Hosiery. Nearly eight thousand pairs to select from.

MILLINERY.
Ladies, if you want to get a Hat, Bonnet, Feather or Flower, come and see the grand value we offer. Splendid Hats for 20c., 30c. and 50c. each.

ONE DOLLAR.
We claim we sell the best $1 Kid Glove with four buttons to be had in the City of Hamilton. Ask for it and it will do you good.

HAMILTON MILLS.
We sell the Hamilton Mills Shirting for 15c. per yard. It is a grand line of goods. No dressing in them, but a splendid soft make of goods.

DON'T CUT.
Our Black Silks are the pure Italian make and don't cut. They are grand value. Ask to see them. Don't buy the old make.

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The question is often asked where do we get all our cheap Gloves. Our 5c. Gloves were never made for three times the money. ☞ Call and see them.

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Best Shirtings only 18c. Ducks, 12½ to 25c.
Tweeds, 45c. to 75c.
Dress Goods, 10c. to 35c.

Cashmeres, 25c. to $1.
Black and colored Silks all prices.
Embroideries, 3c. to 35c.
Insertions, 6c. to 20c. Laces, 2c. to 30c.
Muslins, Nets, &c., all prices.
Tapestry Carpets from 45c. to 90c.

Brussels Carpets, 85c. to $1.50
Wool Carpets, 80c. to $1.20.
Union Carpets, 45c. to 75c.
Hemp Carpets, 12½c. to 30c.
Oilcloths, 30c. to 75c.
Stair Rods, a full assortment.

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Crompton & Co., the largest and best manufacturers of Corsets in Canada, say that they sell more Corsets to the Right House than to any other house in Ontario. The orders Watkins gives for them are enormous, and he always pays cash for them and gets them at the very lowest cash prices. Just see the new style of Duplex Corsets. The Coraline Corsets have an astonishing sale. They are warranted unbreakable. You will be sure to get the genuine Corsets in all makes at the Right House. The Dress Goods are going off at an amazing rate. There are piles of good heavy All-wool French Dress Goods, well worth 30c., selling off at 20c. New Checked Dress Goods in various designs and all prices from 12½c. to 75c. For stylish summer Dresses be sure to see the Bronche Grenedines. They are magnificent goods and are being sold at far less than regular prices. An immense assortment of plain and fancy Nun's Cloths of all prices and qualities. All-wool French de Bezes at an immense reduction in prices. Parties wanting good serviceable Dresses at half price should ask for them. In black goods the French Cashmeres take the lead for mourning Dresses. The quantity of them at the Right House is amazing, at all prices and of all qualities usually sold. Be sure to see the 38-inch Black Cashmere at 50c. It is very superior goods. The Silks and Satins in black and colors are selling well. Ladies who buy them at the Right House can rely on it, that the black and colored Silks are superior French makes from Lyons, that will not cut or get glossy in wearing. They are liked so well that some ladies take two or three Dresses at a time for themselves and daughters. The Prints at the Right House would fill an ordinary store alone, there is such a tremendous stock of them at all prices from 5 to 20c, in the very latest styles and colorings Ladies will find it advantageous to see these Prints before purchasing. The Millinery is new, stylish and really charming. The very latest styles and colorings in French Feathers, Flowers, Laces and Ribbons at the lowest cash prices. The stock of Laces is black, white and the new colors is fabulously large. Watkins buys all his goods for cash, and sells for cash at the very lowest prices. The Right House, King street east, close to Hughson street, Hamilton. The name is

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Hamilton, May 10, 1883.

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Township of Trafalgar
COURT OF REVISION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the first sitting of the Court of Revision for the Township of Trafalgar will be held in the Township Hall, at Postville, on Monday, the 28th day of May, 1883, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

All parties interested therein will please take notice.

J. K. APPELBE,
Clerk.
Trafalgar, May 10th, 1883. 46-2t

TOWN OF OAKVILLE
COURT OF REVISION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the first sitting of the Court of Revision for the Town of Oakville will be held in the Council Chamber, on Monday, the 4th day of June, 1883, at the hour of eight o'clock p. m.

All parties interested therein will please take notice.

R. BALMER,
Clerk.
Oakville, May 8th, 1883. 46-2t

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