THE CANADIAN CHAMPION.

MILTON, APRIL 29, 1886

MILTON'S MEMORIAL.

Last week the Acton Free Press contained a long article on the memorial, asking for the repeal or amendment of the Scott Act, recently sent by the Town Council of Milton to the Dominion Government.

Our contemporary accounts for the passing of the resolution in favor of the memorial by the fact that the members of the council who voted for it were pronounced Anti-Scottites and were elected as such, and says that it is a matter of congratulation that three "good men" should have been found who were not ashamed to vote against it. The natural inference is that no "good man," by which no doubt the Free Press means no Scott Act man, would have voted for it. Further on the Free Press enlarges on "the degree of lawlessness and disorder which at present obtains in our county town," and on the comparative "respectability and morality" of the other towns and villages of the county.

Anyone who will take the trouble to examine the Milton memorial will find that the grounds it claims for asking for the repeal of the Act are that under its operation Milton has become what the Free Press admits it is, lawless and disorderly, and that it makes no assertions as to the state of law and order in other communities. This being the case, the councillors who voted for the memorial, according to the Free Press, voted that the Government should be sent a true statement of the condition of affairs here under the Scott Act, and those who voted against it voted for the suppression of the truth. We are sorry for the three "good men."

Our contemporary winds up with the following tirade against the Anti-Scottites of Milton:

"It is a fact, freely and openly stated, that the men in high places have not only winked at the violation of this and other laws, and the evils arising from their violation, but have deliberately encouraged such violation. They have succeeded in ruining the good name and reputation of their town by proclaiming from time to time to the world that it is over run by shebeens and groggeries, which they have studiously refrained from endeavoring to expel from their midst—a thing which could be very rapidly accomplished in a town of only 1300 people. They have gloried in their shame, and exulted in the weekly publication thereof in a journal owned, edited and published by men holding positions as county officials; and at last when they have succeeded by their own actions in bringing both the town and the Scott Act into disrepute, they turn round and blame the law, when they are themselves responsible. Is it any wonder that under the circumstances the Scott Act has not accomplished, in Milton, the ends desired? No, and shame on the men who know their duty, but have done it not. All honor to the good men and true who have acted upon principle and for the right. Had Milton been represented during the four years the Scott Act has been in force by a council made up of men having a proper regard for the right there is not the slightest doubt that, to-day it would occupy a position far superior in point of morals and general observance of law and order, to that now peculiarly its own."

If it is "a fact, freely and openly stated" that Milton men in high places are guilty of the charges made against them by the Free Press, perhaps our virtuous contemporary will be kind enough to give names and details, freely and openly. In the interest of law and order, and morality, we demand these, and we warn the Free Press that a failure to give them will be taken as proof that its charges are the wilful, deliberate falsehoods that we believe them to be, and as many other similar charges made by the slanderers who are so numerous in the party of which it is a mouthpiece, have been.

The true explanation of the present wretched state of affairs in Milton is, not that the Scott Act has been less rigorously enforced here than elsewhere, but that it has been more so, that is as far as the hotels have been concerned. There are four hotels in Milton—the keeper of one has been imprisoned for violation of the Scott Act, that of another was arrested but escaped before reaching the jail, and those of the other two were sentenced to imprisonment and were compelled to leave Canada to escape it. Where is there another town in the Dominion with a similar record, and what has been the result? The traffic has been driven into the shebeens of which the Free Press speaks, and the existence of which was long denied by the buncombe "temperance" men of Milton, who, when repeatedly called upon by the CHAMPION to stamp out the evil which was the result of the iniquitous, unscriptural and tyrannical law which they and their party had forced upon a formerly law-abiding, orderly community, accused this journal of falsehood. One dive, kept by a man named Wilcox, flourished for some time on the Main Street of Milton, and though it was notorious that it was frequented by young lads who got drunk there night after night, the Scott Act vigilance committee persisted in ignoring it. An information was finally laid by Anti-Scott people before two Anti-Scott magistrates against its proprietor, who was tried and, on being convicted, absconded. On the same day that this fellow was tried, a Milton hotel keeper was dragged to Oakville to appear before the police magistrate on a frivolous charge of violation of the Scott Act, and though unconvicted, put to great expense. It was only after the existence of the shebeens had become so notorious that denial was no longer possible that the CHAMPION'S statements regarding them were admitted to be true, and now, forsooth, the Free Press and its party charge the leading people of Milton with having winked at and encouraged lawlessness.

