in any way to cast the slightest slur upon the virtue, character, or conduct of the plaintiff or her family, and he was instructed publicly to make this admission, and at the same time also to state that there was nothing whatever in the character or conduct of the father of the plaintiff which could cast the slightest discredit upon him, and that he would have proceeded to ally himself with the family but for the reason given in that plea with regard to the state of health of the lady, and which was the real and substantial defence he was prepared to make upon the present occasion. The defence he urged upon the jury was, that the defendant was not actuated by any improper motive, but that he really loved this woman, and had the intention to make her his wife, until he had reason to believe that the state of her health was such as to render it almost certain that their union must be a most unhappy one, and that the offspring which would be the result of it in all probability be doomed to a premature grave. The counsel then remarked upon the dreadful extent to which the disease of consumption prevailed in this country, and he asked the jury, if the defendant really believed that the woman to whom he was about to be allied was tainted with that disorder, and acted upon the melancholy consequences that were likely to ensue, whether he was not morally justified, and whether he was not more than perform his duty, in refusing to effect such an union. It was clear from the evidence that the promise in question was hastily made, and he should submit to the jury that at that period the defendant had not had the opportunity of knowing the condition of health of his intended wife. He would in the first instance ask them whether, upon the evidence that had been laid before them, they entertained any doubt that the lady was in reality laboring under this dreadful disease? If they were so, the question for them to decide was, whether, under the circumstances, the defendant was not justified in breaking his promise. It was evident that his intention was to marry the plaintiff up to the very last moment, but when he became aware of the dreadful truth he did not know how to act. He said that he ought to have made a communication either to the plaintiff or to her friends, and have stated the reasons which induced him to decline to perform the promise he had made. But he asked the jury to place themselves for one moment in his position, and see how it was possible he could have done it. Was it possible for a man to go to the woman whom he loved, and who was in expectation of being united to him, and say that their union could not take place, because it was more proper that she should put on funeral habiliments than those of a bride? Was it possible that such a thing could be said? He hoped they would agree with him that it was not; and the defendant was at length driven to desperation by his position, and not possessing the fortitude to meet the difficulty in which he was placed, had adopted the only expedient that remained to him, of quitting his friends, and exiling himself from his country.

Justice Wilde having briefly summed up, the jury retired, and, after a short deliberation, gave a verdict for the plaintiff—damages £800.

V. THE SEA, FIRE, AND LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY. This cause was disposed of on Thursday.

Serjeant Channel and Mr. Lush, were for the plaintiff; Serjeant Shee and Mr. Bramwell for the defendants.

The action appeared to be brought to recover the sum of 311*l.*, upon a policy of assurance effected upon a vessel belonging to a person named James, who had mortgaged his interest to his father, the present plaintiff. It seemed that the vessel had been originally insured with a company called the Port of London Insurance Company, which was ultimately merged into the Sea Company, the present defendants, who undertook all the liabilities of the former association. The vessel was totally lost, and an application being made for the amount of insurance money, it was not forthcoming, but a bill of exchange or promissory note was given at 90 days, which period was subsequently altered to 30 days, for the amount, and as it was not paid the present action was brought.

Serjeant Channel having stated the nature of the case and the circumstances under which the action was brought, said that he would hear what answer was to be given, or whether any objection was to be attempted of the facts, he should simply prove the count referring to the promissory note, and should put that instrument, and unless it become necessary no further proof would be offered.

A note was accordingly put in. It was to the effect that, "Twelve months after date, "credit was to be given" to Mrs. Anne Allen for the amount claimed.

The note was signed by two of the directors, and was addressed "To the Cashier, Marine Department, Sea, Fire, and Life Insurance Company, Cornhill."

Serjeant Shee submitted that such an instrument was not a promissory note.

The Chief Justice said that, with regard to instruments of this description, their character was to be gathered from the relations of the parties. Here the relation of debtor and creditor existed, and he should hold that the instrument in question was a promissory note.

Serjeant Shee then took some other technical objections, and was followed by Mr. Bramwell.

The Chief Justice eventually overruled all the points that had been raised, but consented to reserve them for further consideration.

The jury accordingly, under his Lordship's direction, returned a verdict for the plaintiff for the amount claimed, the defendants having liberty to move for a nonsuit upon the technical defence which had been set up.

THE CORPORATION OF ROCHESTER *v.* LEE. This was an action brought by the Mayor and Corporation of the city of Rochester, to recover from the defendant, who carries on an extensive business as a lime merchant in that neighbourhood, certain arrears of port and wharfage dues upon coals, and also to establish their right to the tolls.

The Attorney-General, Mr. Serjeant Channell, Mr. Bramwell, and Mr. Rose were retained for the corporation, and Mr. F. Thesiger, Mr. Serjeant Shee, Mr. Deedes, and [illegible]

the committee should avail itself of the earliest opportunity of doing so, and report the result to the council.

Mr. G. Cooper, architect, produced the contemplated plan for converting a part of the old city workhouse in Stour-street, into a police station, the estimated cost of which was represented to be about £330.

Alderman Cooper moved that the plan as proposed be adopted, which was agreed to without a dividing.

Mr. Wootton thought that the converting Westgate to a police station would be more advantageous and economical, particularly if arrangements were entered into by the county magistrates for sending convicted prisoners to the county gaol, a communication to which effect had been forwarded to the county authorities, but no further steps on the subject had been taken.

A report of the necessary repairs, &c., required at the Museum was laid before the meeting, and ordered to be carried into effect under the superintendence of the Museum committee.

A borough rate was represented as being required; but the treasurer not being present, the granting it was deferred.

The meeting then broke up.

The following is a copy of the memorial above alluded to:—

To the Right Worshipful the Mayor and Council of the City of Canterbury:—

We the undersigned inhabitant householders of Canterbury having observed with much pleasure that the project of affording to the neighborhood of Westgate and the borough of Staplegate, a proper supply of wholesome water from the city conduits, has been introduced and warmly supported in your court, are anxious to bear testimony to the inefficient state of many wells in those localities, as also to the circumstance that very many of the inhabitants possessing no means of obtaining water in their immediate neighborhood, except from the river Stour, (charged with organic matter and animal and vegetable decomposition) are obliged to make use of water highly detrimental to health. We now look forward with a confident hope that your court will afford us those advantages of pure wholesome water, which as citizens, and subject to all local rates, we cannot but conceive ourselves justly entitled to.

PROTECTION.—FREE TRADE.

To the Editor of the Kentish Gazette.

Sir,—It is not my present intention to catechise very minutely the letter of A. B., which appeared in your paper of Tuesday, March 12,—firstly, because the subject of protection has been most fully discussed and canvassed both in and out of Parliament,—and secondly, because, in consequence of such discussion and canvass, I am of opinion that the cause of protection has procured for itself in argument the vantage ground,—and because I agree with Lord Stanley and Mr. Disraeli that it must eventually, although slowly dragging its length of consistency along, prove triumphant. I will, as A. B. gives the offer, confine myself to the price of individual commodities, and other circumstances connected with them. Bread is cheaper than it was; sugar is cheaper, to the detriment of the producer, who cultivates it without the aid of slave labor; coffee is cheaper, adulterated with that vile, valueless stuff, chicory—an adulteration countenanced by the legislature, as well as the adulteration of beer by means of chemical composites in preference to hops. The only way, by which to buy coffee, is to take it from the tradesman unground,—not prepared in his own mill. There is every prospect of the price of tea being enhanced. England justly compelled the Chinese to contribute extensively to the liquidation of the expenses of the Chinese war. The Chinese intend to make us pay for this necessary article by exacting an equivalent. Meat, if it is of first-rate quality—but lots of an inferior grade can be purchased at almost as cheap a rate as you please,—is not materially cheaper than it was. Good port wine adapted to the taste of a gentleman, and fit for immediate use, cannot be purchased at less than from forty five to forty-eight shillings per dozen. Carriages—go to a first-rate London coachmaker—he will tell you "My body-painter, my body-liner, my arms'-painter—in fact, the whole of the men employed in my trade, are men of a peculiar stamp,—men of skill and science,—and as such must, and will, command tip-top prices with reference to wages;" and therefore, I deny that carriages of first-rate workmanship can be turned out of a London manufactory at a much cheaper cost than they could be turned out formerly. Noblemen and gentlemen may reduce their establishments, and turn their people adrift, but if things with them are to go on as they did go on, servants of character, who know their business, are consequently worthy of employment, and in whom implicit confidence can be placed, always deserve, and always will command, correspondingly with former times, high, not too high wages. I can go and buy a pasteboard looking thing, called a hat, for fourteen shillings, but upon application to the proper quarter I can be supplied with a sound, strong beaver hat for twenty-four shillings, which will wear out three of those the price of which individually is fourteen shillings. Go to a public house and ask for a quart of London porter; you paid a few years ago fourpence for it—the same is the price now. Ask for a glass of brandy; the price was threepence—the same is the price now. I do not suppose that the physician, the chemist who prepares his prescription, and the surgeon, contemplates the application of the pruning knife to the amount of his charges; nor do I suppose that persons connected with the hair dressing, hair-cutting, and shaving department of trade contemplate a reduction in the amount of their respective charges. I have no doubt but that their landlords in the towns find it inconvenient to reduce their rents, and therefore they cannot be expected to do so until driven to the last emergency; and consequently I am the last man in the world to wish [illegible]

BRIDGE.

On Wednesday a boy named James Clayson, aged 11 years, in the employ of Mr. Carpenter, of Beakesbourne, fell over a roller on the hinder part, whilst being drawn by a horse; by which his left hand, which was hanging over the fore part, was dragged under the roller, causing a severe laceration of the wrist. He was immediately attended to by Mr. Sicard, of Bridge, who at once advised his being conveyed to the Kent and Canterbury Hospital.

FAVERSHAM.

On Friday last three bricklayers employed in building a house at the Standard, were precipitated from a scaffold by a portion of it giving way. On being taken up they were found to be seriously injured; two of them, named Rogers, had the one his leg and the other his ankle broken; the third man, a laborer from Canterbury, had his back much hurt.

UPSTREET.

LONGEVITY.—In this healthy village there are at present living six poor women whose united ages amount to four hundred and sixty seven years. They were invited the other evening to drink tea with Mr. and Mrs. Watts, of Trafalgar Cottage, in the said village, and after ample justice had been done to a good cup of Bohea, &c., they were escorted safely to their different homes by Mr. Samson Watts.

DOVER.

His Serene Highness the Prince of Hesse arrived at Birmingham's Royal Ship Hotel on Monday from Kew, where he had been staying on a visit to their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Cambridge. His Serene Highness embarked the same evening in the mail packet for Ostend.

Lady Cowley arrived at the Ship Hotel from the continent yesterday morning, by H.M.P. Undine, Mr. Warman, second master, and left for London, by the 8 o'clock express train.

Arrivals and departures—Birmingham's Royal Ship Hotel—His Serene Highness the Prince of Hesse, Lady Cowley, Sir John P. Boileau and Son, Comte Villarde, Comte Flahault, Lady Hastings, Col. and Miss Bonham, Lady Cecil Gordon, Capt. and Lady Vyner, Le Comte de Sommery, Capt. and Mrs. Kitson, Capt. Macdonald and family, Sir William Magney, Capt. Kemjon and family, (from India,) Capt. Morier, Rev. H. and Mrs. Farrant, Mrs., and Miss Latyar, Mr. and Mrs. Fuller Maitland, Mr. and Mrs. de Carteret, Mr. and Mrs. Crowe, Miss Clarke, Mr., Mrs., and Mrs. Niewenhuys, Mr. A. H. Baring, Monsieur Bonar, Mr. and Mrs. Bethune, Mr. and Mrs. Levey, and Messrs. Otway, Simmons, Alston, Alderton, Hull, Martin, Bolleu, Carter, Evans, Crake, R. Elliot, Lambert, Morel, Fletcher, Keene, &c.

We understand that the Earl of Winchilsea and his amiable Countess have gone on a tour to Lisbon.

For the last fortnight some importations of oysters have been made from a newly discovered bed, of some magnitude, lying about mid-channel off Dungeness Point, and S.E. of Hastings.

A sermon was preached on Sunday morning se'nnight at Christ-church by the Rev. John Ellison Bates, the Incumbent, on behalf of the funds of the Day and Sunday Schools attached to that church, after which a collection was made amounting to £26 12s. 10d.

A writ of inquiry, to assess damages in the case of Mr. T. H. Cavell, who had become surety for Mr. Wellard, collector of assessed taxes, was heard before the under-sheriff, Mr. T. Pain, last week. The bond showed Mr. Cavill and Mr. G. W. Ledger to be the sureties in the sum of nearly four thousand pounds; and, according to the evidence, Mr. Wellard was a defaulter to the extent of £577 11s. 1d. Mr. Knocker stated that Mr. Cavill, having no grounds of defence, had very properly allowed judgement to go by default, to save expense. He had since declared his total inability to meet any portion of the deficiency; still it was necessary to go on with the present proceedings before any assessment could be made on the parishes, which must be done in the event of the amount not being obtained from the bondsmen. Against Mr. Ledger, the other surety, a writ had been issued, but it could not be served till he attended the last sessions. He defended the action, and the plaintiffs had applied to the Commissioners for indemnification against costs, which prevented the action being tried at the Maidstone assizes this month, and which could not be done till August. The jury, after a short consultation, returned a verdict for the amount claimed, £577 11s. 1d.

DOVER CATCH CLUB.—The Concert held on Thursday was crowded by the members and friends of this musical society. Upwards of 350 were present, and numerous parties were turned away from the impossibility of accommodating them. It was understood that this concert was an entertainment to the members of the Club by the gallant Captain Knowles, late of the 50th Regiment, and on this occasion the band of the Regiment attended, and was conducted by Mr. Smelley. We need not say that in vocal excellence the concert was equal if not superior to its precursors, the talent engaged for the occasion being Mrs. Sharp, Mr. Godden, Miss G. Hodson, and Miss Pearce, who made her first appearance in Dover, and sang the

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TO THE ELECTORS OF EAST KENT.

Goodnestone Park, May 10th, 1850.

Gentlemen,

It having been reported to me that representations have been made, in a canvass which is going on in the Eastern Division of the County, with reference to a future Election of your Representatives in Parliament, that it is not my intention to offer myself as a Candidate for your Suffrages, I think it incumbent on me to state, that I pledge myself, in the event of the retirement of either of your present Representatives, which I should much deplore, if Sir Edward Dering should venture to come to that hustings as a Candidate, I shall be at my post to oppose him. My motto will be "No surrender;" and no Elector, who may be of opinion that my political conduct gives me the least claim to his confidence, shall be without an opportunity of recording his vote in my favor.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen,
Your faithful, humble servant,
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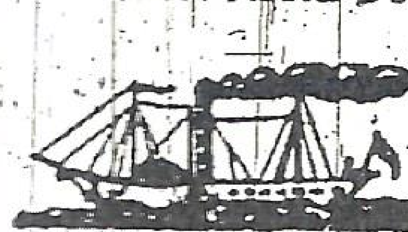

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RYE CATTLE SHOW.

At a MEETING of the STEWARDS—Messrs. Jereh. Smith, James Selmes, Robert Horton, Lawrence Reeve, Henry Selmes, Frederick Langford, and James Selmes, jun.,—held at the George Hotel, Rye, on Wednesday, the 17th day of April, 1850:—

It was Resolved—

That the FAT and LEAN CATTLE and SHEEP SHOWS be held at the STOCK MARKET PLACE, RYE, on WEDNESDAY, the 11th of DECEMBER next.

It was also Resolved—

That the Shows shall be subject to the following Rules, Regulations, and Restrictions:

1. That competent persons be chosen annually to act as Stewards, and conduct the business of the Shows.

2. That the Stewards be empowered to appoint three impartial persons to act as Judges.

3. That the Cattle and Sheep intended to be shown, be in the Stock Market Place before 10 o'clock on the morning of the day of Show, and that some person with the Stock, on behalf of each candidate, shall be present between the hours of 10 and 12 o'clock on the day of Show, to answer any questions which the Stewards or Judges may think proper to put; and in default thereof, the Stock so unattended shall not be shown for the respective prizes; and that no Stock

TO THE ELECTORS OF EAST KENT.

Gentlemen,

After having visited in succession the different districts in this division of the County, it was my anxious wish to have rested on my oars, and, out of respect to our present representatives, to have abstained from making any further appeal to you; but a letter from Sir Brook Bridges, inserted in the *Canterbury Journal*, of a personal nature, and in a tone and temper wholly unexpected on my part, imperatively calls for a reply. The only observation I shall allow myself to make upon it is, that, in a matter where the *interests of a great county are at stake*, I feel that I should deservedly suffer in the estimation of my friends, if, in order to attract wavering supporters, I condescended to bandy personalities with any man; I leave such a course to those who do not scruple openly to complain that "the *gentlemen of the county* were not consulted on the choice of a member." This remark called forth at the time a just retort; and, if I know anything of the *independent spirit* of the Yeomanry of East Kent, they will know how to defeat this *arrogant pretension to dictate* to them who they shall elect as the advocate of their interests.

As much misunderstanding has prevailed on the subject of the prospective vacancy in East Kent, I willingly avail myself of this opportunity to clear up *the mystery*. Having been solicited by another constituency to represent their interests in parliament, I went to Mr. Plumptre, and stating that fact, assured him of my readiness to support him so long as he might wish to retain his seat, but asked him, at the same time, if there was any foundation for the rumours which had been circulated as to his intentions of retiring, for, in that case, I should certainly decline my prospects of a seat elsewhere, and appeal to my old friends in East Kent. Mr. Plumptre informed me, that a variety of circumstances combined to make him wish for retirement, and that, although he would not enter into an irrevocable pledge to that effect, he had made up his mind to adopt that course. I thereupon replied that, after that communication, I should of course give up all thoughts of offering myself to any other constituency; and, two days afterwards, when I informed him that Sir Brook Bridges (*who was the very first person* to whom I opened my lips on the subject) had intimated to me his intention of consulting his own friends as to *his* future course, I asked and obtained Mr. Plumptre's permission to communicate the above conversation to *my* friends. I certainly considered this as a legitimate ground for asking their support, because, knowing the honorable and straightforward character of Mr. Plumptre, I felt well assured he would never have allowed me to *refuse a seat elsewhere*, or have permitted me to repeat the substance of our conversation to the electors of East Kent, if he had *entertained any thoughts* of continuing his services for an indefinite period. Since that time I have personally visited every district in East Kent, and I want words to express my gratitude for the cordial nature of the reception which I have met with among my friends, for their hearty expressions of goodwill, and for the strenuous exertions they are making in my behalf. As I find my opinions are *studiously* misrepresented, it may not be out of place to set forth a summary of my political creed. I am a staunch friend to the principle of *Protection to Agriculture*; a reformer of all abuses wheresoever they may exist, and an advocate of economy and retrenchment in all departments of the public service. I wish to see the blessings of education diffused among all classes of her Majesty's subjects without distinction, whilst I am decidedly of opinion, that all secular education is *worse than useless*, if it is not based upon a *religious foundation*; I am a friend to civil and religious liberty, but I have never suffered that feeling to trench upon the warm attachment I bear to the Established Protestant Church; and I shall be prepared to oppose any measure which will tend either to sacrifice her property, impair her efficiency, or establish the ascendency of a rival church, in any part of her Majesty's dominions. These are the principles on which I am prepared to stand or fall:—a friend alike to agriculture, to social progress, and to financial reform, I feel, in appealing to the agriculturists of my native county for their support, that their cause and mine are closely identified; and I tell them, if *they will only stand by me, I am prepared to stand by them*. In thanking them most cordially for their past exertions, I urge them henceforward to redouble their activity, to stir up the lukewarm, and secure the waverers; and I pledge myself hereafter, (should they be pleased to afford me the opportunity) amply to repay their confidence by an active, zealous, and conscientious discharge of every public duty.

