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Every piece of Lace reduced in price.

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Every pair of Corsets in the house we are now selling at reduced prices.

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Have opened a new and complete stock of

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Artist's Material, Builders' Supplies,

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e Agent for McCOLL BROS'. LARDINE OIL.

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Door to JONE'S CABINET SHOP, Main St., Milton.

LOCAL NEWS.

Sweeping reductions in every line at Treble's, corner of King and James streets, Hamilton.

PERSONAL.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ross sail from Liverpool for home to-day.

HOME.—Mr. R. S. Porter has returned from England after a visit of two months, looking hale and hearty.

If you want the latest spring style in hats go to Treble's, corner of King and James streets, Hamilton.

COLT SOLD.—Mr. Thurston, Palermo, sold his three-year-old driving colt by John E. Rysdyk to Mr. John Hood, of the Royal Hotel, Hamilton, last week. Price private.

If you have Fine Wool, take it to the Campbellville Woolen Mill, where it will be handled with care and made up into any kind of Yarn or Flannel, satisfied with any other.—D. Vickerman.

LACROSSE.—A lacrosse match was played on the Agricultural Grounds here on Saturday evening between the Streetsville club and the Olympics, resulting in three straight games for the home club in 35, 12 and 15 minutes respectively.

Ties and scarfs at cost to clear out. Treble's, corner of King and James streets, Hamilton.

Mr. W. D. Beardmore has leased for a term of years the handsome and commodious residence of Mrs. R. Little, on Church and Wilbur Streets. Mrs. Little will shortly leave on a visit to friends in Manchester and Cambridge, England.—Free Press.

If you want close woven Blankets, Horse Blankets, double width, try our Steam Power Loom—its work will give you good satisfaction—now running at the Campbellville Woolen Mill.—D. Vickerman.

CATTLE SALE.—Messrs. Hay & Paton, of New Lowell, will sell by auction on Tuesday, the 3rd of August, at Grand's Repository, Toronto, a very select and valuable draft of Aberdeen-Angus-Polls. Terms cash, or, if desired, six months in approved paper.

MAGNIFICENT stock of latest spring styles in hats at Treble's, corner of King and James streets, Hamilton.

ROBERT BENNETT and his bar-tender, John Lindsay, Georgetown, were brought before Police Magistrate Young, on Monday of last week for infraction of the Canada Temperance Act. As the evidence was considered strong, warrants were issued for their arrest, and have since been convicted and sentenced to two months imprisonment each.

All the balance of winter goods cleared at cost at Treble's, corner of King and James streets, Hamilton.

DROWNED.—On Saturday evening last a son of Mr. C. H. Strong, of Streetsville, aged 7 years, was drowned in the Credit. The little fellow, along with other boys, was playing on the river banks, and his hat was blown into the water. In attempting to recover it he fell into the river and struck against a rock or timber and was stunned so badly that he was unable to get out. Before aid reached him he was lifeless. His body was recovered shortly after the sad occurrence.—Conservator.

Grey flannel shirts $1, $1.25, $1.50, our own make. Best value in the city. Treble's corner of King and James streets, Hamilton

LAWN PARTY.—The lawn party given by Mr. James Deforest, of Nelson, on Friday evening of last week, in aid of the Milton band uniform fund, was well attended by large numbers from the surrounding neighborhood and a large influx from Milton. The night was cool, and the large lawn around Mr. Deforest's house gave ample scope to all parties to enjoy themselves. Vocal and instrumental music was given in the house and the band played a number of selections. Mr. McGibbon, on behalf of the band, tendered their sincere thanks to Mr. Deforest and family for the giving of the party. Amount realized, $50.50.

If you want you want your Wool made up in a variety of purposes, you should try the Campbellville Woolen Mill, where you can get either Tweeds, Flannels, Blankets, Sheeting, or Horse Blankets made to order.—D. Vickerman.

