

NEWS. RUSSIAN WAR. INTELLIGENCE.

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—A private despatch from London says:—A Paris despatch says that the armies of King William and Steinmetz are reported to be too severely crippled to assume the offensive, and it is given out on high authority that Bazaine was reinforced from Chirlon on Sunday, for the purpose of giving battle to the enemy near Metz. He is confident of success, when he will march on the army of the Crown Prince and rescue Paris.

The Prussian frigate "Bertha," 28 guns, has been captured by the French. A decisive PRUSSIAN VICTORY. London, Aug. 20.—The following is an official despatch of King William, dated Rezonville, Thursday evening:—"We have defeated the French under Bazaine after a battle which lasted ten hours. There were forty thousand killed and wounded. The garrison were taken prisoners. I commanded. The defeat of the French was complete. (Signed) "WILLIAM."

All private despatches to bankers agree precisely in terms regarding the victory of the Prussians. Ten thousand Prussian wounded have been sent to Berlin. Reports from Paris state that McMahon has succeeded in forming a junction with Bazaine, and that the latter has not abandoned his strong position near Metz.

The Germans on French soil have been reinforced, and now number 520,000. \$15,000 has already been raised by subscription, for the relief of the sufferers by the great fire near Ottawa.

SPECIAL NOTICE. ANNEXATION.—Frequent attempts have been made to convince Canadians that annexation to the neighboring Republic would be of inestimable advantage to their commercial interests. Hitherto whenever the subject has been mentioned to the people of Ontario, it secured only to strengthen their attachment to the old flag, and they are as eager to repudiate all idea of separation, and as loudly, as restored invalids praise the wonderful efficacy of the great Shonshooze Remedy. For sale by Drug Gists.

Guelph Markets. Daily Mercantile of Tuesday reports: Spring Wheat.....1 10 @ 1 15 Wool.....0 28 @ 0 29 Durham Markets. Fall Wheat.....0 80 @ 0 85 Spring Wheat.....0 75 @ 0 80 Oats.....0 00 @ 0 25 Peas.....0 37 @ 0 40 Flour.....4 50 @ 5 00 Butter.....0 00 @ 0 16 Lard per lb.....0 10 @ 0 10 Eggs.....5 00 @ 7 00 Hay.....0 25 @ 0 30 Potatoes.....0 20 @ 0 27

Stray Sheep. STRAYED from the premises of the subscriber, lot 23, con. 23, Egmont, sometime in May last, 5 sheep and three lambs. One ewe and her lamb are black. Any person giving information that will lead to their recovery will be suitably rewarded. CHARLES McQUEEN, Egmont, Aug. 16th, 1870.

PUBLIC NOTICE. The corporation of the township of Bentick, will at its first session, held four weeks after the first publication hereof, pass a By-law making a Deviation from the original road allowance at lot No. 21, 3rd con., S. D. R., said Deviation to be 19 links wide, and its bearings and distances are as follows: Commencing at a point situated on the southerly limit of said lot, and one chain and eighty-seven and one half links from the north-westerly angle of said lot No. 21, thence north 9 degrees and 20 minutes, west 10 chains, thence north 32 degrees, west 4 chains and 50 links, more or less, the sideroad allowance, said distance taken from the centre of road in the Deviation.

Beaver & Toronto Mutual Fire INSURANCE COMPANY. NOTICE. OUR District Agent, Mr. R. J. Doyle, having disposed with the services of Messrs. Charles T. Doyle and W. A. Doyle, of Owen Sound—the public are hereby notified that they are not authorized to do any business for this company, and that this company is in no way responsible for their acts. Signed W. T. O'REILLY, H. HANCOCK, Joint Secretaries. August 1st, 1870.