Let the Free Press produce evidence in support of these charges or retract them.

PARLIAMENTRY SUMMARY.

In the Commons yesterday Mr. Cook obtained an order for the Orders in Council respecting the Trent Valley Canal, after a considerable discussion. Mr. Beaty introduced a Bill allowing counties where the Scott Act has not been adopted, to vote on a proposal for the prohibition of the sale spirits. Mr. McMullen moved for a return showing the names of the persons on the superannuated list of retired civil servants. After recess the House made some progress in committee on Mr. Edgar's Bill giving a preference for three months' salary to employees of insolvent companies. Mr. Mulock's Bill amending the Animal Contagious Diseases Act, was read a third time, an amendment moved by Mr. White (Renfrew) to bring horses under provisions of the Act, having been defeated by 99 to 38. The Bill of Mr. Robertson (Hamilton) to allow agnostics to testify in criminal cases, was amended to cover certain civil cases also and read a third time, after a motion by Mr. Desjardins to give it a six months' hoist had been voted down by 59 yeas to 68 nays.

Smallpox has disappeared from Smith's Fall's.

SCOTT ACT TRIALS.

Inspector Brothers laid a number of informations before P. M. Young and a levee was held at the Court House on Tuesday last. The first charge called was against MRS. F. SANDERSON, for selling intoxicating liquor on the 19th day of April. The first witness called was

EDWARD PEACOCK.—Live in Milton; am a painter; know Sanderson's hotel; may have been in the house on or about the 18th day of April; am not certain that I had a drink, neither did I see any drinking at that time; I do not think that I have drank any intoxicating liquor within three months; have had intoxicating liquor there; cannot say on what occasion, but it was before the whiskey trial that I was a witness on; I think that I can say positively that I have not had any liquor within three months; it was beer that I had; May was with me; he is in town; am not in every day; will not say whether it was within three months or not, but think that it was more than three months; I believe the last time that I drank was between Christmas and New Years; have seen drinks handed over the bar in the pool-room, but cannot say what kind of liquor it was; I say positively that I have not had liquor since between Christmas and New Years; cannot remember as far back as the 27th of January, but think it is over three months; I cannot speak more positively; got the liquor from Mr. Sanderson.

To the P. M.—I do not recollect whether the liquor was paid for or not; I think it was paid for to Frank Sanderson.

JACOB BROOKS, sworn.—I have been in Sanderson's hotel; was in there today; was not there on the 18th of April; was there on Friday last; did not have liquor from Sanderson within one year, but have drank whiskey there out of a bottle that I carry in my pocket, and *morial* good whiskey it was; I have not got whiskey around Milton that I could call whiskey within the last three years; I got liquor in Sanderson's last July, and it was what you would call whiskey and rain water; have not had any liquor within three months; my knowledge is like that of others; I got some drinks there that were good enough for a Scott Act man, but not for me; have had tea and water there within three months; never paid for it; I drank something that they called pop.

MRS. F. SANDERSON, sworn.—I never dispense anything over the bar; have not within three months sold any intoxicating liquor; never did; I do not know anything about liquor being sold on the premises; I do not know of any person getting liquor there.

THOMAS SANDERSON called; did not answer. Court adjourned half an hour for him to attend, and when it resumed he was on hand.

THOMAS SANDERSON, sworn.—Do not keep a hotel; my father does; I have been stopping there about three months; am a bartender; do not sell any intoxicating liquor; have not sold any for three months, neither do I know of any being sold in the house.

