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10TH AND 11TH AUGUST,
LINTZ GREEN STATION. 7189

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Shotley Bridge, October 9, 1870. 24

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Business Announcements.

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Castle C	CLARET..	1/6	18/	Castle A	SAUTERNE	1/3	15/
Castle D	CLARET..	2/	24/	Castle B	SAUTERNE	2/	24/
Castle 1	RED BURGUNDY ..	1/3	15/	Castle A	WHITE HUNGARIAN ..	1/6	18/
Castle 2	RED BURGUNDY ..	1/6	18/	Castle B	WHITE HUNGARIAN ..	1/9	21/
Castle 1	KARLOWITZ HUNGARIAN	1/6	18/	Castle A	HOCK *(Still)*	1/6	18/
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Castle 3	*Fruity* CHAMPAGNE ..	3/9	45/	Castle 5	*Dry* CHAMPAGNE ..	5/9	69/
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OUR LONDON CORRESPONDENT.

The splendid indiscretion, the magnificent blunder, which Mr. Samuel Plimsoll, M.P. for Derby, made when he shook his fist at the members on both sides of the House, pooh-poohed that awful functionary the speaker, threw a protest on the table, and walked out in huff—all this has had had none but satisfactory consequences. He has apologized; his apology has been accepted; he has received congratulations by the score; and the legislation for which he has laboured so zealously seems to be in a fair way of accomplishment—first by a compromising and temporary measure, and next session, if all be well, either by a Bill of his own or by a Government measure, of much the same character. I think it would now be well for Mr. Plimsoll to have a little rest—to retire to some country nook for a few weeks, anywhere so that it is not at the sea-side, and confide his mission and his task for a time to some paid secretary. In saying this, it is just because I merely wish him to acquire more power by giving himself the refreshment of relaxation, so that he may renew his labours in a few weeks with fresh vigour.

The international banquet at the Guildhall, at which so many mayors, burgomasters, and municipal officials of all kinds were present, was no doubt a very pleasant affair for those who assisted at it, but I am rather surprised at some of the papers making so much of it. It was after all but an inter-municipal gathering which meant nothing but a luxurious banquet and some after-dinner speeches. And these orations were wonderfully similar. There was family likeness throughout. All the speakers dialated more or less on international friendship and the virtues of local self-government. Apropos of these speeches it is rather remarkable, and not highly honourable to the British press that there were no reporters present who could takes notes of the speech of the Prefect of the Seine in French, and that of Signor Venture, the Syndic of Rome in Italian. For such reports of these orations as we have we are indebted to the speakers themselves. It is worthy of remark also that the old feud about precedency made itself apparent at this friendly banquet.

The Lord Mayor, in toasting "the municipal representatives of the United Kingdom," coupled with the toast the names of the Provost of Edinburgh, the Lord Mayor of Dublin, and the Lord Mayor of York—putting Scotland before Ireland, you see. But the Lord Mayor of Dublin gave himeself the precedency over the Provost, and was the first to respond. In the course of his speech he gave a slight hit at the Lord Provost thus: "Speaking as I do in the presence of the representative of the modern Athens, I will say," &c. When the Dublin magnate had sat down uprose the Lord Provost, and commenced his speech thus: "Although you mentioned in your opening speech that Scotland should have prominence, yet afterwards, upon sober reflection, you gave it to Ireland. I am not here at the present time to make this a battle-field of precedence between Ireland and Scotland, because when I heard your remarks I immediately sat down and in honour of the Lord Mayor of London I gave precedence to Ireland. "This is very delicately put, and "it is a very pretty quarrel as it stands; we should only spoil it by trying to explain it," as Sheridan says in his "Rivals." We may depend upon it, however, that the friends of these municipal rivals will not let the matter rest here.

Money is cheaper and the use of it can be obtained upon easier conditions than ever, and yet failures are more numerous and the feeling in the city is decidedly uneasy. I never hear such rumours as are now floating about in ordinary conversation without sharing the general belief, that before the air is cleared again there will be some ugly "smashes." It is said that the "suspension" (this is the polite phrase used in America for the less-euphonious term of Bankruptcy, of which we have lately here been taught too well the significant meaning) of the bankers Duncan, Sherman, & Co., across the Atlantic will seriously compromise "houses" here, which houses will again compromise other houses, and so one spreading in every circle difficulty, doubt, and dissatisfaction and heavy disasters. The rehearsal too of the first acts in the drama in which the names of the brothers Collie have been so conspicuous among the dramatic persons, has not proved very re-assuring, for it is feared that the Bankrupts will only be able to pay half-a-crown in the pound, and then the scandalous revelations made by the report of the Select Committee on the Loans to Foreign States strengthens the feeling of discrust which effects all commercial relations. A week of sunshine has restored sanguine harvest expectations; and if only half the crop of hay has been saved from the floods, it is thought in the abundant premise of cereal crops we shall find more than ample compensation.

The South-Eastern Railway shareholders have agreed to pay ~~any~~ money not exceeding £20,000 towards the preliminary expenses of the Channel Tunnel scheme. It is understood that the London, Chatham, and Dover directors will recommend a similar grant. If so there is some prospect of the project being commenced in earnest, and it is almost time that it was, for English and French engineers have been planning, experimenting, and arguing about it for years. If ever this tunnel should be accomplished, it will produce an immense effect on the communication between England and the Continent. It will be curious too in one respect. As the Isthmus of Suez made Africa an island, so this railway will make England and Scotland cease to be an island. But England and France, it may be said, will still be separated by the Channel. Just so, but it will be joined by the Channel Tunnel. This tunnel will be on the bed of the ocean—that is, on land, the tunnel itself will be made of brick—which is burnt clay—that is baked earth or land, and in fact land will be united to land by land. Q.E.D. But long before this tunnel is made, if it ever is, it may be hoped that the Bessemer saloon steamer may prove a success, and thus obviate sea-sickness, which now immensely lessens continental communication, the French being even more afraid of it than we are. It is said that on the channel steamers there are basins—Oh, the horrid suggestiveness of that word!—provided for two-thirds of the passengers, but that on the Bessemer steamer not one has had to be placed in the saloon. I confess, however that I want a little further information on this point. The Bessemer I hope will prove a success, but it is not so yet. As to the twin vessel the Castalia, there is something mysterious about her protracted absence from the ever-vexed Straits of Dover, but Captain Dicey is still said to be sanguine of her success.

So far as people in London have taken an interest in the Hartlepool election, I think the General feeling is one of gratification that Mr. Ahmed Kenealy is not only unsuccessful but, if I may be allowed the expression, very much at the bottom of the pole. It would be best for him now, so far as politics are concerned, to preserve an Ahmed neutrality. We do not want another Kenealy in Parliament. In fact one is one too many.

The beautiful memorial in carrara marble by Noble, from design by Sir Gilbert Scott intended by the late Lady Franklin to remind the nation of the heroic discoverer, her husband, whom she loved with such true womanly devotion, attracts a great number of visitors to Westminister Abbey. It is a beautiful work of art, the statuary bust being remarkably expressive of those qualities of firmness and benevolence—distinguishing traits in Sir John Franklin's noble character. The monument is also interesting as bearing some fine lines by the Poet Laureate:—

"Not here: the White North has thy bones, and thou,
Heroic Sailor-Soul,
Art passing on thine happier voyage now,
Towards no earthly pole."

Thus with a few characteristic touches which Tennyson only among the poets could give, we have recalled to us in four lines the life, the aim, and reward of one of the bravest sailors that have ever walked the quarter-deck.

I see a rather good *mot* in a French newspaper. A thief was brought before the Correctional Police in Paris, and, being found guilty he was sentenced to five years' imprisonment, followed by five years' police supervision. Hereupon the prisoner, in thoroughly French style, addressed the Judge, "Mon President, if it is all the same to you, I would rather have the supervision first." And here is a good story that you may not have seen. A clergyman has just died of whom it is related that he was reproved by the late Bishop of Oxford. Dr. Wilberforce told the clergyman that it was wrong for him to go hunting. "I don't think it is worse" said the rev. gentleman, "than going to balls, and I see that your lordship was at one of the Queen's State balls." "That's true," said the Bishop, "but I was not in the same room as the dancers." "And as to me," was the repartee, "I ride such bad cattle that I am never in the same field with the hounds."—

SKETCHES, SOCIAL AND DESCRIPTIVE.

No. 2.—AT THE OVAL.

Warm sunny skies, and hot dusty pavements. A thick dreamy haze hanging over the Nelson Column, and Trafalgar Square a perfect blaze of vehicles. There they go, rattling down Cockspur Street, creeping lazily past Charing Cross, or merrily dashing northwards into the mazy intricacies of the Seven Dials. Whitehall corner is all in a roar. "This way for Brixton, sir." "Brompton 'bus," "vants to go to Camberwell, sir! 'ere you hare, hall the vay hinside for sixpence" shouts an apoplectic old 'bus conductor, seizing me by the coat sleeve, and testing very severely the staying qualities of my last three guinea suit. "St. Pauls, Mansion 'ouse, and Bank of Hingland," screams a rival, and every conceivable district and suburb of the great metropolis is bellowed forth with every possible variety of tone and pitch, while umbrellas, hat-boxes, band-boxes, brown paper parcels, bundles, and old women are tossed about, appropriated, claimed, and disputed with the most laudable zeal and activity. Indecision is fatal. Conductors seize upon wool-gatherers as their lawful prey. They hurry them into their portable prison-houses, disdaining all explanations, and whisk them off to Hampstead, Hackney, or Pentonville before they regain the shattered germs of their wandering consciousnesses. Here, said Dr. Johnson, was the full tide of human life, ebbing, and flowing, and churning, and seething with monotonous yet everchanging din. And now as then—while the endless roar may awaken strange memories in the breast of the stone hero mounting his solitary guard upon yonder column, memories of Copenhagen, and Trafalgar, and the death shower whistling over the "Victory;" and while the massive lions couchant beneath may prick their ears, and shake their shaggy manes in sage displeasure:—now as then the tide of human life flows full and strong; while the struggling waves of joy and sorrow, and health and sickness, and plenty and direful want do desperate battle in the lists and bloody vantage ground of human action.

A vigorous push from behind awakes me from any reverie. Some unseen impulse bears me upward, and a moment later I find myself sprawling upon the top of an omnibus among several pairs of feet and legs, to the evident disgust of the proprietors. I venture to expostulate, but "all right, sir! Clapham, sir! Clapham and the Oval, sir!" reassures me, and I gather myself together again, with all the dignity of offended virtue, and cheerfully await my doom. Rubicund holiday seekers buoy me up on either side, while legal elbows, as sharp as needles, and whitted by the conscious charge of the professional umbrella, form anything but a desirable backboard. "Heigho" shouts the conductor, "yaa-hee" sneezes the driver, and off we go. Down Whitehall, past Scotland yard and the heavy lumbering Government offices, right under the Houses of Parliament from which old Ben booms forth his gloomy indications of the flight of time. Over Westminister Bridge, with the majestic Thames rolling beneath us, flanked by the embankment and Somerset House, with the noble dome of St. Pauls rising in grand relief in the background; while skiffs and barges, and rushing little imps of river steamers, crowded with passenger, shoot and countershoot from many a slip and jetty. Past Astleys, where we think of old Ducrow, and his marvellous feats of horsemanship: and on, on, on to the Horns at Kennington, with the shrubs and flower parterres blooming freshly in Kennington Green Park. But a step or two further and "Oval, sir!" shouts the driver. Down we get, stunned and bewildered, and see the gay flags waving over the Surrey cricket ground. Through the clicking tell-tale gate, round by the Tennis Court, and so on to the venerable sward, dear and sacred as Marathon to the heart of every collegian.

The turf is hard and dry, the trampled grass scorched and withered in the broiling sun. Hundreds of happy faces crowd round the pavilion and refreshment bar, and form a dense compact ring beyond the playing boundaries. Long strips of gaily tenanted forms and campstools line the circle, where flushed and sunburnt faces seek the friendly shade of some unobtrusive umbrella, or guaff, with eager lips, deep drafts from the proffered wealth of some frothy flask or flagon. Miniature clouds and wreaths of tobacco smoke curl upwards in aerial mockery, while cricketers' guides, scoring cards, and opera-glasses are plied and counterplied with the most unflagging zeal and interest. Not much chance of a good place here, I think, for late comers: however, we manage to squeeze in between two corpulent but compressible individuals, whose capacious waistcoats had loomed forth upon our desponding gaze with the stern promise of an unfulfilled solidity, and utterly deceptive acreage. They were stomachs of a pharisaic type, padded, I have good reason to believe.

"Gentlemen and players, sir! Card, sir! C'rrect state of the game, sir!" screams an urchin, and I am provided with a square bit of pasteboard, from which I glean that W. G. Grace and Mr. Longman are batting, and wearying out the combined efforts of Shaw and Southerton for their overthrow. The leather trundles merrily over the turf, closely followed by the agitated form of some gasping professional. There it goes again. "Taken, sir!" bellows forth some old university man in the pavilion. "Well hit, sir!" is volleyed from various cricket divinities about the field, and a shout of applause runs round and round the ring. The lazy city clerk with his pipe in his mouth and *Bell's Life* in his pocket almost feels inclined to raise his head. The effort is too great, however, and he relinquishes the idea, until the cry of "bowled sir!" dispels his apathy, and he sees the crest-fallen Cantab retiring to the pavilion, there to receive the sarcastic sympathies of his fellow martyrs.

What a feast to the student of human nature is such a scene. Look at John and Mary there, decked out in all the faded finery of Lambeth Marsh. Mary's a knowing little thing. She has scored a point or two herself to-day already. She knows nothing about cricket, not she, and cares as little, But look with what interest she watches every hit. See how she claps her tiny hands, and waves her scented pocket-handkerchief in a perfect flutter of cambric appreciation. And see with what artless starts of surprise she presses close to John, and convulsively clutches at his arm, hiding her roguish face in his shoulder, prouder of its decoration than an officer of his epaulettes. What a sly little witch it is. And John, delighted at finding tastes so congenial to his own, makes a sudden resolution, and says something on the way home that amply recompenses her for all her trouble. Silly John! Naughty Mary!

Look here again at this portly old cynic. With broad-brimmed straw hat, and capacious shooting coat, and brilliantly-flowered stock tightly folded round the uncertain confines of a rosy streaked and straggling chin, he looks the very embodiment of the emblematic virtues of roast beef and strong October ale. He was a good cricketer himself once, and well remembers the days of Pilch and Pickering and Mynn and old Lillywhite, so how could he but view the performances of the present generation with a wholesome and sincere contempt. "Ah!" he says, "Cricket is a goin' down. Vy, 'oos yer Graces? Ve vos hall Graces," and he shakes his head sagely, to the intense delight and gratification of the bystanders. Poor old soul! let him take his jibe. Twenty years hence we may say and think as he does, when the golden haze of life's meridian is past, and when stalwart men are keeping up the traditionary glories of the oval, who at present are taking an airing in the smallest possible of frocks and pinnafores, on the breezy opens of Clapham Common or Camberwell Green.

Here, again, are a noisy group of young Harovians. Tall and lanky boys, swiftly growing out of their summer suits, and short and dumpy boys, whose compression into the scanty limits of tweed or broadcloth seems a perfect marvel of ingenuity. They affect a manly indifference to lollypops, and turn sneeringly aside from the tempting stalls of itinerant vendors of sweet stuff. But, were the truth only known, they dare not trust themselves to too long a gaze, lest the natural cravings of a vicious appetite should overcome the stoical abandonment of so pernicious a pleasure. Like most boys under the first enlightening influences of long tail coats, they are cricket mad at present, and think Gladstone and D'Israeli "duffers" compared with Tapp and Pooley, sir!" In after years they will look back to those long days of pleasure unalloyed, and would gladly barter titles, and distinction, and wealth, and honour, and fame for one full breath of the pure and happy current of light-hearted joy, for one strong throb of the warm and ardent blood, buoyantly beating through their youthful veins, or for one flushing glimpse along the brightly-coloured vista of a sunny and successful future, that warms the heart of tender years to noble aspirations, and animates the mind to grapple with the corroding fingers of time. But it is not to be. "O lacrymarum fons!" We ripen, wither, and waste away; and the place that knew us knows us no more.

The news vendors ply a busy trade here. "*Standard*, sir! *Daily News*, *Daily Telegraph*," proceed severally from the unmelodious throats of youthful speculators, and *Haco* puzzles us for a time; no relation of the respectable Norweigian who received such a warm reception on the Ayrshire coast, but the veritable *Echo* of London newspapers itself. Poor pale boys, with their shoes down at heel and their coats out at elbow, wearily struggling along the dusty highways of human life, gleaning a scanty subsistence from the chance curiosity or pity of some more favoured wayfarer. Many a sad tale of want and hardship do the poor pinched features of those little newsboys tell.

Hullo! half-past six! play's over for the day, and a whole host of onlookers swarm over the turf, and inspect the wicket with critical eyes. Many, fired with a sudden ambition, make imaginary cuts and drives to their own personal gratification, and the no small annoyance of any chance individual who, by an illjudged proximity to the offender, may intercept the performance. Gradually the mass sweeps homeward, and among them I pursue my humble walk, saddened by the inevitable thought that all the glory of youth, and pleasure, and light-heartedness are but gilded patches upon the tinsel curtain of human life, behind whose mocking drapery I have already cast a dreary glance.

H. M.

Blackhill, August, 1875.

SOME GOOD HINTS TO FATHERS AND MOTHERS ON THE RIGHT TRAINING OF THEIR BOYS.

A gentleman once advertised for a boy to assist him in his office, and nearly fifty applied for the place. Out of the whole number he in a short time chose one, and sent the rest away.

"I should like to know," said a friend, "on what ground you selected that boy. He had not a single recommendation with him."

"You are mistaken," said the gentleman; "he had a great many:—

"He wiped his feet when he came in, and closed the door after him; showing that he was orderly and tidy.

"He gave up his seat instantly to that lame old man; showing that he was kind and thoughful.

"He took off his cap when he came in, and answered my questions promptly and respectfully; showing that he was polite.

"He lifted up the book which I had purposely laid on the floor, and placed it on the table, while all the rest stepped over it, or thrust it aside; showing that he was careful.

"And he waited quietly for his turn, instead of pushing the others away showing that he was modest.

"When I talked with him, I noticed that his clothes were carefully brushed, his hair in nice order, and his teeth as white as milk. When he wrote his name, I observed that his finger nails were clean, instead of being tipped with jet like the handsome little fellow's in the blue jacket.

"Don't you call these things letters of recommendation? I do; and what I can learn about a boy by using my eyes for ten minutes, is worth more than all the fine letters he can bring me."—*The British Workman.*

The Wages Question in the Iron Trade.—On Tuesday, the South Staffordshire Conciliation Board met in Wolverhampton, and determined that puddlers should work at 9s. a ton, and other iron work operatives, in proportion, until Christmas. A sub-committee was appointed to visit the North of England, to discover the differences in the mode of working between the two districts, with a view to rendering uniform the conditions of employment in the north and south. The alterations, whatever they may be, come into effect on the 23rd inst.

TRIPLE EXECUTION IN DURHAM GAOL.

On Monday morning three human beings were hanged within the walls of Durham Prison in vindication of the majesty of the law which they had outraged, making in all twelve persons who have suffered death in the city of Durham since public executions were abolished. The crimes for which they suffered were all of a serious kind, and two of them showed in an eminent degree the brutality and recklessness of human life existing amongst the low Irish. In one case one man was searched for by a party of seven, and when found attacked, and cruelly murdered; and in the other case, a man, while in a state of unconsciousness, was thrown into the river Tees by one of his own countrymen, whilst others of his own nationality looked on and forbore to raise their voices or their hands in his defence. The third case was one peculiarly revolting. A woman having made deliberate preparation for the accomplishment of her fell purpose, poisoned her uncle, with whom she had lived, and who had always appeared to treat her with confidence and affection. The persons who so forfeited their lives to the law were:—Elizabeth Pearson (28), married woman, for the murder of James Watson, at Gainford, on the 15th March last. Michael Gilligan (22), for the wilful murder of John Kilcran, at Darlington, on the 28th March last; and William McHugh (36), hawker, for the wilful murder of Thomas Mooney, at Barnard Castle, on the 11th April last.

THE UTAH MASSACRE.

EXTRAORDINARY REVELATIONS.

