THE CANADIAN CHAMPION

MILTON, APRIL 7, 1887.

Convincing Figures.

The Rev. J. S. Ross, M. A., in the Methodist church, before the sermon last Sunday morning, quoted some convincing figures from the last Ontario Government report, to prove the beneficial effects resulting from the Scott Act in reducing drunkenness.

He first took the adjoining county of Halton, where, according to the inspector's report, there were only two commitments for drunkenness during the year of those residing in the county. With Brampton and Toronto on one side and Hamilton and Dundas on the other, where unlimited quantities of liquor could be obtained, to have had only two commitments for drunkenness in the year out of a population of 21,919 he claimed was a remarkable success.

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In conclusion he reminded them that these were Government official figures, not some wonderful street corner tale of a visit to some Scott Act county. He did not wonder at interested parties proclaiming that there was as much liquor drank in Scott Act counties as ever, for they are always economical of the truth on such questions. He only wondered at Temperance people being simple enough to believe them.—Dundas Banner, 31st March.

The above are "convincing figures" indeed. They cannot fail to convince that Rev. J. S. Ross, M. A., is a master of the art of falsification which has been brought to such perfection by the agitators of the so-called temperance party.

The Government report, to which he refers, shows that the number of persons committed to the jail for drunkenness in Halton during the last jail year was 18, and does not classify them into residents and non-residents, while in Peel with a larger population, and under license there were, 10 such committals, and in beer-drinking Waterloo, with about double the population, there were only 4.

In order to ascertain the particulars with regard the committals last year to our County jail which the Inspector's report does not give, we have examined the jail register, which shows that seven out of the thirteen drunks committed were residents of Halton, one of them hailing from Nelson and six, including a woman, from Milton. The six non-residents were arrested in Milton, and, though the register does not show this, the fact is that they all got drunk in Milton, probably on shebeen whiskey.

The record of committals for drunkenness in Halton for the last ten years, taken from the Government reports, is as follows:

77	78	79	80	81	82	83	84	85	86
15	7	1	6	5	4	7	6	9	18

These are "convincing figures" and show that drunkenness has increased in Halton under the Scott Act, which went into force here in May, 1882. Leaving that year out, the official reports show that there were more committals for drunkenness in Halton during the four years subsequent to the going into effect of the Scott Act than during the five years preceding that great event in the annals of "temperance" reform. If the two equal terms of four years under Scott Act and license be compared, it will be found that, if figures prove anything, they prove that the result of prohibition in Halton has been an increase of drunkenness by nearly 100 per cent. We may say here, however, that drunkards enjoy an immunity in Halton nowadays that was unknown under license. The explanation is simple. Illicit liquor sellers do their best to keep their customers out of the clutches of the constables on account of the danger of the arrest of the drinker being followed by the prosecution of the vendor for violation of the Scott Act. For instance, Milton's chief constable says that a request to make no arrests generally accompanies a summons to suppress a row, and that he is fairly pestered with such summonses. The jail returns, therefore, badly as they tell against the Scott Act, do not show the increase in the number of committals for drunkenness that they would but for the interference of the whiskey sellers, and if drunkards were looked after now as sharply as they were under license.

THE WATER-WORKS SCHEME.

The ratepayers of Milton were largely represented at the mass meeting held at the town hall on Friday evening to discuss the water-works question. Several speeches in favor of and against the scheme were delivered, but as there was a lack of information with regard to the expense of the right of way between the mountain and the town, the meeting was adjourned until next Monday evening when it is expected that complete estimates will be ready for submission. Much of the opposition at first met by the advocates of the proposed water-works was occasioned by an uncertainty as to their cost; but has disappeared since Mr. John Hunter, a local man and a most reliable contractor, has offered to undertake their construction for $16,000. There is no difference of opinion as to the urgent necessity in Milton for an efficient system of protection from fire, and when it can be shown beyond doubt that such protection can be afforded by water-works at a reasonable cost, there should be no difficulty, unless some better and cheaper scheme should be proposed, about carrying a by-law to raise the necessary funds.

HALTON ASSIZES.

The following is a list of the civil cases to be tried at the ensuing assizes:

JURY CASES.

ZIMMERMAN VS. STEPHENS.—An action for balance of an account due on lumber manufactured by plaintiff for defendant. Messrs. Bain, Laidlaw & Co., for pliff.; Messrs. McCarthy & Co., for deft.