To the Farmers of Saugeen District. Referring to notice of Secretary of Beaver & Toronto Mutual Fire Insurance Company in this issue, we have to inform the public that Mr. R. J. Doyle dispensed with our services only when he could no longer retain them. We would advise all persons holding our receipts for premiums to pay no attention to any demands for the double payment of such premiums, as we have made returns for all monies collected by us, to R. J. Doyle with whom we have no further connection. We shall be happy to call upon all our patrons before the expiration of their policies to receive their application. As we send all applications direct to head office we can guarantee satisfaction. C. T. DOYLE, W. A. DOYLE, District Agent Beaver & Toronto Mutual Insurance Company, Owen Sound, Aug. 1st, 1870. 183-3.

Provincial Show. To be held in Toronto on the 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th of October, 1870. Entries of Horses and Cattle to be made on or before the 3rd of September. For Grain and Roots, on or before the 10th of September. Further particulars can be had on application to Presidents of Township Agricultural Societies. Intending exhibitors can have (free) printed forms and see prizes list on application to SAMUEL E. LEGATE, Sec. S. G. Agl. Society, Durham, July 27th, 1870.

Dissolution of Partnership. Notice is hereby given that the partnership subsisting between PARKER & CATTLE, as Chemists and Druggists, in Durham, Owen Sound and Goderich, has been dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership, in Durham, are to be paid to Hexay PARKER, who will continue the business—and all claims against said partnership in Durham, are to be presented to said Hexay PARKER, by whom they will be paid. Dated at Durham, this 19th day of July, 1870. 181-4f.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869. In the matter of THOMAS and WILLIAM SIBB, Insolvents. The undersigned, R. FINDLAY, have been appointed assignees in this matter. Creditors are notified to file their claims before me within one month. R. FINDLAY, Durham, Aug. 20th, 1870.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869. In the matter of THOMAS and WILLIAM SIBB, Insolvents. THE CREDITORS OF THE INSOLVENT, are notified to meet at my office, in the village of Durham, on Thursday, 22nd day of September, 1870, at one o'clock, p. m., for the examination of the inventory, and the ordering of the affairs of the estate. The insolvents are hereby notified to attend said meeting. R. FINDLAY, Durham, Aug. 20th, 1870.

Durham Brass Band. APPLICATION (in writing) will be received by the undersigned to 8 o'clock, p. m., of Tuesday, the 30th inst., for admission to membership in the Durham Brass Band. Instruments and instruction will be provided and the Band will meet in the Orange Hall at 8 p. m. of the above date to make final arrangements. J. W. McDONNELL, Secretary to Trustees, Durham, Aug. 24th, 1870.

Isaacs & Gray, TANNERS, SADDLERS, HARNESS MAKERS, DURHAM. Whips, Spurs, &c., always on hand. Jobbing done on short notice and in good style. Cash for Hides. Harness Shop opposite the Crown Land Office, Upper Town; Tannery on the corner of Lampton and Albany streets, Lower Town. Estray. STRAYED from the premises of the subscriber, lot 63, con. 3rd, W. G. R., Bentick, about the 1st of June, two yearling heifers, color red; both marked by a nick under the right ear. Any person returning them will receive \$4 for their trouble. JOSEPH MIGHTON, Bentick, Aug. 17th, 1870.