The New York journals of the 24th ult., received at Cork on Monday evening, bring details of the trial of John D. Lee, one of the Mormon chiefs at Beaver, in Utah, for participation in the massacre of the emigrants at Mountain Meadows in 1857. On that occasion a party of over 100 emigrants, who were penetrating into the Mormon country, were surrounded at Mountain Meadows, by the Navoo Legion and the Indians, and, after a three days' fight, were decoyed out of an entrenchment of their waggons, and were murdered. The crime remained involved in obscurity till a year ago, when the United States authorities in Utah obtained information, on which the prosecution against Lee and several others of the Mormon leaders have been instituted. The chief witness for the prosecution in Lee's case is Phillip Klingen Smith, against whom an indictment was found, but who has been accepted as an approver. He states that the Mormon elders were unwilling to allow the emigrants to come among them, and that the massacre was concerted at high council of the bishops and elders:—"Lee was the leader in the massacre. The Navoo Legion, assisted by Indians, attacked the emigrants, but after three days' fighting were unable to destroy them, the emigrants having entrenched themselves. Lee called me out for consultation. He told me the situation. The emigrants, he said, were strongly fortified. There was no chance of getting them out. Higbee then gave orders to decoy them out the best way they could. This was agreed to, and the command was given to John D. Lee to carry out the whole plan. They went to the camp. Lee placed all the soldiers in a hollow square, and addressed them. They were all white men, about fifty in all. The Indians were in another camp. It was the Navoo Legion, organised from ten up to one hundred. We marched in sight of the emigrants, and either Bateman or Lee went out with a white flag. A man from the emigrants met them. Lee and the man sat down on the grass, and had a talk. Don't know what the talk was about. Lee went with the man into the entrenchment. After some hours they came out, and the emigrants came up with the wounded in waggons ahead. The wounded were those hurt in the three days' previous fight. Next came the women, and next the men. As the emigrants came up the men halted, and the women on foot, with the children and wounded, went on ahead with John D. Lee. The soldiers had to be all ready to shoot at the word. When the word "Halt" came the soldiers fired. I fired once. They were not all killed by the first shot. Saw the women and children afterwards dead, with their throats cut. I saw as I came up to them a man kill a young girl. Heard the emigrants congratulated on their safety from the Indians. No emigrants escaped. Saw soldiers on horses to take on the wing those who ran. Saw a man run. Saw Bill Stewart on a horse go after one, and kill him. Saw one wounded man beg for his life, but Higbee cut his throat. The man said, 'I would not do this to you, Higbee.' He knew him. After I fired, I was told to gather up little children. As I went, I saw a woman running towards the men crying 'My husband, my husband.' A soldier shot her in the back, and she fell dead. As I went on I found the wounded that were in the waggons all out on the ground, with their throats cut. I went on and found some children and put them in a waggon, and took them to Hamblin's house. The children were well-treated, and I believe good places were obtained for them."

The question of allowing the statements of the co-conspirators as to the disposal of the emigrants' property after the massacre was then argued for an hour. The court held it admissible. During the argument, Sutherland, for the defence, said it was an attempt to fix the crime on some one else, Lee being only the figurehead. Baskin, for the prosecution, replied he wanted but the truth, whoever it implicated, and that Sutherland feared his real client would be reached. (Decided sensation, it being known that Brigham Young was meant.)

Witness then resumed: After six days Haight sent me to the Iron Springs, where the waggons cattle, and goods of the emigrants were, to get them and put them in the Tithing House. I was to brand the cattle I found there. I put the goods in the Church Tithing House cellar, and left the waggon in front of the Tithing Office. I branded the cattle with the church brand—a cross.

The case had not concluded on the 23rd.

On Tuesday, at the Jarrow Petty Sessions, Bartholomew Feeney was sentenced to a month's imprisonment with hard labour, for indecently exposing himself to Catherine Milmore, a married woman, at Jarrow on the 25th ult.

Service of Song.—On Tuesday night, a service of song was given in the reading room at the Springwell Paper Mill, by Mr. Hugh Gunn's U.P. Sunday School Choir. The chair was occupied by Mr. John Ring. The piece selected was "Daniel;" the connectional readings were given by Mr. Wm. Thompson, and the harmonium was presided over by Miss. Hill, with her usual taste and ability. The service was given in aid of the Paper Mill Sunday School Fund.

An Unseaworthy Ship.—Fifteen seaman, all Englishmen, were on Monday marched in custody through Plymouth, charged with refusing to proceed in the Sunbeam of South Shields, Capt. John Dalzail. They pleaded that she was unseaworthy, and they were afraid to cross the Atlantic. A survey was made by Board of Trade Surveyor, who reported on Tuesday to the magistrates that the vessel was so unsound, rotten, and unsafe in the parts he had examined that he had stopped the survey, and should detain her as hopelessly unseaworthy. The seaman were released from the lock-up, where they had pased the night.—The Sunbeam is a ship of 983 tons register and is registered as belonging to South Shields, with Mr. Alfred Dobell, of Georgia, U. S., as owner. Mr. Dobell has offices and a place of business in Liverpool. The ship was built in Medford, U. S., in the year 1845 and had recently come to England from Quebec, for which port she was to have sailed this week.

INTERMENT OF CAPTAIN ALLISON.

On Saturday afternoon, the remains of Captain Thomas Allison, 1st Newcastle Engineers, were interred in Jesmond Old Cemetery, Newcastle, with every mark of private and public respect. The deceased gentleman, who was in his 32nd year, was closely connected not only with the volunteer movement, but with several public bodies in the town. His unvarying courtesy and generosity of disposition endeared him to all with whom he came in contact. His premature and unexpected death excited the deepest feelings of sorrow, and an evidence of this was afforded by the extent of the funeral procession, in which it was calculated that upwards of 4,000 persons took part. The procession, which was fully a mile in length, moved from deceased's residence, 9, Normanby Terrace, Gateshead, about three o'clock in the afternoon, and took the following order:—Firing party, 1st Newcastle Engineers, under command of Captain Clough. Band of 1st Newcastle Engineers. Body in oak coffin, covered with union jack, strewed with flowers, and bearing the sword, hat, and belts of deceased. The coffin was placed on a gun carriage of the 16th Brigade of the Royal Artillery. Military pall bearers: Dr Cooke, Gateshead; Lieut. Collins, Lieut. Barney, Lieut. Johnson, and Quartermaster Gregory. Civil pall bearers: Mr. E. Horsley, jun., Mr. R. Yellowley, Mr. E. Nesbit, Mr. J. Anderson, and Mr. David Sinclair. First mourning coach containing Masters Richard and Thomas Allison, sons of deceased; Mr. John Allison, Mr. Wm. Carr, Mr. P. Carr, Thomas Hindmarch. Second mourning coach, contained Mr. William Pattinson, Mr. Pattinson Mr. Robert Pattinson, Mr. R. Hindmarch Mr. Councillor William Stewart, Mr. Roger Pattinson, and Mr. Jaggers. Third mourning coach, contained Mr. Richard Pattinson, Mr. Elliot, Mr. Simpson, Mr. Horsley, Messrs. J. and E. Carr. Fourth mourning coach, contained Mr. Garrett Mr. Lisle, and others. Then followed a number of private carriages, amongst the number being that of Mr. E. Joicey, and containing Mr John Joicey, Mr. Wm. Joicey, Mr. Jacob Joicey, and Mr. Thompson. About 150 of the brethren of the Gateshead Freemason's Lodge Industry, No. 48, two abreast. Band of the 1st Durham (Jarrow) Engineers; 1st Newcastle Engineers, in fours, under Captain-commandant Palmer; 1st Durham Engineers, under Major Palmer; detachment of Newcastle Artillery Volunteers, under Lieut. Hindhugh; detachment of Gateshead Rifles, under Captain French; detachment of Newcastle Rifles under Major Doeg, following by a few men of the Northumberland and Newcastle Yeomanry Cavalry. Next in order were members of the Gateshead Bowling Green, members of the Tyne Amateur Rowing Club, and a large number of hired carriages brought up the rear of the *cortege*. The route taken was by Union Lane, Walker Terrace, West Street to Jesmond Cemetery. On the line of route immense crowds of people witnessed the procession, while the solemn strains of "The dead March in Saul" played by the band of the 1st Newcastle Engineers, and the pathetic march "Farewell, Comrade Dear," performed by the band of the Jarrow Engineers, heightened the imposing effect of the spectacle. Arrived at the grave, the corpse was met by the Rev. J. Hoyle, Christ Church, Gateshead, who performed the burial rites of the Church of England. Three volleys were fired over the grave by the firing party, under the command of Captain Clough, and the last office had been paid to a beloved comrade. Under the guidance of Captain and Adjutant Trimble, Jarrow Engineers, the marshalling of the procession was effectually carried out.

The Sheffield Elopement Case.—On Tuesday, at the West Riding Police Court at Sheffield, John Fisher was charged with stealing £200 belonging to Benjamin Day, a farmer at Bradfield, Sheffield, with whose wife he had eloped. The pair were apprehended at Birmingham. The case took an extraordinary turn, it being asserted that the woman was not Day's wife, he having married her fourteen years prior to the death of his first wife. A remand was consequently granted.

Boy Killed at Wallsend.—On Friday afternoon, as a little boy three years of age, son of Mr. George Wanless, grocer, was playing in the High Street, Wallsend, he was run over by a hurrying cart and killed. It appears the child had run in before the horse, and before the driver had time to pull up the animal knocked the child down, the wheel passing over its neck killed it almost instantly.

Notice to Parliamentary Electors.—The Lodger Franchise.—The lists of voters on the registers for England and Wales are at present exhibited on the church doors, and should be inspected. Lodgers must make their claims before the 25th inst. Such claims are renewed annually, and the apartments to be in occupation twelve months, and not less than £10 per annum.

Something in the Right Direction.—Passing down the river the other day it was a pleasure to behold a seaman on a stage painting on the side of a large screw steamer, a circle with two horizontal lines running through, to indicate the much disputed load-line of the vessel which formerly was, and may still be, the property of the senior member for the borough of Sunderland.

Cardinal Manning and the O'Connell Centenary.—Cardinal Manning, in a letter to the Lord Mayor of Dublin respecting the O'Connell centenary, says:—I beg you to convey to all who are acting with you my regret that it will be impossible for me to be present. Had it been in my power to be with you, I should have expressed in no uncertain words the gratitude of Catholics in England to the man, whose prudence, firmness, eloquence, and devotion won for the Catholic Church in these realms its liberation from penal laws. To him is due, under God, more than to any other that Ireland is a united people, growing year by year in power and prosperity. I rejoice to read the noble and pathetic answer of the bishops of Germany to your invitation, and I hope the good providence of God will raise up in Germany from amongt the Catholic laity a man who shall lead them to the restoration of liberty, to conscience, and to the Church.

Mrs. Grant, the eminent Nurse and Female Physician, has prepared a Soothing Syrup which is unrivalled for the relief of children cutting their teeth; it softens the gums, cures dysentry and diarrhœa, relieves all pain; is pleasant to take, perfectly safe, sure to regulate the bowels; it soothes the child and gives it rest; in fact, there is not a more successful remedy known for children cutting their teeth than Mrs. Grant's Soothing Syrup. Sold at Fox's Dispensary, Western Road, Jarrow.

Dyer's Watches.—The cheapest and best in the world (*vide times*). 30 per cent. saved Lowest prices: Aluminium, 18s. to 25s.; workmen's good silver, 26s. to 36s.; ditto hunting case, 46s.; ladies' elegant silver (small size), 36s.; hunting case 42s.; gent's splendid silver levers, 45s. to 5s, hunting case, 70s. to 135s.; ladies' fashionable gold watches, 55s.; ditto hunting case, 118s.; gents, splendid gold levers, 98s.; huntining case, 130s. Every kind of first-class gold and silver watches kept in stock at lowest wholesale prices. All watches warranted to purchasers from one to five years each, by printed and stamped warranties signed, George Dyer. Price lists and orders sent safe per post to all parts of the world. Post Office Orders payable Regent Street; Bankers, Union Bank of London.—Dyer, goldsmith and watchmaker, 90 Regent Street, London, W.

"THE LICENSING ACT, 1872."
35 and 36 Victoria, cap. 94, sec. 40.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Medomsley, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may Concern.

I. JOHN WILSON, now residing at Westwood, in the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, Grocer, Do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for a License to hold an additional Excise License, to sell, by Retail, at a shop, Spirits, to be consumed off the Premises thereunto belonging, situate at Westwood aforesaid, in pursuance of the Act 24 and 25 Vict., chap. 21, sec. 2.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7177 JOHN WILSON.

"THE LICENSING ACTS, 1872—1874."

ADDITIONAL EXCISE LICENSE,—BEER OFF.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Medomsley, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may concern.

I. JANE SIMPSON, now residing at Acorn Close, in the Township of Medomsley, in the County of Durham, Grocer, Do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for an additional Excise License to sell, by Retail, at a House situate at Acorn Close aforesaid, Beer to be consumed off the Premises, in pursuance of the Acts, 26th and 27th Vic., cap. 33, sec. 1.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7166 JANE SIMPSON.

"THE LICENSING ACT, 1872."
35 and 36 Victoria, cap. 94, sec. 40.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Conside and Knitsley, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may Concern.

I. WILLIAM JENKINS, now residing at Mount Pleasant, Consett, in the Parish or Township of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, Grocer, Do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for a License to hold an Excise License to Sell by Retail, at a shop, Wine, to be consumed off the Premises thereunto belonging, situate at Mount Pleasant, Consett, in pursuance of the Act 23 Vict., chap. 27, sec. 3, and Acts amending the same.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7147 WILLIAM JENKINS.

"THE LICENSING ACT, 1872."
35 and 36 Victoria, cap. 94, sec. 40.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Conside and Knitsley in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may Concern.

I. WILLIAM JENKINS, now residing at Mount Pleasant, Consett, in the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, Grocer, Do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for a Licence to hold an additional Excise License to Sell, by Retail, at a shop, Spirits, to be consumed off the Premises thereunto belonging, situate at Mount Pleasant, Consett, aforesaid, in pursuance of the Act 24 and 25, Vict., chap. 21, sec. 2.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7148 WILLIAM JENKINS.

"THE LICENSING ACT, 1872."
35 and 36 Victoria, cap. 94, sec. 40.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Tanfield, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may Concern.

I. THOMAS SMITH, now residing at Burnopfield, in the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, Grocer, Draper, and Spirit Merchant, Do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for a License to hold an Excise License to Sell, by Retail, at a shop, Wine, to be consumed off the Premises thereunto belonging, situate at Burnopfield aforesaid, in pursuance of the Act 23, Vic., chap. 27, sec. 3, and Acts amending the same.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

715[illegible] THOMAS SMITH.

"THE LICENSING ACTS, 1872—1874."

ADDITIONAL EXCISE LICENSE,—BEER OFF.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Hedleyhope, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may Concern.

I. JOHN BELL, now residing at Hedley Hill, in the Township of Hedleyhope, in the County of Durham Grocer, Do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for an additional Excise License to Sell, by Retail, at a House situate at Hedley Hill aforesaid, Beer, to be consumed off the Premises, in pursuance of the Acts, 26th and 27th Vic., cap. 33, sec. 1.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7157 JOHN BELL.

"THE LICENSING ACTS, 1872—1874."

ADDITIONAL EXCISE LICENSE,—BEER OFF.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Collierley and Pontop, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may Concern.

I. ROBERT MORGAN, now residing at Dipton, in the Township of Collierley and Pontop, in the County of Durham, Overman, Do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for an additional Excise License to Sell, by Retail, at a House situate at Dipton aforesaid, Beer, to be consumed off the Premises, in pursuance of the Acts, 26th and 27th Vic., cap. 33, sec. 1.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7158 ROBERT MORGAN.

"THE LICENSING ACTS, 1872—1874."

ADDITIONAL EXCISE LICENSE,—BEER OFF.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Medomsley, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may Concern.

I. JOHN WILSON, now residing at Westwood, in the Township of Medomsley, in the County of Durham, Grocer, Do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for an additional Excise License to sell, by Retail, at a House situate at Westwood, aforesaid, Beer, to be consumed off the Premises, in pursuance of the Acts, 26th and 27th Vic., cap, 33, sec. 1.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7178 JOHN WILSON.

"THE LICENSING ACT, 1872."
35 and 36, Victoria, cap. 94.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Esh, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, and to all whom it may Concern.

I. JOHN TULIP, of Cornsay Colliery, in the Township of Esh, in the County of Durham, Grocer and Draper, Do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply to the Justices assembled at the General Annual Licensing Meeting of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace, for the Petty Sessional Division of the West Division of Chester Ward, to be holden in pursuance of an Act of the session of the ninth year of the reign of King George the Fourth, chapter 61, intituled, "An Act to regulate the granting of Licenses, to keepers of Inns, Ale-houses, and Victualling-houses, in England, and of the Licensing Act, 1872," at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on Wednesday, the Twenty-fifth day of August next, at the hour of Ten o'clock in the Forenoon of the same day, for a Certificate under "The Licensing Act, 1872," for an Excise License to sell Sweets, by Retail, to be consumed off the Premises, at a Shop, situated at Cornsay Colliery, in the said Township of Esh, belonging to William Gibson, of Cornsay Colliery, and of which said House and Premises I am now the Occupier.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7180 JOHN TULIP.

"THE LICENSING ACT, 1872."
35 and 36 Victoria, cap. 94, sec. 40.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Medomsley, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may Concern.

I. JANE SIMPSON, now residing at Acorn Close, in the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, Grocer, Do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for a License to hold an additional Excise License, to sell, by Retail, at a shop, Spirits, to be consumed off the Premises thereunto belonging, situate at Acorn Close aforesaid, in pursuance of the Act 24 and 25 Vict., chap. 21, sec. 2.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7183 JANE SIMPSON.

"THE LICENSING ACT, 1872."
35 and 36 Victoria, cap. 94, sec. 40.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Medomsley, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may Concern.

I. EDWARD LOVAT, now residing at Medomsley, in the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, Beerhouse-keeper, Do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for a License to hold any Excise License or Licenses, to Sell, by Retail, under the Intoxicating Liquor Licensing Act, 1828, all intoxicating liquors, to be consumed either on or off the House or Premises thereunto belonging, situate at Medomsley aforesaid, in the Parish, of which Premises William Moore, of Blackhill, is the Owner, and which said Premises are now in my occupation.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7153 EDWARD LOVAT.

"THE LICENSING ACT, 1872."
35 and 36 Victoria, cap. 94, sec. 40.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Ebchester, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may Concern.

I. MICHAEL McGURK, now residing at Consett, in the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, Beerhouse-keeper, Do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for a License to hold any Excise License or Licenses, to sell, by Retail, under the "Intoxicating Liquor Licensing Act, 1828," all intoxicating liquors, to be consumed either on or off the House or Premises thereunto belonging, situate at Consett aforesaid, in the said Parish, of which Premises I, Michael McGurk, of Consett, am the Owner, and which said Premises are now in my occupation.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7167 MICHAEL McGURK.

"THE WINE AND BEER HOUSE ACT, 1869.
32 and 33 Victoria, cap. 27, sec. 7.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of Lanchester, in the the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may Concern.

I. JOHN CHARLTON, of Stanley, in the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, Do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply to the Justices assembled at the General Annual Licensing Meeting of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace, for the Petty Sessional Division of the West Division of Chester Ward, to be holden in pursuance of an Act of the session of the ninth year of the reign of King George the Fourth, chapter 61, intituled, "An Act to regulate the granting of Licenses, to keepers of Inns, Ale-houses, and Victualling-houses, in England," at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on Wednesday, the Twenty-fifth day of August next, at the hour of Ten o'clock in the Forenoon of the same day, for a Certificate under "The Wine and Beer House Act, 1869," for a License to Sell Wine, by Retail, to be consumed on or off the premises, at a House situate at Stanley aforesaid, in the Parish of Lanchester, belonging to John Charlton, of Stanley, and of which said House and Premises I am now the Occupier.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7160 JOHN CHARLTON.

"THE LICENSING ACT, 1872."
35 and 36 Victoria, cap. 94, sec. 40

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Benfieldside, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may Concern.

I. JOHN FEGAN, now residing at Blackhill, in the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, Beerhouse-keeper, Do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for a License to hold any Excise License or Licenses to Sell, by Retail, under the Intoxicating Liquor Licensing Act, 1828, all intoxicating liquors, to be consumed either on or off the House or Premises thereunto belonging, situate at Blackhill, in the said Parish, of which Premises, Thomas McElhone, of Blackhill is the Owner, and which said Premises are now in my occupation.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7171 JOHN FEGAN.

"THE LICENSING ACT, 1872."
35 and 36 Victoria, cap. 94, sec. 40.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Conside and Knitsley, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may Concern.

I. JOHN MORGAN, now residing at Consett in the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, Beerhouse-keeper, Do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for a License to hold any Excise License or Licenses, to Sell, by Retail, under the Intoxicating Liquor Licensing Act, 1828, all intoxicating liquors, to be consumed either on or off the House or Premises thereunto belonging, situate at Consett, in the said Parish, of which Premises, John Seymour, of Consett, is the Owner, and which said Premises are now in my occupation.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7172 JOHN MORGAN.

"THE LICENSING ACT, 1872."
35 and 36 Victoria, cap. 34, sec. 40

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of Collierley and Pontop, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may Concern.

I. CHRISTOPHER CALVERT, now residing at Dipton, in the Parish or Township of Pontop and Collierley, in the County of Durham, Grocer, Do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for a License to hold any Excise License or Licenses, to Sell, by Retail, under the "Intoxicating Liquor Licensing Act, 1828," all intoxicating liquors, to be consumed off the House or Premises thereunto belonging, situate at Dipton aforesaid, in the said Parish or Township of Collierley and Pontop, of which Premises I am the owner, and which said Premises are now in my occupation.

Given under my hand this 22nd day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7155 CHRISTOPHER CALVERT.

"THE LICENSING ACT, 1872."
35 and 36 Victoria, cap. 94, sec. 40.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Conside and Knitsley, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may Concern.