STINSON BRADLEY was called, but did not appear.

No further evidence. Case dismissed.

SECOND CHARGE

The second charge was against Mrs. Sanderson for having sold intoxicating liquor on or about the 7th of March last. She pleaded not guilty. The first witness was

JAMES CURRIE.—May have been in Sanderson's hotel on the 7th of March; did not buy or drink any intoxicating liquor at Sanderson's within three months; never pay any attention to any person drinking; sometimes there is drinking, but do not know what the parties drink; I will not say that no liquor has been drank there within three months, but I have not seen any, to my knowledge.

THOMAS JOHNSON.—Have been in Sanderson's, and was there about the 7th of March; drank nothing but pop; have not had intoxicating liquor there within three months; have seen people around town intoxicated; will not say what the liquor was that I saw the boys drink; I cannot say that I saw intoxicating liquor drank there; I got only pop and cigars.

Case dismissed.

THIRD CHARGE.

Joseph Turner was then called, and pleaded not guilty to selling intoxicating liquor on or about the 11th of April. The first witness called was

JAMES CURRIE.—Know Turner; have not been in his house within three months; never got, bought or drank any intoxicating liquor from him; he never supplied me with any.

JOHN CURRIE.—Know Turner; have not been in his house; neither have I got, bought or drank any intoxicating liquor from him within three months.

JOHN CROWE.—Never saw liquor with Turner: neither did I buy or get any liquor from him.

JOSEPH TURNER.—Am a fish-dealer; I have not sold any liquor; I have not supplied any liquor; I do not keep any liquor; neither have I given away any within three months.

Case dismissed.

FOURTH CHARGE.

This was a charge against William Brush for having sold liquor on the 27th of March last.

ROBERT BRUSH, SR.—Live in Milton; know defendant, who keeps a hotel; do not live in his hotel, nor have I bought or seen intoxicating liquor sold there during the past three months.

JAMES SHERWOOD.—Know defendant; never drank any liquor in the house since he moved in.

W. J. ROBINSON.—Have not drank any intoxicating liquor in Brush's hotel within three months.

JACOB BROOKS.—Have been in Brush's hotel an odd time; got no intoxicating liquor, neither did I see any sold within three months; never spend any money for liquor in this county.

JAMES THOMPSON.—Have been at Brush's within three months; got intoxicating liquor there about six weeks ago and paid for it; got liquor both from William Brush and his brother; I suppose defendant keeps a hotel; I got liquor in the bar and some in the room behind the bar; am certain about the time; have not been there since.

Cross-examined.—Was on the spree at the time I got the liquor and had been on it two or three days; was on the same spree about two weeks; do not know how many glasses I had, and cannot say what money I paid; got whiskey; do not recollect being refused a drink at Brush's, and do not remember asking for something to sober up on.

To the P. M.—Have no doubt in mind that I got the liquor and paid for it.

JAMES LINDSAY.—Got no intoxicating liquor of any kind at Brush's within three months, neither have I seen it sold; have had pop and cigars.

WILLIAM BRUSH.—Am the defendant; remember James Thompson coming into my place on a Monday and asking for a drink; I refused him; he went away, came back in an hour and begged for a glass of liquor or he would die; I took him into the back kitchen and gave him a drink; he did not pay for it; he went away, came back, and I put him out of the house; it is not true that he paid for any liquor of any kind in the house.

Cross-examined.—Never have more than half a gallon of liquor in the house a week; I positively say that I do not sell any liquor at all; I have not a store of liquor in town and am not in collusion with any person keeping it; my brother had no authority to sell any liquor for me.

W. D. BROTHERS.—Am Inspector, and the Scott Act is in force in the County of Halton.

Cross-examined.—I think that I was Inspector when the offence was committed; cannot swear whether there were any licenses issued or not; know that the Act is in force by the proclamation; I think that I was appointed Inspector about the second week of March.

Judgment reserved.

FIFTH CHARGE.