I have the honor to remain,
Gentlemen,
Your obedient and humble servant,
EDWARD CHOLMELEY DERING.

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KENT CRICKET CLUB.
NOTICE.

The FIRST MATCH of the SEASON is UNAVOIDABLY POSTPONED until MONDAY, the 27th of May instant. Wickets will be pitched at Ten o'clock, and an Ordinary provided at Two o'clock.

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HOUSE OF LORDS—Friday, May 10.

The Duke of ARGYLE brought forward the case of Mr. Ryland, late Registrar of the district of Quebec, an office of which that gentleman had been deprived under circumstances of great injustice. The noble Duke concluded his speech by moving certain resolutions detailing the hardship of the case, and expressing the opinion of the House in favor of Mr. Ryland's claim for compensation.

After considerable discussion, in which Earl Grey, Lord Cathcart, and Lord Granville agreed in contending that Mr. Ryland was not entitled to any compensation, while Lord Stanley, Lord Brougham, and Lord Glenelg supported the motion of the Duke of Argyll, a portion of the resolutions were agreed to on a division, in which the numbers were—For the motion 22, against it 19, majority 3.

Their Lordships then adjourned.

HOUSE OF COMMONS—Friday, May 10.

At the time of private business, a debate of some public interest arose upon the amendments of the *Manchester Rectory Division Bill.*

In reply to a question put by Mr. FAGAN,

The CHANCELLOR of the EXCHEQUER stated that it was intended by the new *Savings Banks Bill* that the Government should be responsible for all moneys received by the treasurers or their clerks.

Lord HOTHAM gave an explanation of matters connected with a recent exercise of patronage by the Archbishop of Canterbury.

The CHANCELLOR of the EXCHEQUER announced to the House the course he intended to pursue with respect to the *Stamp Duties.*

He explained what had been his original view. He had proposed that nearly the whole loss should fall upon conveyances, reducing the duty from 2 per cent. to ½ per cent, and afterwards to ¼ per cent., or one-eighth of the present duty; but the House had carried the reduction further, and, instead of 2s. 6d. (under £50), had fixed 1s. This resolution had caused him much embarrassment. He now proposed to introduce a new bill, combining with the old clauses others framed by Mr. Mullings, and thereby to make the stamp duty on conveyances and transfers of property an uniform 1 per cent. (or 20s.) *ad valorem*; on mortgages and bonds, an uniform one eighth (2s. 6d.) per cent., which would be a relief in all sums up to £12,000, except the single sum of £10,000. He proposed that leases should remain, as in the first bill, except certain Irish leases, and that all contingent settlements of land should be free of duty. The stamp on memorials he proposed to reduce from 10s. to an uniform 2s. 6d.; and that the progressive duty (on all skins after the first) should be a uniform 10s. This bill would carry into effect all the suggestions of Mr. Mullings, and the loss of revenue would not exceed £300,000.—On the motion of the right hon. baronet, the order of the day for the committal of the Stamp Duties Bill was discharged, and it was resolved that the House should go into committee on Monday to vote the resolutions upon which to found the new bill.

On the order of the day for the third reading of the *Parliamentary Voters, &c. (Ireland) Bill*

Sir J. WALSH moved that it be deferred for six months, characterising it as revolutionary, warning English members that the blow it inflicted upon the Irish church would be felt by the church in England.

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THE KENT AND CANTERBURY BUILDING AND LOAN SOCIETY.

VARIOUS Sums of MONEY, from £50 to £800, to be advanced on Mortgage.—Apply to Mr. J. BRENT, Secretary; or to Mr. R. WALKER, Solicitor, Canterbury. Office, 41, St. George's Place, Canterbury.

BOUGHTON-BLEAN.

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION,

BY MR. F. GILHAM,

ON FRIDAY, the 7th day of JUNE, 1850, at the late Residence of the Rev. T. Nunn, in BOUGHTON STREET (consequent on removal to the Vicarage), a quantity of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, above 500 volumes of BOOKS, many ancient and curious Maps, Manuscripts, Prints, and Paintings, together with a very extensive collection of Newspapers, from the Times, Sun, Record, Chronicle, Observer, &c., &c. extending over a period of many years.

The FURNITURE comprises four-post and tent bedsteads and furnitures, mahogany dining and Pembroke tables, lobby chest of drawers, dressing chests, side bed, cupboards, book shelves, dressing tables and glasses, brass-bound wine cooler, chairs, a very curious carved oak chest suitable for parish registers, brass pole cornices, rings, &c.

Among the BOOKS, in folio, will be found Hasted's Kent, with plates; Dr. Boyce's Cathedral Music, 3 vols.; Norden's Antiquities of Egypt; Bonfrer's de Locis-hebraeis; New Testament, in Italian and Greek, with Beza's Notes, 1589; Le Bruyn's Levant, with plates; Holbein's Portraits, from original drawings in the possession of her Majesty, with letter-press descriptions, fine copies. The quartos and octavos comprise Tombleson's Illustrated views of Constantinople, Holland, and Belgium; the Scenery of the Rhine, Devonshire, Cornwall, and Lancashire; Friend's Evenings' Amusements, 18 vols.; Priestley's Theology and Disquisitions; with the Works of Cockburn, Gregory, Tillotson, and others. The Reviews and periodicals contain the Annual Register from 1758 to 1783, the Gentleman's Magazine from 1809 to 1825, 30 vols. cloth; Oriental Anecdotes, Canterbury Magazine, the Dublin, the Athenæum, British Magazine, Christian Remembrancer, and Ecclesiastical Gazette.

The MISCELLANEOUS ARTICLES comprise an excellent post beam mill, stone water filter, brewing utensils, garden lights, iron works, pipes and gutters, carriage wheels, horse clothing, harness, side saddle, spring cutter box, setter, zinc windguard, iron and tinware, &c., &c.

The whole to be viewed one day prior and on the morning of sale, which will commence at Eleven o'clock.

Catalogues will be ready on the 4th, and may be had at Mr. Finch's, George Inn, Boughton; at Mr. Monk's Circulating Library, Court-street, Faversham; and at the Auctioneer's residence, Beer Cart-lane, Canterbury.

N.B.—A Gothic Carved Font for Sale by Private Contract.

DOVER.

Sale of Anchors, Chains, Two Casks of Palm Oil, sundry Spars, Sails, Rigging, &c. &c.

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION,

BY MR. T. BIRCH,

ON SATURDAY, JUNE the 8th, 1850, at the DEPOT OF THE LORD WARDEN, in DOVER, TWELVE ANCHORS, from 2 cwt. to 27 cwt.; eight pieces of Chain, various lengths and sizes; two casks of Palm Oil; a case of Champaign Wine; two bags and a half of Pimento; ten boxes of damaged Tea (in bond); a Chest and Contents, and a piece of Mast; and immediately after will be sold, sundry Spars, Sails, and Rigging, belonging to the Russian brig "Leonidas."

For particulars, apply to Mr. John Iron, Deputy Sergeant of the Cinque-Ports' Admiralty, Dover, or of the Auctioneer.

Sale to commence at One o'clock.

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DESIRABLE FREEHOLD PROPERTY,

COMPRISING

MEADOW, PASTURE, WOOD, AND MARSH LAND,

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION,

(Unless previously disposed of by Private Contract),

BY MESSRS. BAYLEY AND REEVE,

ON TUESDAY, the 2nd day of JULY, 1850, at the SARACEN'S HEAD INN, ASHFORD, at Two o'clock in the Afternoon,

IN NINE LOTS,

by the direction of the Devisees in trust for Sale of the Real Estate of the late Mrs. Catharine Bolden,

Lot 1.—A convenient HOUSE, with barn, stables, chaise-house, and other outbuildings; capital orchards and garden in full bearing; and several PIECES of MEADOW, PASTURE, and WOOD LAND, situate at Sellinge aforesaid, comprising 26a. 1r. 10p.

This Lot has every facility for a small gentlemanly residence, being well timbered, with a rookery, and sheltered from the North and East; is within a short distance of the Ashford and Westenhanger Railway Stations, and is nearly in the centre of the East Kent Hunt.

Lot 2.—TWO PIECES of MEADOW or PASTURE LAND, called "Bench Field," situate at Sellinge aforesaid, comprising 11a. 0r. 24p.

Lot 3.—TWO PIECES of MEADOW or PASTURE LAND, called "Hoddeford," situate at Sellinge aforesaid, comprising 12a. 1r. 33p.

Lot 4.—THREE PIECES of PASTURE and WOODLAND, situate in East Brabourne aforesaid, comprising 19a. 3r. 38p.

Lot 5.—A MESSUAGE and GARDEN, with several PIECES of MEADOW and PASTURE LAND, situate in West Brabourne and Birchott aforesaid, comprising 25a. 3r. 23p., in the occupation of Mr. Thos Rolfe.

Lot 6.—A PIECE of PASTURE LAND, situate in West Brabourne aforesaid, comprising 1a. 1r. 5p., also in the occupation of Mr. Thos. Rolfe.

Lot 7.—A COTTAGE and GARDEN, with THREE PIECES of PASTURE LAND, situate in West Brabourne aforesaid, comprising 3a. 1r. 20p., also in the occupation of Mr. Thos. Rolfe.

Lot 8.—A MESSUAGE (in two dwellings), with the GARDENS and APPURTENANCES, situate in the Middle Ward of the Town of Hythe, in the occupations of yearly tenants.

Lot 9.—FIVE PIECES of FRESH MARSH LAND, called Cheney Marshes, situate at Minster aforesaid, comprising 103a. 3r. 28p., with the sheep-house thereon.

Applications for further particulars and the conditions of sale to be made to Mr. Bolden, of Throwley Valley, near Faversham; Mr. R. Hammon, Sellinge; Mr. Jas. Stevens, Willesborough; and Mr. Cruttenden, solicitor, or to the Auctioneers, Ashford.

Possession may be had at Michaelmas next of all the Lots, except Lots 5, 6, 7, and 8.

NELSON MEMORIAL FUND,

FOR HIS DAUGHTER HORATIA.

THE following Gentlemen, who will be glad to receive an addition to their number, have agreed to act as a Committee:—

Admiral Sir Edward Codrington, G.C.B., Chairman.

Earl Nelson	James Walker, Esq., LL.D., F.R.S.
Lord Londesborough	T. J. Pettigrew, Esq., F.R.S., F.S.A.
Admiral the Hon. Sir T. Bladen Capel, K.C.B.	Capt. Hy. Nelson, Eld. Br. Tr.
Sir William Burnett, of the Medical Department, R.N.	Bingham Richards, Esq., Tonbridge Wells
Sir James Duke, Bart., M.P.	B. Blundell, Esq., F.S.A.
Col. Sir Duncan Macdougall	Rev. J. Hoole
Rev. W. S. H. Braham, Canterbury	T. Philpotts, jun., Esq., 11, Bentinck-street, *Hon. Sec.*
Rev. J. White, Canterbury	

£10 NOTE FOUND.

IN the SHOP of Mr. A. GINDER, Bookseller and Stationer, St. George's-street, Canterbury, which will be restored to the owner immediately, on giving a proper description of the same, and paying the expense of this notice.

Canterbury, 3rd June, 1850.

TO THE ELECTORS OF EAST KENT.

GENTLEMEN,

AS it has been suggested to me by some of my friends that Sir Edward Dering, in his last letter to you, seems to preclude me, as a man of honor, from offering myself again to your notice, *under any circumstances*, for the representation of East Kent, I feel called upon to state to you my conviction, that no communication between Sir Edward Dering and myself could justly lead to such a conclusion.

Though my own inclinations would induce me to retire from public life on the first opportunity, I have never committed myself to do so, if circumstances might oblige me to consider it my duty still further to offer you my humble services in Parliament.

I have the honor to be,
Gentlemen,
Your faithful friend and servant,
JOHN P. PLUMPTRE.

Fredville, May 25, 1850.

TO THE ELECTORS OF EAST KENT.

GENTLEMEN,

I REGRET that any misunderstanding should still prevail as to the precise nature of the communications which took place between Mr. Plumptre and me, relating to the future representation of this division of the county.

I most distinctly stated, in my last letter to you, that Mr. Plumptre had not made an irrevocable pledge to retire, although (short of an absolute pledge to that effect) he had made up his own mind on the subject. I thus freely admitted, that, according to the *letter* of his engagement, he had retained the power of *throwing me over* even at the eleventh hour, if he felt disposed to adopt that course; but as such a proceeding would be totally at variance with the whole *spirit* of our communication, I have never allowed myself to contemplate the possibility of such a result. Recollecting, on the contrary, that Mr. Plumptre had permitted me, *without hesitation or reservation*, to decline a seat elsewhere, and to communicate these details to my friends, with a view of asking for their support, I think no reasonable doubt could arise in the mind of any man, that Mr. Plumptre has, for some time past, entertained that same feeling which he has expressed to you in his Address of this day, viz., "*An inclination to retire from public life on the first opportunity.*"

I have the honor to remain,
Gentlemen,
Your obedient Servant,
EDWARD CHOLMELEY DERING.

Surrenden-Dering, May 28th, 1850.

To the Editor of the Kentish Gazette.

8, Mansfield Street, June 3d, 1850.

SIR,—I have the honor to be an elector of East Kent, therefore one of those addressed by Sir Edward Dering through the columns of the *Kentish Observer* of Thursday last. The peculiar and unusual state of things with regard to the future representation of the Eastern Division of the county induces me to address you. A letter from Sir Edward Dering to Mr. Plumptre, dated April 30th, appeared in your paper; I read in it the following words:—"*I have been your staunch supporter for sixteen years, and I wish it to be most distinctly understood that I am ready to remain so, so long as you shall wish to retain that position which you fill with so much credit to yourself and advantage to the*

HAIL INSURANCE.

RETURN OF PREMIUM

AND REDUCTION OF RATES.

A RETURN will be made on the Premiums paid by Parties insuring against Loss by Damage from Hail in the forthcoming season in the

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A great Reduction has also been made in the Rate for Seeds.

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WEST ASHFORD UNION.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN.

THAT the Board of Guardians of this Union will, at their Weekly Meeting, to be holden at the UNION WORKHOUSE, in the Parish of WESTWELL, on MONDAY, the 10th day of JUNE instant, receive TENDERS for supplying, from the 24th day of June instant to the 25th day of September next, inclusive, to the Paupers in the undermentioned Districts, comprising the following Parishes:—

FIRST DISTRICT.	THIRD DISTRICT.
Charing,	Betherden,
Little Chart,	Great Chart,
Westwell, and	Shadoxhurst.
The Inmates of the Union Workhouse.	FOURTH DISTRICT.
SECOND DISTRICT.	Ashford,
Egerton,	Hothfield,
Pluckley,	Kingsnorth.
Smarden.	

FLOUR.—Good Seconds, at per Gallon.

To be delivered at the expense of the Contractors, at such times and places within the Union, and in such quantities as the Board of Guardians or the Relieving Officers shall direct.

Sealed Tenders to be sent to the Clerk, on or before Eleven o'clock in the Forenoon of the 8th day of June instant.

The respective Contractors to give security (if required) for the fulfilment of their several Contracts.

By order of the Board,
ALFRED BRIGGS, Clerk.

Ashford, 1st June, 1850.

Sir George Chetwynd, Bart. died on Friday afternoon.

The Queen will hold a levee, at St. James's-palace, on Wednesday, the 3d July, and drawing-rooms, on Thursday, the 20th June next, and Tuesday, the 9th July.

MARRIAGE OF GENERAL CABRERA.—This distinguished military commander, who for so many years gallantly supported the cause of Don Carlos in Spain, was married on Wednesday to Miss Marianne Catherine Richards, only child and heiress of the late Robert Vaughan Richards, Esq. The ceremony was first performed at the Roman Catholic chapel in Spanish-place, Manchester-square, by the Rev. Pierre Malley; and subsequently at St. George's, Hanover-square, by the Rev. Temple Frere, canon of Westminster. The fair bride was attended to the altar by a bevy of young ladies and given away by her

FREEHOLD ESTATE,
HERNE, AND CHISLETT.
TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION,
BY MR. THOS. W. COLLARD,

AT the UPPER RED LION INN, HERNE, on WEDNESDAY, the 12th day of JUNE, 1850, at Two o'clock in the Afternoon,—

A MESSUAGE or TENEMENT, called Musdenes, with the barn, stable, outbuildings, yard, garden, and several pieces or parcels of ARABLE LAND thereunto adjoining, containing by estimation 16 acres, more or less, situate in the parishes of HERNE and CHISLETT, in the county of Kent, in the occupation of Mr. Wm. Brown.

For particulars apply to the Auctioneer, Westgate, Canterbury, or to Messrs. Plummer and Son, solicitors, Canterbury.

ASSEMBLY ROOMS, SAINT MARGARET'S STREET, CANTERBURY.
Stock in Trade, Household Furniture, &c., &c.
TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION,
BY MR. POUT,

ON MONDAY and TUESDAY, JUNE 17th and 18th, 1850, on the Premises, SAINT MARGARET'S STREET, CANTERBURY, the Remaining Part of the STOCK IN TRADE, HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, and other Effects of Mr. George Barnes, Stationer (leaving Canterbury).

The STOCK comprises Dizionario Universale delle Arti e delle Scienze, 9 vols., 4to; Shakespeare, 8 vols., with plates and notes by Chalmers; Burns' Justice, 6 vols.; Life of Warren Hastings, 2 vols., by Gleig; Arundell's Discoveries in Asia Minor, 2 vols.; Washington Irving's Chronicles of the Conquest of Granada; Smedley's Reformed Religion in France, 2 vols; Encyclopædia Heraldica, 12 parts; &c., &c.

An assortment of Bibles, Prayer Books, maps, school books, several numbers of the Quarterly Review, stationery of every description, printed music, music paper, violin and harp strings, &c., &c.

Three fine-toned six-octave Pianofortes, by Broadwood.

The HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE comprises mahogany post and tent bedsteads and furnitures, mattresses, feather beds, bolsters, and pillows, mahogany chest of drawers, Japan wash tables, chairs, mahogany dressing glasses, Kidderminster and Venetian carpets, three sets of mahogany chairs in hair cloth, a set of mahogany telescope dining tables 12ft. 6in. by 3ft. 6in, mahogany card and Pembroke tables, floor cloths, japan trays, fenders, fire irons, several hall lamps, &c. &c.