I. ELIZABETH WHITFIELD, now residing at Consett, in the Parish or Township of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, Beerhouse-keeper, Do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for a License to hold any Excise License or Licenses, to Sell, by Retail, under the Intoxicating Liquor Licensing Act, 1828, all intoxicating liquors, to be consumed either on or off the House or Premises thereunto belonging, situate at Consett, in the said Parish, of which Premises, I, Elizabeth Whitfield, of Consett, am the Owner, and which said Premises are now in my occupation.

Given under my hand this 22nd day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7173 ELIZABETH WHITFIELD.

"THE LICENSING ACT, 1872."
35 and 36 Victoria, cap. 94, sec. 40.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Tanfield, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may concern.

I. MATTHEW HETHERINGTON, now residing at Burnopfield, in the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, Beerhouse-keeper, Do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for a License to hold any Excise License or Licenses, to sell, by Retail, under the "Intoxicating Liquor Licensing Act, 1828," all intoxicating liquors, to be consumed either on or off the House or Premises thereunto belonging, situate at Burnopfield aforesaid, in the said Parish, of which Premises, I, Matthew Hetherington, of Burnopfield aforesaid, am the Owner, and which said Premises are now in my occupation.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7165 MATTHEW HETHERINGTON.

"THE LICENSING ACT, 1872."
35 and 36 Victoria, cap. 94, sec. 40.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Hedleyhope, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may concern.

I. JOHN GOODBURN, now residing at East Hedleyhope, in the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, Beer Retailer, Do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for a License to hold any Excise License or Licenses, to sell, by Retail, under the "Intoxicating Liquor Licensing Act, 1828," all intoxicating liquors, to be consumed either on or off the House or Premises thereunto belonging, situate at East Hedleyhope, in the said Parish, of which Premises, George Elliott, of Hedleyhope, is the Owner, and which said Premises are now in my occupation.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7164 JOHN GOODBURN.

"THE WINE AND BEER HOUSE ACT, 1869."
32 and 33 Victoria, cap. 27, sec. 7.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, and to the Constables thereof, and to all whom it may concern.

I. MICHAEL McGURK, of Consett in the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, Beerhouse-keeper, Do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply to the Justices assembled at the General Annual Licensing Meeting of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace, for the Petty Sessional Division of the West Division of Chester Ward, to be holden in pursuance of an Act of the session of the ninth year of the reign of King George the Fourth, chapter 61, intituled, "An Act to regulate the granting of Licenses, to keepers of Inns, Ale-houses, and Victualling-houses, in England," at the Justice Room, Lanchester, on Wednesday, the twenty-fifth day of August next, at the hour of Ten o'clock in the Forenoon of the same day, for a Certificate under "The Wine and Beer House Act, 1875," for a License to Sell Wine by Retail, to be consumed on the premises, at a House situate at Consett, in the said Parish of Lanchester, belonging to Michael McGurk, of Consett, and of which said House and Premises I am now the Occupier.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7168 MICHAEL McGURK.

"THE LICENSING ACT, 1872."
35 and 36 Victoria, cap. 94, sec. 40.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Tanfield, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may concern.

I. JOHN CHARLTON, now residing at Stanley, in the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, Beerhouse-keeper, Do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for a License to hold any Excise License or Licenses, to sell, by Retail, under the "Intoxicating Liquor Licensing Act, 1828," all intoxicating liquors, to be consumed either on or off the House or Premises thereunto belonging, situate at Stanley aforesaid, in the said Parish, of which Premises I, John Charlton, of Stanley, am the Owner or Lessee, and which said Premises are now in my occupation.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7161 JOHN CHARLTON.

"THE LICENSING ACT, 1872"
35 and 36 Victoria, cap. 94, sec. 40.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Benfieldside, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may concern.

I. JOHN LISHMAN, now residing at Shotley Bridge, in the Parish or Township of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, Beerhouse-keeper, Do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for a License to hold any Excise License or Licenses, to sell, by Retail, under the "Intoxicating Liquor Licensing Act, 1828," all intoxicating liquors, to be consumed either on or off the House or Premises thereunto belonging, situate at Shotley Bridge, in the said Parish, of which Premises I, John Lishman, of Shotley Bridge, am the Owner, and which said Premises are now in my occupation.

Given under my hand this 22nd day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7162 JOHN LISHMAN.

"THE LICENSING ACT, 1872."
35 and 36 Victoria, cap. 94, sec. 40.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Hedleyhope, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may concern.

I. JOHN ELLIOTT, now residing at Three Lane Ends, in the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham Beer Retailer, Do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for a License to hold any Excise License or Licenses, to sell, by Retail, under the "Intoxicating Liquor Licensing Act, 1828," all intoxicating liquors, to be consumed either on or off the House or Premises thereunto belonging, situate at Three Lane Ends, in the said Parish, of which Premises Edward Taylor, of Sunniside, is the Owner, and which said Premises are now in my occupation.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7163 JOHN ELLIOTT.

"THE LICENSING ACT, 1872."
35 and 36 Victoria, cap. 94, sec. 40.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Collierley and Pontop, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may concern.

I. ROBERT MORGAN, now residing at Dipton, in the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, Overman, Do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the 25th day of August next, for a License to hold an additional Excise License, to sell, by Retail, at a shop, Spirits, to be consumed off the Premises thereunto belonging, situate at Dipton aforesaid, in pursuance of the Acts 24 and 25 Vict., chap. 21, sec. 2.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7159 ROBERT MORGAN

"THE WINE AND BEER HOUSE ACT, 1869."
32 and 33 Victoria, cap. 27, sec. 7.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, and to the Constables thereof, and to all whom it may Concern.

I. ELIZABETH WHITFIELD, of Consett, Beerhouse-keeper, in the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, Do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply to the Justices assembled at the General Annual Licensing Meeting of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace, for the Petty Sessional Division of the West Division of Chester Ward, to be holden in pursuance of an Act of the session of the ninth year of the reign of King George the Fourth, chapter 61, intituled, "An Act to regulate the granting of Licenses, to keepers of Inns, Ale-houses, and Victualling houses, in England," at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on Wednesday, the Twenty-fifth day of August next, at the hour of Ten o'clock in the Forenoon of the same day, for a Certificate under "The Wine and Beer House Act, 1869," for a License to Sell Wine, by Retail, to be consumed on the premises, at a House situate at Consett, in the said Parish of Lanchester, belonging to Elizabeth Whitfield, of Consett, and of which said House and Premises I am now the Occupier.

Given under my hand this 22nd day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7174 ELIZABETH WHITFIELD.

THE LICENSING ACT, 1872.

FOR THE REMOVAL OF A LICENSE.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Kyo, and Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, and the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham.

I. RICHARD HODGSON, of Annfield Plain, in the Township of Kyo, in the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, do Hereby Give you Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the West Petty Sessional Division of Chester Ward, in the said County, to be holden at the Justice Room, Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for an order sanctioning the removal of a License now in force, and held by me, the said Richard Hodgson, for the Sale of Beer and Cider, by Retail, to be drunk or consumed in or at a certain House and Premises situate at Annfield Plain, aforesaid, and in the West Petty Sessional Division of Chester Ward, of which the North-Eastern Railway Company are the Owners, and known by the sign of the "Coach and Horses," from the said premises to a certain House and Premises thereunto belonging, situate at Annfield Plain, aforesaid, of which Henry O'Neil is the Owner.

Given under my hand this 2[illegible]th day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7185 RICHARD HODGSON.

THE LICENSING ACTS, 1872—1874.

ADDITIONAL EXCISE LICENSE,—BEER OFF.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Esh, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may Concern.

I. GEORGE SOAMES, now residing at Wall Nook, in the Township of Esh, in the County of Durham, Beer and Spirit Dealer, do Hereby Give Notice that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for an additional Excise License to Sell, by Retail, at a House, situate at Wall Nook aforesaid, Beer to be consumed off the Premises, in pursuance of the Act, 26th and 27th Vic., cap. 33, sec. 1.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7149 GEORGE SOAMES.

THE LICENSING ACT, 1872.
35 and 36 Victoria, cap. 94, sec. 40.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Esh, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may concern.

I. GEORGE SOAMES, now residing at Wall Nook, in the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, Beer and Spirit Dealer, do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for a License to hold any Excise License or Licenses, to Sell, by Retail, under the Intoxicating Liquor Licensing Act, 1828, all intoxicating liquors, to be consumed either on or off the House or Premises thereunto belonging, situate at Wall Nook, in the said Township, of which Premises, I, George Soames, of Wall Nook, am the Owner or Lessee, and which said premises are now in my occupation.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7151 GEORGE SOAMES.

THE LICENSING ACT, 1872.
35 and 36 Victoria, cap. 94, sec. 40.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Esh, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may concern.

I. GEORGE SOAMES, now residing at Wall Nook, in the Parish or Township of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, Beer and Spirit Dealer, do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for a License to hold an additional Excise License to Sell, by Retail, at a Shop, Spirits to be consumed off the Premises thereunto belonging, situate at Wall Nook, aforesaid, in pursuance of the Act 24 and 25 Vic., cap. 21, sec 2.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7150 GEORGE SOAMES.

THE LICENSING ACT, 1872.
35 and 36 Victoria, cap. 64, sec. 40.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Conside and Knitsley, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may concern.

I. THOMAS DUNNE, now residing at Mount Pleasant, Consett, in the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, Grocer, do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for a License to hold any Excise License or Licenses, to Sell, by Retail, under the Intoxicating Liquor Licensing Act, 1828, all intoxicating liquors, to be consumed either on or off the House or Premises thereunto belonging, situate at Mount Pleasant, Consett, aforesaid in the said Parish (or Township), of which Premises, I Thomas Dunne, of Mount Pleasant, Consett, am the Owner, and which said Premises are now in my occupation.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7186 THOMAS DUNNE.

"THE WINE AND BEER HOUSE ACT, 1869."
32 and 33 Victoria, cap. 27, sec. 7.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may concern.

I. THOMAS IRVING, of Langley Park, in the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply to the Justices assembled at the General Annual Licensing Meeting of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace, for the Petty Sessional Division of the West Division of Chester Ward, to be holden in pursuance of an Act of the session of the ninth year of the reign of King George the Fourth, chapter 61, intituled "An Act to regulate the granting of Licenses to keepers of Inns, Alehouses, and Victualling-houses, in England," at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on Wednesday, the Twenty-fifth day of August next, at the hour of Ten o'clock in the Forenoon of the same day, for a Certificate under "The Wine and Beer House Act, 1869," for a License to Sell Beer, Ale, Porter, and Cider by Retail, to be consumed on or off the Premises, at a House situate at Langley Park, in the said Parish of Lanchester, belonging to Thomas Irving, of Langley Park, and of which said House and Premises I am now the Occupier.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

[illegible]154 THOMAS IRVING.

Business Announcements.

GIVEN AWAY! GIVEN AWAY!!
GIVEN AWAY!!!
BY THE
LONDON AND NEWCASTLE TEA CO.
17, WEST GRAINGER STREET,
AND 29, SANDHILL,
NEWCASTLE-UPON-TYNE.

EVERY PURCHASER OF TEA has a choice of the following Articles:—Butter Dishes, Sugars and Creams, Vases, Teapots, Work Boxes, Ladies' Bags, Copper Kettles, &c.

Prices of Tea:—2s. 6d., 2s. 8d., 3s., 3s. 6d., and 4s. per lb.

Finest Indian Tea Imported, 4s. per lb. 6235

HARMONIUMS! PIANOFORTES!!

CARR AND SMITH,
HARMONIUM DEALERS,
ANNFIELD PLAIN.

HARMONIUMS from £4 10s. to £80. PIANOFORTES from £20 to £100. Harmoniums exchanged.

FOR
WINES, SPIRITS, AND ALES
OF THE FINEST QUALITY,
GO TO
JOHN THOMPSON'S
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
WINE AND SPIRIT STORES,
LEADGATE.

J. PARKER'S
CHEAP JEWELLERY ESTABLISHMENT,
2, FRONT STREET, CONSETT.

LADIES' and Gents' Silver Watches, from 30s., warranted. Gents' New Albert Chains, 3s. 6d. Eight-day Spring Clocks, from 21s., warranted. A large Stock of Cheap Ornaments. Wall Papers and Pictures for Sale.

Portrait Gallery open for the Season. 7027

NOTICE.

W. STEEL

BEGS to inform the inhabitants of Consett and surrounding Neighbourhood that he has commenced Business as TIN, IRON, AND ZINC-PLATE WORKER AND GENERAL DEALER, in the Shop,
1, RAGLAN STREET, CONSETT,
Where he hopes, by offering Goods of the Best Workmanship and at the Lowest Prices, to gain a share of their Patronage and Support.

UMBRELLAS neatly Repaired and Re-covered. 7074

OPENING OF A NEW WHOLESALE AND RETAIL SPIRIT STORE IN VICTORIA STREET, CONSETT.

JAMES DONNELLY

BEGS to inform his Friends and the Public generally that he has OPENED a Wholesale and Retail SPIRIT STORE, in Victoria Street, Consett, and, by keeping SCOTCH and IRISH WHISKEYS and other SPIRITS of Good Quality, he hopes to obtain their patronage and support.

TODD'S QUININE WINE
STANDS PRE-EMINENT FOR
PURITY AND STRENGTH.

IT is the best known remedy for Indigestion, Nervous Complaints, Debility, Wasting Diseases, &c., and is recommended by the Faculty.

TODD'S QUININE WINE strengthens the whole system. The genuine is manufactured only by JOE TODD, Chemist, Carlisle, and bears his name on the Government Stamp. Sold by all Chemists. Ask for and have only

TODD'S QUININE WINE.

Agents—W. Aynsley, Grocer, Middle Street, and D. Imrie, Chemist, Front Street, Consett; J. A. Curry, Grocer, Dipton; T. J. Muse, Castleside; and Joseph Robinson, Chemist, Stanley.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

WM. MIDDLEMASS,
Sole Agent for
WM. WHITELAW AND SON,
Brewers,
Fisher-row, Edinburgh.
THE CITY OF DUBLIN BREWERY CO.
(Limited),
Blackpits, Dublin.
ROBERTSON, SANDERSON, AND CO.,
Distillery Agents and Wine Importers,
Leith and Liverpool.
HAS REMOVED
To more Extensive Premises,
CENTRAL BUILDINGS,
161, WESTGATE ROAD,
NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE.

A FEW FACTS WORTH SPECIAL ATTENTION.

THAT our INDIAN TEA, at Four Shillings per pound, is really first-class.

That our INDIAN TEA, at Three Shillings and Sixpence per pound, is really good value.

That our NEW CURRANTS, at Fourpence per pound, are beautifully cleaned by patent machinery and ready for use.

That our PALE and MOTTLED SOAPS, at Threepence per pound, are the cheapest and best value in the district.

That OUR SHOP is noted for FIRST-CLASS GROCERIES and PROVISIONS generally, at remarkably low prices.

☞ THE ADDRESS—
NEWCASTLE TEA WAREHOUSE,
14, NEWMARKET STREET, CONSETT.

JAMES LAKE, PROPRIETOR.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

TO THE INHABITANTS OF CONSETT AND DISTRICT.

GEORGE YOUNG,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL WINE, SPIRIT, ALE, AND PORTER MERCHANT,
2 & 3, DELVES LANE, CONSETT,

RESPECTFULLY intimates that he has now contracted with Findlater & Co. (the well-known Dublin Brewers) for a constant supply of their Celebrated DUBLIN STOUT, which is so highly recommended by the Medical Faculty as the best Strengthening Tonic for Invalids.

TESTIMONIALS.

"Dublin, 5th June, 1875.

I have analysed a specimen of "Nourishing Stout" submitted to me for that purpose by Messrs. Findlater & Co. I have never examined a specimen of Porter in which the solid or nutritive constituents were so abundant as in the case of this Stout. It contains ten per cent. of its weight of solid matter, or nearly the amount of solids contained in milk. Its flavour is good, and it is remarkably free from acidity.

CHARLES A. CAMERON, M.D., F.R.C.S.,
Public Analyst for Dublin and
Professor of Chemistry, Royal College of Surgeons."

"Dublin, 3rd June, 1875.

The sample of "Nourishing Stout" submitted to me for analysis by Messrs. Findlater & Co., of the Mountjoy Brewery, Dublin, I find to be remarkably rich in nutritious matter, and to contain over four ounces of life-sustaining substances in the Imperial pint. The alcohol from half a pint equals what would be found in a pint of Claret. It is perfectly pure and free from any deleterious ingredients.

C. R. C. TICHBORNE, Ph. D., F.C.S.,
Chemist to the Apothecaries' Hall and
Examiner in Chemistry, Trin. Col., Dublin."

G. Y. is also Agent for Burton and Edinburgh Ales and Dublin and London Stout.

Business Announcements.

JOHNSON ROBSON,
PAINTER, GLAZIER, PAPER-HANGER, &c.,
40, DURHAM ROAD, BLACKHILL.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT of PAPER HANGINGS. 6919

JOHN BRYSON,
COACH AND HOUSE PAINTER, GLAZIER, &c.,

BEGS to inform his Friends and the Public generally that he has entered the Shop lately occupied by Mr. J. Dawson, plumber, 6, VICTORIA STREET, CONSETT.

All Orders punctually attended to. 6926

JAMES PALLISER,
FAMILY GROCER, PROVISION MERCHANT, AND COMMISSION AGENT,
5 AND 6, FOUNDRY ROW, BLACKHILL.

J. P. begs most respectfully to inform his Friends and the Public that he has succeeded Mr. A. Simpson in the above place, and is prepared to offer GOODS (in quality and cheapness) equal to anyone in the Trade.

J. P.'s Shop is now RE-OPENED and all orders shall have prompt attention. 7129

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

JOHN DAWSON,
PLUMBER AND GAS FITTER,

RESPECTFULLY returns his sincere thanks to his Friends and the Public of Consett and surrounding district, for the patronage already accorded to him, and begs to intimate that he has now

REMOVED
To more commodious premises,
No. 7, SHAKSPEARE STREET,
(below the Town Hall)
CONSETT,

Where he has always on hand a large assortment of Chandeliers, Water Closets, Spouting and Gas Fittings.

THE RIGHT THING AT LAST.

THE EAGLE BOOT COMPANY'S WHOLESALE SHOE MANUFACTURERS' RETAIL BRANCH SHOP AT CONSETT.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—Seeing the necessity in your district for a Good, Useful, and Cheap Shoe Shop, the Eagle Boot Company have opened a Branch Retail Shop in Consett, where you can have your Goods at Wholesale Prices.

Everything that can be done shall be done to secure your favours, in every Branch of the Trade.

	s.	d.
A good and gentlemanly looking pair of Elastic Boots	8	6
A good Working Boot (strong)	7	6
Ladies' Elastic Boots (calf)	3	6
„ Block Kid Boots, lady looking	6	6

Both Ladies' and Gentlemen's up to 16s.
Children's in proportion.

REPAIRING DEPARTMENT.
Your Shoes mended at once.
Boots brought to Repair at 9 o'clock done at 12
„ „ „ 12 „ „ 3
„ „ „ 3 „ „ 7
Punctuality will have the greatest attention.

N.B.—Note the address,
THE EAGLE BOOT COMPANY,
SHAKESPEARE STREET, CONSETT,
G. ROYCE & CO., Proprietors,
6958 Leicester and Mansfield.

NEW MILLINERY! NEW MILLINERY!! NEW MILLINERY!!!

A TREAT FOR CONSETT.

T. ROWE,
THE CHEAP DRAPER,
16, VICTORIA STREET,

BEGS to inform the people of Consett and surrounding district that he has bought for ready cash an entirely NEW STOCK of MILLINERY. Beautiful HATS and BONNETS in all the Newest Styles of the day.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—The above Department will be under the able management of Mrs. RALPH ORD, late of Middle Street, Consett, who will be glad to see any of her old friends.

NEW DRESSES in great variety. Hundreds to choose from at nominal prices.

NEW PRINTS, all beautiful patterns, from 3½d per yard; Hoyle's best, at 6d. per yard.

The Cheapest CALICOS in the World from 1½d per yard.

NEW HOSIERY, GLOVES, TIES, COLLARS, LINEN SETTS, &c.

NEW SKIRTS in every make and style.

NEW FLOWERS, FEATHERS, RIBBONS, &c.

A special lot of TRIMMINGS, BUTTONS, RIBBONS, VELVETS, YAK LACE, &c. This is a rare chance for Dressmakers, who will be supplied at the lowest London Wholesale Prices.

READY MADES! READY MADES!! READY MADES!!!

New arrival of MEN'S, YOUTH'S and BOYS' READY-MADE CLOTHING, suitable for the present Season, at most reasonable prices.

The largest and best assorted STOCK of ALLOA YARNS, WOOLS, and WORSTEDS in Consett.

NOTICE.—Agent for ALEXANDER ELDER, Dyer and Cleaner, Newcastle. Goods Dyed and Cleaned on the shortest Notice, and on reasonable terms.

Note the address—
THOMAS ROWE,
16, VICTORIA STREET, CONSETT. 6927

DRAPERIES! DRAPERIES!! DRAPERIES!!! DRAPERIES!!!!