WILSON, BOWMAN & CO., SEWING MACHINE MANUFACTURERS, HAMILTON, ONT. Would call the attention of the readers of the DURHAM CHRONICLE to the fact that they are now manufacturing a NEW LOCK-STITCH SHUTTLE SEWING MACHINE, called after the inventor, Mr. C. F. Lockman, the LOCKMAN PATENT FAMILY SHUTTLE SEWING MACHINE, which has, in the short time during which it has been before the public, become WONDERFULLY POPULAR. Although only a little more than three months have elapsed since its first introduction, the "Lockman Patent" in that short space of time has found its way into over 1200 CANADIAN HOMES. A FEW WITHOUT PARALLEL in the Sewing Machine annals of the Dominion, if not of the world. So strong has the demand for their Machine become, that the manufacturers have been compelled to ENLARGE THEIR PREMISES, and INCREASE THEIR STOCK OF MACHINERY, to the extent of making the producing capacity of their Establishment SECOND TO NO OTHER IN THE DOMINION. The secret of the great success of the "Lockman Patent" is to be found in its EXTREME SIMPLICITY, GREAT DURABILITY, ADAPTABILITY, WONDERFUL CAPACITY, AND EXTRAORDINARY CHEAPNESS. Though notwithstanding this cheapness the WORKMANSHIP IS EXCELLENT, AND THE FINISH UNSURPASSED. By that of any other Machine. THE "LOCKMAN PATENT" Has all the attachments which have been found of use by long experience. EVERY MACHINE IS SENT OUT IN PERFECT WORKING ORDER, With all the usual accessories, and accompanied by FULL INSTRUCTIONS AS TO USE AND MANAGEMENT. CIRCULARS ARE SENT ANYWHERE, on application. CLERGYMEN Will be supplied with this excellent Machine AT A LIBERAL DISCOUNT. CONGREGATIONS Could offer no more acceptable a gift to their Minister than a "Lockman Patent" Sewing Machine. WILSON, BOWMAN & CO., HAMILTON, ONT. Agent for Durham and vicinity, F. H. Edwards.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. Money Found. FOUND, IN DURHAM, ON THE 19th INSTANT, a Pocket Book containing a sum of money. The owner claims it by proving property, and paying expense. Apply at this office. Durham, Aug. 23rd, 1870.

Farm to Rent. LOT No. 23, con. 18, Normanby, will be let for a number of years on easy terms. The farm contains 125 acres, 105 of which are cleared, well fenced, watered, and in a high state of cultivation, with a good young bearing orchard. For full particulars apply on the premises to JOSEPH DERBY, Aug. 23rd, 1870. 186-3.

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1870. FARMERS of the County of Grey, we are now Manufacturing a large QUANTITY OF THE SAME Reaping & Mowing Machines that received the first prize at the great CONTEST AT WALKERBURY, LAST FALL, with or without Satisfaction guaranteed. All orders by Mail will receive prompt attention. A. & A. COCHRANE, DURHAM FOUNDRY, May 17th, 1870. FURNITURE! AT PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES. G. J. MATTHEWS & SON, (WARE-ROOM OPPOSITE THE ARGYLE HOTEL, DURHAM.) Have now on hand a large assortment of all kinds of Furniture, consisting of: BUREAUS, CUPBOARDS, BEDSTEADS, CHAIRS, SOFAS, TABLES, &c., which they will sell AT MUCH LOWER PRICES! than have hitherto been sold for in Durham. Orders for Repairing will receive prompt attention. All kinds of TURNING executed with Neatness and Despatch. SPINNING WHEELS & REELS OF EVERY DESCRIPTION. If you want Furniture or anything in our line give us a call. It will pay you. Suitable Lumber will be taken in exchange for work. G. J. MATTHEWS & SON, Durham, June 14th, 1870.

REMOVABLE! Direct Importations. THE subscriber begs to inform his numerous customers and general public, that he has removed his business from one door south of the Foundry, to the more commodious building, situated one door north of said Foundry, where he is prepared to do business as usual, only with a much larger stock of goods, and hopes by strict attention to business and reasonable charging to receive a share of public patronage. The best of work; no Apprentices or Quack Mechanics Employed! The subscriber manufactures a kind of Collar which can be recommended for safety to horses, and which has proved its superiority over the Scotch Collar. They have been thoroughly tested by and are now in use on the Durham and Collingwood Stage Line. Any person in doubt can refer to Mr. R. H. MINTON, proprietor of the said line.—Reference might be made to many others but the above named gentlemen has more of them in use than any other man in the county. The Scotch Collar manufactured according to none. CARRIAGE TRIMMING done on short notice and in any style desired. CONDENSED CATALOGUE OF GOODS CONSTANTLY ON HAND: Japanese Team Harness; Brass Team Harness; C Plate Harness; 1 The Team Harness; 1 Tug Team Harness; Japanese Single Harness; C Plate Single Harness; Brass Single Harness; Silver Single Harness; Riding Saddles, all kinds; Riding Bridles and Martingales; Team Whips, Buggy Whips and Stage Whips, of all kinds and quality, in abundance, also a few English Oak Halters; Cotton Fly Nets; Worsted Fly Nets; Worsted Ear Nets; Suits of Horse Clothing; Frank Miller's prepared Harness Oil, the only oil to preserve the stitching and leather. The Best Stock of TRUNKS in South Crey, varying in price from 2.50 to \$14.00. The patent adjusting Hame with safety ring, which can be made to fit any horse by raising or lowering the draft; CURRY COMBS, CARDS, BRUSHES and MANE COMBS. A call from all is solicited. J. C. GRIFFITH, DURHAM, July 13th, 1870.