The FURNITURE of the ASSEMBLY ROOMS consists of several couches covered in damask, cane seat chairs, forms, a very large Brussels carpet, large pier glasses in gilt frames, mahogany card tables, fenders, fire irons, sets of tea and coffee services, several brass chandeliers suitable for church or chapels, busts, roller blinds, &c. &c.

An assortment of kitchen requisites, &c. &c.

The Goods may be viewed on the mornings of Sale, which will commence each day at eleven o'clock.

The Stock-in-Trade will be sold on the 17th. Catalogues to be had on the Premises, on the days of Sale, and at the AUCTIONEER'S Upholstery Warehouses, High-street, Canterbury.

EAST KENT SEWERS.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Commissioners of Sewers for several Limits in the Eastern Parts of the County of Kent are ready to receive TENDERS for the EXCAVATION of SOIL from the Sides of the River Stour, from Stonar Sluice to North Poulders Sluice, according to the Section and Specification to be seen at my Office, or at the Office of Mr. Quested, Surveyor, No. 6, Dane John, Canterbury.

Tenders to be sent, sealed, to my Office, on or before the 13th June instant. The lowest Tender will not (necessarily) be accepted.

HENRY KINGSFORD,
Clerk to the Commission.

Canterbury, 3d June, 1850.

SEWERS.—NOTICE.

AN ADJOURNED GENERAL SESSIONS of SEWERS, for several limits in the Eastern parts of the County of Kent, will be holden at the SESSIONS HOUSE, at SAINT AUGUSTINE'S, in the said County, within the said

Contributions will be received by the following among other Bankers:—

Sir R. P. Glyn and Co., 67, Lombard street
Messrs. Coutts, 59, Strand
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Subscriptions already received:—

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
Admiral Sir E. Cod-				Mrs. Ullock	5	0	0
rington	25	0	0	R. W. Lumley, Esq.	2	2	0
Miss Codrington	1	1	0	T. P. Cooke, Esq.	1	1	0
Miss E. C. Cod-				E J. Gallop, Esq.	1	1	0
rington	1	1	0	H. Johnson, Esq.	20	0	0
Mr. Hilton, Esq.	10	0	0	Rev. S. Braham	2	0	0
Mrs. Hilton	10	0	0	A Friend, by ditto	5	0	0
J. Bruce, Esq.	1	0	0	Ditto	1	0	0
The Rt. Hon. the				A Widow's mite	2	10	0
Lord Mayor	5	5	0	Sir G. Smart	1	1	0
Jas. Walker, Esq.	25	0	0	Miss Webb	1	0	0
A Friend, by ditto	2	2	0	N. Saunders, Esq.	2	2	0
Wm. Smythe, Esq.	2	2	0	Alex. Macdougall,			
Chas E. Lefroy, Esq	2	2	0	Esq.	2	2	0
Capt. Boyle, RN.	2	2	0	G. Day, Esq.	2	2	0
Rev. J. White	50	0	0	Rev. J. Hoole	5	5	0
Baron de Goldsmid	10	10	0	Jos. Dowson, Esq.	1	1	0
Lady Goldsmid	10	10	0	John Young, Esq.	1	1	0
The Chairman of				Lady Arden	10	10	0
the Hon. E. I.				Lord Londes-			
Compy	5	5	0	borough	5	0	0
Sir Duncan Mac-				J. A. Gordon, Esq.	10	0	0
dougall	5	0	0	J. Hutchinson, Esq.	5	5	0
Mrs. Butt	5	0	0	J. A. Burfield, Esq.	0	10	6
— Sims, Esq.	1	1	0	J. A. Warre, Esq.	2	0	0
— Briggs, Esq.	1	1	0	W. P. Croughton,			
John Shaw, Esq.	1	0	0	Esq.	5	0	0
M. A. Borthwick,				Mrs. Croughton	5	0	0
Esq.	1	1	0	Mrs. B Richards	2	10	0
B. Blundell, Esq.	1	1	0	Geo. Wilde, Esq.	5	0	0
Henry Green, Esq.	5	0	0	Miss E. Young	1	1	0
Bingham Richards,				Eales White, Esq.	1	1	0
Esq.	5	0	0	J. Allen, Esq.	1	1	0

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*** Medical Referees and Agents wanted in Kent, Sussex, and Surrey.

ISLE OF THANET UNION.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons willing to supply any of the undermentioned articles for the use of the Poor in the Central Workhouse, that Sealed Tenders must be left at the WORKHOUSE by THURSDAY, the 13th JUNE next, at or before Six o'clock in the evening.

TENDER I.

county. I trust this explanation will prove entirely satisfactory to you, and will place the matter on such a footing, as not to admit the possibility of future misunderstanding."

I could not understand this in any other sense than that Mr. Plumptre was acknowledged by Sir Edward Dering to be free to follow any course he might choose to take—free to retire without question from the proud position he occupies as one of our representatives in Parliament—free to ask of the electors the continuance of that often bestowed confidence which he has never forfeited, and which he now enjoys. In this epistle of April 30th there is not a word of any engagement which, if kept to the "*letter*," though departed from in "*spirit*," retained for Mr. Plumptre the "*power of throwing Sir Edward Dering over at the eleventh hour*;" and how could I or any other Elector, in reading a promise of future support, stated as it is with a wish to be distinctly understood as such, suppose for a moment that any communication had, previous to its being written, taken place between these two gentlemen, of such a nature as to warrant the last two letters of Sir Edward Dering. By what means the letter and spirit of any engagement was conveyed to the minds of these apparently contracting parties I know not; I only know that, in the face of, and with the knowledge of these, Sir Edward Dering writes to Mr. Plumptre, "*I will support you if you wish to retain that position which you fill with so much credit to yourself and advantage to this county.*" Here the matter might and ought to have rested. Mr. Plumptre assures you that "*any step in the nature of a canvass is unwarranted by anything that has fallen from him*;" and Sir Edward Dering promises to support Mr. Plumptre if he should wish to be returned again to parliament. The electors of East Kent will not, I imagine, think Mr. Plumptre liable to the charge of "*throwing Sir Edward Dering over at the eleventh hour*," should he feel himself called upon for any reason to sacrifice his strong inclination to retire into private life, to his still stronger sense of what he may believe to be his public duty.

Mr. Plumptre has not retired. I hope he will not desert us at a moment when not only the interests of a great county, but the interests of a mighty empire, may be at stake; and I hope he will proffer to us again services which it would be ingratitude in us to refuse, and the assistance of an experience which it would be folly in us to reject.

I have the honor to remain, Sir,
Your Obedient Servant,
NORTON J. KNATCHBULL.

DECLARATION
Of the undersigned Clergy in the Deaneries of Canterbury, Bridge, Elham, Westbere, and Ospringe.

WHEREAS, in the Formularies of the Church of England, it is asserted of an Infant "lawfully" Baptized, "that this Child being born in original sin, and in the wrath of God, is now by the laver of Regeneration in Baptism, received into the number of the Children of God, and heirs of everlasting life:"—

And whereas in the Catechism every Child is required to use these words, "my Baptism, wherein I was made a Member of Christ the Child of God, and an Inheritor of the Kingdom of Heaven:"—

And whereas in the Confirmation Service the Bishop addresses to Almighty God the words "who hast vouchsafed to Regenerate these thy Servants by Water and the Holy Ghost, and hast given unto them forgiveness of all their sins:"—

And whereas the Church declares "It is certain, by God's Word, that Children which are baptized, dying before they commit actual sin, are undoubtedly saved:"—

And whereas notwithstanding these and other like clear assertions of the Faith of the Church of England, a construction has been put upon her Articles and Formularies, implying that the Forgiveness of original sin to all Infants in their Baptism is not an indispensable doctrine of the Church:—

And whereas there is danger that should such a construction of the language of the Church touching the "one Baptism for the remission of sins" be now admitted, an endeavour might hereafter be made to extend the same principle of

uncle, Mr. William P. Richards. At the Catholic ceremony the gallant general was supported by his Royal Highness the Infante Don Juan of Spain (brother of the Conde de Montemolin). Lord John Manners, M.P., officiated as the bridegroom's "best friend" at St. George's Church. At the conclusion of the ceremony the bridal party partook of an elegant *dejeuner* at the residence of the Misses Richards, in Eaton-square, after which the newly-wedded pair left town for Tonbridge Wells. The bride, it is said, has a fortune of £25,000 a year.

DEATH OF MISS JANE PORTER.

The death of this celebrated authoress, whose writings must be well known to our readers, took place at the residence of her brother, Dr. W. O. Porter, of Bristol, on Thursday night. Miss Porter's disease was a second attack of pulmonary apoplexy. She was in her 74th year, and maintained the vigour of her intellect and her habitual cheerfulness of disposition till the close of her life.

The father of Miss Porter, an officer of Dragoons, dying in the prime of life, left his widow with five almost infant children in slender circumstances. Three of the orphans were sons, the youngest of whom is Sir Robert Ker Porter, whose celebrity in the arts and in literature has long been before the public. The two daughters were Jane and Anna Maria, on whose education their exemplary mother bestowed the most careful attention. Immediately after her husband's death, Mrs. Porter settled in Edinburgh. Jane, the elder daughter, became very early the companion of her widowed parent, which circumstance gave a premature stamp to the character of her mind, and cast over her childhood a shadow of grave pensiveness which grew up with her into that air of nun-like abstraction that was the characteristic of her youth. In Edinburgh there still existed many of the celebrated persons who had distinguished themselves by a brave and devoted attachment to the cause of the unhappy race of Royal Stuarts. Flora Macdonald, with the Camerons, the Drummonds, the Lockhart's, and others of the like generous but unfortunate fidelity to a gallant but doomed line,—many of these used to be frequent visitors to "the English widow and her bairns," to whom, with a proud though melancholy delight they over and over again related the history of a time, and particularly of a day memorable to both narrators and listeners; for in the year 1745 all the disasters of the narrators were consummated at the fatal battle of Culloden, and in that year, and at that period, the honored mother of the eagerly listening little auditors was born into the world. From these often-repeated heart-rending stories Jane early imbibed her peculiarly ready sympathy for the brave and illustrious unfortunate, and lit that flame in her young bosom which no time nor circumstances have since been able to lower in its glow; a flame which prepared her to be the future epic historian of the Wallace and the Bruce—and the Sobieski of Poland. Though ardently devoted to reading, Jane never thought of being an authoress herself until her emulation was excited to follow the delighting steps of her imaginative sister, Anna Maria, into the same fancy-created regions. This influence of the younger sister having awakened the sleeping talent for such efforts in her senior, Jane soon after produced the Polish historical romance of "Thaddeus of Warsaw." General Gardiner, who was British Minister at Warsaw during the calamitous period to Poland, to which the tale relates, has been heard to express his surprise at how the fair authoress could have been a visitor at that time in the Polish capital and he not know it, for he would not believe that any other than an eye-witness could have described what she has done in that spirited work. Among numerous tributes to the fidelity of her narrative from Poland itself, was a ring containing a portrait of the patriot Kosciusko, which used to be a rallying sign during the awful struggles of that crisis, sent to her by a nephew of that illustrious man. The first appearance of the "Scottish Chiefs" had an electric effect in Scotland. Sir Walter Scott generously admitted to his Majesty George the IVth, in the library at Carlton Palace,

Ashley, in the said parish of Northbourn, in the occupations of — Amos, and — Bowman.

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1850.

TO COVER, THIS SEASON, at Mr. B. HOBBS', ALDINGTON, the thorough-bred horse,

"CHALKSTONE,"

bred by Lord Orford in 1845. He is now five years old; was got by Touchstone out of Miss Julia, by Partisan; is a rich dark bay, stands 15 hands 2½ inches high, with remarkable symmetry, great power, good action, fine temper and constitution.

Touchstone won the St. Leger; and is the sire of Surplice, Cotherstone, and Orlando, winners of the Derby; Mendicant, winner of the Oaks; Blue Bonnet, winner of the St. Leger; and many other winners, as the following will show:—In 1846, '47, '48, and 1849, Touchstone's produce won £62334, being £11,70[illegible] more than any other sire during those years—Venison being the next.

Partisan, the sire of Miss Julia, was also the sire of Mameluke, winner of the Derby; and Cyprian, winner of the Oaks.

At Two Pounds Two Shillings, Groom's Fee included; to be paid when demanded.

As some individuals (from motives best known to themselves) have insinuated that he is not the horse by Touchstone out of Miss Julia, by Partisan, as represented above, Mr. B. HOBBS calls the attention of the public to the following facts, which will prove beyond doubt he is the animal, and not an impostor foisted upon the public:—Chalkstone was bred by Lord Orford in 1845 (see Stud Book), and kept by his Lordship until two years old; he then sent him to Tattersall's for sale, where he was purchased (as their books will show) by Mr. W. Hobbs, of Sibton, and used by him during the seasons 1847 and 1848. The next year he was used in Essex. His stock proving so unusually large, muscular, and handsome, induced Mr. H. to purchase him back, and offer him to breeders generally, feeling satisfied his stock now to be seen will ensure him a successful season.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.

BANKRUPTS.

TUESDAY, FEB. 12.

G. WOODS, Portsea, saddler.—W. POWNALL, Macclesfield, silk manufacturer.—J. BAKER, Cheltenham and Glocester, boot manufacturer.—J. PARCHING, Henfield, Sussex, brewer.—E. STEWARD, Boughton, Norfolk, corn merchant.—R. P. CROFT, Lansdowne-villas, Brompton, and Haymarket, tavern-keeper.—J. H. MUSGRAVE, New Bond-street, embroiderer.—W. WOODBRIDGE, Mincing-lane, colonial broker.—R. SAVORY, Hereford, plumber.—B. DRIVER, Hulme, Lancashire, joiner.—R. CHATTAM, Goole, innkeeper.—W. E. SMITH, Plymouth, Shipwright.—J. HARRINGTON, Manchester, commission agent.

FRIDAY, FEB. 15.

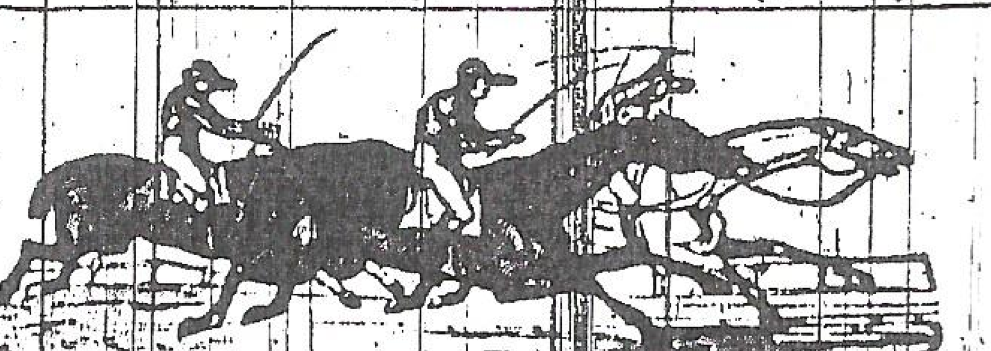
J. WOOLSELDINE, Cambridge, Upholsterer.—T. and W. E. Sadler, Brightlingsea, Essex, sailmakers.—R. NOBLE and G. MAY, Almondbury, York, fancy cloth manufacturers.—J. PRICE, Birmingham, Cabinet-maker.—H. PARRY, Abergele, Denbighshire, druggist.—D. BLACKBURN, T. PICKLES, D. CRABTREE, and W. BLACKBURN, Halifax, Yorkshire, cotton spinners.—F. JOHNSON, Lincoln, watchmaker.—A. D. W. DESFORGES, Alford, Lincolnshire, brickmaker.—J. STEPHENSON, Arbor-terrace, Commercial Road, draper.—S. HEIGHTHORN, Scarborough, painter.

		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
	By Balance on General Account invested with the Commissioners, including interest on the 20th November, 1849	115852	10	0			
	Ditto on Separate Surplus Fund account	2600	0	0			
	Ditto in the hands of W. H. Furley, Esq. Treasurer, which fact is certified by us, W. H. Furley, Treasurer; Hammond and Co., Bankers (A)	2235	10	4	120,688	0	4
					£142,808	14	5
	The Balance due on the 20th November, 1849, (A)				120688	0	4
	Depositors.	£	s.	d.			
2492	Whose respective balances on the 20th Nov. 1849, did not exceed £20 each	15252	9	10			
907	Ditto were above £20, and not exceeding £50 ditto	28255	13	7			
437	Ditto were above £50, and not exceeding £100 ditto	30[illegible]77	13	5			
171	Ditto were above £100, and not exceeding £150 ditto	20[illegible]10	12	4			
85	Ditto were above £150 and not exceeding £200 ditto	140[illegible]3	9	11			
14	Ditto exceeding £200	34[illegible]4	9	9			
4106	Total number of Depositors	111[illegible]4	8	10			
100	Charitable Societies	2[illegible]6	2	11			
24	Friendly Societies	30[illegible]2	15	5			
4230	Total number of Accounts. Total Balances	117[illegible]3	7	2			
	Balance invested with the Commissioners on the Separate Surplus Fund Account, on the 20th Nov. 1849, as above	2600	0	0	120303	7	2
	Surplus				384	13	2
	Deduct portion thereof to meet current expenses, as directed by 2[illegible] sec. 9 Geo. 4, c. 92				314	13	2
	Amount to be carried to the Separate Surplus Fund Account, Nov. 20, 1849				£70	0	0

Witness our hands this 26th January, 1850,

JOHN METCALFE, } The Managers of the said
J. STRATTON, } Savings' Bank.
(Witness) S. GREAVES, Actuary.

N.B.—The annual statement of the Canterbury Savings' Bank is printed, and a copy may be claimed by each depositor, under Rule 30, on payment of one penny.



CANTERBURY SPRING MEETING.

TUESDAY, APRIL 2nd, 1850.

A HUNTER'S STAKES, of Three Sovereigns each, with — added. The second horse to save his stake. For all horses belonging to subscribers to the East Kent Earth-stopping Fund, and having been in their possession and (*bona fide*) their property previous to the 1st of November, 1849. A certificate of their having been regularly hunted with any established pack of hounds in the County, in the season of 1849 and 1850, to be produced at the time of entry from the Master of Hounds. Four year old, 10st. 4lbs; five, 11st. 6lbs; six and aged, 12st. Mares and geldings allowed 3lbs. Winners, once at any time, to carry 7lbs; twice, 10lbs.; thrice, 12lbs extra. Thorough-bred horses to carry 14lbs. over and above the extra weights before mentioned. Two mile heats. No training groom, hired servant, or regular jockey, allowed to ride in this race. The winner to be sold for £100 if demanded, &c., &c. Three horses to start or no race, unless by consent of the Stewards. To close and name on or before eight o'clock, p.m., at the WHITE HORSE, BRIDGE, on MONDAY, the 1st of APRIL.

SECOND RACE.