R. PICKERING,
LINEN AND WOOLLEN DRAPER,
20, NEWMARKET STREET, CONSETT,

BEGS most respectfully to inform the inhabitants of Consett and the surrounding District, that he is in a position to offer all that may patronise him, some very cheap DRAPERY GOODS of all kinds, from an entire new Stock, which has been recently bought at some of the Best and Cheapest Markets. The Stock comprises—Blankets, Flannels, Quilts, Sheets, Sheetings, Hollands, Diapers, Calicoes, Shirts, Shirtings, Linceys, Winceys, Black and Coloured Cable and Paramata Cords, Black and Coloured Merinoes, Black and Coloured Alpacas, Black and Coloured Thibits, Fancy Dress Materials of all kinds, Silks, Velvets, Crapes, Velveteens, Ribbons, Feathers, Flowers, Gloves, Ties, Scarfs, Collars, Cuffs, Frills, Frillings, Stays, Shawls, Mantels, Capes, Black and White Dress Caps, Swiss and Muslin Work, Black and White Laces, Fringes and Gimps, Yak Laces, Silk and Alpaca Umbrellas.

CHILDREN'S.

Coats and Capes, Frocks and Pinafores, Silk and Satin Hoods, Velvet and Cloth Turbans, White Robes, Boots and Shoes.

READY-MADES.

Men's Suits, Moleskin and Cord Trousers, Drawers, in Flannel, Serge, Twill Cotton, and Swandown, Hats and Caps, Ties, Collars, and Fronts.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

LADIES' UNDERCLOTHING OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

SCOTCH WOOLS OF VARIOUS KINDS, &c.

R.P. would take this opportunity of assuring all those that may visit him that he will supply them with Goods of all kinds at most reasonable prices, as it will be his daily study to serve all to the best of his ability.

An inspection is invited to the above STOCK now on Sale at

20 NEWMARKET STREET, CONSETT. 7102

Business Announcements.

B. MOODY
WATCH-MAKER, EBCHESTER.

J. BATES
HOUSE CARPENTER, JOINER, UNDERTAKER, HARDWAREMAN,
HARVEY STREET, CONSETT. 6758

HALF MOON YARD HORSE REPOSITORY, BIGG MARKET, NEWCASTLE.

SALES BY AUCTION every TUESDAY and SATURDAY at Two p.m. of HORSES, CARRIAGES, DOGS, &c., by W. SUTTON, Auctioneer and Proprietor.

NOTICE.—All Entries free of charge if not sold (Dogs excepted).

Accommodation for Horses at Livery.
Horses Let on Job. 6847

BLACKETT STREET TEA AND GROCERY WAREHOUSE,
91 & 93, BLACKETT STREET,
NEWCASTLE-UPON-TYNE.

JAMES JOHNSON, Family Grocer and Tea Dealer. Teas, Coffees, and Spices of the Choicest quality. Good Useful Teas from 2s. per pound. Coffees, 1s. per pound. Household Soaps from 3d. per pound. All kinds of Drysaltery Goods cheap and of the best quality. Hotels and families supplied at wholesale prices.

TERMS—CASH. 879a

THE NOTED BOOTS AND SHOES.

THOMAS CRESSWELL,
BOOT AND SHOEMAKER,

RESPECTFULLY announces to the Inhabitants of Consett, Blackhill, Leadgate, and surrounding District that, in order to supply the increasing demand for

HIS NOTED BOOTS AND SHOES,
He has OPENED SHOPS in
VICTORIA STREET, CONSETT;
DERWENT STREET, BLACKHILL;
AND
FRONT STREET, LEADGATE.

At any of these Establishments parties can at all times rely upon being supplied with a good Article at a moderate price.

Repairing executed on the premises.
☞ AN EARLY CALL KINDLY SOLICITED.

IMPORTANT SALE OF CARRIAGES AND HARNESS.

OWING to intended Alterations and Improvements of Premises occupied by

ATKINSON AND PHILIPSON,
NEWCASTLE-UPON-TYNE,
ESTABLISHED 1794,

They are anxious to reduce their Stock of Carriages previous to commencing the Alterations, and, as an inducement to Purchasers, they propose reducing the price of their

SECOND-HAND CARRIAGES and HARNESS
£10 per Cent. beyond the usual £5 per Cent., for
Cash, FOR THE NEXT THREE MONTHS,

As their present large Stock of Carriages and Harness must be reduced before commencing the Alterations, which, when made, will make their establishment more compact and convenient.

The Carriages for Sale comprise almost every possible variety at present in use.

N.B.—A Book of New Designs of Carriages and Harness sent (post free) upon application. 7059

JOHN COLE,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
ALE, PORTER, AND SPIRIT MERCHANT,
FRONT STREET, LEADGATE,

BEGS to return thanks to his friends and the public for their kind patronage during the time he has been in business, and hopes, by continuing to supply them with WINES, SPIRITS, ALES, &c., of the best quality, to still merit a continuance of their favours.

J. C. having laid in a large Stock of the Best Brands of SPIRITS, is prepared to compete with any house in the trade.

LIST OF PRICES.

SPIRITS.

Brandy	3s. 6d. to 5s. 0d.
Whisky	2s. 3d. to 3s. 6d.
Rum	2s. 3d. to 3s. 0d.
Gin	2s. 3d. to 3s. 0d.

ALES, &c.

Sparkling Edinburgh Ales, on Draught, 5d. per quart.

Burton Ale, 6d., usually sold at 8d.

Bottled Ale and Porter, from 2s. 3d. per Dozen Pints.

Bottled Ale and Porter, from 4s. to 4s. 6d. per Dozen Quarts.

Families Supplied with ALE in Nine, Eighteen, and Thirty-six Gallon Casks on reasonable terms.

☞ Orders by Post punctually attended to, and delivered free of charge by J. C.'s own Waggon. 7101

SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE.

JACOB DOWSON,
DERWENT STREET, BLACKHILL,

BEGS to announce to the Public that on SATURDAY FIRST, he will commence his SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE, when, as on previous occasions, the Stock will be marked at a very liberal reduction. Every article will be reduced and every inducement offered in price for a Cheap Parcel.

The few following quotations will give some idea of the reductions:—

DRESSES.—A very slight reserve being placed upon these goods.

Striped Hollands and Tasso Cloths, 4¾d to 6¾d.
Striped Balernoes, 14½d.; reduced to 9½d.
Silk Striped Serges, 1s. 11d.; reduced to 1s. 4½d.
Fancy Lustres, 10½d.; reduced to 8½d.
A few Muslin Dresses will be cleared at 4s. 11d. and 5s. 11d. for twelve yards; former price, 6s. 9d. and 10s 9d. Rare Bargains.
White Striped Marcellas at 5d.
A Piece one yard wide, 10½d.
Millinery and Straw Goods at about half-price.
Boxes of Flowers at 1d. per Spray.
Ladies' Collars 3½d. each; were 6½d. and 10½d.
Cuffs at 2½d. per paid.
A Box of Children's Gloves at 1d. per pair.
Fancy Silk Ties at 3½d to 1s. 9d.
Hair Plaits at 4½d. each.
Remains of a Stock of Ladies and Children's Underclothing at 20 per cent. under regular prices.
100 Pairs of Stays and Corsets from 1s. 6d. upwards.
Cashmere Capes and Jackets reduced for an entire and immediate clearance to a little over half-price.
Ladies' White Insertion Skirts at 2s. 11d.
Fancy Embroidered Skirts from 3s. 6d. upwards.
About 3 Dozens of Ladies' Silk Umbrellas will be sold at 2s. 8d. each.
A Splendid Line in Harvarard Shirtings at 4½d.; worth 7d.
Hollands from 7½d.
All-wool Shirtings at 1s. 2½d.
White Flannels at 11½d.
Grey Calicoes, one yard wide, at 2½d. per yard.
Heavy Twill Sheetings reduced from 1s 3d. to 1s.
A few Dozens of Men's very large Union Shirts will be cleared at 2s. 6d.; really worth 3s. 6d.
A few Dozens of Regatta Shirts at 10½d. each.
A Splendid Shirt for 1s. 6d.
Duck Jackets at 2s. 6d.
Caps from 3½d. each.
Several Dozens of Duke Scarfs from 4½d. upwards.
Fronts, with Shakespeare Collars, at 10½d.; were 1s. 2d.
Boys' Byron Collars at 1s. 3d. per Dozen.

CLOTHING.

A Lot of Men's Trousers will be cleared at 7s. 11d.
A Lot of Trousers and Vests at 16s. 11d.; were 21s. 6d. A very cheap line and worth attention.
Men's Coats from 15s. 6d. upwards.
Boys' Suits from 7s. 6d.
Dozens of Children's Toilet Diaper Pinafores at 4½d. each.
A Lot of Sun Shades at 7½d. each.

☞ The Stock comprises several extraordinarily Cheap Lots, which can be confidently recommended. 7102

Business Announcements.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the GAME over the Estates of Priestfield, Lintz Green, and Loft House, is strictly PRESERVED. Anyone found Trespassing will be prosecuted according to law. 831d

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A. RICHARDSON,
CABINETMAKER,
IRONMONGER, AND HOUSE FURNISHER,
DURHAM ROAD, BLACKHILL.

Feathers, Flocks, Rabbit Down, and Mattresses.
Patent Picks and Shafts. 822a

JOHN JENKINS
AUCTIONEER,
HOUSE AGENT, AND APPRAISER
TRAFALGAR STREET CONSETT.

PARTIES leaving the Neighbourhood can have their Furniture, &c., turned into Cash on the shortest notice. 660a

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PIPES! PIPES!! PIPES!!!

ALL who want a real Good and Cheap MEERSCHAUM PIPE will do well in calling at

S. WALKER'S,
HAIR DRESSER, STATIONER, AND TOBACCONIST,
DERWENT STREET, BLACKHILL.

S. W. begs to intimate that he ~~is clearing~~ out present Stock of PIPES at almost fabulous prices. 7145

MAIN AND ROBINSON,
MILLWRIGHTS AND ENGINEERS,
GIBSON STREET, CONSETT,

BEG to announce that they have commenced business as above, where they are prepared to execute all Mill Work, together with the Manufacture of Crushing Machines and Circular and Endless Saws, Thrashing Machines, Reaping Machines, together with every description of Agricultural Implements. All orders promptly attended to. 6874

NOTICE.

JOHN ARMSTRONG,
WEST KYO, NEAR ANNFIELD PLAIN,

WISHES to inform his Friends and the Public generally that he has commenced Business as PUBLIC AUCTIONEER, and hopes, by strict attention to Business, to merit a share of patronage and support. 7121

RECOMMENDED BY THE FACULTY.

ROBINSON'S EFFERVESCING VEGETABLE APERIENT is the best Remedy for Bilious Attacks, Sick Headache, Vomiting, Heartburn, Constipation, Impure Blood, Skin Eruptions, Giddiness, &c.

No one should be without it, as it purifies and invigorates the blood, thus acting as a preventative of Small Pox, &c.

Sold retail by all Chemists, in bottles 2s. 3d. each; wholesale, JOHN ISMAY, Newcastle.

Prepared only by JOSEPH ROBINSON, Chemist, Stanley. 6887

ENGLISH AND MILBURN,
Beg to advertise that their usual
SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE
WILL COMMENCE
ON FRIDAY, AUGUST 6TH, 1875,
And continue for TWENTY-ONE DAYS.

MIDDLE STREET, CONSETT.

IMPORTANT NOTICE TO THE LADIES OF CONSETT AND DISTRICT.

JOHN POTTS,
DRAPER, &c.,
MIDDLE STREET, CONSETT,

HAS much pleasure in intimating to his friends and customers that he has succeeded, at considerable expense, in obtaining the services of Miss JOHNSTONE, as Practical DRESS and MANTLE-MAKER, and is therefore now in a position to execute in every detail all Orders with which he may be entrusted.

Miss J. having had considerable experience in Dress and Mantle-Making, will be glad to wait upon Ladies who may desire her services, at their own residences.

☞ Ladies' own Materials made-up. 6726

OPENING OF THE CENTRAL EXCHANGE
FISH, GAME, AND POULTRY
EMPORIUM,
TOP OF GREY STREET, NEWCASTLE-ON-TYNE.

The above premises ARE NOW OPEN
With a Magnificent Display of
FISH, GAME, AND POULTRY
(In Season.)
Family Orders promptly attended to.
Country Fishmongers supplied.

A. K. BAINES, MANAGER. 6917

JOSEPH HOWARD & CO.,
AUCTIONEERS, APPRAISERS,
AND
ESTATE & GENERAL COMMISSION AGENTS.
OFFICE: BLACKHILL, CO. DURHAM.

LOANS and Mortgages, Public and Private Loans negociated, as well as Mortgages on either Estates or House Property.

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Sharebroking Business receives special attention. Lead Mines, Railways, Water Works, Iron Works, Collieries, and other Companies' Shares Bought and Sold on Commission.

The Moneybroking is conducted upon fair and equitable terms. Parties can be supplied to the amount of two-thirds the value of any approved security. Houses and Land preferred.

Any description of Property Bought and Sold on Commission. Rents and Debts Collected.

Insurances of all kinds effected.

☞ Patronage in any of the above respectfully solicited. 22g

Public Notices.

LADIES' SCHOOL, WEAR TERRACE, BISHOP AUCKLAND.

PRINCIPAL—MRS. CLEMINSON.

PUPILS from this SCHOOL have Passed the Middle Class Examinations of the Universities of Oxford, Cambridge, and Durham, and obtained Honours, Prizes, and Titles. 7076

BEAMISH, PONTOP, AND CONSETT AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.

THE SEVENTH ANNUAL SHOW of this Society will be held at BIRTLEY, on WEDNESDAY, August 25th, 1875, when upwards of £400, in Plate and Money Prizes, will be offered for Competition.

Prize Lists and Forms of Entry may be had on application to

Dr. GEORGE RENTON,
OR TO
JOHN RICHARDS, } Secretaries.
GEORGE RIDLEY, }
Beamish, 24th June, 1875. 7067

Public Notices.

LOOK OUT for the Grand GALA and SPORTS of the Stanley United Cricket Clubs, on SATURDAY, August 14th, 1875. 7096

LIFE ASSURANCE.

BONUSES of £5 to £50, and Commission, will be paid by a leading old established Company for the introduction of new assurers.—Address, SECRETARY, care Gravatt, King Street, London, E.C. 7107

LOOK OUT
FOR THE
UNITED FRIENDLY SOCIETIES' GALA AND DEMONSTRATION,
NEAR
CONSETT HALL,
ON
SATURDAY, AUGUST 7TH, 1875. 7112

NOTICE! NOTICE!!

ANY Person found Trespassing in pursuit of Game, gathering Mushrooms, Brambles, &c., on Middle Heads, Oliverford, Knitsley Grange, Aller Heads, Lyerdeen, Rowley, Dean Houl, and Healeyfield Farms will be Prosecuted as the Law directs.

July, 1875. 7132

STANHOPE FLOWER SHOW,
AUGUST 14TH, 1875.

Grand Afternoon CONCERT by the 1ST ROYAL DRAGOONS BAND, 32 performers.

Exhibition in Castle Grounds.
W. M. EGGLESTONE, } Hon. Secs.
13g W. H. MADDISON, }

TANFIELD FLORAL, AGRICULTURAL, and POULTRY SHOW, August 28, 1875.

Entries for POULTRY Close August 21st, 1875.

Best POINTER or SETTER DOG or BITCH, £1; second Best, 10s.

Entry Forms may be had from Mr. JOHN BREWIS, Secretary, Tanfield Lea, Lintz Green. 12g

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GIVEN AWAY—VALUABLE PRIZES.

BURNOPFIELD FLOWER SHOW, to be held at the LEAZES, BURNOPFIELD, on SATURDAY, August 14, 1875.

The SHOW will be OPEN at One o'clock.

Hurdle Leaping, with Horses, and other Sports, to commence at Six o'clock p.m.

A Grand BALL in the Evening.

A selection of Music by the HOBSON BRASS BAND.

THEATRE ROYAL, CONSETT.
Lessee, ...Mr. EDWARD FIELDING.

[LICENSED TO PLAY THE PIECES OF THE DRAMATIC AUTHORS' SOCIETY.]

AUGUST 9TH, 1875, and during the week.

MR. AUGUSTE CREAMER'S
Dramatic Company will appear in several popular Irish Dramas.

N.B.—The last week of the Season.

EBCHESTER FLORAL AND HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

THE FIRST ANNUAL EXHIBITION OF PLANTS, FLOWERS, FRUITS, and VEGETABLES, of this SOCIETY, will be held on SATURDAY, August 14, 1875.

The Committee, in announcing their First Annual Meeting to their Patrons and Friends, beg to state that the Exhibition is expected to be well-supported. The place selected, upon which to erect the Marquee, is in a Field, at Ebchester, and is admirably situated, having a commanding view of wood and water, hill and dale, on the Site of the Old Roman Camp, Vindamora, on the Watling Street, within sight of the Old Church, St. Ebba, and sundry reminiscences of Roman antiquities.

A BAND OF MUSIC will be in attendance.

RAILWAY ARRANGEMENTS.—Trains leave Newcastle at 5·45 a.m., 7·10 a.m., 10·0 a.m., 12·30 p.m., 2·30 p.m., 4·0 p.m., and 5·35 p.m.; returning from Ebchester Station at 5·40 p.m. and 8·57 p.m.

Trains leave Durham at 7·35 a.m., 12·10 p.m., and 4 0 p.m.; returning from Ebchester at 4·47 p.m. and 6·24 p.m.

First-class REFRESHMENTS will be provided on the Grounds.

The Exhibition will open to the Public at One and Close punctually at Half-past Seven o'clock.

ADMISSION:—From One to Four o'clock, One Shilling; from Four to Seven o'clock, Sixpence. Children, under Twelve Years, Half-price.

A BALL will be held at the close of the Exhibition.

7199 E. DIXON and T. WILSON, Hon Secs.

BIRTHS AND DEATHS REGISTRATION ACT, 1874.

THE following places and times have been appointed by the Registrar for the requirements of Registration:—

First TUESDAY in each Month, at Mrs CHRISTOPHER'S, Blackhill, from Nine a.m. to Eleven a.m.
First TUESDAY in each Month, at the LOCAL BOARD-ROOM, Consett, from Twelve noon to Two p.m.
First TUESDAY in each Month, at Mr LAIDLOW'S, 119, Leadgate, from Three p.m. to Five p.m.
Second MONDAY in each Month, at Mrs MARY ROBSON'S, Medomsley, from Nine a.m. to Ten a.m.
Second MONDAY in each Month, at Mr STOKER'S, Westwood Colliery, from Eleven a.m. to Two p.m.
Second MONDAY in each Month, at Mr WILLIAM CHARLTON'S, Ebchester Hill, from Three p.m. to Five p.m.
Second TUESDAY in each Month, at Mr POTTS', Castleside, from Two p.m. to Four p.m.
First FRIDAY in each Month, at Mr WILSON'S, Satley, from One p.m. to Three p.m.
Second FRIDAY in each Month, at Mr THOMAS HUNTER'S, Annfield Plain Wood Cottages, from Ten a.m. to Twelve noon.
Third MONDAY in each Month, at Mr JACKSON'S, National School, Holmside, from Eleven a.m. to One p.m.
First MONDAY in each Month, at Mr THOMAS WAUGH'S, Hill Top, from Eight a.m. to Ten a.m.
First MONDAY in each Month, at Mr COCKERILL'S, Quebec, from Eleven a.m. to One p.m.
First MONDAY in each Month, at Mr SIDDELL'S, Old Cornsay, from Three p.m. to Five p.m.
At my OFFICE, Lanchester, on WEDNESDAYS, from Eleven a.m. to Four p.m.; and SATURDAYS, from Eleven a.m. to Four p.m.

It is now compulsory for all persons to attend on the Registrar under pain of prosecution.

JOHN JAMES THOMPSON,
Registrar of Births and Deaths for the
Sub-district of Lanchester.

"THE WINE AND BEER HOUSE ACT, 1869."
32 and 33 Victoria, cap. 27, sec. 7.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO APPLY FOR JUSTICES' CERTIFICATE.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may concern.

I, EDWARD LOVAT, of Medomsley, in the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, DO HEREBY GIVE NOTICE, that it is my intention to apply to the Justices assembled at the General Annual Licensing Meeting of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace, for the Petty Sessional Division of the West Division of Chester Ward, to be holden in pursuance of an Act of the session of the ninth year of the reign of King George the Fourth, chapter 61, intituled, "An Act to regulate the granting of Licenses, to keepers of Inns, Alehouses, and Victualling-houses in England," at the JUSTICE ROOM, in LANCHESTER, on WEDNESDAY, the Twenty-fifth day of August next, at the hour of Ten o'clock in the Forenoon of the same day, for a Certificate under "The Wine and Beer House Act, 1869," for a License to Sell Wine by Retail, to be consumed on or off the Premises, at a House situate at Medomsley, in the said Parish of Lanchester, belonging to William Moore, of Blackhill, and of which said House and Premises I am now the Occupier.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7152 EDWARD LOVAT.

Public Notices

THE LICENSING ACTS, 1872—1874.

ADDITIONAL EXCISE LICENSE—BEER OFF.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Medomsley, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may concern.