ROSSELL VS. LAWSON.—An action for trespass to the person. D. McGibbon, barrister, Milton, for pliff.; J. A. Mowat, barrister, Guelph, for deft.

NON-JURY CASES.

ROBINSON VS. HALL.—An action to set aside a mortgage as fraudulent and void. D. McGibbon, for pliff.; J. A. Mowat, for deft.

CHAPMAN VS. MILLS, *et al.*—An action to set aside a conveyance as voluntary, fraudulent and void as against creditors. D. McGibbon for pliff.; Messrs. Haslett & Washington for defts.

The Scott Act in Nova Scotia.

HALIFAX, March 31.—A Temperance Convention in Truro, called to consider the advisability of repealing the Scott Act, decided after an animated discussion to ask for its repeal in the County of Colchester. A few voted against such action, but the decision was reached by a large majority.—Globe.

Results of the Scott Act

Globe.

There are complaints of abundance of whiskey dives in Peterboro.

Town Council.

An adjourned meeting of the town council was held on Monday evening last. The Mayor in the chair. Members present—McCollom, Hunter, McKay, Andrews, Johnson, Hemstreet, Roper.

Moved by J. H. McCollom, seconded by D. McKay, that this council offer a reward of $250 for the apprehension and conviction of the party or parties who made an attempt at incendiarism on the night of Friday, 25th ult., in the town of Milton; this sum to be supplimented by a like amount to be raised by private parties.—Carried.

Moved by J. H. McCollom, seconded by D. McKay, that the motion giving $100 towards paying a night-watchman be reconsidered.—Carried.

Moved by J. H. McCollom, seconded by D. McKay, that John Cochrane be appointed night-watchman at $1 per night for three months to be paid by this council.

Mr. White suggested that the motion should define his duties.

Messrs. Hemstreet & Hunter thought that the reward was sufficient without a night-watchman.

Mr. McKay said now was the time for action, and was in favor of the town constable and the night-watchman's duties being combined; but said if they they did not appoint better night-watchmen than the last, they would be better without one. He then brought on another motion to the above effect, although the seconder of the resolution under consideration, when the Mayor ruled it out of order.

Mr. McCollom said that if the recent incendiarism had been successful a large portion of the town would have been burned.

The Mayor thought it was very unfair for the ratepayers on the Main-st. in the town to ask the council to pay a night-watchman to watch their special property.

Mr. Hemstreet did not believe that majority of the ratepayers requested the council to appoint a night-watchman.

Mr. McKay—I believe it to be the duty of the council to appoint a watchman, for if the stores had been burned one-quarter of the assessable property would have been destroyed.

Mr. Andrews thought it was the duty of the council to protect the property of the ratepayers of the town and thought a watchman might be appointed for one month on trial; he could not say whether those ratepayers on Main-st. would assist towards the payment of the watchman.

Mr. McCollom then submitted the following amendment to his resolution:

The duties of the night-watchman shall be—(1) He shall be on duty from 9 p. m. until 6 a. m.; (2) He shall be constantly patrolling the main streets of the town during the hours named; (3) He shall be sworn in as a special constable, and any party or parties on the streets at unreasonable hours who cannot or will not give a reasonable excuse shall be dealt with as he thinks necessary.—Lost.

Yea—McCollom, McKay, Johnson.

Nay—Roper, Hemstreet, Hunter.

Mr. Andrews refusing to vote, made it a tie, when the Mayor voted nay.

Moved by John Hunter, seconded by J. P. Roper, that the appointment of a night-watchman be laid over for three months.—Carried.

Moved by D. McKay, seconded by J. H. McCollom, that the Town Clerk furnish this council with the cost of cleaning the sidewalks from February, 1886, to February, 1887, also amount realized from charges to vacant lots for the same purpose.—Carried.

Moved by D. McKay, seconded by J. H. McCollom, that $1 dog tax, be remitted to Miss Carter.

Mr. Hemstreet thought the council should make a move towards establishing a market and that a committee be appointed and report at the next meeting of this council.

Moved by G. A. Hemstreet, seconded by D. McKay, that G. Andrews, J. P. Roper, John Hunter and the mover and seconder be a special committee in reference to establishing a weekly market for the town of Milton, and report at next meeting of this council.—Carried.