GREAT BARGAINS! Just Arrived from GLASGOW, EX STEAMSHIPS Australia & Europa; An Immense Stock of New and Fashionable Spring and Summer Dress Goods. A large stock of Staple goods in SHIRTINGS, SHEETINGS, TOWELLINGS, TICKINGS, GRAY & BLEACHED COTTONS, CHECKS, DENIMS, HOLLANDS, CARPETINGS, &c., &c. VERY CHEAP. A large stock of PRINTS & GINGAMS, IN SHAWL PATTERNS; SILK CHECKS, PURPLE PADS, &c., &c. BRILLIANT & FURNITURE PRINTS, NEW STYLES. A large stock of LADIES' SUMMER DRESS GOODS, in all the New Shades and Colors. SHAWLS, MANTLE CLOTHS, and all kinds of Trimmings. A large stock of MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS. In endless variety FLOWERS & FEATHERS, ORNAMENTS, RIBBONS, &c., in all the Novelties of the Season very cheap. New Groceries just Received. NEW HARDWARE just opened out.

New Styles Ready-Made Clothing. At unusual Large Stock of Boots and Shoes. N. G. & J. M'KECHNIE, LOWER TOWN, NEAR THE POST-OFFICE. SPLENDID FARM FOR SALE. For sale, lot 13, con. 7, Glenelg, comprising 100 acres, 60 of which are cleared, well watered and fenced, with a good House, Barn, Stable and an Orchard of 100 Trees thereon. Also 50 acres, East half of lot 13, con. 6th, Glenelg, from 8 to 10 acres cleared. The above property will be sold cheap, and clear deed given.— Terms easy. For particulars apply to ABRAM GOLD, at the Durham Ashery, or to ABRAM COOK, lot 7, con. 6, Glenelg. (\$300 Reward! The subscribers will pay the above amount to any person giving information, that will lead to the detection and conviction of the person or persons, who caused the destruction, by fire, of our tannery, on the morning of the 6th of June last. T. & J. R. SMITH, Durham, July 20th, 1870. NEW BOOKS! NEW BOOKS!! Just received at F. H. EDWARDS' Book and Fancy Goods Store, a few copies of Dravell's latest novel "LOTHAIR," a few copies of Wilkie Collins' latest novel "MAN AND WIFE," Mrs. Southworth's latest novel "FAMILY DOOM, OR SIN OF A COUNTESS." Also a large lot of the "CANADIAN GIRL OF THE PERIOD" Song Book, containing all the new and popular songs of the day. WILD AND IMPROVED Lands for Sale, BUILDING LOTS. MONEY TO LOAN. THOS. DIXON, Barrister-at-Law, Lower Town, Durham.