The next was against MRS. Robert Armstrong, for selling liquor on or about the 18th of February.

GEORGE SLOAN.—Know Mrs. Armstrong; was not in her house on the 21st of February; was there about the 18th of February; I have been in the house 8 or 10 months ago; got no intoxicating liquor there within three months.

GEORGE MOFFAT.—Know Mrs. Armstrong only by sight; never was in her house; never got any liquor from her.

WILLIAM GALBRAITH.—Have been at Mrs. Armstroug's; never got liquor there; never saw any liquor sold there.

WILLIAM PAISLEY.—I have not been inside of Armstrong's house within three months; do not know Mrs. Armstrong.

C. S. CUMMER.—Do not know Mrs. Armstrong; never was inside of her house.

Case dismissed.

Another charge, against Mrs. Sanderson, was withdrawn.

Mr. R. S. Appelbe appeared for the Inspector, and Mr. D. McGibbon for the defendants.

HALTON SPRING SHOW.

The spring fair, held on Friday of last week was a success as to entries and attendance of horses. A large number of visitors were also present.

HORSES.

DRAUGHT.—7 entries—1st prize J. & H. Fisher's "Perfection"; 2nd A. McDonald's "Scotland's Glory."

PERCHERON.—3 entries—1st Messrs. Harrison's "Rival"; 2nd Messrs. Snider's "Meta Count."

AGRICULTURAL.—5 entries—1st John Woodhall's "Young Aberdeen"; 2nd Chas. Smith's "Prince of Wales."

THOROUGHBREDS.—3 entries—1st A. Campbell's "Marquis"; 2nd T. Eowes's "Orange Boy."

CARRIAGE.—3 entries—1st McClelland & Orr's "Rys-hawk"; 2nd D. Lindsay's "British Splendor."

ROADSTERS.—5 entries—1st Booth & Vogan's "Clear Grit"; 2nd. C. Porter's (3 yr. old colt) "Hambletonian."

There was the usual display of agricultural implements, a large number of Canadian manufacturers being represented by agents. We were pleased to see that Milton more than held its own with other larger manufacturing towns, the elevated binder manufactured by Messrs Johnson, Son & Co. of this town being apparently, if anything, the favorite among those on exhibition. It is a well-made, finely finished, strong and durable looking machine, and is said to be of exceptionally light draught.

RESOLUTIONS

OF THE LADIES MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF THE UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, ESQUESING, IN REFERENCE TO THE DEATH OF MISS CHRISTINIA DUFF.

Whereas it has pleased our Heavenly Father to remove by death our sister, Miss Christinia Duff, a member of our church, and a faithful worker in this society, therefore

Resolved I. That we humbly bow in submission to the will of Him who causes all things to work together for good, to them who love him.

Resolved II. That in her death this society mourns the loss of an earnest, energetic worker in the Master's cause.

Resolved III. That, as a society, we extend our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family in their affliction; and, at the same time, we rejoice with them in "that blessed hope and the glorious appearing of the great God, even our Saviour, Jesus Christ."

Resolved IV. That these resolutions be published in the CHAMPION, and also that a copy be sent to the family of the deceased.

By order of Society.

MRS. A. F. KIRKPATRICK,
MISS ELSIE CREIGHTON,
MISS ELLEN SCOTT, } Com.

IN MEMORIUM.

Christinia Duff died at her home in Esquesing, March 14th, 1886.

(By MRS. Mary Peddie.)

Mourn for the living, mourn;
But weep not for the dead;
They need your tears from whom is torn
Their pattern und their bead.

But she, the suffering saint,
To whom release is given,
No tongue can tell, no fancy paint,
Her joy and peace in Heaven.

Mourn for the living, mourn;
For they have lost a friend,
Whose spirit is by angels borne
Where unions never end.

The young she loved to teach,
For whom her heart was moved
Her bright example aimed to reach
And while they failed, improved

When desolate and sad
The wretched sought her care,
A kind word, with a smile she had
E'en for the meanest there.