A SWEEPSTAKES, of Three Sovereigns each, with — added for horses *not* thorough bred, that have been regularly hunted from the 1st of November, 1849, with any established pack of hounds in the County. A certificate to be produced from the Master of Hounds. Four years old, 10st. 4lbs.; five, 11st. 6lbs.; six, and aged, 12 stone. The winner to be sold for £100, if demanded, &c. &c.; if entered, to be sold for £80, allowed 5lbs.; for £60, 10lbs.; for £40 14lbs. Two mile heats. No training groom, hired servant, or regular jockey, allowed to ride in this race. To close and name at the same time and place as for the Hunter's Stakes.

THIRD RACE.

THE ANNUAL EASTER PLATE.

All horses running for each race to pay the Clerk of the Course ten shillings, and all winners, one sovereign; and every rider shall previously to his weighing pay five shillings.

AN ORDINARY at the FLEUR-DE-LIS HOTEL after the Race.

FREDK. BROCKMAN, Esq., Steward.
THOS. HAWKINS, Clerk of the Course.
N.B. No Booths allowed.

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land had the power of altering the practice and mode of pleading of his court to the extent of the alterations introduced by this bill, which contained the germ of great improvement, by getting rid of three great evils—the mass of pleadings, the bulk of written evidence, and the references backwards and forwards between the Court and the Master.

Mr. KEOGH spoke in favor of the measure.

Mr. COCKBURN said that the Lord Chancellor could not interfere without introducing a pernicious precedent. Mr. Cockburn paid a high compliment to the Solicitor-General, who it was gratifying to see, he said, in these legal reforms was treading in the steps of his honoured father.

The SOLICITOR-GENERAL, after a reiteration of the averment that the Lord Chancellor of Ireland could not of his own authority adopt these reforms, entered upon a defence of those parts of the bill which had been assailed by Mr. Stuart, upon whom he retorted with some severity. He avowed that he was responsible for this bill, and for its defects, if any; but the principles and objects of the measure had had the sanction of the Lord Chancellor and Master of the Rolls in Ireland.

Mr. WALPOLE wished the bill to be referred to a select committee, but the SOLICITOR-GENERAL declined to consent; and after a few words from Mr. TURNER, who expressed his conviction that the measure could not in its present shape be carried out, the amendment was withdrawn and the bill was read a second time.

On the order for going into committee on the Registrar's-office Bankruptcy Bill,

Mr. HENLEY suggested some objections to the bill, of which no explanations had been given, and moved that it be referred to a committee to inquire into the best mode of dealing with the office of Registrar of Bankrupts, now vacant.

The ATTORNEY-GENERAL said, the bill abolished an office and saved £1,200 a-year. Inquiry was superfluous.

After a discussion of the practical merits of the bill by Mr. BOUVERIE, Mr. MULLINGS, Sir H. WILLOUGHBY, and Mr. WOOD, the house divided, when the amendment was carried, against the Government, by 61 to 57.

The other orders having been disposed of the House adjourned at Twelve o'clock until Monday.

A METEOR.

The following letters appeared in the *Times* of Wednesday and Thursday:—

SIR—On Monday night, at about a quarter or ten minutes to 11 o'clock, a very beautiful shooting meteor of dazzling appearance was visible in the heavens, taking, as it seemed to me, a direction bearing West to East. The night in the early part of it had been rainy, with a fair amount of wind, from the Westward and Southward (as during the day), but at the time of the above luminous appearance it had partially cleared off, and the stars were visible, with only a few light clouds, which served materially to heighten the effect when illuminated. The course the light described was a fine curve, commencing with a small feathery appearance, gradually expanding in width and radiance as it proceeded, and its duration was of some seconds. At first it occurred to me it was a trial rocket of some description, as it dropped precisely as they do when near exploding, but it afterwards lighted up still more brilliantly, and resumed its course with increased splendor, leaving in its track a long train of intense light. It appeared rounded or bulbed at its head or point of combustion, and went off to an elongated taper, as some of the comets have been represented. Its altitude I should judge was not great, as its edges were distinct, and one slight wave in its progress was, to me, very discernible. As it brightened, it displayed the most lovely colours, which could be distinctly traced to the facial colors produced by the sun—at one period green, violet (deep), pale red, &c., and their effect through the thin stratum of clouds which were in its path were most gorgeous. Before vanishing it appeared to roll over, like to something molten, and concentrating all its light at once, suddenly disappeared. It was perfectly silent, although my expectation was, that from its extent and brilliancy a report might possibly be produced. I have frequently read of these brilliant phenomena, but never witnessed anything of the kind before.

W. F. WHITMORE.

Kennington Lane, Lambeth, Feb. 12.

SIR—As I was returning home this evening I observed, at about a quarter to 11 P.M. (London and North Western time, which I believe is Greenwich time), a most extraordinary appearance in the heavens of a brilliant body of flame travelling in the direction of N.W. by W.

The body which I watched for four or five seconds bore at first the appearance of a large fire ball. The nucleus was of a deep red color, and the emanation was of the color of the common gaslight of the highest brilliancy. After descending several degrees, it burst exactly like a rocket, and then disappeared. Almost immediately afterwards a continuous peal of thunder was heard for about half a minute. The heavens were exceedingly bright, and where the thunder seemed to roll not the least trace of a cloud was visible, as the stars shone there very brilliantly. The power of the light was so great that a man described to me that the street in which he was walking was as clear as in the day time. I called the attention of one or two persons to the thunder, who distinctly heard it for some seconds though they had not seen the body of flame. I have once before witnessed some such an appearance, but far inferior to the present.

HENRY S. DODWELL, B.A., Exeter College, Oxford.

The School, Bedford, Monday, 11.30 P.M.

SIR—Yesterday evening, at about half past ten o'clock, I was observing the peculiar clearness of the atmosphere, the weather having rapidly changed from stormy rain, which had prevailed throughout the day, to that brilliancy of sky which usually betokens, at this season, frost; when suddenly, I was almost bereft of sight by the appearance of a magnificent meteor which made its appearance in a Westerly direction, and, passing rapidly across the zenith, exploded in the East, at about 15 degrees above the horizon. It was followed by a tail of extraordinary length and brilliance, and the disk of its nucleus appeared to be

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HALSE'S LETTERS ON MEDICAL GALVANISM

(*For the other Letters on Medical Galvanism, Invalids are solicited to send to* MR. HALSE *for his Pamphlet. See below.*)

LETTER I.

PARALYSIS.—TO INVALIDS.—GALVANISM has for a long time been resorted to as a powerful remedial agent, but, unfortunately, it has been applied by men totally ignorant of its principles. Can it, therefore, be wondered at that it has so frequently failed of producing any beneficial effects? My great improvement in the GALVANIC APPARATUS was a method to regulate its power to the greatest nicety, so that an infant may be galvanized without experiencing the least unpleasantness; but no sooner do I make it public that I have made this discovery, than a host of imitators spring up like mushrooms, and state that they are also in possession of the secret, and, by all I hear, a very pretty mess they make of their secret. Now, all the world knows how eminently successful I have been in cases of paralysis, particularly in recent cases; this success I attribute entirely to my superior method of regulating the power of the galvanic apparatus; for, without a perfect regulating power, it is utterly impossible to produce successful results. Scarcely a week passes but I have two or three patients who have been either galvanized by some pretender, or have been using that ridiculous apparatus called the electro-magnetic or electro-galvanic apparatus, and, as may be reasonably expected, without the slightest benefit. Many pretenders in the country, having heard of my great success, and my high standing as a medical galvanist in London, have made it public that they have received instructions from me, and are acting as my agents; and, not satisfied with this, are actually selling apparatuses representing them to be mine. I shall, of course, endeavour to put a stop to this; in the mean time, I now state that my galvanic apparatuses can be procured from me only; as I employ no

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT in conformity with the Act 7 and 8 V., c. 83, s. 5, and the directions of the Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt, the Trustees and Managers of this Institution will attend in the GUILDHALL, FAVERSHAM, on

THURSDAY........the 14th FEBRUARY,
FRIDAY............the 15th FEBRUARY,
TUESDAY ....the 19th FEBRUARY,

from the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon till Two o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of examining and comparing the Depositors' Books with the Bank Ledgers; and all Depositors are hereby requested to bring or send their respective Deposit Books, for the said purpose, on some one or other of the said days, and during the hours before mentioned.

JOHN COULTER,
Secretary and Actuary.

Faversham, January, 1850.

TURNPIKE ROAD FROM TENTERDEN TO ASHFORD, HOTHFIELD, AND BIDDENDEN.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT the GENERAL ANNUAL MEETING of the Trustees of this Turnpike Road will be held at the BULL INN, in BETHERSDEN, in the county of Kent, on THURSDAY, the 7th day of MARCH next, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely, when the Treasurer's Account will be audited, and the state of the Road reported. And a SPECIAL MEETING will be held at the same place, at Twelve o'clock at noon of the same day, for the purpose of ordering and directing the removal and discontinuing of the Toll Gate, called the "New Street Gate," and Side Gate thereto belonging, situate in the parish of Great Chart, in the said county of Kent, and also the reduction of Double Toll on this road.

By order,
WM. CRUTTENDEN,
Clerk to the Trustees of the said Road.

Ashford, 31st January, 1850.

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J. C. REINHARDT.

57, Market-place, Hull, Aug. 3, 1849.

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TURNPIKE ROAD FROM CANTERBURY TO SANDWICH.

NOTICE.

THE GENERAL ANNUAL MEETING of the Trustees of this Road will be held at the RED LION, at WINGHAM, on MONDAY, the 11th day of MARCH next, at Twelve o'clock at noon.

CURTEIS and KINGSFORD,
Canterbury, 14th February, 1850. Clerks.

TURNPIKE ROAD FROM CANTERBURY TO BARHAM.

NOTICE.

THE GENERAL ANNUAL MEETING of the Trustees of this Road will be held at the FLYING HORSE INN, CANTERBURY, on TUESDAY, the 12th day of MARCH next, at Twelve o'clock at noon.

CURTEIS and KINGSFORD,
Canterbury, 14th February, 1850. Clerks.

FIRST DISTRICT OF TURNPIKE ROAD FROM CANTERBURY TO RAMSGATE.

NOTICE.

THE GENERAL ANNUAL MEETING of the Trustees of this Road will be held at the GUILDHALL, in the City of CANTERBURY, on SATURDAY, the 16th day of MARCH next, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

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immediate calling out of troops, their attitude full of ... ness, the moderation of the authorities, and the good ... of the population, contributed to cause the men wh[o] allowed themselves to be drawn on by guilty suggestio[ns] return to order. At 10 o'clock last evening the g[roups] were not very numerous, and were not animated by h[ostile] sentiments. Tranquillity will be maintained in the ca[pital].

The Minister of the Interior has addressed th[e fol]lowing proclamation, dated the 5th, to the inhabi[tants] of Paris:—

"According to the terms of a circular of the Pref[ect of] Police, a certain number of trees of liberty have bee[n cut] down, for the benefit of public circulation. The ... trees of liberty have been respected, and are to re[main] standing. If, however, they become an object of disturb[ance] they will be immediately removed. The Governmen[t has] confidence in the good sense and patriotism of the Pa[risian] people."

PARIS, WEDNESDAY, FEB. 6, 5 P.

I understand that there have not been less ... 300 persons arrested up to 5 o'clock yesterday in [con]sequence of the riots of Monday. There are eigh[t] policemen wounded more or less severely, but I [be]lieve only one dangerously. The young man who [was] wounded so severely by the city policeman who drew his sword in his own defence, and that o[f his] comrade, and who is still in a dangerous state, i[s not] dead, as was rumoured; on the contrary, the[re is] every hope of his recovery. It was he that struc[k the] policeman on the head and over the body with a l[arge] hammer.

Police magistrates were yesterday sitting at [the] Prefecture, for the purpose of examining the [pri]soners. Many of them, on proof being given [that] they were innocent of anything except loitering i[n the] thoroughfare with the rioters, and blocking up [the] passage, have been already set at liberty. A[mong] those captured in the Rue Jean-Robert and Rue ... are a good number of the insurgents of June, ... pardoned by the President of the Republic, and [who] have recently returned to Paris. A conside[rable] portion of the number have already suffered im[prison]ration, or been sentenced to various degrees of pu[nish]ment of another kind, for participation in plots ag[ainst] any form of government, or for *emeutes*. Th[e re]mainder are operatives who do not work, wh[ether] they are offered employment or not; shopmen o[ut of] place; and *gamins* who are ready at all momen[ts to] make a noise in the street, no matter for what c[ause.] These persons have been removed to the Concier[gerie,] and many of them entered the prisons as if they [had] been perfectly acquainted with the locality, sa[luted] the turnkeys familiarly by their names as old [ac]quaintances, and occupied their respective sle[eping] places as old *habitues* of the place.

Finding that the trees continued to be the poi[nt of] attraction to the crowds of idlers, and that adva[ntage] might be taken to make the matter end in some[thing] of a more serious character, it was considered [better] to bring the affair to a point by their removal. [Ac]cordingly, about half-past 8 o'clock a conside[rable] military force proceeded to the spot where the [trees] were still the objects of attraction to the cr[owd,] illuminated and dressed out with ribands. A column of riflemen arrived close to the Port[e St.] Denis the groups gradually melted away. The[y] took up a position first in the Porte St. Martin; [in] a few minutes a strong detachment moved dow[n the] Rue St. Martin, still producing the same effect by [their] presence, and then turned into the Rue Royale [St.] Martin and the market-place, close by the Co[nser]vatoire des Arts et Metiers, which building had [been] occupied the whole of the day by a strong .... About 9 o'clock not only the market-place, but the whole of the approaches to it, were occupi[ed by] the tirailleurs. The city police entered the [Rue] Royale and the Carre St. Martin by the Ru[e St.] Denis, still accompanied by the commissaire [of] Police; and while the troops on all sides ren[dered] the approach impossible to the scattered group[s, the] civil officers cut down the trees and removed [them.] I have no doubt that much irritation was caus[ed by] the act, but no sign was given to show that an[y re]sistance was thought of. All was over at ab[out]

and back entrance in the occupation of Mrs. Ingmire. No. 1 contains a shop, two bed rooms, sitting room, and cellar, with the use of the garden and back entrance above mentioned, in common with the occupier of No. 1.

This lot has a frontage in Lombard Street, of 32ft., and is so arranged as to be easily convertible into one, two or three dwellings, as may be required.

Particulars and Conditions of sale maybe had at the offices of Messrs. Brooke and Mertens, solicitors, or of the Auctioneer, 48, High Street, Margate.

OAK TIMBER.

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION,

BY MESSRS. BAYLEY AND REEVE,

ON FRIDAY, the 19th of April, 1850, at One o'clock, at the Bull Inn, BETHERSDEN, in three lots:—About 400 OAK TIMBER TREES, and 340 OAK BLACKRINDS, with their tops and lops, standing in Lamberden Wood, in the Parish of Bethersden, the property of Thos. Whitfeld, Esq.

The Wood is situated about two and a half miles from the Pluckley Station, on the South-Eastern Railway.

The Timber will be sold by view, at per lot.

Further particulars may be had of the Auctioneers, Ashford, and Mr. Pudghum, carpenter, of Bethersden, will shew the lots.

Ashford, April 6, 1850.

OSWALDS.

BISHOPSBOURNE, NEAR CANTERBURY.

OSWALDS HOUSE, near Canterbury, being about to be taken down for the purpose of rebuilding,

MR. POUT

Has received instructions from the Proprietor, Matthew Bell, Esq., to submit the whole of the HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., for

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On WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, the 24th and 25th April, 1850.

Particulars in next advertisement.

High Street, 8th April, 1850.

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The Horses may be seen at Nine o'clock in the morning, and the Sale will commence at Three o'clock in the afternoon precisely.

(Advertisement).

FAVERSHAM SAVINGS' BANK.

A General Meeting of the Trustees and Committee of Management was held in the Town Hall, Faversham, on Thursday, the 4th April, 1850, when the subjoined STATEMENT of the result of the EXAMINATION of the ACCOUNTS between the Trustees and the Depositors, on the 20th November, 1849, of which a return had been made to the Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt, was laid before the Committee:—

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By Balance invested with the Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt on the General Account	56,307	0	3
By ditto invested with the said Commissioners on the Separate Surplus Fund Account	2,800	0	0
By ditto, in the hands of William Rigden,			

SWALECLIFFE, KENT.

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION,

BY MESSRS. DAVIS AND CHAMBERS,

AT the Rose Inn, CANTERBURY, on SATURDAY, 20th April, 1850, at Eleven for Twelve o'clock at noon precisely, the following valuable Freehold Property:—

Lot 1.—All that DWELLING HOUSE, with the Shop, Garden, and Four Pieces of Land, Arable and Meadow containing together 4a. 1r. 35p., situate at SWALECLIFFE, and in the occupation of Mr. William Laslett.

Lot 2.—A MESSUAGE, (in two dwellings) with the Garden thereto, containing 28 perches, and a valuable piece of Arable Land, containing 11a. 0r. 34p., adjoining Lot 1, and in the occupation of Mrs. Laslett and others.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. Furleys and Mercer, Solicitors, or to the Auctioneers, Canterbury.

HERNHILL, KENT.

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BY MESSRS. DAVIS AND CHAMBERS,

AT the Rose Inn, CANTERBURY, on SATURDAY, 20th April, 1850, at Eleven for Twelve o'clock at noon (by direction of Devisee in Trust of the late Mr. Stephen Butcher, deceased), the following

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Lot 1.—All that MESSUAGE or TENEMENT, Farm Buildings, Garden, and one piece of ARABLE LAND, containing altogether 12a. 1r. 12p., part whereof is freehold, and the remainder held for the residue of a term of five hundred years, situate at HERNHILL, in the county of Kent, and now in the occupation of Mr. James Butcher, as yearly tenant.

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EAST KENT AGRICULTURAL PROTECTION SOCIETY.

MEETING on BARHAM DOWNS, on TUESDAY, the 23d day of APRIL, 1850, *at One o'clock.*

THE undersigned invite the Friends of the Principle of Protection to British Industry to attend a PUBLIC MEETING on BARHAM DOWNS, on TUESDAY, the 23d day of April, at One o'clock, to consider the present state of distress of the agricultural districts of the country, to adopt an Address to the Queen on the subject.

Brook W. Bridges	Francis Richardson
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Thomas Slater	George Stickels
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Wm. Harvey	Charles Ratcliffe
Richard Sladden	Stephen Gambrill
John S. Swinford	Wm. Ashbee
Benjamin Andrews	Robert Capon
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Edmund Saxby	Thomas Winder
Edward Slater	Geo. R. Harnett
John Collard, jun.	Edward Laurence
Thomas Philpott	Smithey t Spain
Thomas Wacher	John Boys Sankey
Stephen Swinford	Thomas Helen
Onslow Andrews	George Collard
George Denne	Stephen Hill
Alfred Cobb	Edwd. Gibbens
James Elgar	Thomas Champion
Thomas Coleman	Wm. Clements
Roger Hy. Smithe	John Minter
Henry Mount	Stephen Banks
Henry Collard	Thomas Brighurst
Sidney Collard	Charles Sladden
John Swinford	George Bartlett
John Fagg Harvey	Frederick W...