Spring Goods. New Styles Ready-Made Clothing Boots and Shoes. Sharp's Garden Seeds. CLOVER SEED. AT M. FRASER'S STORE, LOWER VILLAGE, DURHAM. A CARD. WM. A. ANDERSON, in returning thanks to his patrons and the public generally for past favors, begs to inform them that he is now carrying on the WAGON & CARRIAGE BUSINESS under the superintendence of Mr. Wm. ANDERSON, and that all work will be marked as usual, "ANDERSON & ANDERSON." WM. A. ANDERSON, Blacksmith, Upper Town, Durham, Durham, Dec. 1st, 1869. OPENED OUT AT A. C. M'KENZIE'S A CHOICE SELECTION OF DRY-GOODS, GROCERIES, HATS & CAPS, Crockery, Glassware, Clothing, &c., All of which will be sold at a small advance on COST. PARKER'S TICK KILLER! Is an effective destroyer of Ticks on Sheep, also a preventative against the Fly and Scab during the hot Summer months. It greatly improves the QUALITY and QUANTITY of the Wool, and that at a trifling cost. It has been long and favorably known in GREAT BRITAIN, and it is confidently anticipated, that upon trial it will enjoy as favorable a reputation in Canada. H. PARKER, DURHAM.

Parker's Column. H. PARKER, (LATE PARKER & CATTLE.) Established in Canada 1856! DEALER IN PURE DRUGS AND Chemicals, Perfumery and Toilet Preparations, Combs, Brushes, Fancy Goods, &c., &c. PATENT MEDICINES. DYESTUFFS of every description and reliable in quality. LIQUID DYES. PAINTS AND PAINTERS' MATERIAL, supplied at low rates. VARNISHES! Best Turpentine Varnish \$1.50 per can. Fire Proof Paint! Various Colors. LUBRICATING OILS, Olive, Elephant, Seal and Crude Oil, MOTT'S MACHINE OIL, Cheap; used by Millers, Threshers, &c. Coal Oil AND LAMPS, TANNERS' OIL, TAR, PITCH, PUTTY, RESIN, AXLE GREASE, &c. Teas! Teas!! Strength, Flavor and Quality unsurpassed. Prices moderate. TOBACCOES AND CIGARS! COFFEE Roasted and Ground on the premises. GLASS FRUIT JARS. VINEGARS, British, Malt, French and Canadian. PURE ESSENCES, FLAVORING EXTRACTS, SPICES, PICKLES, HOPS, &c., &c. WINES & LIQUORS comprising all noted brands, in wood and bottle. MOLSON'S CELEBRATED ALE in any quantity. WEAVERS' SUPPLIES! Physicians' Prescriptions, and Family Recipes exactly compounded, and promptly attended to. H. PARKER, DURHAM.

Direct Importations. FROM GLASGOW AND MANCHESTER, EX STEAMSHIPS THE UNDERSIGNED IS THIS DAY OPENING OUT AN IMMENSE STOCK OF DRY-GOODS, Imported direct from the best European Markets, which he intends to sell at very low rates. As his Stock is the largest ever offered here, and consists principally of Staple Goods, he has decided to offer Special rates to large Buyers. Inspection invited. Factory Cotton very cheap by the piece. J. H. HUNTER, DURHAM, April 20th, 1870. Spring Goods. New Styles Ready-Made Clothing Boots and Shoes. Sharp's Garden Seeds. CLOVER SEED. AT M. FRASER'S STORE, LOWER VILLAGE, DURHAM. A CARD. WM. A. ANDERSON, in returning thanks to his patrons and the public generally for past favors, begs to inform them that he is now carrying on the WAGON & CARRIAGE BUSINESS under the superintendence of Mr. Wm. ANDERSON, and that all work will be marked as usual, "ANDERSON & ANDERSON." WM. A. ANDERSON, Blacksmith, Upper Town, Durham, Durham, Dec. 1st, 1869. OPENED OUT AT A. C. M'KENZIE'S A CHOICE SELECTION OF DRY-GOODS, GROCERIES, HATS & CAPS, Crockery, Glassware, Clothing, &c., All of which will be sold at a small advance on COST. PARKER'S TICK KILLER! Is an effective destroyer of Ticks on Sheep, also a preventative against the Fly and Scab during the hot Summer months. It greatly improves the QUALITY and QUANTITY of the Wool, and that at a trifling cost. It has been long and favorably known in GREAT BRITAIN, and it is confidently anticipated, that upon trial it will enjoy as favorable a reputation in Canada. H. PARKER, DURHAM.