And by her goodness moved,
They loudly spoke her worth,
Comparing her to Him who proved
The sinners' friend on earth.

"Like Jesus Christ," what joy
To hear such praise bestowed;
By those for whom, in love's employ,
She sought such sad abode.

Short to the couch confined
Of sickness and decay,
Her form grew weaker, but the mind
Was strengthed day by day.

And now and then it seemed
As if her glance had gained
Some glimpse of glory, where it beamed,
Which on her soul remained.

Pray for the living, pray;
Besiege the throne of God,
That all may seek the upward way
Her careful footsteps trod.

Let faith and hope to birth,
In every heart arise,
That those who mourn her loss on earth
May join her in the skies.

Another Amorous "Temperance" Man.

The Toronto News says that George Ward, an active "temperance" worker and Secretary of the West End Christian Temperance Association of Toronto, has "skipped by the light of the moon." George is a man of between 50 and 60 years of age, and has a wife and family, but for some time past he has showed symptoms of being smitten by the budding charms of a nurse girl named Speedy, and when he took his departure she speeded away with him.

A band of tramps are terrorizing the country districts of Grant County, Wisconsin. They plunder the farm houses and ill-treat the women and children.

Several men have been arrested at Barbastro in Arragon, Spain, for burying a man alive near that town. The victim was rescued from the grave in a very critical condition. The motive was revenge.

He will be Reported.

Mr. John Dewar, Clerk of the Peace, holds authority from the Provincial Secretary to act as counsel for the prosecution in all Halton Scott Act cases. Notwithstanding this, Police Magistrate Young has for some time persistently ignored Mr. Dewar, and has taken it upon himself to assign the duties of the Clerk of the Peace to other lawyers, Mr. R. S. Appelbe, of Oakville, looking after them on Tuesday last.

We understand that Mr. Dewar intends reporting Mr. Young to the Government.

Judge's Criminal Court.

The prisoner, David McNally, who was committed from Georgetown for indecent assault on Frances Wilson, was brought before Judge Miller and elected to be tried without a jury. A number of witnesses were examined, the prisoner was found guilty of common assault and fined $10.00. He was also assessed $4.00 for damage to Miss Wilson's dress besides costs, the whole amounting to about $42.00, with the alternative of 30 days at hard labor.

Is the Scott Act the Cause?

(Acton Free Press.)

Acton should have two or three additional Magistrates. At present the list of active J. P.'s is rather insdequate.

A Novel Sensation.

Collingwood Enterprize.

Barrie last week enjoyed the rather novel sensation of a Scott Act trial. Messrs. Ness and Hewitt were tried, and as usual the evidence failed to convict.

The Greek Premier says the Government has given no promise to disarm.

The Socialists of Milwaukee have ordered 1,100 rifles in an Eastern city.

The King of Bavria is now reported to be insane.

John Bright commends Lord Hartington's course.

The Emir of Harran has massacred all the Europeans in the capital.

Count Herbert Bismarck is suffering from inflamation of the lungs.

The death is announced of Hon. Lionel Tennyson, son of the poet laureate.

The Remingtons, the famous gun manufacturers and machinists, have failed.

The claims of Greece against Turkey will be submitted, it is said, to arbitration.

The Dublin college of Surgeons will confer an honorary fellowship upon M. Pauteur.

An iron tower 984 feet high is to be erected on the grounds of the coming Paris exhibition.

The Greek Government considers the action of the powers in presenting their ultimatum as a gratuitous affront to France.

The Prince of Wales has been re-elected Grand Master of the Masonic Grand Lodge of England.

Grand Master Workman Powderly has called a meeting of the Knights of Labor to meet in Cleveland May 25th.

The peasants are rising in Galicia, and it is feared there will be a repetition of the awful scenes of 1846.

The death in Melbourne, Australia, of Mr. G. S. Hellmuth, youngest son of the late Bishop Hellmuth, is announced.

Several towns along the Missippi and much of the surrounding country have been inundated by the breaking of the levees.