Richardson; Dr. Allan, of Haslar Hospital; Dr. McWilliams, and Captain Sir James Stirling, R.N.; also from Dr. C. J. B. Williams and Professor Murphy, of London; and Professor Miller, of Edinburgh.

I am not aware of any circumstances that can influence an election of this nature, other than qualifications and testimonials of ability and gentlemanly conduct, and evidence of familiarity with disease; and I therefore solicit your patronage on these grounds.

I have the honor to be,
My Lords, Ladies, and Gentlemen,
Your most obedient servant,
FREDK. JAMES BROWN, M.D.,
Lond. et Edin.
late Royal Navy.

Strood, near Rochester,
8th April, 1850.

TO THE GOVERNORS OF THE KENT AND CANTERBURY HOSPITAL.

My Lords, Ladies, and Gentlemen,

HAVING been declared by the Board of Management a duly qualified Candidate for the vacant office of Physician to the Hospital, and the short space of time before Thursday next, the day of election, precluding my submitting to your consideration printed copies of my Testimonials, which remain for inspection with the Secretary at the Hospital, I take leave respectfully to solicit the honor of your support and votes on the occasion, with the assurance on my part, that if I receive the preference of your confidence in the election, I shall endeavor zealously to justify the same by exerting myself to promote the interests of the institution, and the welfare of the patients who come under my care and treatment.

I have the honor to be,
My Lords, Ladies, and Gentlemen,
Your most obedient servant,
THOMAS WILLIS, M.D.,
Of Caius College, Cambridge; a Member of the Colleges of Physicians and Surgeons, London; and formerly Physician to the Brighton Dispensary, the Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, and to Saint Mary's Hall, for the Daughters of the Clergy.

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RESPECTFULLY informs his numerous Friends and the Public in general, that he has disposed of his business in the above line, to CHARLES HORSNAILL. He avails himself of the opportunity to thank them for the liberal support afforded him for so many years, and to request on behalf of his successor, a continuance of the same.

CHARLES HORSNAILL

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work for years to come, fetched from 1s. 6d. to 2s. each. A like depreciation has taken place in the value of neat stock, and cows and calves go begging. A person at Horsham offered to bet, on Saturday, that he would go among the farmers, and purchase ten cows for £20 in forty-eight hours. Young stock is also very low in price, as well as barrens; and altogether this is the worst spring the Wealden farmers say they ever had to encounter. The only things that sell tolerably well are sheep and prime cart horses, which are somewhat caught after. Many notices to quit have passed from tenant to landlord this Lady-tide, and no doubt much poor land will be thrown up.—*Brighton Gazette.*

The Essex Protection Society.—A meeting of the committee and the chairman of the district branches of this society was held at the Saracen's Head Inn, Chelmsford, on Thursday last, and the result of their deliberations was a stirring appeal to the county. The society has now taken up distinctly the repeal of the malt tax and the hop duty; and a series of meetings is to be held in the different market towns, which commenced with Colchester on Saturday last, for the purpose of discussing these questions, and bringing the agricultural power of the county to bear on parliament in connexion with them. The society also appeals to the friends of protection to prepare for a general election. Recent divisions have shown that the majority in the Commons could not be relied on if an attack were well planned and skilfully conducted—and an attack of this kind is now in preparation. Mr. G. F. Young, at the late Romford dinner, said, in reference to the government bill on the subject of our mercantile marine, which is an appendage to the repeal of the navigation laws, "at that moment he was engaged with two out-and-out free-traders to hold a meeting, at which Mr. Hume would preside, to oppose to the death that proposition which Mr. Labouchere was endeavoring to inflict upon them."

The *Shipping Gazette* mentions a rumour that Mr. Labouchere is to be elevated to the peerage, the reason assigned being that Lord J. Russell does not agree in the expediency of pressing the mercantile bills this session, and takes this method of putting them aside, and at the same time rewarding an adherent.

Wreck near Southport.—On Saturday night last, the ship Howard, 900 tons burden, bound from Mobile for Liverpool, struck on the Angry Brow, on the west side of the Horse Bank. The vessel struck about ten o'clock at night, and received considerable damage in her hull, so that she became waterlogged and settled, the crew taking refuge in the rigging. On Sunday morning the lifeboat from Southport went to her assistance, and succeeded in rescuing the whole of her crew, about twenty-three in number, the majority being men of color. When the lifeboat came out to the vessel the crew got out their longboat, and had placed their clothes and other articles in it, when a heavy sea swamped the boat, and everything was lost, some of the men having to swim to the bank. They were, however, all picked up by the lifeboat, and being landed were taken to the Original Hotel, where they received all the attention and refreshment which their exhausted condition required. One poor fellow, named John Smith, who had been confined to his hammock for a month previous to the disaster, suffered most severely from the effects of his exposure to the cold, and, although medical assistance was immediately procured for him, he died soon after he was brought ashore. The Howard left Liverpool in August last, and, after a prosperous voyage, arrived at Mobile, where she took in a cargo of cotton and mahogany, valued at between £15,000 and £20,000. She sailed for Liverpool on the 4th of January. On Saturday morning last, the vessel was signalled at Liverpool as being off the port, but in the afternoon the inhabitants of Blackpool and Southshore observed her off that coast, and the same night she went on the bank.—*Preston Pilot.*

Marriage in High Life.—The marriage of Mr. J. B. Harford, eldest son of Mr. A. G. Harford Battersby, of Stoke-park, Glocestershire, and nephew of Mr. J. S. Harford, of Blaise-castle, in the same county, with Mdlle. Marie Bunsen, the beautiful and accomplished daughter of His Excellency the Prussian Minister and Madame Bunsen, was

Esquire, Treasurer	1,575	16	8
Total Assets	£60,772	16	6
Amount of Surplus	£3,132	1	7

(Signed) WM. JEFFERYS, } Two Trustees.
W. RIGDEN }

The Meeting having learned with much satisfaction, from the statement which is now laid before them, that the Books of 1,553 Depositors, out of the total number of 1,785, have been produced and compared with the Ledgers, and that the result of this examination has been to prove in every instance the accuracy of the Accounts—

Resolved—That this Meeting do take the present opportunity of expressing their approbation of the regularity and exactness with which the accounts have been kept by Mr. COULTER, the Secretary, and by Mr. H. E. COULTER, the Assistant Secretary, and of recording their sense of the zeal and fidelity with which, from its commencement, for the long period of 34 years, Mr. Coulter has conducted the affairs of the Institution.

Resolved—That the above statement and resolution be entered upon the minutes, and also advertised in the local papers.

(Signed) JNO. POORE, D.D., Chairman.
THOS. G. MONTRESOR, K.C.H.
E. J. HILTON.
W. RIGDEN.
EDW. JARMAN.
J. SHEPHERD.
GEORGE MURTON.
JNO. HADLEY.
WM. JEFFERYS.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE,

THAT by an indenture, dated the 1st day of this instant April, THOMAS ROBERTS, Surgeon and Apothecary, and JOHN THOMAS ROBERTS, Surgeon, both of the Town and Port of NEW ROMNEY, in the County of Kent, have conveyed and assigned all their real and personal estate and effects whatsoever and wheresoever, (except as therein is excepted), to John Humphery, the elder, farmer and grazier; George Gravett, grocer and draper; and Edward Wraight, butcher, all of the same town and port, their heirs, executors, and administrators, as Trustees upon trust, for the benefit of all the Creditors of the said Thomas Roberts and John Thomas Roberts; and that the said Indenture was duly executed by the said Thomas Roberts and John Thomas Roberts on the said 1st day of April, and by the said John Humphery, George Gravett, and Edward Wraight on the 5th day of April, in the presence of, and was attested by William Stringer, solicitor, New Romney, and Joseph Harper, his clerk; which said Indenture now lies at my Office for inspection and execution by such of the Creditors as have not already executed the same.

Dated the fifth day of April, 1850.

WILLIAM STRINGER,
Solicitor to the Trustees.

The Creditors are requested to forward to Mr. STRINGER, *without delay*, the amount and particulars of their claims, in order that a correct statement of Messrs. Roberts's affairs may be prepared, and submitted to the Creditors at a MEETING to be held at the NEW INN, in NEW ROMNEY, on MONDAY, 29th instant, at Two o'clock.

BLACK PRINCE,
FOR SERVICE THIS SEASON, 1850.

THAT well known and very superior entire DRAUGHT HORSE, called "BLACK PRINCE" by Rodney, late the property of Mr. John Collard Sankey, deceased. Black Prince is rising six years old, has carried off six prizes at the Canterbury and Maidstone Cattle Shows, and proved himself a sure foal getter. He is in excellent condition, perfectly sound and quiet, and an extraordinary good worker.

BLACK PRINCE will attend at CANTERBURY MARKET, on SATURDAYS; SANDWICH, on WEDNESDAYS; and at other places as heretofore.

For particulars apply to James Browing, Westhere, near Canterbury

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE.
BANKRUPTS.

TUESDAY, APRIL 2.

D. SIGAN, late of George street, Adelphi.—A. PARMER, grocer, Great Hallham, Hertfordshire.—H. SETTLER, slater St. John's wood-terrace, St. Johns wood.—W. BARKER, auc-

William Dombrain
William Collard
William Tassell
Edwin Collard
R. Potter
James Collard
William Gardner
Thomas Maylew
—Williams
John Cox
Edward Sankey
Henry Bing
Alex. Walker
Marshall Harvey
Robert Read
Herbert Collard
Jarvis Bing
Edward R. Brittenden
Alfred Collard
Henry Spanton
John Tassell
Robert Cook Bailey
Alfred Luke
Thomas Vickers
—Cutbush
John Jenkin
John Austen, jun.
George Court
George Marshall
Edward Homersham
Charles Collard
James Richardson
T. Harvey
J. Wootton
Thomas Bartlett
Fred. Wotton
Wotton Hutchinson
R. C. Hemliker
Alfred Slater
William Boorman
Rd. Reynolds
Henry Ward
Stephen Claddish
Fred. Finn
James Harvey
Stephen Bedwell
James Bartlett
Josh. Gambrill
Alfred Minter
John Walker
F. Belsey
Rich. H. Goodwin
W. Roots
S. J. Sankey
S. Leggett
John Sutton
Stephen Wootton
Henry Major
John Collard
W. Bedwell
J. Wacher
Henry Knight
E. Watson
William Woollett
Thomas Bedwell
William Culmer
W. H. Clements
William Minter
Thomas Mount
Robert Collard
James Tharpe
John Wood
Richard Wood
Thomas Bourne
Joseph Videan
Joseph Higgins
George Pidduck
George Knight
John Kemp
Thomas Hoile
John Harvey
Robt. Neame
Robt. Hutchinson
Walter Sutton
Henry Crouch
Thomas Sankey Cooper
John Collard
William Robert Gurney
Thomas Addley
John Blurling
Alfred Harvey
David Collard
Valger Bean
E. Saxby, jun
B. P. Saxby
Geo. J. Noyes
Leonard Apsley
Joseph Wacher
Edward Slater
Wm. Wacher
Wm. M. Miles
Henry Clements
Frederick Slater
Frederick G. Castleden
Thomas Butler
Barling Sharpe
Richard Brice
Joseph Blackley
John Court
Stephen Sutton Pain
Thomas Knight
Isaac Sladden
Robert Lake
Thomas Aveling
George Page
John Bushell
John George Drury

THOS. W. COLLARD, Hon. Sec., &c.

Canterbury, April 6th, 1850.

FRAUDS AND COUNTERFEITS.
BURGESS'S ESSENCE OF ANCHOVIES.

IN CHANCERY.—BURGESS V. COLLINS.—On the 7th March, 1850, His Honor Vice Chancellor Sir J. L. Knight Bruce granted an INJUNCTION to restrain JOHN COLLINS, of Richmond Row, Liverpool, and his Servants, Travellers, Workmen, and Agents, from Manufacturing, Selling, or Exporting any Sauce, Essence, or Composition, purporting to be BURGESS'S ESSENCE OF ANCHOVIES, in Bottles, having similar labels, or labels in imitation of, or only colorably differing from the labels used by JOHN BURGESS and SON, of No. 107, STRAND, LONDON, or so contrived or expressed as to represent that the Sauce, Essence, or Composition so manufactured and sold, or exported in the same as the Essence of Anchovies manufactured by JOHN BURGESS and SON.

And on the 14th March, 1850, His Honor Vice Chancellor Knight Bruce granted another Injunction, in similar terms, to restrain TRIEL HALL, of 3, Satchwell's Rents, Bethnal Green Road, London, his Servants, Workmen, and Agents, from Selling or offering for Sale, any Sauce or Composition described as, or purporting to be, or labelled as "JOHN BURGESS and SON'S Original and Superior Essence of Anchovies," or as "Burgess's Essence of Anchovies," or in any manner purporting to be Essence of Anchovies

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS and BLACKMORE'S BOLTING CLOTHS.

8th of 4th mo. April, 1850.

ISLE OF THANET UNION.
TO COAL MERCHANTS.

WANTED, FIFTY TONS OF COALS, Hettons, Gosforths, or Cuthbert's Wallsends, to be delivered at the Union Workhouse, in bags, containing two cwt. each, free of expence, by FRIDAY, the 3rd of MAY next.

Persons willing to contract with the Guardians, to supply them, must send sealed Tenders, naming the sort, directed to the Chairman of the Board of Guardians, by FRIDAY, the 19th inst., at Ten o'clock in the morning, on which day they will be inspected, and the person whose tender is accepted will be informed.

By order of the Board,
WM. FREEMAN, Clerk.

Minster, near Ramsgate,
April 6th, 1850.

WORTHY OF NOTICE.
SIMISTER'S PATENT WOVE STAYS,
Recommended by the Faculty.

MRS. E. PARKES, having purchased a large assortment of the above article, intends selling them at such prices as will defy competition. In the construction of these Corsets the utmost attention has been paid to the anatomy of the human frame; all uncomfortable pressure is avoided, while at the same time they possess that elasticity and lightness so necessary to the most delicate constitution.

Price, from eighteen-pence to eighteen shillings and six-pence.

STAYS, the best that can be manufactured, stitched and wove, in great variety, from the lowest to the best class, all of which are cut suitable to the shape, and prices marked thereon in plain figures.

TO PERSONS ABOUT TO EMIGRATE.

Every information will be given by applying to E. Parkes, 35, Burgate. The JANE MORRISON will sail on the 27th APRIL for PORT ADELAIDE and SYDNEY.

Notice the Address—
35, BURGATE, and 30, ST. MARGARET'S STREET (corner of the Fish Market), CANTERBURY.

TO FARMERS, DEALERS, AND OTHERS.

A valuable TEAM of HOME-BRED HORSES, fresh from work, in good condition, and capital workers; ages three, five, and six years old; the owner having no further use for them, and parting with them without a fault,

WILL BE SOLD BY AUCTION,
BY MR. H. BIRD,

On SATURDAY, APRIL 13th, in the CATTLE MARKET, CANTERBURY, at Twelve o'clock.

To be seen at the Flying Horse Inn stables on the morning of Sale.

MERCHANT SEAMEN'S ORPHAN ASYLUM.—The anniversary dinner of this excellent institution, which was established in 1827, and is patronised by the Queen and the Duchess of Kent, took place on Thursday night, at the London Tavern. The Duke of Northumberland presided. The toast of "The Queen" having been drunk with the customary honors, the noble Chairman, in proposing "The health of Prince Albert and the rest of the Royal Family," expressed his deep regret that by the death of the Queen Dowager the society had been deprived of the aid of one of its most generous benefactors. The Chairman then gave the toast of "Prosperity to the Merchant Seamen's Orphan Asylum," and stated that the society now fed, clothed, and educated 110 children, the orphans of persons who had been engaged in the merchant service. The noble Duke urged the importance of raising a building fund, which would enable the society to establish an asylum of its own, instead of holding the building in which the children are at present placed upon an uncertain tenure. He also expressed his opinion that the wealthy merchants and manufacturers were especially bound to support this institution, as they were so much indebted to the skill, enterprise, and

cadilly, in the presence of a very numerous circle of the immediate connexions of both families. It was originally intended that the marriage should have taken place in January last, but the death at that period of Mrs. Waddington, the mother of Madame Bunsen and grandmother of the bride, rendered it necessary to delay the marriage ceremonial, which, owing to the circumstance referred to, took place on Thursday in a comparatively private manner. The bride left the residence of the legation shortly after 11 o'clock in company with her mother, and proceeded to St. James's Church, where the bridegroom and a large family party had previously assembled. The Lord Bishop of London was in attendance to perform the service, and the preliminaries having been arranged, the bridal procession moved to the altar, headed by the right rev. prelate, who was attended by the Rev. John Jackson, M.A., rector of the church. The bride followed, resting on the arm of her father, Chevalier Bunsen, and attended by a train of six bridesmaids, viz., Miss Harford Battersby, Mademoiselle Bunsen, Mademoiselle Theodora Bunsen, Mademoiselle Mathilde Bunsen, Miss Harford, and Miss Bruce. These young ladies were all similarly attired in pale sea green glacé silk dresses, with flounces and jackets *en suite*. The bride was very beautifully attired in a superb dress of white watered silk, with Brussels lace flounces and trimmings. A veil of the same material and a wreath of orange blossoms completed her costume. The service was read in a very impressive manner by the Bishop of London, who was assisted in the responses by Mr. Jackson. The bride was given away by her father. At the close of the service the parties present retired to the vestry, where the usual record and attestation were duly made. The ceremony was witnessed by a very large number of spectators from the body of the church, and the newly wedded pair were loudly cheered by the crowd as they entered their carriage. At one o'clock a large party, consisting of the relatives and friends of the two families, assembled at the residence of the legation in Carlton-house-terrace, where a splendid *dejeuner* was given by Madame Bunsen in celebration of the happy event. The purchase of the new residence of the legation has just been completed by the King of Prussia, and yesterday was the first occasion on which the mansion has been publicly opened since its acquisition by the King. It has, however, recently received much internal decoration from his Excellency the Chevalier Bunsen, whose taste in all matters relating to the fine arts is proverbial. We observed yesterday the presence of many valuable works of art, among which a bust of the late King of Prussia and portraits of the present King and Prince of Prussia were chiefly remarkable. There was also a very choice medallion bust of the Queen of Prussia, given by the King to the late Queen Dowager, on the occasion of his visiting England to stand sponsor for the Prince of Wales, in 1841, and presented by the late Queen's brother, the Duke of Saxe Meiningen, to Chevalier Bunsen only a few weeks since. At the *dejeuner* the Bishop of London proposed "The health of the newly wedded pair," prefacing his remarks with an encomium on the virtues of the father and mother of the bride, and concluding with the expression of his earnest hope that every happiness might attend Mr. and Mrs. Harford here and hereafter. The toast was duly honored, and acknowledged in a very appropriate manner by Mr. Harford. Sir Harry Verney next proposed "The health of his Excellency Chevalier Bunsen and Madame Bunsen," which was very warmly responded to. His Excellency Chevalier Bunsen, in acknowledging the toast, alluded with marked emotion to the happiness he felt in adding another tie to that already existing between his own family and that of Mr. Harford. His Excellency also expressed the gratification he felt at the presence of Mr. Gurney, with whose family he had also the happiness of being very closely connected. After some other family toasts, Sir Benjamin Hall, in a very humorous speech, proposed the health of the bridesmaids, which, it needs scarcely be said, was received most enthusiastically. The party shortly afterwards broke up, not less than 100 relatives and friends having participated in

will be cut in panels without taking on the boards; oak floors, and capital large strong doors, with locks and small ditto.

