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NOTICES. THE subscriber in returning thanks to his friends for the patronage he has received since he commenced business as a butcher on Richmond Hill, begs to announce to them that he has disposed of his business to his son, Henry Hooper, who will in future carry on the business.

POWELL'S PATENT PUMPS. I have made under my name patents in Canada and the United States. Are no spurious imitations or infringements.

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G. H. HUSBAND, L.D.S.

Dentist, begs most respectfully to announce that he will be at Unionville on Monday of each month. Weston, 9th day. Kleinburg, 16th. Barwick, 23d. Scarborough, 23d.

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POPULAR SIMILES. The faculty of Comparison leads one to perceive resemblances in form, size, color, or condition, and gives a disposition to use a simile or metaphor instead of an abstract description.

As wet as a fish—as dry as a bone. As live as a bird—as dead as a stone. As plump as a partridge—as poor as a rat.

As strong as a horse—as weak as a cat. As hard as a flint—as soft as a mole. As white as a lily—as black as a coal.

As light as a feather. As steady as time uncertain as weather. As hot as an oven—as cold as a frog.

As gay as a lark—as sick as a dog. As slow as a tortoise—as swift as the wind. As true as the Gospel—as false as mankind.

As blind as a bat—as deaf as a post. As cool as a cucumber—as warm as a toast. As flat as a flounder—as round as a ball.

The Sun and the Earth.

Professor Balfour Stewart, in a recent lecture, compared the sun and the earth to great heat engines, and said that in the same way as the air of an engine is caused to pass from a warm place to a cold one, currents of air pass from the hottest parts of the earth towards the poles, and vice versa.

References—The following gentlemen can with confidence recommend G. H. Husband to all requiring dental aid: Dr. Reid, Thornhill; Dr. Bull, Weston; Dr. D'Evelyn, Barwick; Dr. Corson, Brampton.

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Relics of a Traditionary Age.

Those who are Bible readers, and Bible readers only, are liable to fall into a natural error. They see the Jews from the Jewish standpoint alone, and come to regard them as a people superior in intelligence and cultivation to the races with which they went to war.

But there is a record, a record more reliable than printed words, which tells a different story. This record is everywhere to be seen in Syria. It tells us that as the northern barbarians poured down upon civilized Rome many centuries afterward, first destroying and then assimilating with the people, so the Jews came up, a barbarous, ignorant horde, fresh from the slavery of Egypt, but armed with a stubborn purpose, and an invincible will like that which keeps them intimated as a race even to this day.

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A Legend of the Holy Grail.

Once in the days when men wandered through the world seeking that cup made of a certain precious stone, holding the real blood of Christ, a knight left England to search for the same in distant lands.

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Agricultural.

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