Princh Albert Victor, the eldest son of the Prince of Wales, is to open the International Exhibition at Liverpool on the 6th prox.

Her Majesty has finally fixed 20th June, 1887, by which time she will have actually reigned fifty years, for the celebration of her jubilee.

The fund which is being collected for Mr. Thomas Sexton, M. P., in recognition of his services on behalf of the Irish cause, has reached £5,000.

At Douglas on the Columbia river a miner named Baldy shot and killed two Indians and fatally wounded a third, who were attempting to rob him.

Thirty graves in Wayne Co. N. Y., Almshouse Cemetery have been robbed of their dead and the bodies shipped to New York in barrels marked "drugs."

Two saloon-keepers of Benton, Mo., have been arrested on suspicion of putting croton oil in a jug of water used at a revivalist meeting, whereby several persons, including the minister, have been made dangerously ill.

Dell Herrick, Captain of the Salvation Army, was arrested yesterday at Poughkeepsie on a charge of seducing Katie Lown, a servant girl, 18 years old. In Auburn, Herrick delivered a farewell address to the Army on Sunday evening.

A report was received in London that the British outpost at Suakim was surprised and fifteen Indian soldiers were captured by the enemy, but subsequent information shows that the report refers to the capture of Indian soldiers by the Sultan of Harran.

The Russian woman who was bitten by a mad wolf, and who has been under treatment of M. Pasteur for the prevention of hydrophobia, died on Saturday of the malady. The failure of the treatment in her case is ascribed to the delay in its commencement.

A frame boarding house at Bradford, Pa., in which thirty-eight Italian railway labourers were sleeping, collapsed at one o'clock on Saturday morning. The wreck caught fire from the stove, and six of the unfortunate inmates were burned to death.

R. Smart, the New York agent of an English provision firm, who absconded from New York about a fortnight ago after defrauding the firm to the amount of $45,000, was arrested on Monday in Montreal, and will be held pending an endeavour to obtain his extradition.

DIED.

ALEXANDER.—Of typhoid pneumonia, at the residence of her husband, Township of Nelson, on Monday, 26th inst., Sarah, beloved wife of James Alexander, aged 34 years.

SCOTT.—On Monday, April 26th, Annie Eleanor, youngest daughter of John and Mary Jane Scott, aged 2 months and 5 days.

I. O. O. F.

The 67th Anniversary

—OF THE—

Independent Order of Oddfellows

Will be celebrated by Divine Service in Knox Church, Milton, on

SUNDAY, MAY 2nd,

Commencing at 7 o'clock. Sermon by the Rev. M. C. Cameron. Brethren will assemble at Oddfellow's Hall sharp at 6 30. Members of sister lodges cordially invited to attend.

By order, W. H. DANDIE, N.G.
T. JOYS, R. S.

ALL MILLINERY TRIMMED FREE OF CHARGE

Commencing Monday, April 19, we will begin, for one week, to trim everything in the way of Hats and Bonnets free of charge. No matter what it is, if you buy all the material from us, we bind ourselves to trim it up to the latest extent of styles, charging you nothing for the artistic display we may have to put upon it. We have to-day some of the best artists to be found in Canada, young ladies of year's experience. They will trim your Hat in just the way you ask it, and at the same time not charging you anything for the well-earned reputation which they now possess. This is a chance which no lady in Hamilton, gossessed with an eye for economy, should miss,

WE WILL TAKE,

For example, the line of 33c. Colored Straw Hats we are showing. You can buy one of these, then buy half a yard of Silk Gauze at 75c. per yard to match; buy also one Aigrette to match at 25c.; then buy an ornament to set off the Trimming at 10c.; and then you will get a Hat already trimmed for $1 06. This may seem

PREPOSTEROUS,

But still we are doing it. We have started this season, seeing, by giving bargains to the citizens of Hamilton, that will make them quiver.

SO, THEREFORE,

You can come to our establishment and give your order for a Hat, and get it at prices that have never before been quoted to the citizens of Hamilton.