A VERY happy event occurred at the residence of Mrs. Ghent, Burlington, on Wednesday of last week, being the marriage of her daughter Minnie with a worthy gentleman, Mr. James S. Earl, of Brandon, Man. The bride was waited upon by Miss Nellie Davis, of Burlington Plains, and the groom was attended by his brother. The interesting ceremony was performed by Rev. S. Clearer in the presence of a large concourse of friends of the contracting parties. Among those present were Messrs. James Beaty, M. P., Robert Beaty, Dr. Ghent, Toronto; S. H. Ghent, W. P. Moore, Hamilton; T. Ghent, Burlington, and others. The bride was recipient of many handsome presents. Mr. and Mrs. Earl leave for Brandon on Monday. They are an exceedingly popular couple, and have the earnest wishes of a host of friends for their future happiness and prosperity.—Hamilton Times.

Just to hand the latest American styles in felt hats for spring at prices lower than ever. Treble's, corner of King and James streets, Hamilton.

OBITUARY.—Dr. J. Bowes, of Hamilton, Dentist, and eldest son of the late Thomas Bowes, Esq., of Milton, and brother of the Misses Bowes now residing on Mill Street, Milton, died at the sanitarium in Detroit, on Thursday of last week. He underwent an operation at the hands of the greatest surgeon of the Northwest, which proved unsuccessful. Mr. Bowes had been troubled with stone in the bladder for some time past, and about a week ago went to the institution named above for treatment. He was highly respected by the members of the profession and by all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance, and the announcement of his death was received with deep regret. Mr. Bowes was an esteemed member of the Centennary Methodist Church of Hamilton. He was twice on the Dental College Board. The remains were brought to Milton for interment on Saturday morning. The funeral took place at 4 p. m. in the afternoon.

All the newest New York styles in stiff and soft felt hats just to hand. Finest assortment and lowest prices in the city.—Treble's, corner King & James streets, Hamilton.

ON Saturday last our citizens were startled by the information that Mr. Rufus Reid, a young man living about two miles from Georgetown, was buried in a well twenty feet below the surface of the ground. It appears that the young man was down in the well trying to repair something that had gone out of order when the stone work caved in and buried him deep down in the earth. It was not long before the well was surrounded by sturdy farmers who set to work to dig the unfortunate man out, he all the while, straining every nerve to keep the stones and earth at a breathing distance from him. One of themen shouted, "Are you there Rufus?" The answer came firmly "yes." "How long can you stand it?" "I can stand it about three hours, but dig away with all your might." It is simply wonderful that this victim of what might have been a terrible accident hanging for two hours, with seven feet of water beneath him and a mass of stone and earth crushing round him, came out but little the worse for his unutterable fright, only a few slight scratches and bruises could be found on him.—Herald.

Great clearing sale of winter goods at Treble's to make room for the arrival of new goods. Every line down to cost and under. Treble's, corner of King and James streets, Hamilton.

On dit, that Mr. M. Deady has purchased the site of the old "Globe" hotel in streetsville, and intends building a grand new hotel right away. He expects that the next 12th July celebration will be in Streetsville, and looks for a roucing, rushing day on that occasion. Success to him.—Conservative.

FIRE.—On Saturday evening last a spark from a train of the C. P. R. dropped into the dry grass while passing through the farm of Mr. Roland Orr, and immediately caught in a blaze and ran across a ten acre pasture field, setting fire to and burning the greater part of the fence. The fire crossed the road into Mrs. Sproat's field, but was put out with slight damage.

THE late Thomas Shortread left an estate valued at $85,400, consisting of household goods, $1000, moneys secured by life insurance, $5400, bank and other stocks, $29,000. In view of the fact that he held $10,000 in trust for his wife, the will grants her the first lien on the estate for this amount. After this claim is met the residue of the estate is to be expended for the maintenance and education of his wife and family.

Scott Act or not there is no reason why everybody should not look well, and now you are going to have a chance. Look out on Tuesday, August 3rd, for the finest carriage now on the road with the driver in his handsome livery, it belongs to R. PARKER & CO., Dyers and Cleaners, Toronto. They have the largest works of the kind in Canada, and they are known far and wide for their fine work. Ladies' and Gents' wearing apparel beautifully cleaned and dyed. Don't fail to give them a trial.