The council then adjourned until Wednesday, 18th April.

THE CONTEST IN MICHIGAN.

IT IS CLAIMED THAT THE PROHIBITIVE AMENDMENT IS LOST.

DETROIT, April 5.—Returns from yesterday's election are slowly coming in. It is settled that the Republican state ticket has been elected by 10,000 plurality. Interest now centres on the prohibition amendment. The Evening Journal says it is defeated by 8500 majority, and others claim the majority will reach 15,000; but the Prohibition Committee still claims the adoption of the amendment.

Maine's New Liquor Law.

PORTLAND, Me., April 2.—There are doubts about the constitutionality of the new liquor law. The constitution provides that all penalties and punishments shall be proportioned to the offence, and that excessive fines shall not be imposed or cruel or unusual punishments inflicted. Under this Act a single sale of a glass of simple new cider as a beverage would subject the seller not only to a heavy fine, but to imprisonment.

The best regulations for the stomach and bowels, the best cure for biliousness sick headache, indigestion, and all affections arising from a disordered liver, are without exception mild, yet effective. 25 cts. per bottle. Sold by H. Watson, druggist, Milton.

The Guelph Central Fair will be held on Sept. 20, 21 and 22.

Even Japan and China dealers keep in stock and sell West's Liver Pills—"the world's best." Liver complaint, dyspepsia, indigestion and sick headache readily yield to them. 30 pills 25c. All druggists the world over.

Several hundred immigrants arrived in Winnipeg last week.

The lame, the halt, the rheumatic, all sing the praises of West's World's Wonder. Try one bottle and you will never use any other liniment. 25c. and 50c. All druggists.

It is believed that Gabriel Dumont will visit Winnipeg shortly.

West's Cough Syrup is now the leading remedy for coughs, colds, sore throat, bronchitis, asthma, whooping-cough and consumption. All druggists.

Parliament square will be lit by electricity during the session.

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The reconstruction of the Cabinet is considered a feature of the near future.

Lumber stock of underwear in the trade, cheap, at Treble's, corner King and James streets, Hamilton.

MILTON PUBLIC SCHOOL.

REPORT FOR MARCH, 1887.—HONOR ROLL.

Sen. 5th Class.—Bertha Izard, Gertie Robertson, Janet Duncan, Bella Hendtreon.

Jun. 5th Class.—Chas. Lindsay, Wm. Bowman, Lena Lindsay.

Sen. 4th Class.—Emma McGibbon, Mary J. Barbaree, Robert Galbraith.

Jun. 4th Class.—Harry Barclay, Dollie Elliott, Duncan Robertson.

Sen. 3rd Class.—Edith Moffatt, Charles Hollinrake, Florence Lavery.

Jnt. 3rd Class.—John Lindsay, Charles Usher, Walter Bews.

Jun. 2rd Class.—Cassie Hannant, Clarence Field, Horatio Barbaree.

Sen. 2nd Class.—Fannie Cochrane, Julia Patton, Wm. Cochrane.

Jun. 2nd Class.—Mabel Robertson, Mary Hollinrake, Ruth Watson.

Jnt. 2nd Class.—Hazel Wallace, Mary Moorehead, Barbara Elliott, L. Robertson.

Sen. 1st Class.—Lorne Duff, Willie Anderson, Clare McGibbon.

Jnt. 1st Class.—John Campbell, Willie McKenzie, Charles Smith.

Jun. 1st Class.—Thomas Bowman, Dow Lavery, Hilliard Bowman, Bella Moorehead.

PRIMARY CLASSES.

(A)—Annie Clements, Duncan McLean, Ethel Shepherd, Willie Smith.

(B)—Annie Lindsay, Jennie Conway, Willie Armstrong.

(C)—Alice Metcalf, Elmir Thalvitzer.

(D)—Lizzie Bush, Maggie Anderson.

(E)—Matilda Robson, Fred Robinson.

ATTENDANCE.

No. of names on Roll.....330
Boys " " " 170
Girls " " " 160
Aggregate attendance.....1742
Average Daily attendance.250
No. of teaching days.....23

Burlington Public School.

STANDING FOR MARCH.

I Department.

5th Class.—Merley Peart, Claud Freeman, Maggie Oliphant.

4th Class.—William Bridgeman, James Westphall, Minnie Bray.