I, JOHN LEADBITTER, now residing at Black Hall Mill, in the Township of Medomsley, in the County of Durham, Grocer, do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for an additional Excise License, to Sell, by Retail, at a House situate at Black Hall Mill, aforesaid, Beer to be consumed off the Premises, in pursuance of the Act, 26th and 27th Vic., cap. 33, sec. 1.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7195 J. LEADBITTER.

THE LICENSING ACTS, 1872—1874.

ADDITIONAL EXCISE LICENSE,—BEER OFF.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Conside and Knitsley in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may concern.

I, WILLIAM JENKINS, now residing at Mount Pleasant, Consett, in the Township of Conside and Knitsley, in the County of Durham, Grocer, do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for an additional Excise License to Sell, by Retail, at a house situate at Mount Pleasant, Consett, aforesaid, Beer to be consumed off the Premises, in pursuance of the Acts, 26th and 27th Vic., cap. 33, sec. 1.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7146 WILLIAM JENKINS.

THE LICENSING ACTS, 1872—1874.

Notice of Intention to Apply to the Justices for a Provisional Grant of a License to New Premises.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Conside and Knitsley, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the Division of West Division of Chester Ward, in the County of Durham, and to all whom it may concern.

I, RICHARD MURRAY, now residing at Blackhill, in the parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, Wine Merchant, being the person interested in the premises hereinafter mentioned or referred to, do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace for the Petty Sessional Division of the West Division of Chester Ward, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on Wednesday, the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for the provisional grant of a License or Certificate, to hold any Excise License or Licenses, to Sell, by Retail, under "The Intoxicating Liquor Licensing Act, 1828," all Intoxicating Liquors to be consumed either on or off a certain House and Premises thereunto belonging, about to be constructed by me upon a certain piece or parcel of land, situate at Foundry Road, Blackhill, in the Township of Conside and Knitsley aforesaid, Plans of which said land, with the House and Premises about to be constructed thereon, will be submitted by me to the Licensing Justices assembled at such General Annual Licensing Meeting to be holden as aforesaid.

Given under my hand this 26th day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7191 RICHARD MURRAY.

THE LICENSING ACT, 1872.

35 and 36 Victoria, cap. 94, sec. 40.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Conside and Knitsley, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may concern.

I, MICHAEL McNALLY, now residing at Consett, in the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, Beerhousekeeper, do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for a License to hold any Excise License or Licenses, to Sell, by Retail, under the Intoxicating Liquor Licensing Act, 1828, all intoxicating liquors, to be consumed either on or off the House or Premises thereunto belonging, situate at Consett, aforesaid, in the said Parish, of which Premises I, Michael McNally, of Consett, am the Owner or Lessee, and which said Premises are now in my occupation.

Given under my hand this 30th day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five,

6g MICHAEL McNALLY.

THE LICENSING ACT, 1872.

35 and 36 Victoria, cap. 94, sec. 40.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Conside and Knitsley, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may concern.

I, PATRICK McDONALD, now residing at Middle Street, Consett, in the Parish or Township of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, Beerhousekeeper, do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for a License to hold any Excise License or Licenses, to Sell, by Retail, under the Intoxicating Liquor Licensing Act, 1828, all intoxicating liquors, to be consumed either on or off the House or Premises thereunto belonging, situate at Middle Street, Consett, aforesaid, in the said Parish, of which Premises Richard Murray, of Benfieldside is the owner, and which said Premises are now in my occupation.

Given under my hand this 28th day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

15g PATRICK McDONALD.

"THE WINE AND BEER HOUSE ACT, 1869."

32 and 33 Victoria, cap. 27, sec. 7.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, and to the Constables thereof, and to all whom it may concern.

I, MARTIN FORSTER, of Consett, in the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply to the Justices assembled at the General Annual Licensing Meeting of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace, for the Petty Sessional Division of the West Division of Chester Ward, to be holden in pursuance of an Act of the session of the ninth year of the reign of King George the Fourth, chapter 61, intituled, "An Act to regulate the granting of Licenses to keepers of Inns, Alehouses, and Victualling-houses in England," at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on Wednesday, the Twenty-fifth day of August next, at the hour of Ten o'clock in the Forenoon of the same day, for a Certificate under "The Wine and Beer House Act, 1869," for a License to Sell Beer, Ale, Porter, and Cider (and Wine) by Retail, to be consumed on the Premises, at a House situate at Consett, in the said Parish of Lanchester, belonging to John Barron, of Number One, and of which House and Premises I am now the Occupier.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

3g MARTIN FORSTER.

Public Notices.

THE LICENSING ACT, 1872.

35 and 36 Victoria, cap 94, sec. 40.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Ebchester, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may concern.

I, JAMES QUIGLEY, now residing at Consett, in the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, Beerhousekeeper, do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for a License to hold any Excise License or Licenses, to Sell, by Retail, under the Intoxicating Liquor Licensing Act, 1828, all intoxicating liquors, to be consumed either on or off the House or Premises thereunto belonging, situate at Consett, in the said Parish, of which Premises Thomas Hewitt, of Fellside, is the Owner, and which said Premises are now in my occupation.

Given under my hand this 30th day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

8g JAMES QUIGLEY.

THE LICENSING ACT, 1872.

35 and 36 Victoria, cap. 94, sec. 40.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Conside and Knitsley, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may concern.

I, WILLIAM AYNSLEY, now residing at Consett, in the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, Wholesale Spirit Dealer, do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August, 1875, for a License to hold an Excise License, to Sell, by Retail, at a Shop, Liquors, to be consumed off the Premises thereunto belonging, situate at Consett, aforesaid, in pursuance of the Acts 11 and 12 Vict., cap. 121, and 23 and 24 Vict., 114, and Acts amending the same.

Given under my hand this 3rd day of August, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7g WILLIAM AYNSLEY.

THE LICENSING ACT, 1872.

35 and 36 Victoria, cap. 94, secs. 40 and 50.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate for Removal of License.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Iveston, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may concern.

I, JOSEPH JOHNSON, now residing at Hallgarth Street, in the City of Durham, in the County of Durham, Brewer, do Hereby Give you Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace, to be holden at the Justice Room, Lanchester, in the said County of Durham, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for an order sanctioning the removal of a License now in force and held by Robert Lowes, for the Sale of Exciseable Liquors by Retail, to be drunk or consumed in or at a certain House and Premises situate at Leadgate, in the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County, and known by the sign of the "Bradley Arms," from the said Premises to a more commodious House and Premises thereunto belonging, situate at Leadgate aforesaid, of which License, when removed, I desire to be the holder.

Given under my hand this 26th day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

4g JOSEPH JOHNSON.

THE LICENSING ACT, 1872.

35 and 36 Victoria, cap. 94, sec. 40.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Ebchester, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may concern.

I, WILLIAM CHARLTON, now residing at Broomhill, in the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, Beerhousekeeper, do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for a License to hold any Excise License or Licenses, to Sell, by Retail, under the Intoxicating Liquor Licensing Act, 1828, all intoxicating liquors, to be consumed either on or off the House or Premises thereunto belonging, situate at Broomhill, in the said Parish, of which Premises William Charlton, of Broomhill, is the Owner or Lessee, and which said Premises are now in my occupation.

Given under my hand this 27th day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

9g WILLIAM CHARLTON.

"THE WINE AND BEER HOUSE ACT, 1869."

32 and 33 Victoria, cap. 27, sec. 7.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may concern.

I, WILLIAM CHARLTON, of Broomhill, Beerhousekeeper, in the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply to the Justices assembled at the General Annual Licensing Meeting of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace, for the Petty Sessional Division of the West Division of Chester Ward, to be holden in pursuance of an Act of the session of the ninth year of the reign of King George the Fourth, chapter 61, intituled, "An Act to regulate the granting of Licenses, to keepers of Inns, Alehouses, and Victualling-houses, in England," at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on Wednesday, the 25th day of August next, at the hour of Ten o'clock in the Forenoon of the same day, for a Certificate under "The Wine and Beer House Act, 1869," for a License to Sell Wine, by Retail, to be consumed on or off the Premises, at a House situate at Broomhill, in the said Parish of Lanchester, belonging to William Charlton, of Broomhill, and of which said House and Premises I am now the Occupier.

Given under my hand this 27th day of July, One Thousand Eight hundred and Seventy-five.

2g WILLIAM CHARLTON.

THE LICENSING ACT, 1872.

35 and 36 Victoria, cap. 94, secs. 40 and 50.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate of Removal of License.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Ebchester, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may concern.

I, WILLIAM CHARLTON, now residing at the Station Inn, Broomhill, in the Township of Ebchester, in the County of Durham, do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on Wednesday, the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for an order sanctioning the removal of a License now in force, and held by me, the said William Charlton, for the Sale of Beer at certain premises situated at Broomhill, in the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County, and known by the sign of the "Station Inn," from the said premises to a certain newly-erected House and Premises situate at Broomhill, aforesaid, of which License, when removed, I desire to be the holder.

Given under my hand this 27th day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

10g WILLIAM CHARLTON.

LOOK OUT
FOR THE
UNITED FRIENDLY SOCIETIES'
DEMONSTRATION,
On SATURDAY, AUGUST, 7th, 1875.
Tea on the Tables at Three o'clock.

Public Notices.

THE LICENSING ACT, 1872.

35 and 36 Victoria, cap. 94, sec. 40.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Collierley and Pontop, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may concern.

I, JOHN MADDISON, now residing at Dipton, in the Parish of Lanchester, in the County of Durham, Grocer, do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for a License to hold an Excise License, to Sell, by Retail, at a Shop, Foreign Wines, to be consumed off the Premises thereunto belonging, situate at Dipton, aforesaid, in pursuance of the Acts 11 and 12 Vict., cap. 121, and 23 and 24 Vict., cap. 114, and Acts amending the same.

Given under my hand this 21st day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

7193 JOHN MADDISON.

THE LICENSING ACTS, 1872—1874.

ADDITIONAL EXCISE LICENSE—BEER OFF.

Notice of Intention to Apply for Justices' Certificate.

To the Overseers of the Poor of the Township of Conside and Knitsley, in the County of Durham, and to the Superintendent of Police of the West Division of Chester Ward, in the said County of Durham, and to all whom it may concern.

I, HEDLEY NICHOLSON, now residing at Consett, in the Township of Conside and Knitsley, in the County of Durham, Wholesale Beer Dealer, do Hereby Give Notice, that it is my Intention to apply at the General Annual Licensing Meeting, to be holden at the Justice Room, in Lanchester, on the Twenty-fifth day of August next, for an additional Excise License, to Sell, by Retail, at a House situate at Consett, aforesaid, Beer, to be consumed off the Premises, in pursuance of the Act, 26th and 27th Vic., cap. 33, sec. 1.

Given under my hand this 26th day of July, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-five.

2g HEDLEY NICHOLSON.

Sales by Auction.

By Mr. J. Murray.

FREE PROPERTY SALE.

MR. JOHN MURRAY will hold a SALE by AUCTION of PROPERTY, at the Queen's Head Hotel, Consett, every Three Months, viz., May, August, November, and February. Two per cent. commission if sold.

The First SALE will be held on WEDNESDAY, August 11th, 1875. 7130

PRESENT ENTRIES.

18 Dwelling-houses in Hindhaugh Street, Newcastle.
2 Shops and Dwelling-houses at Lintz Colliery.

By Mr. W. Parr.

ANNFIELD PLAIN.

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION, in a Yard belonging to Mr. John Cresswell, on Monday, August 9th, 1875,

Mr. WILLIAM PARR, Auctioneer,

Horses; Cows; Pigs; Spring and Coup Carts; Dog-carts; Waggonettes; Harness; Cart Gears; Household Furniture; Beds; Bedding; Gold and Silver Watches; Pots; Pans; Crockery Ware, &c.

The above Sale will be held every fourth Monday. Entries can be made at Mr. Cresswell's, Annfield Plain, or at the Office of Mr. William Parr, Auctioneer, 94, Claypath, Durham.

Particulars in Bills. 7095

By Mr. John Jenkins.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE FOR SALE AT CONSETT.

MR. JOHN JENKINS is instructed by Messrs. Walton Brothers, Contractors, Consett, to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Show-rooms, Trafalgar Street, Consett, on Monday, August 9th, 1875, the remaining portion of their valuable STOCK, comprising Mahogany Chests of Drawers; Painted do.; Bookcases; Dressing Tables; Mahogany Sofas, in Hair-seating; Couches; Easy Chairs, in Hair-seating; 6 Hair-seated Chairs; 3 Tables; Cane-bottomed Chairs; Kitchen do.; Rocking do.; Tin Travelling Trunks: Night Commodes; Baths; Perambulators; Wringing Machines; Druggets; Oil Cloth; Matting; Blankets; Tea and Coffee Services; Knives and Forks; Brushes of all kinds; Fenders and Fireirons; Clocks, &c.; together with a large quantity of other Goods belonging to different parties.

Sale to commence at One o'clock in the Afternoon and Six in the Evening. 18g

By Mr. Adam Brodie.

SALE BY AUCTION EXTRAORDINARY OF LINEN AND WOOLLEN DRAPERY, ON THE PREMISES, FRONT STREET, CONSETT.

MR. JOHN PROUD. Linen and Woollen Draper, Front Street, Consett, prior to alterations in his business arrangements, has resolved to hold a Great CLEARANCE SALE of his entire STOCK of LINEN and WOOLLEN DRAPERY, and for that purpose he has instructed

MR. ADAM BRODIE, Auctioneer,

To offer the whole for SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, on Friday, Saturday, and Monday, August 6th, 7th, and 9th, and following days, until a clearance is effected. The Goods for Sale comprise an immense assemblage of Useful and First-class Linen and Woollen Drapery of all kinds and descriptions, full particulars of which will be found in handbills.

Order of Sale:—Sale to commence each Evening at Half-past Six o'clock, and on Saturday and Monday Afternoons at Two o'clock. 5g

By Mr. Joseph Oley.

ANNFIELD PLAIN.

TO BREWERS, GENERAL DEALERS, FARMERS, AND OTHERS.

MR. JOSEPH OLEY, being commissioned by Mr. W. O. Gladders, will SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION on Wednesday, August 18th, 1875, at the House of Mr. Joseph Lumley, Innkeeper, Annfield Plain, the following MILCH COWS, FARM IMPLEMENTS, &c., &c., comprising 2 excellent Milch Cows, very flush in milk; 1 Iron Wheel Plough; 1 Double Moldboard Plough; 1 Ribbing do.; Four-horse Grubber; large Wood Roller; 1 pair Three-bulled Harrows; 1 pair Seed Harrows; Chaff Cutter; Water-barrel on good wheels, holding about 100 gallons; an excellent Gig, and a quantity of Cart Harness; 15 Yards of 4½in. Metal Water Piping, as good as new; 2 excellent Feather Beds; 6 Mahogany Hair-seated Chairs, and other articles of Furniture.

The BREWING UTENSILS comprise 2 Beer Vats, one holding about 40 half-barrels and one holding about 20 do.; also a large number of empty Barrels and Kilderkins, clean and fit for use; Beer Gawntrees; a quantity of old Iron; Metal and Lead Piping, &c.; Shop and Frame Windows with glass; and a number of useful articles too numerous to mention.

Also a Gasometer and Fittings complete, suitable for any Gentleman wishing to make his own Gas.

Sale to commence precisely at Eleven o'clock a.m., as the lots are so very numerous. 14g

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LOOK OUT
FOR THE
UNITED FRIENDLY SOCIETIES'
DEMONSTRATION,
On SATURDAY, AUGUST 7th, 1875.
Tea on the Tables at Three o'clock.

For Sale.

FREEHOLD BUILDING SITES FOR SALE.—Apply to Mr. John Gladders, White-le-Head.

FOR SALE, 50 CONSETT WATER SHARES.—For Price and Particulars, apply to Mr. Joseph Howard, Sharebroker, Blackhill. 19g

FOR SALE, a Pure-bred Black BERKSHIRE BOAR, Two years old.—Apply to John Whitfield, Low Town, Greencroft Park. 6977

Contracts.

TO LET, the BUILDING of a Five-Roomed HOUSE, at Pasture Drift Road. The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted Plan and Specification may be seen at Mr. G. White's, 30, Front Street, Consett. Tenders received up to Tuesday, the 10th inst.

BUILDERS are invited to Tender for the several Works required in the ERECTION of a HOUSE and Out-offices at Annfield Plain, for Mr. Thomas Lamb.

Drawings, Specifications, and Conditions of Contract may be seen on applying to the said Mr. Lamb.

Tenders will be received by John Smith and Son, Architects, Town Hall, Shotley Bridge, on or before Monday, 23rd August, 1875.

No pledge is given that the lowest or any Tender will be accepted.

Shotley Bridge, August 4th, 1875. 23g

BUILDERS are invited to Tender for the several works required in the ERECTION of a HOUSE STABLING, &c., at Catchgate, for Mr. J. Stokoe.

Drawings and Specifications may be seen on applying to Mr. T. Lamb, Newsagent, Annfield Plain.

The Proprietor will provide Stone and Bricks.

Tenders will be received by John Smith and Son, Architects, Shotley Bridge, up to Four p.m. on Monday, August 9th, 1875.

No pledge is given that the lowest or any Tender will be accepted.

Shotley Bridge. July 21st, 1875. 7139

To Let.

TO LET, GRAZING for Two or Three Cattle.—Apply to the *Guardian* Office. 7041

TO LET, and entered on the August Term, a comfortable well-finished HOUSE, containing Eight Rooms, good Pantry, excellent Yard, &c., situate in Durham Road, Blackhill.—Apply to William Raw, Blackhill, 7141

To Lend.

TO LEND, £200, £300, and £500 on approved security.—Apply to Mr. Joseph Howard, Sharebroker, Blackhill. 20g

LOANS AND MORTGAGES.—Money to lend in sums of £50 and upwards, on personal security, at 5 per cent. per annum interest, repayable in one to seven years. Also several sums upon mortgage of freeholds and leaseholds from 3½ per cent. Terms 10 to 21 years. No commission charged. Apply to Messrs. Bevan, 10, Lincoln's Inn Fields, London, W.C., personally (preferred) or by letter.—N.B.—Interest is payable half-yearly, and is not required in advance. 6929

Lost.

LOST, on Monday, July 6th, between the Pike Quarry and Dipton, a Silver Dial PATENT LEVER WATCH, large size. Number known.—The Finder will be rewarded on returning the same to Thos. Lamb, Newsagent, Annfield Plain. 7187

LOST, from Delves Lane, Consett, on the 21st inst., a Brown RETRIEVER DOG, which answers to the name of "Duke." Anyone finding, the same and and returning it to John Alderson, Plantain Row, Leadgate, will be rewarded; or anyone wilfully detaining it after this notice will be prosecuted. 7197

Wanted.

WANTED, a Single or Double HIND.—Apply to J. Smith, East Farm, Medomsley. 7126

The Consett Guardian.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 7th, 1875.

Local and District News.

Trip to Tynemouth.—The members of the Blackhill Teetotal Brass Band, accompanied by about forty friends, had an excursion to the above-named watering-place, on Saturday se'nnight. The day was favourable for enjoyment, and the party enjoyed themselves immensely in the various ways which Tynemouth offers to pleasure-seekers.

Consett Iron Company.—We are authorised to state that the directors of the Consett Iron Company, Limited, have resolved to recommend to the ensuing general meeting of the company, the payment, on the 6th September, of a dividend of £2 per share, and that the directors of the Consett Spanish Iron Ore Company, Limited, have resolved to pay a dividend of 9d. per share for the year.

Theatre Royal, Consett.—Mr. Auguste Creamer's excellent dramatic company has been performing to appreciative audiences during the week. To-night (Friday) Robert Emmet is promised, under patronage, and we doubt not, the attendance will be equal to the merits of the company. According to the advertisement, next week will terminate the season.

Highgate Baptist Chapel.—On Saturday afternoon a tea meeting was held in the above Chapel. The tables were given by several ladies of the Church and congregation. In the evening a public meeting was held in the same building, and was addressed by several ministers of the neighbourhood. The Rev. J. E Cracknell, of South Shields, delivered a lecture on "Pounds, shillings, and pence."

Blackhill Primitive Methodist Chapel.—"Happy homes, and how to make them," was the title of a lecture given in the above Chapel, on Saturday evening, by Rev. W. Antliff, D.D., Principal of the Theological Institute, Sunderland. On Sunday, two sermons were preached: in the morning by the Rev. T. Southron, and in the afternoon and evening by the Rev. W. Antliff. A tea meeting took place on Monday afternoon, followed by a public meeting at night.

Temperance Gala at Leadgate.—The members of the "Dr. F. R. Lees." and the "John Wesley" division of the Sons of Temperance had a demonstration on Saturday. A procession of Sons of Temperance and Good Templars, headed by the Teetotal Brass Band, was formed at Benfieldside Station, and marched through Blackhill and Consett, and the to Leadgate, where a public tea was provided in the Wesleyan Day School, followed by a meeting at night.

We are glad to hear that our townsman, Mr. Edward Ormerod, has been delegated by the Consett and District Young Men's Christian Association to represent them at the approaching International Conference of Young Men's Christian Associations, to be held at Hamburg in this month. Mr. Ormerod will sail for Hamburg in the "Gipsy Queen," on Wednesday, from West Hartlepool, and will return about the 23rd.