FIFTIETH YEAR OF THE GORE FIRE INS. CO.—We have much pleasure in calling attention to the advertisement of the Gore District Mutual Fire Insurance Company, whose head office is at Galt. This Company does business on both the Cash and Mutual plans, and has of late been so successful that its fiftieth or semi-centennial birthday finds it in the front rank of Canadian Insurance companies. The fact that on the 31st December last, the Company practically owed nothing except its re-insurance Reserve, and held Assets of the value of $218,000 available to meet losses, over $90,000 of which was in cash or its equivalent, proves it to be as strong financially, (view their relative business is compared) as the best Stock Companies, with every ability to deal promptly and liberally with sufferers by fire. The rates to these who prefer the Cash principle are liberal, and to Mutual Policy-holders they are about 20 per cent. less than the customary stock rates. Mr. WILLIAM PANTON is agent for Milton and vicinity. 48-2m.

DISGRACEFUL.—It is high time that our town council arrived at the conclusion that they had fully made up their minds that the Chief Constable should have assistance to stop the rowdyism, fighting and drunkenness that prevails in sheebeens and on the streets from dusk on Saturday nights to the following Monday morning, every week. Now on Saturday night last, fighting and drinking was kept up in one sheben by about twenty young men until two o'clock on Sunday morning, disturbing and awakening people that had been asleep for some hours, and still there is no arrests made, and in another sheben drinking, cursing, swearing and singing was kept up to three o'clock on Sunday morning, and on Sunday morning the son, a lad of about 14 years of age, was beastly intoxicated on the street. Another sheben-keeper on Saturday morning went to Toronto, got a supply, and carried it home. His wife went to Hamilton and duplicated the order. Another sheben-keeper, not satisfied to confine himself to his sheben, plied his trade at the pleasure grounds and on the streets on Sunday. The dozen of sheebens known to the License Inspector, with a number added to their list, are still in full blast, and no effort of any kind is made to stop any one of them. It is an everlasting disgrace to any statute law that such a nefarious traffic should can be carried on; but we cannot expect anything better under a law such as the Scott Act. We get the blame of encouraging it from the *good* temperance people, while we have been the only newspaper in the county to show up the drunkenness that has reigned ever since the Scott Act came in force. The Scott organs have a strong desire to shew the fair side of the workings of the Act, and very rarely ever mention a row or drunken spree in their paper. There has been more criminal business in the county during the past three months than was ever known to be in the county for any one three months before, and still our "temperance" friends claim the Scott Act to be a grand success. We heard a reverend gentleman say about three weeks ago that he was stationed in Milton for a term of three years, and, happening to be in town about three weeks ago, he saw more drunken men on the Main street on that day than he saw during any three months while he was stationed here.

OBITUARY.—Mr. James Laidlaw, who passed away at Georgetown on Friday last, in the 91st year of his age, was the last survivor of those who settled the Scotch Block of Esquesing in 1819-20. One or two of the original settlers still remain, but none who had reached manhood at the time the settlement was formed. Mr. Laidlaw left Scotland in 1817, two years earlier than the other members of his family, but spent three years in Economy, Nova Scotia. A letter he wrote from Economy to his father and brothers in Scotland, on the 5th December, 1817, advising them to come to Western Canada and offering to join them there, is still in the possession of members of his family. In 1818 his father, James Laidlaw, and two brothers, Andrew and Walter, came and settled in the township of Esquesing, where James joined them in 1820. Boston church, Esquesing, beneath whose shadow Mr. Laidlaw's remains was interred on Monday beside the graves of his father and brothers, was built on the farm of Mr. Andrew Laidlaw in the heart of the settlement, and was named after Thomas Boston, the far-famed minister of the parish of Ettrick, from which the Laidlaw family emigrated. James Hogg, the Ettrick shepherd, was a full cousin of Mr. Laidlaw's father. Like his father and brothers—two of whom never visited Canada—James Laidlaw was a man of rare integrity. He was also endowed with a mind and memory of remarkable clearness, which remained bright to the last, showing no signs of weakness or decay in any particular, though his physical strength was completely wasted by a disease of several weeks' duration. His only daughter, his only surviving son (Rev. R. J. Laidlaw, of Hamilton) and other friends and acquaintances from far and near, watched with him during his last days, which, owing to the clearness of his mind, stored with the extraordinary retentiveness of his memory and the strength of his faith, were days of unusual privilege. His wide and accurate information, which increased to the last through his life-long habit of reading and reflection; his pure and exemplary life, coupled with his kind, amiable and cheerful disposition, endeared him to all, old and young, who came within the circle of his acquaintance, and gave him an influence for good which only those who are possessed of his meek and quiet spirit, and are spared, as he was, to become fully ripe, are ever privileged to exert.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Dewar are on a visit to Mr. Robert Patton at New Lowell.