Will be SOLD on THURSDAY, the 18th day of APRIL, 1850, at Eleven for Twelve precisely in the morning.

For further particulars apply to the Auctioneer, Ash, near Sandwich.

OAK TIMBER.

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION,

BY MESSRS. COOPER

ON FRIDAY, the 19th day of APRIL, 1850, at Four o'clock in the Afternoon, at the FORDWICH ARMS, in the parish of FORDWICH,—

50 OAK TREES,
57 BLACKRINDS,

with Tops and Bark, standing in Blax and's Wood and Nine Acres' Wood, in the parishes of STURRY and FORDWICH, the property of John Friend, Esq.

Also, TEN OAK TREES in Brotherhood Wood, FORDWICH, the property of Maynard's Spital.

William Smith, woodreeve, of Broadoak, will show the Lots.

CANTERBURY.

MR. WM. SHARP

Is instructed by the Mortgagees, under a Power of Sale, to SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, AT the ROSE INN, CANTERBURY, on THURSDAY, the 2d day of MAY, 1850, at three o'clock precisely, subject to such conditions as shall be then produced,

All that PIECE of GROUND, situate in IRON BAR LANE, in the parish of Saint Mary Magdalen, in the City of CANTERBURY, together with the very convenient WORKSHOPS and other erections thereon built, formerly used as a Coachmaker's Workshops, with Blacksmith's forge attached, but now in the occupation of Mr. F. F. Cobb, a very eligible tenant, at the inadequate rent of £30 per annum. Part of the property is freehold, and the other part leasehold, for the remainder of a term of 500 years.

May be viewed by permission of the tenant until the day of Sale, and particulars had upon application to Mr. R. G. SMITH, Solicitor, 5, New Inn Strand, London; and of the AUCTIONEER, Burgate Street, Canterbury.

The Present Proprietor of HALSE'S CELEBRATED MEDICINES, having been a vendor of them, and having heard from his customers of the all but miraculous effects of them, and knowing that they had not been brought before the public in the provinces, (although their sale in London is very large), in a manner that they ought to be, was induced to offer a certain sum for the Recipes, Titles, &c., to the original proprietor. After much time, and paying a much larger sum than he intended, he has accomplished his object. He has no doubt, however, that the invalid public will ultimately well pay him for his outlay.

HALSE'S SCORBUTIC DROPS, a Sure Cure for Scurvy, Bad Legs, and all Impurities of the Blood.

"Their effects in purifying the blood is all but miraculous."

This medicine is generally admitted to be the most certain purifier of the blood of any as yet discovered, a remarkable change in the appearance—from a death-like paleness to the roseate hue of health—taking place within a very short time. Price 2s. 9d. each bottle, and in Pint bottles, containing nearly six 2s. 9d. bottles, for 11s., patent-duty included. The following letter must convince every one of the safe, speedy, and truly wonderful effects of those drops. This important letter is sent to Mr. Halse, by Mr. Matthew, a highly respectable farmer, of the parish of Brent, Devon:—

"Brent, March 1st, 1842.

"Dear Sir—I consider it a duty incumbent on me to state to the public the invaluable properties of your Scorbutic Drops. I may truly say that I could never have believed such a powerful antiscorbutic medicine to be in the possession of any one, had I not experienced its wonderful effects. Why is it that so many families are troubled with scorbutic eruptions, when such a purifier of the blood, as your medicine decidedly is, is within the reach of almost every one. The answer is evident; *because you have not given it that publicity which it is your duty to do*; and this is my principal reason for now writing to you, that you may make the particulars of the case public. Your modesty, Sir, ought not to overcome your duty to your fellow creatures; therefore, I trust, for the benefit of mankind, that you will give this letter as much publicity as possible. You remember, when I first applied to you, that I was almost out of hopes of receiving any benefit for my poor suffering child, for I believe that I informed you that I had been trying all but everything in order to give my child some ease, but day by day she continued to get worse, until at length all strength left her and she was no longer able to walk. Her body and head were covered all over with scorbutic eruptions; her appetite had vanished; the eruptions would itch in such a dreadful manner, that she would roll herself in agonies on the ground; and she could get no sleep whatever by night. Immediately you saw her you told me you were certain your Scorbutic Drops would cure her. I paid but little attention to your statement, as I had tried so many things in vain; but hearing of some wonderful cures made by you, I was determined to give your drops a trial, and fortunate for me I did so. *Before she had taken one bottle of them all the itching ceased, her appetite returned, and she enjoyed sound and refreshing sleep. By the time she had taken the second bottle her skin was as fair as any person's, the use of her limbs was restored to her, and, I thank God, her health is now as good or better than it ever was.*

"Why, Sir, do you not make the case of Thomas Rollins public?—I repeat, it is your duty to do so. When he first commenced taking your drops he had not a sound inch of flesh on him; his body was literally covered with large running wounds, and a celebrated physician of Plymouth, who examined him, said, 'he never saw a man in such a condition in all his life.' I have lately seen him, and he informs me that he has but one wound left, which is less than the size of half-a-crown, and which is healing fast. He certainly looks like another man altogether. He told me that your Family Pills quickly restored his digestive powers, and gave him good refreshing rest by night. He would have been a dead man by this time if you had not taken him in hand. Sincerely wishing you every success, allow me to remain, dear sir, yours respectfully,

"WILLIAM MATTHEWS."

Another surprising cure by means of "Halse's Scorbutic Drops."

"Holt, near Wimbourne, May 21, 1845.

"To the Proprietor of Halse's Scorbutic Drops.

"Sir,—It is due to you to state the astonishing cure your valuable medicine has caused to my wife. About five years since *an eruption appeared in various parts of the body*; she applied to various medical gentlemen without deriving the least benefit; the disorder continued to increase, and latterly to a very frightful extent, *her body being covered with painful, itching, unsightly scabs.* About six months since I providentially saw the advertisement of HALSE'S SCORBUTIC DROPS in the Salisbury Journal. I determined that my wife should give your medicine a trial, and accordingly purchased a Bottle of your Drops of Mr. Wheeldon, your agent at Ringwood, and I have not words to express my opinion of the medicine, *but in the course of a fortnight she was perfectly cured*, having taken two bottles of the Drops and one box of Pills. Six months have now elapsed, and she has had no return of the complaint.

"A neighbor of mine, Mr. John Skeers, yeoman, of Holt, has a child Eighteen months of age, which, since it had been four months old, had its head and face completely covered with scabs, gnawing itself and mother many sleepless nights. Now, as I was a witness of

the said county, in the occupation of Mr. Thomas Westover, as tenant from year to year, at the annual rent of £20.

Lot 4.—All that FREEHOLD piece or parcel of PASTURE LAND, containing by estimation one acre, lying in the town of LENHAM aforesaid, and now in the occupation of Mr. O. Milligate, at the annual rent of £3.

Lot 5.—All that CARPENTER'S SHOP, together with about four acres of superior Orchard and Garden Ground, situate, lying and being in the said Parish of Lenham, and now in the occupation of Messieurs Fullager and Green-street, at the annual rent of £16.

Lot 6.—All that FREEHOLD FARM, containing by estimation, 28 acres or thereabouts, of Arable and Pasture Land, together with two cottages, barn and stable thereon, situate, lying and being in the several Parishes of Charing and Lenham, in the said County, and now in the occupation of Mr. Tidy, at the annual rent of £40.

N.B.—To this lot is to be added the right of Common on the Commons of Charing and Lenham.

Lot 7.—All those three FREEHOLD MESSUAGES or TENEMENTS, carpenter's shop and stable, together with two excellent walled inn gardens, situate, lying and being in the Parish of Lenham aforesaid, and now in the several tenures or occupations of Messieurs Collins, Westover, Foord, and Davis, at the annual rent of 26*l.* 10s.

The property may be viewed by application to the respective tenants, and further particulars known by reference to James Powell, Esq., Lingfield, near East Grinstead, Sussex; or to Mr. T. T. DeLasaux, solicitor, Canterbury.

OSWALDS,

BISHOPSBOURNE, NEAR CANTERBURY.

Household Furniture, six-feet Portable Billiard Table (by Thurston), Pillar Shower Bath, Hall Stove, Lamp, &c. &c.

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION,

BY MR. POUT,

ON WEDNESDAY, the 24th of APRIL, 1850, and following day, on the Premises at OSWALDS, BISHOPSBOURNE, near Canterbury (the house being about to be taken down),

The whole of the HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and other Effects; comprising,

IN THE BEDROOMS—Mahogany four-post, tent, and japanned French bedsteads, with dimity and chintz furnitures; superior bordered goose-feather beds, bolsters, and pillows; bordered horse-hair and wool mattresses, excellent blankets, counterpanes, and quilts; mahogany and japanned wardrobes and presses, bed steps, mahogany washing and dressing tables, toilet services, box and tray glasses, mahogany chest of drawers, easy chair, with dimity cover, mahogany bidets, japanned chairs, cupboards, commodes, towel horses, Brussels and Venetian carpets, &c. &c.

NURSERY AND SERVANTS' APARTMENTS.—Japanned and stained post, tent, and French bedsteads, and furnitures; feather beds, mattresses, blankets and counterpanes, mahogany, japanned, and elm, chests of drawers; mahogany and stained crib bedsteads, with hair and wool mattresses; japanned chairs, washing and dressing tables, fenders, fire irons, Venetian and Kidderminster carpets and hearth rugs, tray and swing glasses, towel horses, &c. &c.

DRAWING ROOM.—Imitation rosewood chairs, with hair cushions; duchess chairs, chiffoniers, tables, Brussels carpets and hearth rugs, fenders, fire irons, large pier glasses, Ottoman stools, single headed couches, bookshelves, damask window curtains, with pole cornices, &c.

DINING PARLOUR.—Mahogany colleret sideboard, set of patent extending dining tables, crimson floreen window curtains, with brass poles, &c.; Brussels carpet and rug, mahogany dumb waiter, chair screen, imitation-rosewood chairs, and cushions; fender and fire irons, copper coal scoops, japanned plate warmer, &c.

THE LIBRARY.—A six-feet portable billiard table (by Thurston), imitation-rosewood chairs, damask window curtains, with pole cornices and deep fringe; Brussels carpets and hearth rugs; fenders, fire irons, mahogany dining table, &c.

HALL AND PASSAGES.—Dutch carpets, floor cloths, hall stove and guard, large japanned press, eight-day clock in mahogany case, barometer, parrot stand and cage, &c.

BUTLER'S PANTRY AND HOUSEKEEPER'S ROOM.—Japanned chairs, square stuffed sofa, walnut-tree bureau, pier glass, mahogany Pembroke and dining tables, Wilton carpet and rug, fender, fire irons, japanned tea urn, napkin press, butler's tray and stand, japanned trays, waiters, press bedstead, wardrobe ditto, &c.

KITCHEN.—Wicker bottom chairs, deal tables, meat screen, lined with tin; five-feet kitchen fender, set fire irons, large iron and copper boiling pots, ditto tea boilers, tea kettles, preserving pans, bell-metal skillet, iron and copper saucepans, dish covers, American oven, 28-day clock, kneading trough, meal tub, brine tub, pewter dishes and plates, scales and weights, large kitchen table, &c.

BREWHOUSE, YARD, &c.—Work bench, lead cisterns, bottle rack, rain-water tubs, pair steps, humane man traps, folding boards, washing shawls, &c.

A small quantity of earthenware.

The Goods to be viewed on Monday, the 22d day of April, from Eleven till Five o'clock.

Catalogues may be had at the Auctioneer's Upholstery and Furniture Warehouses, High-street, Canterbury, on Saturday preceding the sale; and at the Place of Sale, on the viewing and sale days.

Sale to commence each day at Eleven o'clock.

TO BUILDERS AND CARPENTERS.

J. H. BOOBBYER and CO., late Sturch and Boobbyer, at their Ironmongery, Brass Foundry, and Nail Warehouse, No. 14, Stanhope-street, Clare market, London, for the supply of Carpenters, Builders, Cabinet-makers, Upholders, &c., at wholesale prices.

Best Cut Sheet Flooring Brads, 12s. per cwt.

Fine Cut Clasp and Rose.

15s.	14s. 6d.	14s.	13s.	13s. per cwt.
1½	1¾	2	2½	3 inch.

Best Bright Tower Bolts.

1s. 3d.	1s. 7d.	2s. 2d.	2s. 6d.	per dozen.
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Best Patent Sash Line.

4s.	4s. 6d.	6s.	7s. 3d.	9s.	10s. 9d	per gross.
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Lord GRANVILLE then moved that Mr. Charles de Lacy Nash be called to the bar, reprimanded and discharged. Mr. Nash accordingly appeared, and after making a short speech to the House in defence of his conduct retired.

Lord GRANVILLE persisted in his motion. He did not suppose that Mr. Nash had been influenced by any intention to perpetrate a fraud, but it certainly was a case upon which the displeasure of the House ought to be expressed.

The motion having been agreed to, Mr. Nash was called to the bar, reprimanded by Lord Campbell, and discharged.

Their Lordships then adjourned.

HOUSE OF COMMONS.—FRIDAY, APRIL 12.

Public Salaries.

Lord J. RUSSELL moved for a select committee to inquire into the salaries and emoluments of offices held during pleasure by members of Parliament; those of judicial offices in the superior courts; the retiring pensions of the judges, and the expense of diplomatic establishments. There were various precedents for the appointment of such a committee—in 1798, 1818, and in 1830, and since 1848 a committee had been employed in inquiries into the military establishments. That committee had nearly completed its labors, and he now proposed to initiate an investigation into those of a civil character. The proposition being in conformity with precedents, he should have thought it unnecessary to go further, but that Mr. Disraeli had given notice of an amendment to it, as well as of a motion hereafter respecting the diplomatic and consular services, which was to be followed by a motion of Mr. Henley's for a general revision of all salaries, with a view to their reduction. The military estimates alone had been reduced in the last two years to the extent of 3,284,000*l.*; and in the civil departments reductions had been going on for several years. Lord John read statements of the economical operations which had been gradually taking place in the Customs, the Excise and the Stamps, in the abolition and consolidation of offices, as well as in the curtailment of salaries. A notion had been lately started, that the public service would be better carried on if the persons employed in it were altogether removed from Parliament; but such a proposition was inconsistent with our machinery of government, which required that persons connected with the Executive should be present in Parliament to explain and support measures of legislation. The value of this system was sufficiently exemplified in the constitution of the first Poor-law Board. He concluded by expressing his belief that an independent committee of that House would deal with the subject in the most satisfactory manner.

Mr. DISRAELI moved, as an amendment to the motion, that the house is in possession of all the information requisite to revise and regulate public salaries, and that it is the duty of the government, on its own responsibility, forthwith to introduce measures necessary for effecting every practicable reduction in the national establishments. He had listened, he observed, with great attention to the address of the noble lord, but when he heard that the government had effected so many reductions, the impression upon his mind was that of surprise at their not persevering in so successful a course, instead of devolving their duty upon a committee. Lord John had laid down no principle; he had appealed to precedents; but there was this essential difference between precedents and the course he proposed:—Estimates had been referred to a committee; but they were the embodied opinion of the government submitted to the house. Lord John, however, had expressed no opinion whether reductions were practicable or not—a question which must have been the subject of investigation and reflection by the government; and all he asked was that they should act upon their own conclusions. He asked the house to affirm that it was already in possession of all the necessary information—a fact which was proved by the numerous documents referred to by Lord John Russell himself. Whence was further information to be obtained? Were the judges to be examined as to their travelling expenses, and the diplomatic hierarchy as to their extraordinary outlays? He advised the house, well to consider whether the devolving this inquiry upon a well-arranged committee, having lively sympathy with the policy of the government, would not diminish the authority of that house, by relieving Ministers from their proper responsibility, and undertaking an invidious and obnoxious duty. The inevitable consequence of adopting the motion—which, if not unconstitutional, was most hostile to parliamentary independence—would be injurious to the conduct of public business in that house; it would stifle Mr. Henley's motion and his own. He disclaimed party motives in bringing forward his amendment, which he believed would sustain the honor of that house, and conduce to the welfare of the public service.

Sir B. HALL supported the original motion, which was opposed by

Mr. HUME, who observed that the three points embraced by it would not touch one-tenth of the expenditure; he should vote for the amendment.

Mr. HENLEY likewise supported the amendment, considering that reductions were more likely to be obtained by throwing the burden upon the Executive government, than by a committee.

Lord H. VANE believed that a reference of the subject to a committee would be attended with the best results.

Mr. GRANTLEY BERKELEY supported the amendment.

Mr. COCKBURN said, in his judgment Lord John Russell had adopted the proper, correct, and constitutional course. He did not agree with Mr. Disraeli that all the required information was already obtained. Information

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BEGS to return his most grateful thanks to the Gentry and the Public in general for their very kind support towards him, and to state that the PARTNERSHIP between himself and Mr. Oakenful has been DISSOLVED, but that COULTHARD'S ORIGINAL VANS will still continue calling at the principal Hotels, and leaving the ROSE INN, at a Quarter before Nine and Twelve o'clock.

Dover, March 3, 1850.

COMMITTEE OF COUNCIL ON EDUCATION.

THE MANAGERS of ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS for the Children of the Labouring Classes, who are desirous that the Teachers in them should be examined for Certificates of Merit in the current year, are requested to communicate with the SECRETARY, Committee of Council on Education, Council Office, Whitehall, if they have not already done so, *in which latter case a further communication will not be requisite.*

NOTICE.

ALL Persons having any CLAIM on the late Mrs. ELIZABETH WILLIAMS, late of SIBERTSWOULD, and formerly of BRIDGE, are requested to send in their Claims to Mr. CHARLES PAGE, of DENTON, in order that they may be examined and discharged; and all Persons indebted to the said Elizabeth Williams, are particularly requested to pay the same to Mr. Charles Page, of Denton, within one month from this date, by order of the Executors.

Denton, 1st March, 1850.

TO THE GENTRY AND FACULTY.

MESSRS. JONES AND BELL,

SURGEON DENTISTS,

7, PALL MALL, LONDON,

AFTER many years' research and practical experience in the various branches of their profession are now in possession of a pure METALLIC COMPOUND for stopping decayed Teeth. Applied to the Cavity, in a plastic state, it soon becomes hard, and expands; is free from Corrosion—therefore, does not produce injurious Oxides, or become discoloured.

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ELIGIBLE INVESTMENT.