3rd Class.—Fred Cline, George Ferguson, Maggie Cline.

II Department.

Senior Class.—Albert Cole, Richard Mortimer, Maxwell Smith.

Inter. Class.—Grace Jarvis, Harry Glover, Martyn Cole.

Jr. Class.—Ada Mortimer, Fannie Lowe, Bella Renton.

III Department

Senior Class.—Edwin Parsons, Marcus Dea, Florence Allen.

Inter. Class.—Nettie Patriarche, Evelyn Oliphant, Lena Hurd.

Jr. Class.—Ida Bridgeman, Nellie Bastelo, Norman McKenzie and Gertie Osborne, equal.

IV Department.

Senior Class.—Emma Renton, Robert Currie, Harry Graham.

Inter. Class.—Ella Lowe, Joseph Ogg, Carmen Freeman.

Jr. Class.—Billy Parsons, Florence Rawson, Mary Ferguson.

CONSUMPTION CURED.

An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of consumption, bronchitis, Catarrah, Asthma and all throat and lung affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers, in thousands of cases has felt it his duty to make it known to his fellow sufferers. Actuated by this motive and desiring to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this receipt, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper, W. A. Noyes, 149 Powers Block, Rochester N. Y.

At Ingersoll a tenement house was swept away by a flood on Monday, and five of the inmates were drowned.

West's Pain Kiny, a speedy cure for colic, cramps, diarrhœa, dysentery and all bowel difficulties. 25c. All druggists.

The lying of a second track on the Trunk railway from Kingston to Montreal will be commenced shortly.

West's World's Wonder acts like magic in all cases of rheumatism, neuralgia, burns, bruises, cuts and wounds. All druggists.

A coalition is being worked up against Mr. Norquay in Manitoba, which is expected to defeat him when the Legislature opens.

Whooping-cough readily yields to West's Cough Syrup, the never failing cure for bronchitis, consumption, asthma, etc. All druggists.

Mr. Cargill has been re-elected in East Bruce by a majority of 145. His majority in the previous election was 370.

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Two freight trains collided on the Michigan Central near St. Thomas on Saturday, causing the death of two brakemen.

April showers bring forth May flowers; also bring on rheumatism. Cure, West's World's Wonder. All druggists.

CANADIAN ITEMS.

A petition has been filed against the return of Sir John Macdonald in Kingston.

William Parker, of Weston, was killed on Tuesday morning by falling from the new Humber bridge, on which he was working.

Chief Barnes of Windsor has notified the officers of the Salvation Army that in future no street-corner meetings will be permitted on Sunday.

There being no criminal cases at the opening of the assizes at Brantford, Sheriff Scarffe presented Chief Justice Cameron with a pair of white kid gloves.

George Brown, the telegraph operator who is to blame for the recent wreck on the Michigan Central Railroad has disappeared from his home in Springfield.

It is said that E. H. Abbott, the absconding secretary of the Royal Templars of Temperance from Buffalo, is going to take up his residence in Simcoe.

Mr. Dawson holds the Algoma seat on a technicality. No recount is permitted, the excuse being that the money handed in as security for costs was not altogether gold for legal tender. It is funny that all these little tricks work to the adjantage of one side.

The Maritime Provinces and New England were visited on Saturday by severest storm of the season. Heavy gales prevailed along the coast, and the snow fell to a considerable depth. The railways were blocked in New Brunswick. It is feared the loss of life and property at sea was extensive.

Afghan native tribes are combining against the Ameer.

Governor Hill, of New York, withholds his sanction to the High License bill.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., April 5.—Myers and George ran a race of 1500 yards to-day. Myers won by only three fourths of a yard. His time was 3 min. 46 sec.

The New Jersey Senate Friday passed a bill providing that members of the Legislature and State officers should ride free over the railroads of the State.

Blood Indians are committing thefts across the border.

Madrid has been alarmed by the operations of dynamiters.

Cholera is disappearing in all the South American countries.

An amphitheatre disappeared in an opening of the earth at Pola, in Austria.

Three executions and many arrests have taken place in connection with the two recent attempts to kill the Czar.

The National League talk of removing their headquarters from Dublin to London in the event of the Crimes Bill becoming law.

A severe blizzard prevailed in Northern Michigan and Wisconsin on Monday. It was one of the worst of the season.