Sudden Death of Mr. Edward Worth.—Mr. Edward Worth, innkeeper, died very suddenly at his residence in Middle Street, on Saturday morning last. The deceased had been to Rothbury on the previous day, and about eleven o'clock at night was standing talking to some friends in Middle Street, and he then appeared to be in his usual health. Heart disease is the supposed cause of death.

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Stanhope Flower Show.—Mr. H. Pease has again placed at the disposal of the Stanhope Floral Society the beautiful grounds of Stanhope Castle, in which to hold this year's show and musical *fete*, on Saturday next.

Burnopfield.—A meeting was held in the Burnopfield National School, on Tuesday, to consider the advisability of obtaining a fire-hose for local use. Some discussion took place, in which several of the speakers expressed the hope that a Local Board would be established, so that all matters of a public character should be under the control of responsible officers. The meeting stands adjourned to Tuesday, August 17th.

Peter McKenzie at Lanchester.—This popular preacher paid a visit to Lanchester on Wednesday, on the occasion of the anniversary in connection with the Wesleyan Chapel at that place. In the afternoon a tea was held, and was largely partaken of. At night Mr. McKenzie delivered a lecture on "Elisha, Elijah's successor." The building was filled to overflowing. The chair was occupied by Mr. Snowball, of Gateshead.

Cricket Matches.—Tanfield v. Leadgate.—This single innings match was played on Saturday last, on the ground of the latter, and resulted in an easy victory for the former by 51 runs. Tanfield went first to the wickets, and some brilliant playing was made by Messrs. Horner, Smith, and Taylor for double figures. Leadgate went next to the wickets, and were only able to gain one double figure, by Mr. Brown, owing to the splendid bowling of the Tanfield club. Total number of runs for Tanfield, 100; total for Leadgate, 49.——Burnopfield v. Swalwell.—This match was played on the ground of the former on Saturday last, and resulted in a victory for the home team. Total number of runs for Burnopfield, 47; total for Swalwell, 37.

"31, Taylor Street, Glasgow, Oct. 1, 1868.—I have tried Mr. Todd's Quinine Wine, and have found it an excellent preparation as a tonic wherever such is required.—James Gibson, L.R.C.P.E., L.R.C.S.E." This elegant and renowned preparation of genuine quinine stands unsurpassed as the most reliable, and pleasant medicine known in all cases of indigestion, nervousness and neuralgia, and more especially in prostration after long sickness where though its great strength and perfect purity it has gained the universal recommendation of the medical profession. The genuine is manufactured only by Joe Todd, Chemist, Carlisle, and has the name on the Government stamp.

Epp's Cocoa.—Grateful and Comforting.—"By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutritition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavoured beverage which may save us many heavy doctors' bills. It is by the judicious use of such articles of diet that a constitution may be gradually built up until strong enough to resist every tendency to disease. Hundreds of subtle maladies are floating around us ready to attack wherever there is a weak point. We may escape many a fatal shaft by keeping ourselves fortified with pure blood and a properly nourished frame."—*Civil Service Gazette.*

Tow Law Local Board.—The monthly meeting of this Board was held on Tuesday evening. There were present—Messrs. D. Thomson (chairman), H. Welsh, J. Trainor, W. Smith, A. Robinson, E. Rutherford, J. Ridley, and W. Ridley. The minutes of the preceding meeting were read and confirmed. The Inspector's report was read, which was of the ordinary kind. The Surveyor's report stated that the work on highways was lagging in consequence of the indisposition of the contractor. Tenders had been sought for the making of private streets, but only one was given, and its acceptance was placed in the hands of a committee. A long time was spent in discussing an application for the Board to accept as a highway a route over an undivided common as soon as the road was made to the satisfaction of the Board. A majority voted that it should be accepted when the other private streets were accepted. The meeting then separated.

Holloway's Pills and Ointment.—Indigestion, Disorder of the Liver.—No fact in medical knowledge is better established than that the chief source of all morbid states, whether of the body or mind, is a deranged state of digestion, usually originating in the liver. Holloway's Pills speedily regulate this function. In cases where delicacy of constitution renders it unadvisable to take many Pills, the same healthful effects may be carried out, without debilitating, by rubbing Holloway's Ointment thoroughly over the pit of the stomach and right side at least twice a day; no pain or inconvenience attends this treatment. Its merits in vanquishing pain at the stomach, flatulency, and imperfect digestion have been fully appreciated by the public in all parts of the globe for the last thirty-five years.

Castleside.—Mr. W. J. Scott, of Consett, has received the following communication from the Education Department in reply to the communication sent as to the result of the meeting held last week relative to the school accommodaaion. The ratepayers will perceive that now they will have a final six months' notice to find school accommodation, and if not provided at the expiration of that time, a compulsory School Board will be formed.

Education Department, Whitehall, London, S.W.,
4th Aug., 1875.

Sir,—I have the honour to acknowledge the recipt of your letter of the 29th ult. I am directed to state that a final notice under sections 9, 10, and 41 of the Elementary Education Act, 1870, will shortly be published.—I have the honour to be, sir, your obedient servant, P. Cumin.

The Outrage by Pitmen at Hedley Hill.—At Lanchester Petty Sessions, on Thursday, before M. Kearney (chairman), E. T. Smith, and J. Clavering, Esqs., Peter Cunningham, Dominick O'Donald, senr., James Gondron, and Dominick O'Donald, junr., were placed in the dock on a charge of unlawfully cutting and wounding Police-Constable Robinson, at Hedley Hill, on the night of the 10th of July. Mr. A W. Granger, of Durham, appeared for the prosecution, and said he proposed to call Inspector Scott as to the statement made by the prisoner Cunningham since his apprehension at South Wingate on Saturday last. Inspector Scott, of Lanchester, was then examined. On being charged with being concerned in the attack on Robinson, Cunningham replied that he was in Allison's public-house at closing-time, that he passed Robinson in the passage, and that he was standing outside when the landlord fired the gun.—Supt. Oliver said Cunningham had, since his apprehension, been taken before P.C. Robinson and identified.—Dr. Johnstone, of Tow Law, said he had seen Robinson that morning. He was still in a bad state, his symptoms were very changeable, and he was threatened with paralysis in his legs.—The Chairman: Is he likely to be able to appear in a week?—Dr. Johnstone replied that it might be a long time before he was able to appear. The excitement consequent on being brought to the court might have a bad effect upon him.—In answer to Mr. Patrick (who appeared for the prisoner Condron) Dr. Johnstone said Robinson was able to sit up very little. He had had convulsions during the present week.—Mr. Granger then applied for a remand.—Mr. Patrick, on behalf of Condron, applied to have the latter admitted to bail. He was prepared to prove that Condron was not present on the night in question.—The Chairman, in reply to Mr. Patrick's application, said Robinson might die, and the case would then resolve itself into one of murder, and they would not, under the circumstances, be justified in accepting bail—Pritoners were then remanded.

THE SISTER'S SACRIFICE.

In the cloak-room of Meredith and Son's great factory, a group of girls were standing engaged in an animated discussion.

"What are you all so excited about?" asked a pretty little blonde, coming in from the loom room.

"Edna Churchill!"

"Dear me! What has she been doing now? You are always discussing some horrible deed of Edna's. I like her myself."

"Yes, we all know that," said the first speaker; "you will defend anything Edna does."

"But what has she done?"

"Refused to sign the subscription list for the pitcher to be presented to Mr. Rodman."

"And Mr Rodman has been such a good friend to her," said a third voice.

The little blonde, Susy Whiting by name, looked rather staggered at the new accusation against her friend. Mr. Rodman, manager for Meredith and Son for nearly fifty years, was about to retire on account of the infirmities of age, and the employees of the great factory were collecting money to buy a silver pitcher to present to him.

Edna Churchill had come to the great factory two years previous to the date of the indignation meeting in the cloak-room, and had risen to the position of forewoman in one of the loom-rooms. Here her education enabled her to keep the books required in the room, thus doubling her salary.

And here was the great cause of complaint by her companions. It was well known that the salary of Edna Churchill was sufficient to warrant a good style of living and dressing. Instead, she lived in the attic, poorly furnished, with a tiny stove, where she cooked the cheapest of food. Her dress was of the coarsest description, made by her own hands, and no ornament broke its severe simplicity.

"The question is," said Ella Leigh, who had been foremost in the cloak-room discussion, "what does she do with her money? She never puts any in the factory savings bank; she certainly spends nothing on her dress. Where is it all, then?"

"Perhaps she supports her parents?"

"Both dead! I have heard her say so!"

"Well, I guess Mr. Rodman won't think her quite such a paragon as he has done, when he misses her name from the subscription list."

"And Walter Rodman will probably resent the insult to his father."

There was an exultation in the tone of the last remark but ill-concealed. Walter Rodman, the only child of the old manager, was in the counting-house of the factory, with every prospect of soon becoming a partner. A man past thirty he had risen in the employ of Meredith and Son, from a lad of fourteen, and had saved money from a handsome salary, with the avowed intention of purchasing a place in the firm, upon the anticipated retirement of old Mr. Meredith, who was known to favour the intention. But he had gone through thirty years of life, fancy free, until Edna Churchill came to the factory.

Of her antecedents, he knew only that she brought a letter from the clergyman of her parish, in a small town in Yorkshire.

There was a struggle constantly in the mind of the young clerk—a struggle between his love and his fear of repentance if he urged his suit. It was revolting to him to think of his wife conducting his household upon parsimonious principles, refusing to bestow of his abundance in charity, dressing meanly, and perhaps influencing him to the same miserly habits. And yet, one hour with Edna drove away all such thoughts.

But when the silver pitcher was presented to Mr. Rodman, and Edna's name was not upon the list of contributors to the gift, Walter experienced a sharp pang of disappointment. He knew that his father's recommendation had gained Edna her first place in the factory, that she had found a firm friend in him, and owed her rapid advancement to his interest and influence. And yet she had refused her mite to the gift that testified the good feeling of her fellow workers in the factory.

Father and son had long been confidential friends, and on the evening following the presentation the young man opened his heart and told all his doubts and fears. Mr. Rodman listened quietly.

"Yet you love Edna?" he said.

"I love her," replied Walter, "but I could never be happy with a miserly wife."

"Poor Edna! how little she deserves that reproach," said Mr. Rodman. "I shall violate a confidence reposed in me, Walter, when I tell you how you misjudge her, but I think I can trust you."

"Has she told you her secret?"

"No. I heard the story from the clergyman of her native village, who wrote to me before she came here. He is an old friend of mine, and knew he could confide in me. I will tell you what he wrote to me. Six years ago Edna's mother died, leaving in her care a sickly stepbrother, then eleven years old. Her own father had left Edna a pretty cottage, and she had a small income from the fruit and poultry on the place, while she made a sufficient living by teaching music and playing the organ in the church. When her mother died, leaving Stephen Grady, her stepbrother, orphaned and penniless (for her stepfather before his death squandered all her mother's little fortune) Edna promised to care for the boy.

"The boy grew up like his father, reckless of expenditure, loose in principle, yet tender to his sister mother, and one of those loving scapegraces who always win some good woman's devotion. He won Edna's. Three years ago a friend of Mrs. Grady's took Stephen into his counting-house. Here he was to learn the book-keeping and clerkly work for a large grain house, and for a time he worked steadily. Then bad company again exerted an evil influence, and he learned to gamble. Remember, Walter, he was but fourteen, and Edna but five years older.

"One of his accomplishments was the power of imitating handwriting, and by the persuasion of some older heads he forged a cheque for £200 on the firm he was with. He was arrested, and repentance came when he saw the full consequence of his acts.

"It was then that Edna proved herself the noble woman I believe her to be. She was suffering already for her brother's crime, having lost her place as organist, and most of her music scholars having left her. In the face of all this, she went to the firm and pleaded for the lad. Her eloquence gained him something. The firm agreed not to prosecute, to allow the boy to leave the town, and go to an uncle who was willing to give him another trial in a Western city, if—mark that if, Walter—if Edna would pay the £200 and interest within two years. She undertook the task. Stephen was released and sent to his father's brother, where he is doing well; and Edna rented her home and came here, hoping for higher wages than she could earn in her own town. I, knowing all, advanced her interest in every way. Month after month, denying herself everything but the barest necessaries of life, she has sent her earnings to wipe off her brother's debt. You can understand why she could not take even a few shillings to subscribe for a present to me when I tell you the two years expired on the very day when the last £20 was received. Now, Walter, you know Edna's secret. Judge for yourself if she is a miser."

"She is as noble and self-sacrificing as my heart always told me she was, in spite of appearances," said Walter, warmly. "To-morrow I will see if she can ever return my love."

"Not to-morrow," said Mr. Rodman, smiling; "Edna went home this afternoon, her task finished. Out of the sum I paid her for the last week of her toil here, she begged my acceptance of the copy of Longfellow upon the table beside you, asking me, with tears in her eyes, to believe she was grateful for all my kindness to her. Let her rest a little from her long strain of self-sacrifice and toil Walter, and then, if you can win her love, I will gladly give her a daughter's place in my heart."

Winter had come and gone, and spring sunshine was making all nature glad, when, one cheery morning, the train through [illegible] left a single passenger at the village station. He was a tall, handsome man, dressed well, without foppishness, and he inquired of a man at the station for the residence of Miss Churchill.

"The first white cottage as you turn the second street from here," was the reply.

It was soon found, and at the gate the traveller halted. Near the window stood a handsome woman, trailing a vine over a net work of string. Her face was partly averted; but the stranger could see that all the pallor and sadness of the past were gone. She turned her face and saw Walter Rodman looking earnestly, wistfully at her. A quick flush swept across her cheek, and her eyes lighted gladly as she stepped across the low window-sill to greet him.

"May I come in?" he asked, opening the little gate.

"I am very glad to welcome you," she answered, and then extended her hand as he sprang lightly up the steps.

It is not fair to repeat lovers' talk. Suffice it that before Walter left the little cottage to take the return train, he had won the dearest wish of his heart, and when summer roses bloomed Edna became the bride of the junior partner of Meredith and Co.

FACETIÆ.

A shareholder—A ploughman.

A crystal ghost—A glass shade.

Civil rights—Obliging answers.

Elementary pages—Sheets of water.

An intellectual dog—A type-setter.

A stamp act—Treading on people's toes.

The bump of destructiveness—A railway collision.

How to be wise—Don't think that you know everything.

To become peacemakers—Play at football in a crockery shop.

If "there's a place for everything," where is the place for a boil.

"Rents are enormous" as the vagabond said on looking at his pants.

When does a man's right leg become his left leg! When the other is cut off.

How Patrick proposes to get over his single blessedness—By proposing to Bridge it.

"So dark and yet so light," as the man said when he looked at his so-called ton of coals.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS!—Are you broken in your rest by a sick child suffering with the pain of cutting teeth? Go at once to a chemist and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor sufferer immediately. It is perfectly harmless and pleasant to taste, it produces natural, quiet sleep, by relieving the child from pain, and the little cherub awakes "as bright as a button." It soothes the child, it softens the gums, allays all pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for dysentery and diarrhœa, whether arising from teething or other causes. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup is sold by Medicine dealers everywhere at 1s 1½d per bottle.—Manufactured in New York, and at 493 Oxford-street, London.

Railway Time Tables

NEWCASTLE TO JARROW AND SOUTH SHIELDS.

Leaves Newcastle (Week days) 6·0, 6·50, 7·35 (*), 7·55 9·0, 9·45, 10·55, 11·50 (*), 12·30, 2·10, 3·0, 3·35 (*) 4·5, 5·5, 6·5, 7·10, 8·5, 9·35, 10·55.

Leaves Newcastle (Sundays)—6·10, 8·0, 9·40, 2·0, 5·0, 7·10, 8·10, 9·30.

These trains leave intermediate stations as follows:—Gateshead, 3; Felling, 8; Pelaw, 15; Hebburn, 20, Jarrow, 25; Tyne Dock, 30; and High Shields, 36 minutes after the above times, arriving at South Shields about 40 minutes after the time they leave Newcastle.

* First, second, and third-class express trains, stopping at Gateshead at 3 minutes, Jarrow at 15 minutes, and Tyne Dock at 18 minutes after the above times, arriving at South Shields about 25 minutes after the time they leave Newcastle.

Fares from Newcastle to Gateshead: First, 3d; second, 2d.; third, 1d.

Felling: First, 6d.; second, 4d.; third, 3d.

Pelaw: First, 8d.; second, 6d.; third, 3½d. Return, first, 1s. 2d., second, 10d., third, 7d.

Hebburn: First, 10d., second, 7d., third, 5d, Return, first, 1s. 6d., second, 1s. third, 9d.

Jarrow, Tyne Dock, High Shields, or South Shields: First, 1s.; second, 9d.; third, 6d. Return, 1s. 8d., 1s. 3d., 10d.

Relief Trains leaves Newcastle for Jarrow on SATURDAYS at 7·5, 8.0, 9·30, and 10·50 p.m.

On SATURDAYS ONLY, a relief train leaves Hebburn for Shields at 2·2 p.m.

SOUTH SHIELDS TO JARROW AND NEWCASTLE.

Leaves South Shields (Week days).—4·55, 7·6, 8·0 8·30(*), 9·0, 10·5, 10·30, 11·45, 12·30, 1·50, 3·15, 4·0 (*), 4·15, 5·10, 6·15, 7·15, 8·15, 9·15, 10·35.

Leaves South Shields (Sundays).—6·15, 8·0, 9·55, 2·10 5·0, 7·15, 8·20, 9·35.

These trains leave intermediate stations as follows:—High Shields, 3; Tyne Dock, 8; Jarrow, 14; Hebburn, 19; Pelaw, 24; Felling 30; and Gateshead, 35 minutes after the above times, arriving at Newcastle about 40 minutes after the times they leave South Shields.

ON SATURDAYS

Relief trains leave JARROW for NEWCASTLE at 1 55 3·18, 8.23, 9·23, and 10·43 p.m. calling at all intermediate stations.

* First, second, and third-class express trains calling at Tyne Dock, Jarrow, and Gateshead, leaving Jarrow 10 minutes after the above times, arriving at Newcastle about 25 minutes after they leave South Shields.

Fares from South Shields to High Shields or Tyne Dock: First, 3d.; second, 2d.; third, 1d.

Jarrow: First, 8d; second, 6d.; third, 3½d.

Pelaw, Felling, Gateshead, or Newcastle: First, 1s; second, 9d.; third, 6d.

SUNDERLAND TO SOUTH SHIELDS AND JARROW.

Leaves Sunderland (Week days).—4·45, 6·50, 7·50, 8·50 9·55, 11·5 12·15, 1·40, 3·5, 3·55, 5·0, 6·5, 7·5, 8·5, 9·5, 10 25.

Leaves Sunderland (Sundays).—6·5, 7·50, 9·25, 2·0 4.50, 7·5, 8·10, 9·25.

These trains leave intermediate stations as follows:—Cleadon Lane, 7: Tyne Dock, 13; High Shields, 17, minutes after the above times, arriving at South Shields about 20 minutes after the time they leave Sunderland.

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Fares from Sunderland to Cleadon Lane: first 6d. second, 5d; third, 3d.; Tyne Dock, first, 10d.; second 8d. third, 6d., High Shields and South Shields first, 10d.; second, 8d.; third, 6d.; Jarrow, first, 1s. 4d.; second, 1s.; third, 7½d. Return tickets to Jarrow: first, 2s. 3d.; second, 1s. 8d.; third, 1s. 2d.

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Leaves Jarrow (Week days).—5·25 7·13, 8.18, 9·23 10·8, 11·18, 12·53, 2·33, 3·23, 4·28, 5·28, 6·28, 7·33, 8·28, 9·58, 11.18.

Leaves Jarrow (Sundays)—6·33, 8·23, 9·53, 2·23, 5·23, 7·33, 8·33, 9·53.

These trains leave intermediate Stations as follows:—South Shields 4, High Shields 7, Tyne Dock 11, and Cleadon Lane 16 minutes after the train leaves Jarrow arriving in Sunderland in about 24 minutes.

Fares from Jarrow to South Shields: first, 8d.; second, 6d.; third, 3½d.; High Shields: first, 8d.; second, 6d.; third, 3d.; Tyne Dock, first, 6d.; second, 4d.; third, 2d.; Cleadon Lane, first, 10d.; second, 8d.; third, 4½d.; Sunderland, first, 1s. 4d.; second, 1s.; third, 7½d Return tickets to Jarrow, first, 2s. 3d.; second, 1s. 8d.; third 1s. 2d.

NEWCASTLE TO TYNEMOUTH.

Leaves Newcastle—Central Station—(Week days)—6·10(a), 7·0, 8·10, 9·0(*), 9·15, 9·45, (c), 10·15, 11·0, 12·0, 12·45, 1·15, 2·0, 2·30, 3·5, 4·10, 4·45 (†), 5·10, 5·50, 5 6·45, †, 7·10, 8·10, 9·0, 10·0, 11·30.

Leaves Newcastle—Central Station—(Sundays)—6·10 (a), 9·0, 10·5, 1·1, 1·15, 2·0, 2·15, 3·0, 3·15, 4·0, 5 0, 8 35, 7·0, 7·35, 8·0, 8·45, 9·15.