TO BE SOLD BY PRIVATE CONTRACT,

ALL that FREEHOLD MESSUAGE or TENEMENT, situated in the HIGH STREET, in the centre of the City of CANTERBURY, lately in the occupation of William Bowman and Son, tailors and drapers, and now occupied by the Messrs. Miskins, hardwaremen and general dealers, under a lease.

Further particulars may be known at the Office of Mr. Wilkinson, Solicitor, Best lane, or of Mr. Pout, Auctioneer and Estate Agent, High street, Canterbury.

MINSTER.

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION,

BY MR. R. HOLTUM,

ON FRIDAY, MARCH the 8th, 1850, on the Premises, all the HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, LIVE and DEAD FARMING STOCK, IMPLEMENTS, GROWING CROPS, and other Effects of Mr. William Harnett, at EDEN FARM, in the parish of MINSTER, under an execution directed to the Sheriff of Kent.

GROWING CROPS consist of about 10½ acres of wheat about 20 quarters of wheat unthrashed, about 10 quarters of barley ditto.

LIVE STOCK—Two very useful draught horses, two excellent cows in calf, and a quantity of poultry.

The IMPLEMENTS comprise wagon, carts, ploughs, harrows, rollers, drill plough, &c., &c.

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE consists of feather beds, dining and other tables, sofa, chairs, carpets, fenders, fire irons, mantel ornaments, glass, china, brown ware, kitchen requisites, &c., which may be viewed on the morning of Sale.

Sale to commence at half-past Eleven o'clock precisely.

HENRY BRADLEY'S ASSIGNMENT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT by an Indenture of Assignment bearing date the twenty-eighth day of February, 1850, HENRY BRADLEY, of Sackett's Hill, in the parish of Saint Peter the Apostle, in the Isle of Thanet, and county of Kent, Farmer, hath assigned all his personal estate and effects unto JAMES SMEED, of the parish of Saint Peter the Apostle aforesaid, Farmer, and NEAM BAKER KENNARD, of Ramsgate, in the said Isle of Thanet and county of Kent, Tailor, upon trust, for the benefit of all the Creditors of the said Henry Bradley, and that the said Indenture of Assignment was executed by the said Henry Bradley and Neam Baker Kennard on the twenty-eighth day of February, 1850, in the presence of, and attested by, JOHN MERCER, of Ramsgate aforesaid, Solicitor, and HENRY HAMMOND, his clerk, and by the said James Smeed on the first day of March, 1850, in the presence of, and attested by, the said John Mercer and Henry Hammond. And Notice is hereby further given that the said Indenture of Assignment now lies at my Office for execution by the Creditors of the said Henry Bradley.

JOHN MERCER,

Solicitor for the said Trustees.

Ramsgate, 4th March, 1850.

... GEORGE'S STREET, CANTERBURY.

VALUABLE FREEHOLD PROPERTY.

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION,

BY T. THURSTON,

AT the SUN INN, CANTERBURY, on FRIDAY, 8th MARCH, 1850, at Three o'clock in the afternoon, all that desirable FREEHOLD DWELLING HOUSE and SHOP, with Yard and back entrance from St. George's Lane, being No. 55, ST. GEORGE'S STREET, in the City of CANTERBURY, and now in the occupation of Miss Gorely.

The House contains a light and convenient shop, drawing room, parlor, five bed-rooms, large store-closets, kitchen, pantry, washhouse, and good dry cellar.

Possession will be given on the completion of the purchase.

Particulars and Conditions of Sale, may be had of Messrs. Furleys and Mercer, Solicitors, St. Margaret's Street; and of the Auctioneer, 8, Palace Street, Canterbury.

To the INDEPENDENT FREEMEN and ELECTORS of the CITY and BOROUGH of CANTERBURY.

GENTLEMEN,

I Came among you to solicit your unbought suffrages.

The result of the Canvass has far exceeded my expectations; but it appears that unless I have recourse to practices, which I came pledged to forbid, the legitimate majority on the Canvass Books will be converted by other means, into a minority on the Poll.

Under these circumstances I beg leave, though with feelings of unmixed regret, to retire from the contest.

It only remains for me to offer my heartfelt thanks to my kind friends in the City and Borough of Canterbury, for their unremitting exertions on my behalf.

I have the honor to be,
Gentlemen,
Your very obliged and faithful servant,
JOHN VANCE.

Canterbury, March 2d, 1850.

To the ELECTORS of the CITY and BOROUGH of CANTERBURY.

GENTLEMEN,

YOUR cordial support has placed me this day in the honored position of your Representative.

An opponent who came to ask your support of the principle of Protection, relying on a constituency so closely dependent on agricultural prosperity, found, notwithstanding, no response in your feelings or opinions, and retired from the contest rather than submit that cause to the test of numbers on the poll.

I congratulate you on this triumph of the liberal cause and that of free trade, and, with heartfelt thanks for the disinterested assistance you have afforded me, I take my leave of you to attend without delay to those duties you have imposed upon me.

I have the honour to be,
Gentlemen,
Your faithful servant,
FREDERICK ROMILLY.

Canterbury, March, 4th, 1850.

A LETTER ADDRESSED TO THE COUNTRY PARTY BY A COUNTRY GENTLEMAN.

My Lords and Gentlemen,—I venture to address a few suggestions to you on the present alarming crisis in our affairs; not, because I flatter myself that I can adduce fresh arguments on a subject which has been so long under discussion, that every topic connected with it is well nigh exhausted; but, because I regret to see, that at a period when it is universally conceded, that all classes connected with agriculture are in a state of extreme distress, no *practical* measures are in contemplation for our relief; a cry indeed has been loudly raised for the recovery of lost protection, but no single step has as yet been taken which promises to afford us the slightest alleviation. Influenced by these considerations, I trust you will pardon me for venturing to urge upon your consideration some suggestions which may tend to the solution of that important question which daily presses more and more on our attention.

In what manner can we best promote the welfare of the agricultural interest?

If we had the power and opportunity, I should not hesitate to say, "Return to that system from which we never ought to have departed, which had stood the test of experience, and under which the agriculture, colonies, and commerce of this country had attained unexampled prosperity;" but we must not wilfully blind ourselves to the peculiar difficulties of our position; we have an adverse parliament, a hostile ministry, and the manufacturing interest of the country arrayed against us. We cannot therefore reasonably expect, that, till a great change takes place in public opinion parliament will consent to reimpose protective duties on corn; they will be no doubt restored, when all the great interests unite to welcome protection to native industry *as a boon;* but they will never be granted to the solicitations of any individual interest, however powerful it may be. I cannot, however, conceive any policy more short-sighted, than for the country party to declare "that because they cannot at once attain all they desire nothing else is worth a struggle." The least we can expect from those whose measures have so injuriously affected our property, is to place us in all respects on a footing of equality with our fellow-subjects; and (as we are compelled to raise corn at continental prices) to allow us to crop our land as we like, and convert its produce to the best advantage. This claim is founded alike in justice and on the principles of free-trade, and if strongly urged, ought to have great weight with those who are disposed to take an unprejudiced view of our case. The first step in advance should be the revision of all local taxation; we are entitled

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STURRY.

On Saturday night se'nnight four turkeys and six ducks were stolen from the premises of Captain Cummins, Stain's Hill, near Sturry. They were seen at eight o'clock, but missed by the groom on going to the stable before retiring to bed. The thieves were traced as far as Sturry, but the clue was then lost.

BRIDGE.

On Friday Mr. DeLasaux held an inquest on the body of Joseph White, an aged pauper of the Union, who, while getting up in the morning and when talking to another pauper, suddenly fell backwards, and expired in half an hour. Mr. Sicard, who had occasionally attended him, stated he was subject to fits, and that he died from a fit of apoplexy, or, at all events, natural causes. A verdict was returned accordingly. Deceased was 69 years of age.

EASTRY.

On Monday se'nnight, the Rev. R. D. Backhouse, vicar, and Messrs. Church and Bowes, churchwardens, met at the vestry, for the purpose of distributing the charities bequeathed by Mrs. E. Rammell and Mrs. Mary Hills: the former to the deserving poor belonging to the parish, and the latter to poor widows residing therein, all of whom evinced much gratitude for the gift, and satisfaction at the fair and impartial manner in which it was divided amongst them.

In addition to the above, we feel much pleasure in announcing that upwards of £20 was collected by Mr. Joseph Bowman, master of the National School, from the gentry and the inhabitants of this parish, which was distributed among the poor in coals.

The inmates of Eastry Union were regaled with a plentiful supply of roast beef and plum pudding on Christmas-day. The arrangement made by the Governor gave general satisfaction.

ST. PETER'S.

At a general meeting of the farmers of St. Peter's, Thanet, and its vicinity, held in the Farmers' Club Room, Jan. 16th, the following resolutions were passed unanimously:—

1st. That, as the value of agricultural produce is greatly lessened by the free importation of foreign grain and flour, and there appears no probability of a speedy return to protection, for the improvement of prices, it is the opinion of this meeting that farmers in general should, and must, adopt and carry out a system of vigilant and wise economy, extending even to every expense unavoidably incurred. And as those employed in trade are reaping considerable advantages from the cheapness of food, it is thought by all present that the tradesman will now be able (without injury to himself,) to make a considerable reduction in his charges. It appears particularly desirable reductions should be made in this neighbourhood, as from various returns now before the meeting, it is evident that tradesmen's charges are even higher here than in most parishes around. It is therefore resolved that the tradesmen of this parish be requested and desired to reduce their charges to the following scale, viz.—Blacksmith's work to about £2 per horse, per annum; including the entire work required on the farm, except new tires for carts and waggons, and new ploughshares; or if the work is not done by contract, that the shoeing should be sixpence per shoe, and other charges in proportion. Collar and harness maker to about 10s. per horse. Carpenters and bricklayers to 3s. 6d. per day; and bricklayers' laborers to 2s.

2d. That this meeting feels the importance of endeavoring to maintain its health, honesty, and comfort, the agricultural laborer; and, while the fulness of the labor market and the necessities of the farmer would urge to a reduction of the laborer's wages to the lowest point, it is of opinion that means should be from time to time devised to employ as many hands as can possibly be employed with the hope of profit, and that those employed shall be paid so as that their condition is not rendered worse by the altered state of things.

3d. That it is the opinion of this meeting that in too many cases the agricultural laborer is charged too much rent for his cottage; and that it appears desirable that pains should be taken to bring the matter before the landlords, with a view to effect a general reduction.

Signed on behalf of the meeting.

WILLIAM MANSER, Chairman.
JAMES SMRED, Secretary.

FOLKESTONE.

THE TRADESMEN'S DINNER.—On Friday evening se'nnight the tradesmen of Folkestone, to the number of 50, dined together, at Mr. Medhurst's, the King's Arms. The chair was taken by Charles Golder, Esq. The toasts of the evening, loyal, corporate, and personal, were given with discretion and effect, and suitably acknowledged. The dinner was substantial and plentiful, and the wines excellent.

FAVERSHAM.

On Tuesday evening, Napoleon Smith was fully committed, by J. F. Cittenham, Esq., to take his trial at our next quarter sessions, charged with the very serious offence of having killed a sheep, the property of Mr. John Chambers, on the previous day. The principal evidence was that of a boy named Hunting, his companion, whom he, N. Smith, in defence, charged as being a participator in the crime. The sheep was identified [illegible]

SEVENOAKS.

FOWL STEALING.—A few nights since the premises of Mr. Geo. Hyde, gamekeeper, Knole Park, were broken into, and several fowls stolen.

THE SEASON.—A fine sea gull was shot the other day by a gentleman who was out rabbiting with some friends at Under-river, near this town. It is very unusual to meet with a gull so far inland.

TOWN MALLING.

A PRAISEWORTHY EXAMPLE.—On Wednesday and Friday last, Mr. W. G. Dear, butcher of this town, distributed on each day, one hundred gallons of excellent soup among all the labouring classes who applied for it.

YALDING.

A few nights since, a quantity of poultry was stolen from J. R. Ward, Esq., at the Parsonage. The next day some of the fowls were found by Mr. Warde, near the Railway Station, but as yet there is no clue to the depredators.

TONBRIDGE WELLS.

An American quail was shot the other day at Rotherfield. It rose with a covey of partridges, with which it had been feeding. Some of these birds were many years ago, brought over, and turned out in the northern counties; it is not, however, known whether any were introduced into Kent.

GOUDHURST.

THE LATE SACRILEGE AT KILNDOWN CHURCH.—At the Mansion House on Thursday, *Michael Bryan*, a bricklayer's labourer, was brought before the Lord Mayor, upon suspicion of having been concerned in the plunder of Kilndown Church, in Goudhurst, on the 24th of last month. Upon that day the church had been broken open and robbed of a number of bibles and books containing the church service, and bound in morocco, with clasps and decorations, the value of which was stated to be very considerable. A policeman seeing the prisoner walking with a packing case on his shoulders, and not thinking all was right, took him to the station-house, where the inspector examined the case and saw that it contained 20 volumes of valuable church books. The prisoner said,—Your Lordship, I work for one of the dust contractors in the city, and do the business of a bricklayer's labourer. As we have had nothing to do in my line for the last fortnight, I was looking about for a job when I saw a man with a greatcoat sweating under the load, and I thought I'd earn a trifle, so I agreed to carry it for him to Mint-street, where he said he was going, for sixpence. As he went along, he turned into a shop in King William-street, to get some tobacco, as he said, and walked on towards London-bridge, expecting he was at my heels, and the officer came up and took me into custody. The Lord Mayor.—Have you any one to speak in favour of your character? Prisoner.—Plenty; but they are not here. Remanded.

BROMLEY.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—An inquest was held at the Palace on the 12th inst., on the body of Thomas Cooper, gardener to Coles Child, Esq., before C. Carttar, Esq., coroner. Evidence was given that the unfortunate man was engaged, with others, felling a large tree on the lawn; the workmen had dug a hole round the tree, and fastened a rope, of which deceased had charge, but it appeared he was under the tree looking up at the trunk; when the men saw it falling, they called loudly, but deceased remained motionless; the trunk fell on him and rebounded, fracturing the skull and almost cut him through at the thighs; he died instantaneously. Mr. Child stated deceased was a most excellent servant, being naturally nervous he considered the danger he saw himself in paralyzed his limbs. Verdict—Accidental death. It appeared another man was in the hole and had just time to save himself, receiving a heavy blow from the tree on one arm.

BRENCHLEY.

A LIBERAL TITHE-OWNER.—At the tithe audit of George C. Courthorpe, Esq., held at the Rose and Crown, on Tuesday, the tithe-payers were highly gratified at the liberal and generous conduct displayed by that gentleman. John Smith, Esq., of Lewes, attended as agent, and announced that, in consideration of the pressure of the times, and of the altered prices of agricultural produce, Mr. Courthorpe had decided not to take his tithe as entitled by law according to the averages calculated under the provisions of the Commutation Act, but rather with reference to the actual existing prices of grain. With this feeling, he had taken wheat at 40s., barley at 30s., and oats at 18s. per quarter. It is needless to say that this arrangement afforded the greatest satisfaction to all the tithe-payers, who consider Mr. Courthorpe's conduct deserving of the utmost praise.

HOP MEETING.—A meeting of the hop-growers of this and the adjoining parishes was announced to take place at the Rose and Crown last evening.

HORSMONDEN.

DINNER TO ALEXANDER ANDERSON, Esq.—On Friday last, between 20 and 30 of the principal hop-planters of this parish assembled at the Gun Inn, at a public dinner, to which they had previously invited their respected neighbour, Mr. Anderson, to show the [illegible]

NORTH KENT RAILWAY CONSTITUTION.—A meeting of the bridge wardens and assistants was held on Monday, the 14th, at Rochester, to determine upon the expediency of constructing a new bridge across the River Medway, to improve its present navigation, and incidental thereto, to hear a proposition from Mr. C. L. Taylor, the engineer of the direct line of railway from Strood to Dover, proposed to be constructed under the direction of a public commission, consisting of the principal landowners and the Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports. There were present the Earl of Romney, Earl of Darnley, E. Twopenny, Esq., J. W. Strafford, Esq., wardens; and C. W. Martin, Esq., M.P., T. L. Hodges, Esq., W. M. Smith, Esq., R. Tassell, Esq., J. Mercer, Esq., J. Stunt, Esq., assistants. On the presentation of a report by W. Cubitt, Esq., the engineer, it was determined to proceed with the construction of the new bridge with all possible speed; and with respect to an application received from Mr. Taylor, who represented the wishes of many landowners and occupiers in the north-eastern part of the county, it was decided that there was nothing in his proposition, to delay the progress of the works. Mr. Taylor explained that the railway bridge might be constructed subsequently or simultaneously with the proposed new bridge, so as not to involve the slightest danger or apprehension of accident from carriages or horses passing, as the railway-trains would be entirely kept from view. Mr. Cubitt stated that he could see no reason to oppose the proposition of Mr. Taylor, in whose views on this point he entirely concurred; and he subsequently stated, that if he were called on by the South-Eastern Railway Company, to advise on the case, he should strongly recommend that company to construct the direct line themselves, and by no means to offer any opposition to a project, when it had the support of the landowners and others locally interested in its construction. It is understood that the landowners on the proposed line intend to accept a rent-charge on the traffic receipts in lieu of cash payment for the land required for the purposes of the railway.

HUNTING APPOINTMENTS.

The EAST KENT FOX HOUNDS meet at half-past ten o'clock on

Friday, Jan. 25, at Barham Street.

MR. LUSHINGTON'S HOUNDS will meet at eleven o'clock on

Thursday, Jan. 24, at Otterden Meadows.
Saturday, Jan. 26, at Gore Court.

The THANET HARRIERS will meet at half-past Ten o'clock on

Wednesday, Jan. 23, at Alland Court.
Friday, Jan. 25, at Hain.
Monday, Jan. 28, at Sea Mark.

PROVINCIAL MARKETS.

CANTERBURY MARKET, SATURDAY, JAN. 19.

Brown Wheat	—	to	—	Boiling Peas	—	to	—		
New Br. Wheat	36	to	40	Tares, per bush.	—	to	—		
White Wheat	—	to	—	Flour, Fine	35	to	—		
New ditto	42	to	45	——— Second	32	to	—		
Barley	—	to	—	——— Third	—	to	—		
New ditto	23	to	28	Rough Meal, per bushel	0s.	0d.			
Oats	—	to	—	Hops (bags)	01.	0s.	to	01.	0s.
New ditto	15	to	—	——— (pockets)	01.	0s.	to	01.	0s.
Beans	—	to	—	Hay, per ton	81.	0s.	to	81.	0s.
New ditto	23	to	25	Sainfoin	81.	10s.	to	41.	1s.
New Tick Beans	—	to	—	Clover	81.	0s.	to	81.	0s.
Hog Pease	—	to	—	Straw	21.	10s.	to	01.	0s.