Delegates representing 12,000 Welsh miners met at Rhodda on Monday and apopted a resolution denouncing the Coercion Bill.

Five negroes were lynched at Yorkville, S.C., on Tuesday morning for murdering a boy who had informed on them about stealing from the fields.

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To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. JOSEPH T. INMAN, Station D, New York City. 13-17.

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The above reward will be paid to any person giving such information as will lead to the apprehension and conviction of the party or parties who lately attempted incendiarism in the Town of Milton, County of Halton, by starting a fire in the workroom of of Wm. Rees's Tailor Shop, and in a shed in the rear of J. H. McCollom's Drug Store

S. HANNANT,
Milton, Ont., April 6th, 1886.

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HENRY WADE,
Sec'y D. S. H. B. A.,
Office cor. Queen and Young Sts.
Toronto, April 30th, 1886.

NOTICE.

is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of the Dominion of Canada at its next session, by the Hamilton & Northwestern Railway Company, for an act to authorize them to extend their Railway from the City of Hamilton westerly to a point on the line of the Credit Valley Railway, and easterly from a point in or near the said City to a point on the Niagara River, also from a point at or near Burlington to the City of Toronto, or to a point on one of the lines of railway leading into Toronto, with running powers over any such railway.

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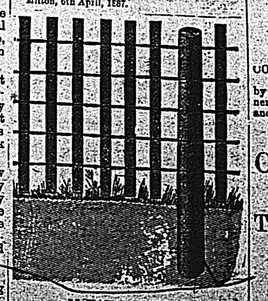
PURSUANT to R. S. O., Cap. 107, and 46 Vic., Cap. 9, Ontario, notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any claims or demands against the estate of John May, formerly of the Township of Trafalgar, in the County of Halton, Farmer, and late of Kepville, in Charlotte County, in the State of Virginia, deceased, who died on or about the twenty-fourth day of September, A. D. 1886, are hereby required to send by post, prepaid, or to deliver to John Dewar, Milton, Ontario, Solicitor for John Corduply, the administrator of the said deceased, on or before the 14th day of May, 1887, a statement in writing of their names and addresses, and the full particulars of their claims or demands and of the securities (if any) held by them; and further take notice that after the said 14th day of May, 1887, the said administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to such claims of which notice shall have been received, and the said administrators will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim notice shall not have been received at the time of the distribution of the said assets.

JOHN DEWAR,
Solicitor for said Administrator.
Milton, 6th April, 1887.



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After visiting the great manufacturing cities of England, Ireland, Scotland and the continent of Europe, to purchase supplies for the Right House for Spring and Summer. His purchases have been enormously large, comprising the very latest styles in Dress Goods, Millinery, Mantles, Short Jackets, Jersey and Ulster Cloths, Flowers and Feathers. The Newest French Styles of Pattern Hats, and Hats and Bonnets for Ladies, Misses and Boys. Three more beautiful New Prints. Another case of Very Handsome Lace Curtains in White and Ecru. A lot of Charming Madras Curtains, and Madras Muslin by the yard. Just received from the foreign manufacturers: New Silks arrived this week, also an Immense Stock of Table Damasks, Towels, Table Napkins, Carpets, Oilcloths and Domestic Corsets and Busks, Knitted Honeycomb Wraps, and an Immense shipment of Gloves and Hosiery from foreign makers, New French Prints, Indian Foulard Dress Goods and Stylish New Costume Checks, Navy, Grey, Printed, Twilled Cricketing, Electoral and Saxony Flannels, New Silk and Satin Ribbons, New Embroidered Table Covers in Sateen, Plush and Tapestry, New Embroideries, All-overs, American Laces, Jubilee Laces, Charming Flounc latest shades, Oriental Laces in the Latest French Styles, Carriage Wraps, Turkey Red Table Covers, Torchon Laces, Maltese Laces, Yak Laces, Widows Fronts, Gauzes in the Latest Makes and Colors, Hat, Dress and Mantle Ornaments in Beautiful Styles, an Immense Lot of New Dress Buttons, Sofa Covers, wear of nearly all kinds for Children, Girls, Boys, Ladies and Gentlemen. New Braces, Cloth that will stand the wildest boys like leather, Antique Lace, Beautiful Lot of Fine Scotch Ginghams, Pocket Handkerchiefs from 3c. up to the Best Silk, Toilet Mats, Quilts, Damask Crumb Cloths, Damask, Black Towels, and Towelling, Cradle Covers, Silk Plush; New Gold and Silver Braid, Chenile Ronche Trimmings, Black, and the New Shades in Beaded Cord, Stylish English and American Hats, Parasols in New Styles, Umbrellas, Galon Bugled Trimmings, Wall Screens, Colored Sheepskin Mats, Victor Shade Fixtures and Stylish Brussels Carpets. Great Sale of Carpets and House Furnishing Goods of all kinds usually required. About $20,000 worth of Carpets in Brussels, All-wool and Two-ply Union selling off far less than Cost Price. Just see the Charming New Styles of Royal Velvet, Wilton, Crossley's Best Fire Fence Tapestry, All-wool and Union Carpets selling for cheaper than ever. The Right House is on King street east, one door west of Hughson street, opposite the Post Office. Look for the names on the windows are, the Right House and Thomas C. Watkins.