These trains leave intermediate stations as follows:—Manors 3, Heaton 7, Walker 11, Wallsend 16, Howdon 21, Percy Main 25, and North Shields 30 minutes after the above times, arriving at Tynemouth 35 minutes after leaving Newcastle.

* First, second, and third class express trains, stopping only at North Shields.

† These trains stop only at Manors and North Shields Stations.

a.—This train stops at intermediate stations when required, to set down passengers arriving from the south by either the 4.38 or 5·58 a.m trains.

b.—The 6·45 p.m. train from Newcastle will stop at all Stations on Saturdays and reach Tynemouth at 7·20 p.m.

c.—The 11·20 p.m. train stops at intermediate Stations when required, to set down passengers. 3d.; third, 2d.; Walker, first, 6d.; second, 4d.; third 3d.

Fares from Newcastle to Tynemouth: First, 1s. 3d., second, 1s., third, 8d. Return, first, 2s. 0d., second, 1s. 6d., third, 1s.

North Shields, first, 1s., second, 9d., third, 6d. Return, first, 1s. 5d., second, 1s. 3d., third, 10d.

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Howdon: First, 10d., Second, 8d., third, 5d. Return, first, 1s. 6d., second, 1s. 2d., third, 9d.

Wallsend: First, 8d., second, 6d., third, 3½d. Return, first, 1s. 2d., second, 10d., third, 7d.

Walker: First, 5d., second, 4d., third, 2½d. Return, first, 9d., second, 7d., third, 5d.

TYNEMOUTH TO NEWCASTLE.

Leaves Tynemouth (Week days)—5·20, 6·40 (a), 7·45, 8·30 (*), 9·0, 9·30 (*), 10·0, 10·30 (*), 11·0, 12·0, 12 45, 1·50, 2·10, 3·0, 3·30, 4·0, 5·0, 5·35 (*), 5·55, 6·30, 7·30, 7·35 (*), 8·0, 9·0, 10·0, 10·50 (*).

Leaves Tynemouth (Sundays)—7·35, 9·45, 1·0, 1·45, 2·0, 3·0, 4·0, 5·0, 5·45, 6·0, 6·35, 7·0, 7·35, 8·0, 8 45, 9·15.

These trains leave intermediate stations as follows:—North Shields 3, Percy Main 9, Howdon 11, Wallsend 16, Walker 19, Heaton 23, and Manors 30 minutes after above times, arriving at Central Station, Newcastle about 35 minutes after leaving Tynemouth.

* First, second, and third class express trains, stopping only at North Shields and Manors stations.

a.—The 6·40 a.m. train stops at intermediate Stations to take up passengers booked to the Central Stations.

b.—The 10·50 p.m. train stops at Stations up to and including Walker on Saturdays, and does not reach the Central Station until 11·20 p.m.

Fares from Tynemouth to North Shields, first, 4d.; second, 3d.; third, 2d.; Percy Main, first, 6d.: second, 4d.; third, 3d.; Howdon, first, 8d.; second, 6d.; third, 4d.; Wallsend, first, 10d.; second, 8d.; third, 6d.; Walker first, 1s.; second 9d.; third, 6d.; Heaton, first, 1s.; second 9d.; third, 6d.; Newcastle (Manors or Central), first, 1s. 3d.; second, 1s.; third, 8d.

STOCKTON AND DARLINGTON RAILWAY

GOING EAST.—WEEK DAYS ONLY.

STATIONS.		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Newcastle	dep.	5·45	12·30	2·30
Benfieldside	„	6·50	1·30	4·25
Rowley	„	7· 0	1·40	4·35
Burnhill Junction	„	7·10	1·50	4·45
Tow Law	„	7·23	2· 3	4·58
Crook	arr.	7·35	2·15	5.10
	dep.	7.38	2·25	5·25
Bishop Auckland	„	8· 5	2·55	5·55
Darlington	„	8·55	3·35	7· 0
Stockton	„	9·25	4· 5	7·30
Middlesbro'	„	9·35	4·15	7·42
Saltburn	„	10·10	4·50	8·29

GOING WEST.—WEEK DAYS ONLY.

STATIONS.		A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Saltburn	dep.	5·45	11·30	4·30
Middlesbro'	„	6·22	12· 5	5· 5
Stockton	„	6·34	12·15	5·15
Darlington	„	7·15	1· 5	5·55
Bishop Auckland	„	7·48	1·35	6·25
Crook	arr.	8·10	1·57	6 45
	dep.	8·15	2·20	6·48
Tow Law	„	8·27	2·32	7· 0
Burnhill Junction	„	8·42	2·45	7·15
Rowley	„	8·52	2·55	7·25
Benfieldside	arr.	9· 5	3· 5	9·35
Newcastle	arr.	10·5	4·30	9·40

CONSETT BRANCH

UP TRAINS.—WEEK DAYS.

		1,2,G.	1,2,G.	1,2,G	1,2,G.	,2,G
		A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Newcastle	dep.	5·45	10·0	12·30	2·30	5·35
Scotswood	„	5·52	10· 7	12·37	2·37	5·42
Swalwell	„	5·59	10·14	12·43	2·44	5.49
Rowland's Gill	„	6· 9	10·24	12·51	2·54	5.59
Lintz Green	„	6·15	10·30	12·59	3· 0	6 5
Ebchester	„	6·28	10·43	1·12	3·13	6·18
Shotley Bridge	„	6·34	10·49	1·18	3·19	6·24
Benfieldside (Consett & Blackhill)	arr.			1·25	3·25	
	dep	6·40	10·55		4·35	6·30
Knitsley	„	6·54	11· 9		4·49	6·45
Lanchester	„	7· 3	11·18		4·58	6·55
Witton Gilbert	„	7.10	11·27		5· 5	7· 4
Durham	arr.	7·25	11.40		5· 5	7·20

DOWN TRAINS—WEEK DAYS.

STATIONS		1,2,G.	1,2 G.	1,2,G.	1,2,G	1,2,G
		A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Durham	dep.	7·35		12·10	3·8	8· 0
Witton Gilbert	„	7·50		12·24	3·48	8·16
Lanchester	„	7·55		12·35	3·59	8·25
Knitsley	„	8·12		12·45	4· 4	8·26
Benfieldside (Consett & Blackhill)	arr.				4·20	
	dep	8·27	9·15	1· 0	3·35	8·48
Shotley Bridge	„	8·32	9·20	1· 5	3·40	8·53
Ebchester	„	8·36	9·23	1· 9	3·44	8·57
Lintz Green	„	8·47	9·33	1.19	3·54	9· 8
Rowland's Gill	„	8·53	9·38	1·24	3·59	9·13
Swalwell	„	9· 2	9·47	1·33	4· 5	9·22
Scotswood	„	9· 9	9·53	1·39	4·14	9·29
Newcastle	arr.	9·20	10· 5	1·50	4·30	9·40

MARKET TRAINS ON SATURDAYS.

First, second, and third class return tickets will be issued on Saturdays by the following trains—

STATIONS.		A.M.		P.M.	
Newcastle	dep.	7·10	4· 0	5·25	7·30
Scotswood	„	7·17	4· 9	5·32	7·37
Swalwell	„	7·23	4·15	5·39	7·44
Rowland's Gill	„	7·31	4·25	5·49	8·55
Lintz Green	„	7·37	4·29	5·55	8· 2
Ebchester	„	7·50	4·42	6· 8	8·16
Shotley Bridge	„	7·57	4·47	6·14	8·23
Benfieldside (for Consett and Blackhill)	arr.	8· 5	4·56	6·20	8·30
	dep.	9·10	5·10		
Knitsley		9·21	5·21		
Lanchester		9·34	5·34		
Witton Gilbert		9.46	5·46		
Durham	arr.	10· 0	6· 0		

STATIONS.		A.M.	P.M.
Durham	dep.		4· 0
Witton Gilbert	„	8· 5	4·13
Lanchester	„	8·17	4·25
Knitsley	„	8·30	4.38
Benfieldside (for Consett and Blackhill)	arr.	8·42	4·50
	dep.	8·50	5·30
Shotley Bridge	„	8·55	5·35
Ebchester	„	9· 0	5·40
Lintz Green	„	9· 9	5·49
Rowland's Gill	„	9·16	5·59
Swalwell	„	9·23	6· 7
Scotswood	„	9·29	6·13
Newcastle	arr.	9·40	63·0

SUNDAYS.

LEAVE	a.m.	p.m.	LEAVE	a.m.	p.m.
Newcastle	7·30	7·15	Benfieldside	8·35	8·20
Scotswood	7·37	7·22	Shotley Bridge	8·40	8·25
Swalwell	7·44	7·29	Ebchester	8·44	8.29
Rowland's Gill	7·54	7·39	Lintz Green	8·54	8·39
Lintz Green	8· 0	7·45	Rowland's Gill	8·59	8·44
Ebchester	8·18	7·58	Swalwell	9· 8	8·53
Shotley Bridge	8·19	8· 4	Scotswood	9·14	8·59
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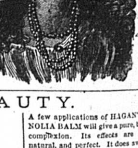

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Local Police Courts.

LANCHESTER PETTY SESSIONS.

THURSDAY, August 5th.—Before M. KEARNEY (chairman), E. T. SMITH, and J. CLAVERING, Esqs.

ASSAULT AT CRAGHEAD COLLIERY.—John Miller was charged with assaulting Thomas Prudhoe. The parties are boys employed at Craghead Colliery. Complainant appears to have struck at a trapper lad, when the defendant appeared on the scene, knocked complainant down, kicked him, and, in addition to bruising his leg, blacked his eye. A fine of £1, including costs, was imposed.

ASSAULT BY BOYS NEAR KYO.—Three lads, named Edward Pearson, John Blackburn, and Thomas Pearson, all of Catchgate, were summoned for assaulting another lad named Charles Rhodes. The latter was proceeding with his father's horse and cart to West Kyo, on Saturday evening, when the defendants stopped and assaulted him. The magistrates after hearing the evidence, said it was a very frivolous case, which ought not to have been brought before them. If defendants paid the costs it would meet the justice of the case.—Mr. Granger appeared for the complainant.

ALLOWING A WIFE TO BECOME CHARGEABLE TO THE UNION.—John Hetherington was charged with allowing his wife to become chargeable to the Lanchester Poor Law Union. Mr. Granger defended. Mr. Thompson clerk to the Guardians, said defendant was brought before the justices about six weeks ago, and he then promised to provide a home for his wife, but he had not done so, and she was now chargeable to the Union. Complainant was then sworn, and stated the last place she resided at with her husband was Tantobie.—Mr. Granger said defendant had a house but complainant refused to go to it.—Mr. Thompson said the house contained only one room, and it was already occupied by defendant's mother and an aunt.—Complainant said her husband's mother was a drunken woman, and she did not wish to be amongst them.—The Chairman (to defendant): Are you willing to give your wife a separate maintenance?—Mr. Granger: We are willing to give her 3s. week.—Mr. Thompson said Mrs. Hetherington had a child. He considered 6s. a week little enough for the support of complainant and her child.—The magistrates made an order for 6s. per week for three months, in addition to the costs.

ASSAULT ON A GAME WATCHER AT LANCHESTER.—Joseph Stobart, Thos. Carroll, and William Carroll, miners, the two former residing at The Lizzie Colliery, and the latter at Whickham, were charged with assaulting George Brunskill, game watcher at The Ford. Complainant stated that on the evening of the 24th of July he was in the "Black Bull" at Lanchester, where he was knocked down by Stobart, and, while on the floor, kicked in a savage manner by the other defendants.—A witness named Welsh, a porter at Lanchester Station, deposed to being in the Black Bull public-house on the night in question, and hearing Stobart accuse the complainant of shooting his (Stobart's) dog. He struck Brunskill on the face, but witness could not speak to the other defendants being present.—Stobart, who pleaded guilty to striking complainant, said the latter shot his dog.—The magistrates imposed a penalty of 20s. and costs on Stobart, while the other defendants were ordered to pay 10s. and costs.

DRUNK AND DISORDERLY.—William Caygill, Geo. Thornton, and John Hall, miners, were each fined 5s. and costs for being drunk and disorderly at Cornsay Colliery.——Michael Finn and William Brucks, miners, the former of Stanley and the latter of Dipton, were also fined 5s. and costs for a similar offence.——Thomas Slater, miner, was fined 5s. and costs for a similar offence at Esh Colliery.

REFUSING TO QUIT.—Thomas Stacey, miner, Moor Pit, was summoned by P.C. Reay for refusing to quit the licensed premises of Mr. Wheatley on the 24th ult.—Fined 5s. and costs.

ASSAULTS ON THE POLICE AT CONSETT.—Patrick Rogan was charged with assaulting P.C. Taaffe at Consett. It appears that on Saturday night the constable was in Victoria Street, where he found the defendant drunk. On taking him into custody, defendant struck him on the nose, making that organ bleed somewhat profusely.—As defendant had been in the lock-up since the assault, the magistrates took this into consideration and imposed a fine of 5s. and costs.——Richard Pratt and Thomas Williamson were also charged with an assault on the same officer. P.C. Taaffe said shortly after ten o'clock on Sunday night he was on duty in Front Street. Pratt was there drunk, and on witness ordering him off the street, he struck him on the eye with one hand while with the other he knocked his helmet off. Williamson also struck him and ran away with his helmet, which was found sticking on a post on the following Wednesday.—In cross-examination by Mr. Patrick, who appeared on behalf of Pratt, witness denied that he was of an excitable disposition, or that he had struck Pratt first.—Other evidence having been called, a fine of 5s. and costs was imposed, the magistrates remarking that the defendants had been in custody several days, or they would have inflicted a heavier fine.

ALLEGED THREATENING LANGUAGE.—Mary Gales was charged with threatening to tear off the head of a woman named Margaret Pellar, at Burnhope Colliery.—As complainant did not appear, the case was dismissed.

GAME TRESPASS.—Thos. Cowell, miner, Craghead, was fined 40s. and costs for trespassing in pursuit of game near the above place, on the 8th of August.

DRUNKENNESS.—James Graham and Michael Gee, miners, Stanley, charged by Sergeant Stamper with the above offence, were fined, the former 5s. and the latter 10s. and costs.——Henderson Bell, William Conn, John Richardson, and a man named Bush were summoned by P.C. Reay for a similar offence in the neighbourhood of Aunfield Plain. Conn was fined 10s. and the others 5s. and costs.—Arthur Lamb, Lawrence Shoulder, and Thomas Lowrey were fined 5s. and costs for drunkenness at Quebec.

PITCH AND TOSS.—William Jury, Robert Jury, and Robert Coffrin were charged by P.C. Reay with playing at pitch and toss, on the 25th ult. Fined 10s. each and costs.

OBSTRUCTING THE HIGHWAY.—Robert Robinson, George Jobling, John Peacock, Thomas Dodds, Hall Watson, Thomas Watson, William Parker, John Hoggarth, Peter Dorman, Thomas Rutherford, John Brown, George Harvey, John Whitfield, and Henry Wade, miners of Stanley, were charged by Sergeant Stamper with obstructing a certain highway.—Brown, Rutherford, Dorman, and Jobling, who did not appear, were fined 2s. 6d. and costs; the other defendants were each fined 1s. and costs.

TURNING THE TABLES.—John Reay was summoned for an assault on Ann Pearson, a married woman, at Cornsay Colliery. Dr. Carr appeared for Mrs. Pearson, and informed the bench that Mrs. Pearson was charged with an assault on Isabella Reay, wife of the defendant in the first case. Complainant's statement having been heard, witnesses for the defence were called, who stated that Mrs. Pearson began the disturbance by spitting in Mrs. Reay's face and then striking her twice, after which the defendant Reay pushed her off his wife. The charge against Reay was dismissed, while for the assault on Mrs. Reay, Mrs. Pearson was fined 1s. and costs.

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CONSETT LOCAL BOARD.

The ordinary meeting of the above Board was held on Wednesday afternoon, Mr. Calvert presiding. The following members were also present—Messrs Charlton, McNally, Collinson, Siddell, Routledge, Hudson, Murray, and Davison.

CEMETERY ROAD.

In answer to the Board, the Clerk (Mr. Elliott) intimated that he had not heard from the Benfieldside Board respecting the formation of the above road.

Mr. MURRAY and Mr. CHARLTON thought the matter had remained in abeyance long enough, and wished to know what the Board proposed doing.

Mr. ROUTLEDGE said the Consett Board had, at great expense, made a good road as far as Cemetery Lane, but the latter road was almost impassable.

The CHAIRMAN said as the matter was in the hands of the lawyers, he did not see how they could better themselves.

Mr. COLLINSON suggested that the matter should be allowed to stand over for another month.

Mr. HUDSON asked what would be the probable cost of indicting the road.

The Clerk said he might be able to ascertain by the next meeting.

Mr. MURRAY then proposed, and Mr. HUDSON seconded, that the Clerk be instructed to ascertain the cost of indicting the road.—Carried.

PROPOSAL TO PURCHASE A HOUSE IN MEDOMSLEY ROAD.

The CHAIRMAN read a letter that had been sent by Mr. Cuthbertson, stating that he was not satisfied with the Board's offer for the purchase of his house in Medomsley Road, a portion of which it was proposed to pull down in order to make a public road leading from John Street. The house had been closed by the Board, and he was desirous of having the matter settled by arbitration.

Mr. COLLINSON said there existed a doubt in his mind as to whether the Board was justified in spending the public money for the benefit of a few individuals only.

The CHAIRMAN contended that where a few individuals were compelled to pay their share of the rates they ought to receive benefits in common with the other ratepayers.

Mr. COLLINSON asked if the Board would be justified in making a footpath as far as Glendinning's blacksmith's shop for his convenience.

The CHAIRMAN thought the Board would not. That would benefit one individual only.

Mr. COLLINSON did not think the proposed new street, if opened out, would be a benefit to the ratepayers as a public throughfare.

Mr. SIDDELL thought the road would be an advantage.

Mr. HUDSON said if the road was made it would open out a communication between the centre of the town and Medomsley Road.

Mr. DAVISON said when the matter was previously discussed, it was decided that if Mr. Cuthbertson did not accept the Board's terms, the matter should be settled by arbitration.

It was then decided to refer the matter to arbitration, Mr. Davison being deputed to act on behalf of the Board.

THE SMOKE NUISANCE.

The Inspector (Mr. Dawson) said he had waited upon Mr. John Dickinson that morning, and the latter gentleman had promised to erect an additional chimney in order to abate the nuisance complained of.—The matter was carried forward.

PLANS.

Mr. Jenkins having shown to the satisfaction of the Board that he had purchased sufficient ground to form a road abutting his house, the seal of the Board was ordered to be affixed to his plan.

Mr. Shell's plan, which was objected to at the previous meeting on account of the drainage, &c. was also passed.

LIGHTING.

The Clerk read a letter that he had received from Mr. Richley, secretary of the Gas Company, offering to supply gas to the public lamps on the same terms as last year, namely, £510 for 1,600 hours.

The members considered this price high, and it was suggested that the matter should stand over for another month. As the lighting season was close at hand, however, it was determined to accept the terms of the Company. Mr. Collinson remarked that before next season it would be well for the Board to consider the advisability of buying up the plant of the Company.

OVERCROWDING.

A letter was read from Bernard Smith respecting a recent case of overcrowding, in which he figured as the defendant, asking the Board for advice as to how many lodgers he ought to keep.

Mr. CHARLTON asked if the Inspector had power to enter a man's dwelling at midnight.

The Inspector replied that he had.

Mr. CHARLTON said it was a thing that he for one had a decided objection to. It was said that "an Englishman's house was his castle," but such did not appear to be the case at Consett.

Mr. ROUTLEDGE wished to know how the Inspector was to find out cases of overcrowding unless he went during the night.

The INSPECTOR assured the Board that the job was not a very agreeable one; he would much rather stay in his bed.

The CHAIRMAN was afraid the Inspector had no power to go into private houses at midnight. He had heard of Mr. Dawson and a policeman going to people's houses, and the latter getting admittance on pretext of having a warrant for the apprehension of one of the inmates.

The Inspector said the police-officer did so on one occasion, but had a warrant for the apprehension of a man.

Mr. ROUTLEDGE considered that the Inspector should do all in his power to put an end to the overcrowding, which was not only, in many instances, immoral, but very prejudicial to the health of the people living in the houses, especially to children.

Mr. SIDDELL said there was no doubt the Inspector had done his duty in attempting to put down overcrowding, but he considered that extreme measures ought not to be used except in very bad cases.

Mr. ROUTLEDGE said the only way of preventing overcrowding would be by the Company building more cottage accommodation.

MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT.