STOLEN.—Some person that did not have much to do stole the nuts of Mr. Geo. Hume's wagon one night last week. Their absence was noticed before any damage was done.

PERSONAL.—Mr. Joseph Clements, Dakota City, Nebraska, who has been visiting his friends here for some time, returned home yesterday. Mr. T. T. Harris, of Oakville, accompanied him.

UPSET.—Mr. Joe. Brownridge, driving home in his road cart on Tuesday evening after dark, ran on some stones piled on the side of the road near Mr. Robert Willmott's, and was capsized over the hill with the horse and cart.

CREDITORS' MEETING.—A meeting of the creditors of Mr. Joseph Williams was held at Glenwilliams, on Tuesday, to appoint a trustee of the estate. They were unable to agree on an assignee, and the estate still remains in the hands of the sheriff.

RUNAWAY.—On Tuesday evening Mr. Geo. Brownridge tied his horse in the shed of the Temperance House, and in some way the horse got the bridle off and started down street on a gallop, dispersing a crowd in quick time that was standing on the street listening to the jokes of a patent right man. The horse was afterwards caught with little damage done.

If any of our readers that are afflicted with Rheumatism have never tried West's World's Wonder or Family Liniment, we advise them to do so at once, and be convinced of its extraordinary merits. It will positively cure you. It is a never-failing remedy for Cuts, Sprains, Bruises and all complaints requiring external treatment. Price 25 cents and 50 cents per bottle. Sold by J. H. McCollom, Druggist, Milton

CANADIAN.

Forty-five teachers applied to fill one vacancy at Galt.

Galt had a very successful decoration day on Friday last.

There have been four desertions from "A" Battery, Kingston, during the past week.

The Canadian Pacific railway have commenced the building of another gigantic elevator in Montreal.

In the championship lacrosse series of games continued on Saturday the Torontos defeated the Shamrocks of Montreal in three straight games.

The Department of Public Works, Ottawa, has been notified by the contractors that the graving dock at Esquimalt, B. C., has been completed.

At a meeting of the Board of Trustees of Woodstock College the other day Dr. Rand reported that $26,000 had been subscribed toward the proposed $30,000.

The Guelph Mercury has worked the weight of trout in that vicinity up to 5½ pounds, and there are still no signs of awakening in the Mercury's slumbering conscience.

A Canadian Pacific railway special freight train ran off the track at an early hour yesterday morning about 18 miles from Orangeville. Ten cars rolled over an embankment, but fortunately no lives were lost.

A lady in London, Ont., has a Marechal Neil rose tree, on one side of which the roses are crimson and on the other lily white. Some of those on the centre stalk are divided in colour, being half crimson and half white.

It is stated there is now a good prospect of capturing the persons who robbed the Prince Albert mail, the authorities having received important information which may lead to the arrest of the desperadoes.

The steamer Nova Scotian, while on her way from Halifax to St. John's, struck and sank a French schooner at anchor off St. Peter's bank during a dense fog. The crew of the schooner were saved with the exception of one man.

A Kingston boy thirteen years old called as a witness before the magistrate said he could neither read nor write, and that he knew nothing of such a book as the Bible. This is a case of religious and mental starvation amidst plenty.

They ask for 'lime juice,' 'budge,' 'dynamite,' 'Scott Act,' 'coal oil,' 'Fish-er Munro,' 'soda,' 'salts,' 'tay,' and even 'nothing,' said a down-hearted temperance man the other night, and, he added mournfully, they all seem satisfied with what they get.—Orangeville Post.

Two men have been fined at Mitchell for asking for liquor on Sunday, although they failed to get it. This is possible under the amended law. The singular feature of the affair, however, is that the men drove to a Scott Act county and got the liquor they wanted on the same day.

Farmers in this section, says the Guelph Mercury, report that the crops this year as a whole will be a very good yield. The hay has been housed in first-class condition, and quite few have got in their barley.

also a good crop, and a considerable quantity of it has been cut.