ALL MILLINERY TRIMMED FREE OF CHARGE

WE WILL GIVE BELOW

Some of the regular quotations at which we are selling Millinery Trimmings, either during our free Millinery Trimming or otherwise.

CREAM OSTRICH FEATHERS
50c. each up to $3 75
BLACK OSTRICH FEATHERS
50c. each up to $6 75
WHITE OSTRICH FEATHERS
50c. each up to $5.
IN ALL COLORS
50c. each up to $5.
COLORED TIPS
35c. each up to $1 75.
BLACK TIPS
18c. each up to $2.
COLORED STRAW AATS
33c. each up to $1 75.
BLACK STRAW HATS
40c. each up to $2 35.
WHITE STRAW HATS
63c. each up to $2 35.
AIGRETTES
In all shades, 25c.

OUR STOCK

Of Millinery Trimmings deserves special mention, as we have the largest and most variable stock of Trimmings we have shown before.

OUR WREATHS
12½c. each up to $1.
OUR ROSES
10c. up to 30c.
OUR SPRAYS
12½c. each up to $1.25
HAT ORNAMENTS
2c. each up to 50c.
GAUZES FOR TRIMMING
75c. a yard up to $1 35.
WINGS IN ALL SHADES
12½c. each up to $1 35.

Our stock of Wings requires special mention, as week have an immense assortment and this being the correct Trimming this season.

DON'T FORGET

That on Monday, April 19th, we begin our free Trimming. This lasts only for one week, not longer, so you must, in order to get your Hat trimmed

FREE OF CHARGE

Come to us during next week, the week of our free Trimming.

WE EXPECT A RUSH

But we are prepared to work night and day, so that all people who come and give their order will get

THEIR HAT

Trimmed for them in as short time as is practicable

AN OVERCHARGE.

We find, on dissecting our bills, that some person has been overcharged $1. If they come to us we will make it right.

ALL MILLINERY TRIMMED FREE OF CHARGE.

PRATT & WATKINS, 16 and 18 James STREET, HAMILTON.

A. MURRAY & CO.

Another Lot of Those Celebrated Cheap FRENCH DRESS GOODS

JUST TO HAND, EX S. S. REPUBLIC. NOTE:

1 Case All-wool French Foulle Cloths at 20c. per yard,
1 Case All-wool French Carmelite Cloths at 20 per yard,
1 Case All-wool French Jersey Cloths at 25c. per yard,
1 Case All-wool French Crepe at 30c. per yard.

These are exactly similar goods to those received last month from same makers, and which sold off so rapidly. The extent and variety as well as unprecedent cheapness of our Dress Goods this season will assonish you. Every lady should see them.
N.B.—Our Dressmaker, Miss Dalgleish, has returned from New York with the latest fashions.

A. MURRAY & CO., 18, 20 AND 22 KING ST. EAST.

1886. 1886.

SPRING ANNOUNCEMENT.

McLEOD, ANDERSON & CO.,

GEORGETOWN.