THOMAS C. WATKI

Hamilton, April 2, 1887.

Boar for Sale.

Thorough Berkshire Boar, with pedigree, for sale cheap. Apply at Ausgrove P. O. to

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ASSIZES.

COUNTY OF HALTON, TO WIT: NOTICE is hereby given that the Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, and Assizes and Nisi Prius for the said County of Halton, will be held at the

COURT HOUSE,

IN THE

TOWN OF MILTON

ON

Friday, April 8th, 1887,

At the hour of TEN O'CLOCK A.M. of which all Justices of the Peace, Coroners, Constables, Gaolers, and all others concerned are requested to take notice and attend to do and perform all duties which appertain to them.

MATTHEW CLEMENTS,
Sheriff, Co. Halton.
Sheriff's Office,
Milton, March 17th, 1887.

Credit Sale!

The unuersigned have received instructions from

MR. NEIL HUNTER,

To sell by Public Auction on Lot 12, Con. 2, N.D.S.,

TOWNSHIP OF NELSON,

ON

MONDAY, APRIL 11, '87,

The following Farm Stock, Implements, etc.:

HORSES—1 black Mare 6 yrs. old, 1 black Mare 5 yrs. old, in foal, 1 black Mare 4 yrs. old, 1 brown Horse, aged, 1 black Mare 4 yrs. old.

CATTLE, ETC.—6 fresh milch Cows, 3 Cows, to calve in October, 1 Heifer, 3 yrs. old, in calf, 3 fat Steers 3 yrs. old, 1 fat Heifer 3 yrs. old, 3 Steers coming 2 yrs. old, 3 Heifers coming 2 yrs. old, 3 Yearling Heifers, 1 yearling Steer, 1 yoke Oxen 7 years old, 8 Spring Calves, 9 ewes in lamb, 1 Brood Sow, 8 Small Pigs.

IMPLEMENTS, GRAIN, ETC.—1 Good Wagon, 1 Pair Cart Springs, 1 Set New Bob-Sleighs, 1 Buggy Pole and Shafts, New, 3 Cultivator Harrows, 1 Wheat Cultivator, 1 Iron Seed Harrow, 1 Set Wooden Harrows, 1 Horse Rake, 1 Rake Bar, 1 Mower, 1 Pulper, 1 Fanning Mill, 1 Rack Lifter complete, 3 Sets Whiffletrees, 2 Neckyokes, 1 Grain Cradle, 2 Scythes, 1 Pair Bellows, 1 Anvil and Blacksmith's Tools, 3 Sets Team Harness, 1 Set Plow Harness, 1 Set Single Harness, 26 Grain Bags, 150 Bushels of Peas, 100 Bushels of Oats, 20 Bushels Seed Barley, 200 Cedar Posts, 8 feet, 1 Hay Rack, 1 Grindstone, 1 Cross Cut Saw.

FURNITURE, ETC.—1 Coal Stove, 1 Bureau, 1 Sofa, 2 Tables, 2 Washstands, 1 Dressing Stand, 1 Rocking Chairs, 6 Spring Seated Chairs, 6 Cane Bottom Chairs, 2 Bedsteads, 2 Feather Beds.

SALE AT 12 O'CLOCK SHARP.

LUNCH PROVIDED.

TERMS.—$10 and under cash, over that amount 9 months' credit on approved joint notes, 7 per cent. per annum off for cash. Hay and grain to be cash.

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