At farmersville the other day Wm. Poolah, proprietor of the Sheldon cheese factory, was charged before five magistrates with making cheese on Sunday. He admitted the charge and pleaded that it was a work of necessity or he would have been at church. On this account the case was dismissed, one magistrate dissenting.

Mr. Mowat was sixty-six year old on Thursday last. The Attorney-General preserves a somewhat youthful appearance, and few would suspect that he has even seen three-score years. The Provincial Treasurer, Mr. A. M. Ross, is the next veteran in the Cabinet. He is fifty-eight. Mr. Pardee is fifty-six, Mr. Hardy is forty-nine and Mr. Fraser forty-eight.

Mr. T. H. Lloyd, V.S., states that hog cholera is spreading to an alarming extent in Simcoe County. Many of the farmers do not understand what is the matter with the hogs, and after the animals are dead they leave them lying around, thus spreading the disease far and near. Among those who have suffered most heavily is Mr. W. D. Stoddart, who has lost between sixty and seventy hogs.

On Saturday afternoon there was a large Toronto picnic party at Lorne Park. In a merry-go-round boat was a party of five. Suddenly the boat left its bearings and projected its occupants violently to the ground. Miss Minnie McGaw, of 293 King street west, and Miss Katie May, 273 Wellington street west, sustained severe wounds and were badly shaken up. Two others were also hurt; an infant of 8 months was in the car and escaped unhurt.

OTTAWA, July 26.—At the Little Farm back of Hull, last evening, during a heavy thunder-storm the lightning struck a house where a number of persons were sitting up watching the body of a woman who had died. The lightning coming down the chimney and stovepipe struck the coffin and shattered it to pieces. Four persons were seated around the coffin at the time. One man and a child were seriously injured and have since died. Two others were badly injured.

MIDSUMMER.

Generally a dry, hot time is midsummer. People don't care to buy many Dress Goods usually. What they do buy must be value for their money. It is to meet this point that we have cut down prices in every class of goods. We have a large stock on hand yet—embracing Novelties in Silk and Dress Goods which we are closing out at astonishing prices.

We have lots of nice Parasols and Sunshades going at nearly one half. Laces and Trimmings of every description, which we prefer to turn into cash without profit. Something in Staples which are cheap at marked prices, but which we will close out at 25 to 30 per cent. less. And so all through our stock. Goods must go, it's money we want.

Hamilton. McILWRAITH & McMASTER.

TOWN COUNCIL.

The charge is still made that in many places where the Scott Act is in force a portion of the population denounce as a gross outrage any attempt to charge them for hotel shed accommodation. They talk Scott Act and vote Scott Act with all possible fluency and ardour, but still insist that the hotels shall provide them with any necessary accommodation and shall get nothing for it. This is magnificent nerve. And many people do it from whom better would be expected. Suppose now when the hotelkeeper is forced to go out of business he should insist on the right to use the sheds of these people whenever he required them, how would they treat him? Eject him, of course. And why the hotelkeeper should not do the same thing or exact payment for the convenience he provides is one of these things no fellow can find out. Even an hotelkeeper has right.—Globe.

Vancouver, B.C., was not so seriously damaged by fire the other day as the despatches represented. It seems that the wind was high and fanned the flames of burning wood where the land was being cleared till they rushed into the very center of the town. At once a panic sized the inhabitants. Merchants moved their stocks and people their furniture to places of safety with feverish haste. Great clouds of smoke filled the air, and the very earth seemed to take fire. The citizens fought the flames desperately, and the wind fortunately going down the place was saved by almost superhuman efforts. No business places were burned, but the merchants lost heavily by the removal of goods.

Col. G. F. Ravenhill, Royal Artillery; Col. Phillips and J. Matthews, V. S., who are in Canada to purchase horses for the infantry army were at 111 Front street yesterday and purchased a number of horses, which will be shipped in a few days for the old country. The horses they require must be 15½ and not over 16 hands and of an age not below five or above eight years, and sound in all respects. The Imperial government require some thousands of these horses annually, and the gentlemen named above have been instructed to buy as many as possible in the Canadian market. If the result of this experiment is successful it is the intention to establish a permanent office in Toronto for the purchase of horses. There is a good opportunity for farmers and other creating a constant market for good horses of the above description at remunerative prices.—Toronto News of 27th inst.