In making their announcement for the Spring, would say that owing to the unforseen circumstances and hard times prevalant in this community, they have been unable to carry out their announcement of their dissolution of partnership. The said partnership will therefore continue for one year longer, so as to give all parties who are still owing us on account, a further opportunity to call and settle their accounts. We purpose to do business entirely for cash or produce. No goods will be charged. We will sell goods cheap; we have had such an experience of the old time credit business, which enables us to say [illegible] way of doing business. The honest and trusty man who pays up promptly has to pay for the dishonest man, who never pays at all. We are satisfied that every person who looks at the cash system of doing business will say that it is the only honest and fair principle of doing business. We can buy cheaper; you will buy cheaper. We will sell goods at wholesale prices, paying cash and getting all the advantages which does accrue to the cash buyer. Try our system; see our goods; compare prices, and we are satisfied you will save 25c. per cent. on all goods purchased from us. Ladies, we are this season showing the neatest and most stylish Millinery, Mantles, &c., &c., all new and latest styles. Dress Goods, Dress Trimmings, Buttons, Fringes, &c., &c., all to match. Dress Making in all the newest styles done on the premises, under the management of a first-class Dress Maker. Ladies, buy your Dress Goods, and leave your order if you want a fashionable dress. Prints, Muslins, Lawns and Ginghams, all new, neat and nobby. Our Ordered Clothing Department, we can speak with pride about it. We have the finest and most extensive stock of Tweeds, Trouserings, &c., in the province, and out cutter is A No. 1. Try our nobby fits and cheap prices. Gent's furnishings in grand style and large assortment. Ready-made Clothing very cheap, big stock to select from. Carpets, in Brussels, Tapestry, 2 & 3 ply, Wool, Union, and Hemp. Oil Cloths, all widths and prices, all to be sold cheaper than the cheapest. Our Staple Department is full. Cottons, 3c. per yd. and up, White Cotton, 5c., Towels, 8c., Tabling, 25c., Cottonades, Ducks and Denims, from 12½c. up. Men, women and children, you cannot fail to save money by buying your goods from us. Try and see. We are in earnest. We will sell cheap for cash only. No more bad debts. Our customers will receive the benefit. Don't delay, but come and see our cheap goods and you will surely buy.

McLEOD, ANDERSON & CO.,

"Mammoth House," Georgetown.

P. S.—We return our sincere thanks to those of our customers who have always been our friends, and trust they will continue to patronize us.

Crowds of Customers Throng The RIGHT HOUSE to inspect the New Goods

Who find them so Very Cheap and Beautiful, that they purchase largely. Three cases of New Dress Goods arrived this week, making 13 cases of New and Fashionable Dress Goods this season. Two cases of Mantles and Mantle Cloths received lately. Several move to arrive shortly. Charming Pattern Mantles, and Magnificent Pattern Hats and Bonnets imported this week in the very latest Parisian styles. Six cases of new French, Swiss, Belgian and British Laces arrived lately. Three cases of New French Silks, Satins, Merveilleux, Brouches, Ottomans, Sicilliennes, Surats, etc., imported this week, making 4 cases of Silks on hand already. A case of very handsome gloves arrived this week from Germany, two from England, and one from Belgium lately. A case of the very latest styles of Parasols, and two cases very handsome French Jerseys arrived lately. A case of Ladies' Hats just in, making four cases this spring. Three cases of Lovely Flowers, and two cases of Magnificent Feathers, Fiqnents, Pon Pons and and Ornaments arrived lately. A case of very Beautiful Mantle, and Dress Trimming just to hand. A case of Grout's and Courtland's Crapes in Double, Treble and Quadruple makes just arrived. A case of Excellent Saxony Flannels just imported. Nine bales of New Carpets direct from the makers this week, making 39 bales already, and several more to arrive. New Beads, Droops, Buttons, Clasps and Brails imported this week. A bale of Very Nice Checked Ginghams are selling at only 10c. Comet Collars only 6½c. Pins and Needles only 1c. each paper. Good All wool Black Cashmeres are selling at only 30c. Just see the Fine Black Cashmeres, 45 inches wide, at only 50c. There is an enormous stock of Black and Colored Dress Goods selling for one-fourth less than actual value. A large stock of Underclothing for Ladies, Gentlemen, Girls and Boys for day and night wear imported lately. Very Nice Dress Goods at 10, 13½, 15 and 17c., and at 20c. very Superior All-wool in the latest styles. We are too busy selling goods to prepare for an Opening Day, but the stock of Spring Goods in Charming Styles in Enormous. The Millinery, Mantle and Dress Making Departments are all all hard at work now, and ready to take orders, and execute them in the most Fashionable Styles, and warrant to give the Best Satisfaction. There are 223 packages of New Goods received already. Remember the Carpet Rooms; the stock is immense, and the variety very great, mind the stores are one door west of Hughson Street, on King Street East. The name is

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