GENTLEMEN,—I have again to report favourable of the health of your district. Only two cases of fever (scarlet)—and these, too, in the Blackhill section of the district—have been noted in the last quarter. Whooping cough, however, is still prevalent, and has been the cause of three deaths. Cases of scarlet fever are cropping up here and there in an adjoining parish, and might easily be carried into Consett through the incautiousness of friends visiting infected houses, as it is only by strict and long-continued isolation that his disease can be kept from spreading. The time of year also is fast approaching when enteric fever mostly shows itself, therefore all slaughter-houses, dunghills, midden-privies, urinals, and sinks should be freely and frequently deodorized with carbolic powder. Sixty-three births and twenty-six deaths have been registered in your district in the quarter ended June 30th. A natural increase, therefore, of thirty-seven has been added to the population, and the deaths for the same period has been at the annual rate of 14·3 per thousand. This is the lowest death-rate it has ever been my lot to record in any given quarter. Not only has the last quarter been the healthiest, but the mortality for the whole year has been the lowest on record, namely, 17·5 per thousand. The births during the year have exceeded the deaths by 182. Taking the average of the excess of births over deaths for the past seven years we arrive at an average natural increase of population of 125·8 per annum. Only 11 deaths out of the total number (138) in the past twelve months are attributable to preventable causes, namely,—Scarlet fever, 3; measles, 1; whooping cough, 6; and enteric fever, 1. The remaining number (127) of deaths for the year, other than zymotic, may be classified thus:—Diseases of the respiratory organs, 39, including 2 from consumption; heart disease, 2; diseases of brain, 16; diseases of the digestive organs, 20; inquest cases, 11; premature birth, 3; alcoholism, 2; and all others, 34. On analysing the ages at which the deaths have occurred I find that no less than 75 of the total number were under five years, of which 49 were under one year. 11 others had reached the age of sixty-eight and upwards. The amount of sanitary work done in the past year far exceeds any of its predecessors. Not the least is the completion of the settling ponds, which, I understand, are in perfect working order. Nineteen cases of overcrowding have been abated, eighteen nuisances removed, and two houses have been closed as unfit for habitation through the vigilance and zeal of your Inspector.—Your obedient servant,

W. M. RENTON, Officer of Health.

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Mr. SIDDELL wished to know if the house accommodation had increased in the same ratio as the population. He might say that they had great difficulty in getting decent single men to remain at the Works. They obtained lodgings, but were obliged to leave on account of the vigilance of the Inspector in putting down overcrowding. He thought the latter ought to act with a little more leniency.

The Inspector said he only carried out the instructions of the Board.

Mr. SIDDELL said the report was pretty favourable. He only hoped that more attention would be paid to cleanliness and a little less to overcrowding.

THE CLERK'S SALARY.

An application by the Clerk for an increase of salary was refused.—The Board then adjourned.

A POLICEMAN THAT "LIKED SPICE-CAKE."

At Lanchester Petty Sessions, on Thursday, the magistrates on the bench being M. Kearney, Esq. (chairman), E. T. Smith, Esq., and J. Clavering, Esq., John Brown was summoned for being the putative father of Elizabeth Lumley's illegitimate child. Mr. A. W. Granger, of Durham, appeared for complainant; whilst defendant was represented by Mr. John Patrick, sen., Durham. The case having been called out, Mr. Granger drew the attention of the bench to the fact of the defendant not being present. He thought his name should again be called out.—Mr. Patrick: I appear for him.—Mr. Granger: If he wishes to keep out of court he can.—Mr. Patrick: It does not matter what he wishes; I appear here for him.—Mr. Granger: In ordinary cases, when the defendant is called, he appears. I think, however, it is very wise on his part to keep away (A laugh.)—Mr. Patrick said, with their worship's permission, he would like the witnesses out of court.—The witnesses on both sides were here told to leave the room.—Mr. Granger then stated the facts of the case. The defendant was until recently, observed Mr. Granger, a sergeant in the Durham County Constabulary, and was stationed at Annfield Plain. It was a somewhat peculiar case, inasmuch as complainant was a married woman. Now, in cases where the person seeking the order was a married woman, it was necessary that non-access on the part of the husband should be proved. The evidence of the woman herself was not sufficient, but fortunately in this case there were other collateral facts which would be admissible to prove the non-access. The husband of the complainant formerly lived at Annfield Plain. In 1871 he sold his furniture and proceeded to America, and he would bring evidence to prove that he worked there as a miner till 1874. Shortly after she was left by her husband, Mrs. Lumley made the acquaintance of the defendant, with whom she had, until a recent period, cohabited. Mrs. Lumley had had two children by the defendant, one of whom had died within the last few weeks, and he would prove that Brown had rocked the children whilst in the cradle, and bestowed upon them those endearments which a father would.—The complainant, a respectably-dressed woman, apparently about forty-five years of age, was then sworn. In March, 1871, her husband, who was then a carrier residing at Annfield Plain, sold his furniture &c., and proceeded to America.—The Chairman: had you any children to your husband before he left you?—Complainant replied that she had four, all of whom her husband took to America.—Mr. Watson (clerk): Why didn't you go with him?—Complainant: He never gave me the chance.—Examination by Mr. Granger continued: Shortly after her husband went to America she made the acquaintance of the defendant, who advised her to take a house, saying that he would pay the rent. She accordingly did so, and he had since given her money to keep the house and also paid the rent. The first child was born in February, 1873. He used to buy it things. On one occasion defendant gave her money to purchase the child a pair of boots, and on seeing them he said she should buy no more as those she had got were too strong. He used to take the baby in his arms, and also rocked it in the cradle. (Laughter.)—Cross-examined by Mr. Patrick: The reason she did not go with her husband was because of their not agreeing. No man, except the defendant, had kept company with her since her husband went to America. There was no truth in the assertion that an improper intimacy had existed between her and a man named Robert Elliott. It was true that Elliot was in her house on one occasion when Brown went in, and that the latter in consequence took away a looking-glass and a new bonnet he had bought her. Three days after this occurrance, Brown took the things back again.—By the Chairman: She supposed the things were taken away because of Elliott being in the house when Brown entered.—John Elliott (brother of the Elliott referred to above) deposed to being in America between the years 1869 and 1874, and working during that time within seven miles of Mrs. Lumley's husband.—Elizabeth Hindmarch said she resided next door to Mrs. Lumley. She had seen Brown "give the baby a bit kiss now and then." She had often told Brown that the baby was like him. (Laughter.) Who else could it be like? (Renewed laughter.) She had likewise seen Brown getting his tea at Mrs. Lumley's house. He was very fond of spice-cake—(laughter) and she had seen Brown give Mrs. Lumley a shilling to get some. (Renewed laughter.) The witness (who gave her evidence very naively) added that "if it had not been for the second bairn, Brown would have been first man at Mrs. Lumley's yet."—Elizabeth Palmer, a married woman, said the complainant was her aunt. On one occasion witness went to her aunt's house and saw an officer's uniform lying on a chair, and Brown in bed.—The Chairman said this evidence was very conclusive. Was it any use calling further evidence.—Mr. Patrick said he could not pretend to contest the case further.—The magistrates then made an order of 3s. a-week for sixteen years.

THROAT IRRITATION.—The throat and windpipe are especially liable to inflammation, causing soreness and dryness, tickling and irritation, inducing cough and affecting the voice. For these symptoms use glycerine in the form of jujubes. Glycerine in these agreeable confections, being in proximity to the glands, at the moment they are excited by the act of sucking, becomes actively healing. 6d. and 1s. packets (by post 8 or 15 stamps), labelled "JAMES EPPS and Co., Homœopathic Chemists, 48, Threadneedle Street, and 170, Piccadilly, London.

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RATEPAYERS' MEETING AT DIPTON.

An adjourned meeting of the ratepayers of the township of Collierley was held at the Sportsman's Arms, Dipton, on Monday evening, to consider the propriety of adopting the Local Government Act in that township. Mr. D. C. Balleny, of Little Greencroft, occupied the chair.

A RATEPAYER said he observed by an advertisement in the *Guardian* that the meeting was called "for the purpose of taking into consideration the propriety of forming a Local Board." A Board could only be formed by requisition to the proper authorities, and as twenty of the ratepayers had not signed such requisition they could not do anything final that evening.

Several members of the Committee appointed at the previous meeting to obtain information respecting the working of the Local Government Act in other places, here informed the meeting of the results of their investigations.

Mr. JOHN URWIN said he had been in communication with persons residing within the Consett and Leadgate Local Boards, who had recommended the adoption of a Local Board.

Mr. WAILES, on the other hand, had also seen members of the same Boards, who were opposed to Local Boards. If, one of his informants said, you want to pull the money out of your pockets adopt a Local Board. (Hear hear.)

Mr. BROWN, of Iveston, said he was a large ratepayer in the district of Leadgate, and found a Local Board a very expensive luxury.

The CHAIRMAN said it was not competent for that meeting to decide to adopt the Local Government Act. The meeting might, however, determine whether it was desirable or otherwise to sign a requisition in favour of a Local Board.

Mr. SHIPLEY proposed that it was not desirable to form a Local Board.

Mr. JOHNSON seconded the proposition.

Mr. DARLING then proposed, as an amendment, that a Local Board should be formed.

The motion was seconded by Mr. CURRY.

Mr. LABOR said if it was decided by a majority of those present that evening not to have a Local Board, that would not prevent twenty ratepayers signing a requisition and holding another meeting in favour of a Board. The proper plan, he thought, would be for the meeting first to determine whether it was desirable to sign a requisition.

The CHAIRMAN said if the present meeting negatived the motion for a Board, it would be unnecessary to do as Mr. Labor had suggested.

The amendment, in favour of a Board, was then put to the meeting, but only nine hands were held up in support of it. On the original motion being submitted, about fifty hands were held up, and the proposition against a Board was therefore declared carried.

A proposition in favour of a requisition was subsequently made, but on being put to the meeting it was negatived.

A vote of thanks to the Chairman brought the proceedings to a close.

CONSETT RUNNING GROUNDS.

On Saturday, the 31st ult., a large number of people paid for admission to the above grounds to witness Mr. Joseph Dodds's 120 yards handicap, for which the handsome sum of seven pounds was offered. There were upwards of a hundred entries, of which number fifty-four accepted, many of the competitors being of some note. The first heat came off a little after three o'clock, the subsequent heats following at intervals of about seven minutes. The utmost good order prevailed during the afternoon. The following was the order of running: Heat 1—M. Wigam, Blackhill (14 yards start), 1st; Cresswell, Consett (17), 2nd. The third man, Lewis of Consett, did not put in an appearance. The Blackhill man soon collared and passed his opponent, beating him by about four yards. Heat 2—J. Connelly, Middlesbrough (4), 1st; J. Telford, Annfield Plain (10), 2nd; W. Brown, Consett (15), 3rd. Brown was put back a yard for leaving his mark before the pistol was fired. The trio ultimately got away, and Connelly, who had the race in hand all the way, won by three yards, a similar distance separating second and third. Heat 3—E. Lamb, Consett (13), 1st; G. Kirkup, Blackhill (12½), 2nd. Lamb maintained the heat all the way, and won by about a yard. Heat 4—T. Batey, Consett (13), 1st; W. Wilson, Blackhill (17), 2nd; "Fred the Painter," Consett (17), 3rd. Won by about a yard, a similar distance between second and third. Heat 5—F. Wilson, Hill Top (9½), 1st; W. McCready, Consett (16), 2nd; R. Brown, Blackhill (9½), 3rd. Wilson got the worst of the start, but he soon collared his opponents, and, passing them about twenty yards from home, went in a winner by two yards, half-a-yard separating second and third. Heat 6—R. Lawson, Consett (17), 1st; J. Graham, Blackhill (7½), 2nd; T. Harris, Blackhill (20), 3rd. Lawson and Graham ran a-breast for the first eighty or ninety yards, when the former gradually went to the front, and, having in the meantime passed Harris, won by a couple of yards. Heat 7—E. Connelley, Consett (16), 1st; M. Clark, Consett (20), 2nd. Connelly collared his man at seventy yards, and went in an easy winner. Heat 8—C. Allen, Blackhill (20), walked over. Heat 9—George Longhurst, Consett (17), 1st; T. Battensby, Swalwell (10½), 2nd; G. Wilkinson Consett (14), 3rd. Longhurst left his mark before the report of powder, and was put back a yard. Nothwithstanding this circumstance, however, he kept ahead of his man, and won by a couple of yards, a similar distance separating second and third. Heat 10—J. Dawson, Consett (20), 1st; J. Jobling (boy), Swalwell (17), 2nd; M. Parker, Consett (9½), 3rd. Dawson maintained the lead all the way and won easily by four yards, the "boy" (who by the way was about the tallest of the trio) coming in about half-a-yard ahead of Parker. Heat 11—H. Bell, Consett (20), 1st; J. Turnbull, Gateshead (4), 2nd; P. Connelly, Consett (8), 3rd. This was the best race of the day, the result proving that the men had been evenly handicapped. Bell kept ahead the whole distance, and, although the Gateshead man made every effort to overtake him, he went in a winner by about a foot, two yards separating second and third. Heat 12—W. Pickering, Swalwell (16), walked over. Heat 13—P. Phanth, Consett (14), walked over. Heat 14—T. Parker, Consett (10½), 1st; J. Donachine, Newcastle (11), 2nd; G. Brown Castleside (12), 3rd. Won by half a yard. Heat 15—J. Laidlaw, Consett (12½), walked over. Heat 16—L. Clark, Consett (18), 1st; J. Pescod, Consett (18), 2nd. Clark soon left his man and ultimately won by about a couple of yards. Heat 17—J. Burnhope, Consett (13), 1st; T. Elliott, Consett (27), 2nd; G. Storey, Consett (26), 3rd. The two latter are mere boys, aged respectively 12 and 13 years. Burnhope passed them at seventy yards and won at his ease. Heat 18—H. Patterson, Blackhill (18), 1st; J Barron, Blackhill (17), 2nd. Won easily. The running terminated about half-past five o'clock. Mr. Dodds acted as starter, an Mr. J. Clark officiated as referee, and it is needless to add that the decisions of the latter gave every satisfaction.—The final heats were run off on Saturday last. The following was the result of the running:—Heat 1—W. Pickering, (16 yards), 1st; C. Allen, Blackhill (20), 2nd; L. Clark, Consett (18), 3rd; won easily. Heat 2—J. Dawson, (20), 1st; J. Connelly, Middlesbrough (4), 2nd; E. Connelly, Consett (16), 3rd; the Middlesbrough man overtook Connelly twenty yards from home, but was not able to come up with Dawson, who went in first by two and a half yards. Before the winning post was reached, however, the crowd caused the tape to be broken. The supporters of the Middlesbrough man took objection on this ground, and the referee having been appealed to, declared it no race. On the pair coming to the scatch again, Dawson was made favourite, and he justified the confidence of his supporters by winning by about three yards. Heat 2—F. Wilson, Hill Top (9½), 1st; T. Batey, Consett (13), 2nd; won easily. Heat 4—H. Bell, Consett (20), 1st; H. Pattison, Blackhill (18), 2nd; R. Lawson, Consett (7), 3rd; Bell maintained the lead all the way, and won by two yards. Heat 5—G. Longhurst, Consett (17), 1st; J. Burnop, Consett (13), 2nd; T. Parker, Consett (10½), 3rd; won by three yards. Heat 6—M. Wigam, Blackhill (13), 2st; P. Phanth, Consett (14), 2nd; E. Lamb, Consett (13), 3rd; Wigam and Phanth ran abreast until within ten yards of the winning post, when the former went to the front and won by half-a-yard, Lamb being a good third. In the final heats Wilson walked over, Pickering beat Wigam, and Dawson beat Bell and Longhurst. The final heat between Wilson, Pickering, and Dawson was a splendid race. Wilson (9½), caught Dawson at one hundred yards, and immediately afterwards got abreast of Pickering, with whom he ran a dead heat. On the pair being despatched again Wilson gradually lessened the distance between himself and his opponent, and he collared his man by the time one hundred yards had been covered. He continued to lead from this distance, and won by about a yard-and-a-half. Mr. Dodd again officiated as starter, whilst Mr. J. Clark discharged the duties of referee.

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Markets.

NEWCASTLE CORN MARKET, Tuesday.—There was a little English wheat offering, and no great quantity of foreign, most of the late arrivals having gone direct to the millers. Having a thin attendance of buyers, extremely little business was done, prices ruling about 1s to 2s lower than on this day week. Barley, beans, and peas unchanged. Malt dull. Oats slow at late prices: Flour very quiet at 1s to 2s decline.

HEXHAM CORN MARKET, Tuesday.—Wheat an average supply but met a slow sale at 1s per qr less money. Barley a small show with no change; while oats were a meagre supply and met with little demand at late rates.

NEWCASTLE CATTLE MARKET, Tuesday.—The show of stock presented for sale exhibited a decline of 234 beasts, but an increase of 40 sheep and lambs, as compared with that of last week. Respecting quality there is no change to notice. The supply of beef comprised 1,534 head. The number of sheep and lambs was 10,000. Lambs: The demand for which ruled less active. Prices receded about ¼d per lb from last week. Pigs: 334 were shown. Beasts, prime heifers, per stone, 11s 0d to 11s 3d; secondary sorts, 9s 3d to 10s 0d; good oxen, 10s 9d to 11s 0d; middling, 9s 9d to 10s 0d; cows and inferior, 8s 3d to 9s 3d; pork, large, 5s 9d to 7s 9d; do. small, 8s 6d to 9s 0d; sheep, good vendable welders, per lb., 10d to 10½d; middling, 8½d to 9d.

DURHAM PROVISION, Saturday.—Oats, 8s 0d to 9s 0d; barley, 8s 3d to 9s 3d; wheat, 11s to 11s 6d; beans, 11s 6d to 13s 6d; peas, 11s 3d per boll. Beef, 9d to 12d; mutton, 9d to 11d; lamb, 1s; veal 10d to 11d; bacon, 5½d to 7d; hams, 7½d to 8d; pork, 9d to 10d per lb. Chickens, 1s 6d to 2s 6d; ducks, 2s 6d to 3s 0d; hens 1s to 2s each; butter, 1s 6d to 1s 8d per lb.; eggs, 8 to 10 for 1s; gooseberries, 3d, and strawberries, 8d to 10d per quart; cherries, 3d to 4d per lb., onions, 1s 6d per peck.

DURHAM POTATO, Saturday.—Potatoes, round, 10d; kidneys, 1s 6d to 1s 8d per stone.

NEWCASTLE HAY AND STRAW, Tuesday.—Old land hay, 160s to 240s; this year's growth, 155s to 200s; new land hay, 180s to 240s per ton; this year's growth, 150s to 220s; wheat straw, 2s 9d to 3s 6d; barley straw, 2s 9d to 3s 3d; oat straw, 3s 0d to 3s 8d per thrave.

UNITED FRIENDLY SOCIETIES' FETE.—The various friendly societies in Consett, Blackhill, and Leadgate, have in the most handsome manner united for the purpose of having a joint *fete* to-day (Saturday). The members of the various societies will, headed by the Benfieldside Brass Band, walk in procession from Highgate through Blackhill, Consett, and Leadgate. At each place the various societies will unite, and at the latter place the Leadgate Brass Band will also join, after which the whole of the societies will proceed to a field near Consett Hall, where various amusements will be indulged in. The whole district will be *en fete* on the occasion, and we confidently hope that the proceedings will prove a decided success.

THE MECHANICS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY.—The sixteenth anniversary soiree of the Rising Sun Lodge of the Independent United Order of Mechanics, Sunniside, was held on Saturday, in a spacious field near Marley Hill. Two large marquees were erected, one for the purposes of tea, concert, and ball, and the other for refreshments. The principal marquee was suitably decorated with illuminated scrolls containing scriptural and other mottoes, while the platform was tastefully hung with garlands of evergreens, surmounted by the British arms. Tea was partaken of by nearly 600 persons, the tables being presided over by the following ladies:—Misses Gardner, Reed, Brown, Graham, Humphrey, Errington, Pyle, Nicholson, Lawson, Storey, Swan, and Simpson. After tea, Mr. *Rochester, District Grand* Master, Morpeth, took the chair, and he was supported by Mr. Errington, secretary; Mr. Laing, District Grand Master, Newcastle; and Mr. Walton, District Grand Master, Blackhill.—The Chairman, in his opening remarks, dwelt upon the amount of good which these gatherings were capable of producing, and said they reminded him of those pleasant meetings which they used to have years ago. Speaking of the benefits of friendly societies, their society, he said, was better calculated to meet the wants and conduce to the interests of working men than any other he knew of. They now numbered sixteen thousand odd, and of funds at their disposal they now possessed upwards of £41,000. (Applause.)—The report of the lodge showed that there was a balance from last year of £415, which, together with the subscriptions for the past year of £138, made a total of £553. Of this there had been disbursed the sum of £75, leaving a balance in the treasurer's hands of £478. The number of enrolled members was 126.—Votes of thanks to the ladies and to Mr. Berkley for granting the timber were accorded by acclamation.—A concert of vocal and instrumental music and a ball followed.

Births, Marriages, and Deaths.

The insertion of anything beyond the simple announcement of Births, Marriages, or Deaths, will be charged as Advertisements.

BIRTHS.

LINTZ GROVE—On the 25th ult., the wife of Mr. G. Starford, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

LANCHESTER—At the Register Office, on the 24th ult., Mr. Christopher Wright to Miss Ann Arthur, both of Consett.

At the Register Office, same day, Mr. John Barron, Dipton, to Miss Margt. Ellen Cawthorn, of Redwell Hills.

At the same place, on the 31st ult., Mr. Matthew James, Hedley Hill, to Mrs. Margaret Coates, of Annfield Plain.

DEATHS.

CONSETT—At Middle Street, on the 29th ult., aged 27, Mr. E. Worth.

BLACKHILL—At Derwent Street, on the 2nd inst., aged 61, Mr. Wm. Lovat.

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