Montreal Herald:—"What does the country at large think on the subject of Sir Richard Cartwright's presence in Parliament? He is the ablest financier in the House; with the exception of Paterson, of Brant, and White, of Cardwell, there is not even anyone in the race with him; he is a man whose public and private reputation is unassailable; he has few equals in debate; his speeches are invariably those of a gentleman and scholar; and in every particular that sensible men desire in choosing a parliamentary representative he is a head and shoulders above the majority of those who vote against him. We take it that if numbers were not essential to him, Sir John would gladly exchange, not one, but a dozen men, for Sir Richard Cartwright, and we feel sure that if Sir Richard were absent from the next Parliament, of which, however, there is little probability, the opinion of every unbiased person in Canada would be, the more's the pity.

ST. JOHNS, Nfld., July 27.—The schooner Barron has arrived, bringing the latest news from the Labrador coast. For nearly two weeks she was blocked in York Harbour by a field of ice. She brings five families, who has reached that point from Sandwich Bay, 100 miles inland, on sledges drawn by ponies, on which they subsisted after their arrival. York Harbour is crowded with fugitives, but these came from the southern coast, and know nothing of their northern neighbours. On July 19th a two days' snow-storm set in, cutting off all communication. The snow had closed all the trails. The relief vessels will now go direct to York Bay to relieve first the sufferers there. The latest reports states that the Hudson Straits are again frozen over, which is an unprecedent occurrence at this season. The temperature has not gone lower than 10° above. The cold results from immense masses of Artic ice along the coast. Up to date 620 survivors have arrived here. The number that have died is estimated at 3,500.

Government Detective Murray has returned from Baltimore after an unsuccessful effort to have John Stone extradited for shooting his neice, Maud Hodge, at Beamsville some months ago. It will be remembered that he also shot himself, and while confined to his bed under the supposed surveillance of a constable escaped to Baltimore, where he was found, and where, in the house of his brother-in-law, Hugh Matthews, he lay for four months before he was able to appear in court. At the extradition proceedings the prosecution was conducted by Senator Voorhees. The department of justice of the United States was represented by Assistant Attorney-General May, and the case was considered a very important one. Ex-Judge Geary and ex-Governor Pinkney Whyte appeared for the defence. The commissioner before whom the case was tried decided that Stone was insane when he did the shooting, though his right to try the question of insanity was strongly contested. The deputy attorney-general of Ontario has decided not to appeal the case to a higher court.

BORN.

HAINES—In Esquesing, on 19th July, 1886, the wife of Jacob Hainsr, Esq., of a son.

DIED.

BOWES—On July 22nd, in great peace, John Bowes, Dentist, Hamilton, eldest son of the late Thos. Bowes, Esq., of Milton, Ont.

LAIDLAW—At Georgetown, on Friday, July 23rd, James Laidlaw, in the 91st year of his age.

Lost.

A note made by David Hutcheon, in favor of A. Harris, Son & Co., Brantford. All parties are cautioned against purchasing or negotiating for same.

Milton, July 7th, 1886. JAMES HUME.

Pocketbook Lost.

Between Milton and Bronte, or in the neighborhood of Palermo, a leather pocketbook, containing $15.00 in money, a note made by David Hutcheon, in favor of A. Harris, Son & Co., of Nassagaweya, in favor of A. Harris, Son & Co., Brantford, and other valuable papers. The finder can have the $15.00 if he returns the pocketbook and papers to the CHAMPION OFFICE, Milton.

Tender's Wanted.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned for the erection of a brick dwelling house in the Town of Milton, till the 7th day of August instant. Plans and specifications can be seen at the law office of

D. McGIBBON, Milton.

House for Sale.

House and Lot, situated on Main Street, Milton. Apply to

J. F. McCALLUM, Milton. 6-2t.

Tenders.

Tenders will be received up to and inclusive of August 2nd, 1886, for the purchase of the Nathaniel Lamb farm—an excellent stock and grain farm of about 160 acres, in Nelson Tp., Halton Co. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Apply for full particulars to the executors, Mrs. Geo. E. & R. J. Husband, or to

SMITH & FARMER,
Solicitors for said Executors,
Hamilton, Ont.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of cutting teeth? If so send at once and get a bottle of "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children teething. It's value is incalculable. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers; there is no mistake about it. It cures Dysentery and Diarrhœa, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, cures Wind Colic, Softens the Gums, reduces Inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children teething is pleasant to take and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States, and is for sale by all druggists throughout the world. Price twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP," and take no other kind. 33 1yr

$5 to $8 a day. Samples and duty FREE. Lines not under the horse's feet. Write DARWITZER'S SAFETY REIN HOLDER CO., Holly, Mich. 4-1yr.

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County of Halton.

Admission of Free Students to Agricultural College.

APPLICATIONS WILL BE RECEIVED by the undersigned, up to the 15th day of August next, from parties desiring to be nominated for the free admission to, and tuition at the Agricultural College, "as provided in the 3rd Sec. of the Act to amend the Act respecting the Agricultural College, passed by the Legislative Assembly in the Session of 1885."

Applications will require to be accompanied with certificate from a clergyman and a justice of the peace, certifying as to the two years residence with parents, and also as to character, as provided in said Section and in the regulations approved by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council.

WM. PANTON,
Milton, July 29, 1886. County Clerk.
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Prints 5c.,	do. 10c.	Tapestry Carpets 25c.,	do. 40c.
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Ladies' Hose 25c.,	do. 50c.	Hemp Carpets 8½c.,	do. 12½c.
Children's Hose 7c.	do. 15c.	Lace Curtains $1.50.,	do. 2.00
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We are making extra inducements in order to clear out our stock of Dress Goods, Prints, Hosiery, Gloves, Corsets, Parasols, Embroideries, Tweeds, Shirtings, Carpets, Curtains, Coverings, Window Blinds, Stair Rods, &c. All are marked away down in Price; in many cases less than cost. Samples sent on application.

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Immense Bargains in Every Department of THE RIGHT HOUSE.

Mr. Thomas C. Watkins is now in Europe purchasing his Fall and Winter Stock of Dry Goods. In order to clear out the stock of goods on hand, very special inducements are offered to purchasers of Dry Goods, Millinery, Mantles and Housefurnishings. The numerous departments are offering many lines of goods at half their former prices, and the bargains offered throughout the establishment will convince you that you can save money by supplying your wants at this Special Bargain Sale. In the Print Department you will find wonderfully cheap goods. Prints formerly sold at 12½c., reduced to 7½ and 8½c. Prints at 10 and 12½c., former prices 17 and 20c. Special lots of Fancy Prints, suitable for making up into Quilts, at nearly half their former price, from 6c. upwards. Fine Scotch Zephyr Ginghams at half price, 20c. Ginghams reduced to 12½c. Ginghams reduced at 8c. All-wool Canadian Tweeds marked down to clearing prices. All-wool Tweeds reduced from 62½c. to 50c. Tweed at 40c., formerly sold for 50c. Tweed at 70c., formerly 87½c. The 75c. Tweed was formerly 90c. By all means see these cheap Tweeds. A lot of Raw Silk Furniture Covering and Curtainings marked down very cheap. Toilet Sets reduced to 25c., worth 40c. Toilet Sets at 35c., worth 50c. Fancy Mats, Antimacassars, marked down to very low prices. A large lot of Yak and Fancy Laces marked down to half price. Nice Wide Colored Wool Yak Laces at 15c. Colored Yak Laces from 5c. per yard. Come and see these cheap Laces. Silk Dress and Mantle Fringes at half and less than half price. Fringes at 35c., worth 50c. Fringes at 10 and 12½c., worth far more money. All reduced prices. See them. Dress Goods at remarkable low prices. Dress Goods at 25c., formerly 37½ and 50c. Dress Goods at 10 and 12½c., worth far more money. Lace Curtains at special reduced prices. Brussels, Tapestry, Wool, Union and Hemp Carpets at special low prices. Housekeepers, bear in mind the special bargains to be secured at the Right House. Purchasers of Dry Goods, Millinery and Mantles and Housefurnishings will save money and time by coming at once to this establishment. They will find the stock large and well assorted, and the prices the very lowest ever quoted in the Right House. Remember the stores Nos. 30 and 32 King street east, one door west of Hughson street, and the name is

THOMAS C. WATKINS.

Hamilton, July 1, 1886.