RETURN of the Quantities and Prices of WHEAT sold in Canterbury for the Week ending on Saturday:—

24 at	47	0	40 at	43	0	100 at	40	0	10 at	36	0
15 at	45	0	36 at	41	0	50 at	39	0	— at	—	0
100 at	44	0	80 at	42	0	200 at	38	0	— at	—	0
16 at	43	0	23 at	40	0	20 at	37	0	— at	—	0

Total, 874 qrs. 0 bush.—Cost, £1,775 6s. 6d.
Average, 42 0s. 2d. per quarter, Imperial Measure.

ROCHESTER CORN MARKET, JAN. 15.

White Wheat, 45s to 46s; red ditto, 40s to 41s; Barley, 28s to 29s; Beans, 23s to 24s; small ditto, —s to —s; Oats, 15s to 18s; Peas, 26s to 27s.

SANDWICH CORN MARKET, JAN. 16.

White Wheat, 42s to 46s; Old ditto, —s to —s; New Red ditto, 38s to 41s; Old, —s to —s; Oats, 19s to 22s; New ditto, 16s to 20s.; Barley, 25s to —s; New ditto, 27s to 32s; Beans, 30s to 36s; New ditto, 28s to 32s; Ticks, 0s to 0s; Peas, 28s to 31s; Wild ditto, 0s to 0s.

FAVERSHAM CORN MARKET, JAN. 16.

New White Wheat, 44s to 47s; Old ditto, —s to —s; New Brown ditto, 38s to 41s; Old ditto, —s to —s; Barley, 23s to 28s; Old Beans, 25s to 30s; New ditto, 23s to 24s; Grey Peas, 25s to 27s; Oats, White, 17s to 20s; Black ditto, 14s to 17s.

TENTERDEN CORN MARKET, JAN. 18.

White wheat, 36s to 40s; Red, 32s to 35s; new White, 40s to 44s; Red, 32s to 35s; new, 37s to 40s; Peas, 26s 28s; Oats, 15s to 18s; Beans, 23s to 26s; Barley, 25s to 28s.

TONBRIDGE STOCK MARKET, JAN. 15.

Beef, 4s —d to 4s 2d; middling, 3s 8d to 3s 10d; mutton, Downs, 4s —d to 4s 4d; Kent wethers, 4s 10d to 4s; ewes, 3s 8d to 3s 10d.

CRANBROOK CORN MARKET, JAN. 16.

New white wheat, 41s to 45s do. 70d, 34s to 40s; new red ditto, 37s to 41s; ditto old, 30s to 36s; beans, 22s to 26s; barley, 22s to 24s; peas, 24s to 26s; oats, 14s to 18s.

JUST PUBLISHED, BY DESIRE,

Price 2s. 6d.,

ALOP DES PAPILLONS: Galop Brillant pour le Pianoforte as played by Coote and Tinney's celebrated d, and Mr. Charles Blagrove, at the Nobility's Soirees, don; and by Kelly's Band, at the Lord Lieutenant's le Balls, Dublin.

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pply at the Kentish Gazette Office, Canterbury; if by er, pre-paid, addressed to No. 46.

LAW.

CLERK WANTED by a Solicitor in Canterbury. He must have been some years in a Solicitor's Office, and well recommended.

Apply personally at COLEGATE'S LIBRARY, Parade, Canbury.

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WANTS A SITUATION AS COOK, in a Private Family, in Canterbury, or its neighbourhood, a middle-aged single woman, who can receive an unexceptionable racter, and has lived upwards of twelve years in her esent place.

Apply at Mr. Alano's, Corn Dealer, St. Peter's-street, aterbury.

TO BE SOLD,

A Second-hand PHAETON, MARE, and HARNESS. Price for the whole, 55 guineas.

Enquire of the Ostler, Rose Stables, Canterbury.

TO BE SOLD,

A London-built PONY CHAISE, under tax, and in perfectly good order.

To be seen at Mr. Smith's Carriage Manufactory, Rose ane, Canterbury.

WILLIAM BEAN, DECEASED.

ALL Persons having any Claims upon the Estate of the late WILLIAM BEAN, formerly of LITTLE IONGEHAM, in Kent, late of WHITSTABLE, in Kent, achelor, deceased, or claiming to be his NEXT OF KIN, re requested forthwith to make such claims to Mr JOHN FINDER, Whitstable, or Mr. THOMAS MARSH, Auctioneer and Appraiser, &c., Whitstable.

Feb. 21st, 1850.

BRIDGE UNION.

CONTRACT FOR POTATOES.

PERSONS willing to supply the Board of Guardians of this Union with 40 Sacks of POTATOES, are requested to send TENDERS for the same on THURSDAY, the 7th day of MARCH next, before Eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

Each Sack to weigh 200 pounds, neat weight, and to be delivered at the Workhouse free of expense. A Sample of the Potatoes must be sent with the Tender.

By order of the Board,

WILLIAM FORTH, Clerk.

February 22d, 1850.

IN CHANCERY.

IN the matter of the Trusts of an Indenture, dated the 2d day of November, 1792, and made between Filmer Thos. Stubbs, Sinclair Stubbs, Benjamin Bellchambers, and Anthony Fortune, "In re Stubbs' Trust;" and in the matter of JAMES DAVIES, late of the city of CANTERBURY, in the county of Kent, linen draper, a bankrupt; whereas the said James Davies was in the month of October, 1817, duly declared a bankrupt; that the said James Davies, on or about the month of September, 1819, married Anne Stubbs, daughter of the said Filmer Thos. Stubbs; that the said James Davies obtained his certificate on the 13th day of October, 1821. All persons who proved their debts under the said bankruptcy, or claim to be creditors of the said James Davies, are requested to send in the same forthwith, as underneath, and they will hear of something to their advantage.

Dated this 22d day of February, 1850.

C. VENTRIS FIELD,
Solicitor, Finchley, Middlesex.

Ashford and Ham Street Turnpike Road.

THE GENERAL ANNUAL MEETING of the Trustees of the above Road will be holden at the ROYAL OAK INN, ASHFORD, on THURSDAY, the 21st day of MARCH next, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of auditing the Treasurer's Accounts, and upon other business connected with this Trust.

ROBERT FURLEY,
Ashford, Feb. 20th, 1850. Clerk to the Trustees.

TO BAKERS, MILLERS, AND OTHERS.

A very desirable LEASEHOLD ESTATE, at SITTINGBORNE,

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION,

BY MR. JORDAN,

ON FRIDAY, the 1st day of MARCH, 1850, at the BULL INN, SITTINGBORNE, at Three o'clock in the afternoon, subject to such conditions as will then be produced,

All those FOUR MESSUAGES or COTTAGES, with the Bakehouse, Buildings, and Premises thereto belonging, and now in full trade, situate at the west end of the town of SITTINGBORNE, in the occupation of William Thomas Jay, or his undertenant, and others.

BARNES'S ASSEMBLY ROOMS, CANTERBURY.

POSITIVELY FOR ONE NIGHT ONLY.

MR. HENRY has the honor to state that he will visit CANTERBURY on FRIDAY, MARCH 1, 1850, with his newly constructed

MOVING PANORAMA OF THE HEAVENS,

illustrative of more than SEVEN THOUSAND OBJECTS of the STELLAR CREATION.

Doors open at Half-past Seven, and the Exhibition to commence at Eight, and conclude at Ten.

Admission—Front seats, 2s., back seats, 1s. Children, half price.

Family Tickets may be obtained at Barnes's Library, or of Mr. HENRY, at the Royal Fountain Hotel, on the day of Exhibition.

ASH, NEXT SANDWICH.

MESSRS. COOPER

Have received instructions to offer

FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION,

Without reserve,

AT the BELL INN, SANDWICH, on WEDNESDAY, the 27th of FEBRUARY instant, at Three o'clock in the afternoon precisely, the following very DESIRABLE FREEHOLD PREMISES, in one lot:—

All those two comfortable and substantial DWELLING HOUSES, with the large CARPENTER'S SHOP and BUILDINGS; and also the yard with good BUILDING FRONTAGE to Ash-street; together with the excellent enclosed garden ground at the back, and adjoining thereto, containing by estimation about two acres, the whole of which are in the occupation of Mr. Edward Brisley, and his tenants, and are situated in the said parish of Ash.

The premises are to be peremptorily sold, and further particulars with conditions of Sale, may be obtained upon application to the AUCTIONEERS, at their offices, Saint George's-place, Canterbury; and at the offices of Mr. SLADDEN, Solicitor, Folkestone and Hythe.

LITTLE MONGEHAM AND ASHLEY, IN NORTHBOURN.

MR. WILKS

Has received instructions

TO OFFER FOR PEREMPTORY SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION,

AT the FOUNTAIN INN, DOVOR, on SATURDAY the 2d day of MARCH next, at Four o'clock in the Afternoon precisely, the following very desirable Freehold Premises, in Four Lots:—

Lot 1.—A PIECE OF ARABLE LAND, commonly called the "Old Acre," and containing about three roods and fifteen perches, situated on Dovor-hill, in the said parish of Little Mongeham, surrounded by lands of E. R. Rice, Esq., and late in the occupation of Mr. John Fells, deceased, and now of the Trustees under his Will.

Lot 2.—A COTTAGE, let as two dwellings, with the garden, containing about 14 perches, situate in the Borough of Ashley, in the said parish of Northbourn, in the occupations of — Amps, and — Boreman.

And also an ACRE or thereabouts of excellent ARABLE LAND, situated in Ashley Bottom, in the said parish of Northbourn, adjoining to lands of Mr. Edward Lelo, and Mr. James Jones, and in the occupation of the said Trustees.

Lot 3.—A PIECE OF ARABLE LAND, adjoining the Parsonage Land, containing about three roods and nine perches, situated in the Borough of Ashley, in the said parish of Northbourn, in the occupation of the said Trustees.

Lot 4.—A convenient BRICK-BUILT MESSUAGE, in good repair, with the barn, lodge, stable, hen roost, and a large piece of good garden ground, containing about two roods and nine perches, situate in the Borough of Ashley, in the said parish of Northbourn, in the occupation of Mrs. Fells, widow.

The premises will be sold without reserve, and further particulars with conditions of sale may be obtained upon application to Mr. Wilks, Little Mongeham, and at the Offices of Mr. Sladden, solicitor, Folkestone and Hythe.

ELM TIMBER.

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION,

BY H. MINTER,

ON WEDNESDAY, the 27th day of FEBRUARY, 1850, at Four o'clock in the Afternoon, at the SHIP HOTEL, FAVERSHAM,—

ONE HUNDRED and TWELVE ELM TREES, with the Tops standing upon Honey Hole Farm, in the parish of Faversham, containing thirty-eight loads, four and a half feet. Also, SEVEN ELM TREES, felled, and now lying at Luddenham Court, containing three loads, nineteen feet. In the following Lots:—

Lot					Feet.
	HONEY HOLE.				
1	Eight Elm Trees, numbered from 1 to 8 inclusive, ...			containing ...	09½
2	Nine	ditto,	9 to 17	...	10
3	Ten	ditto,	18 ,, 27	...	12
4	Nine	ditto,	28 ,, 36	...	03½
5	Ten	ditto,	37 ,, 46	...	10
6	Ten	ditto,	47 ,, 56	...	98
7	Nine	ditto	57 ,, 65	...	114
8	Nine	ditto	66 ,, 74	...	185½
9	Eleven	ditto	75 ,, 85	...	135½
10	Five	ditto	86 ,, 90	...	87
11	Six	ditto	91 ,, 96	...	75
12	Seven	ditto	97 ,, 103	...	127½
13	Eight	ditto	104 ,, 112	...	157
	LUDDENHAM COURT.				
14	Seven Elm Trees, Nos. 3, 4, 6, 8, 9, 10, and 12, containing ...				139

The Timber may be viewed any time previous to the Sale.

TO THE CLERGY AND LAITY OF THE CHURCH.

THE PETITIONS in Support of CHURCH EDUCATION, agreed to at Willis's Rooms, on the 7th Feb., lie for Signatures at BARNES'S LIBRARY, ST. MARGARET'S STREET, CANTERBURY.

MR. THOROUGHGOOD

WILL OFFER TO THE PUBLIC, on SATURDAY, MARCH 2,

TWENTY excellent CART and NAG HORSES, from Luddenham and Rugby Fair, to which he particularly calls the public attention.

HOUSE OF LORDS, FRIDAY, FEB. 22.

The Marquis of LONDONDERRY called the attention of the House to a very improper letter which he had received from Mr. Dobbin, a Presbyterian minister, in Ireland.

Lord EDDISBURY laid on the table of the House the papers relating to the demands of the British Government on that of Greece.

The Earl of HARROWBY made some observations on the unsatisfactory state of our position as regarded the contending parties in the River Plate.

The Marquis of LANSDOWNE briefly replied.

Some other business was then despatched, and their Lordships adjourned.

HOUSE OF COMMONS.—FRIDAY, FEB. 22.

The Party Processions (Ireland) Bill was read a third time and passed.

On the order for the second reading of the Parliamentary Voters, &c. (Ireland), Bill,

Mr. NAPIER objected to the measure, as an attempt to introduce a vital change in the elective franchise in Ireland, whilst that of England remained unaltered; and he urged various reasons against the change, as inexpedient, unjust, and liable to abuse.

Mr. HUME objected to the bill upon a different ground; although ostensibly enlarging the franchise in Ireland, it placed it upon a narrower basis than that of the Cape of Good Hope.

Mr. REYNOLDS likewise condemned the measure as niggardly. If the constituency had dwindled (which was the pretext for the measure), so had property, and it was a dangerous remedy so to extend the suffrage as to strengthen the democratic element.

Mr. M. J. O'CONNELL was prepared to accept gratefully that part of the bill which related to the county franchise; but he thought it would grievously diminish the leasehold suffrage.

Captain TAILOR admitted that some points of the bill were good, but many were objectionable.

Colonel RAWDON, Sir J. YOUNG, and Mr. F. O'CONNOR, spoke in favor of the bill generally,

Lord C. HAMILTON suggested some objections to the bill in matters of detail; and

Mr. BRIGHT pointed out faults in it as respected both the county and the borough franchise. A measure he asserted would soon be indispensible for altering the franchise and improving the representation of England, and it would be better now to make such a change in Ireland as would harmonize with the new general system.

The further discussion, which embraced points of detail and questions connected with the machinery of the bill, diversified by an abortive attempt by Sir JOHN TYRELL to read a statement made before the Poor Law Committee, but not received as evidence, was shared amongst Mr. GROGAN, Mr. W. FAGAN, Lord CASTLEREAGH, Mr. MONSELL, Mr. SADLEIR, Mr. O'FLAHERTY, and Mr. KEOGH.

Sir W. SOMERVILLE replied to the objection offered to the principle and policy of the measures which, he was satisfied, the more it was considered would appear more just and fair. Any proposal for amending its details would be attended to by the Government.

The bill was read a second time.

The Elections (Ireland) Bill, the Estates Leasing (Ireland) Bill, and the Judgments (Ireland) Bill, were severally read a second time.

After a short explanation by Mr. C. LEWIS, the Commons Enclosure Bill was read a second time.

Lord J. RUSSELL rose to move for leave to bring in a bill to make better provision for the management of the woods, forests, and land revenues of the Crown, and for the direction of public works and buildings. Until 1832 there had been separate offices for the management of the land estates and woods, and for the general survey of works, which offices it was at that time deemed expedient to unite; but experience had shown that this combination was not convenient or beneficial to the interests of the public. The Government now proposed that there should be three commissioners (two of them only with salaries) for the management of the land revenues of the Crown and the woods and forests, none of them capable of sitting in the House of Commons, and that there should be a Commissioner of Public Works, who should be capable of holding that office with a seat in that house. By this separation of the offices a great evil would be got rid of; namely, large expenses were sometimes incurred for public works which were charged upon the land revenue of the

KENT.

SPRING ASSIZES, 1850.

I Hereby give NOTICE to the Gentlemen of the Grand Jury, and to all Justices of the Peace, Mayors, Coroners, Constables, Petty Jurors, and other persons having any thing to do at the next ASSIZES and general Gaol Delivery to be holden at MAIDSTONE, in and for the county of Kent that the Judges will open the Commission on MONDAY, the 18th day of MARCH instant, and that they will proceed to business in both Courts on the following morning, at Ten o'clock precisely.

MATTHEW BELL, Esq., Sheriff.

Bedford-row, 5th March, 1850.

The Judges direct that all Clerks to Magistrates shall send their depositions to the Clerks of Assize at least four days before the Commission day.

MARGATE.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION

In convenient Lots,

AT the ROPE WALK STORE, on FRIDAY next, MARCH 15, at Two p.m., precisely, 295 SACKS of FLOUR (Middlings), damaged, from the schooner "Isabella."

For particulars apply to Mr. Cuttler, D.S.C.P., Admiralty, Ramsgate; Messrs. George Hammond, and Co., shipping agents, Ramsgate and Margate; or to Richard Jenkins, broker, Margate.

Margate, March 8, 1850.

CANTERBURY.

TO BE SOLD BY PRIVATE CONTRACT,

A Most desirable and compact ESTATE, eligibly situate in the Suburbs of CANTERBURY, abutting on one of the leading thoroughfares, and within the limit of the City lighting and watching, now and for many years past in the occupation of the Owner, who is about to leave Canterbury.

The Property consists of a substantial and modern-built RESIDENCE; containing, on the Ground Floor—Entrance hall, dining room, library, and drawing room; butler's pantry, large kitchen, and offices; on the First Floor—Sitting room, store room, and two spacious bed rooms, with a dressing room; and on the Second Floor—Four large bed rooms.

Attached to the Residence are two walled-in gardens, the one adjoining having a green-house, vinery, and forcing pits, the other on the opposite side of the road forming an agreeable object from the house, and containing about an acre of ground, tastefully and ornamentally laid out with bowling-green and summer house.

At the rear of the Residence, and connected therewith, are FIVE ACRES of very valuable and highly productive HOP and PASTURE LAND, on part whereof stand the coach-house and stabling.

The whole of the foregoing property is Freehold.

With this Estate will be included SIX substantially built HOUSES, with gardens, adjoining the Residence, and let at low annual rents, amounting to £60 per annum. Three of these houses are Freehold, and the remaining three are held under a renewable lease for 30 years from the 29th September, 1840.

For further particulars, and to view the Estate, apply to Messrs. FURLEYS and MERCER, Solicitors, Canterbury.

BRIDGE UNION.

CONTRACTS FOR PROVISIONS, &c.

PERSONS willing to supply the Board of Guardians with PROVISIONS and NECESSARIES required for the In-Maintenance of the Poor, and Relief of the Out-Door Poor in the several Parishes comprising this Union, from the 28th instant, to the 27th of June next, are requested to send Tenders for the same to the Union Workhouse, before Ten o'clock in the forenoon of THURSDAY, the 21st inst., on which day the Tenders will be opened.

A list of the articles, setting forth the qualities and descriptions required, together with any other particulars, may be ascertained upon application to the Master of the Workhouse.

Persons whose Tenders shall be accepted, will be required to sign an agreement for the due fulfilment of their Contracts.

By order of the Board,

WILLIAM FORTH, Clerk.

March 8, 1850.

PRECURSOR

WILL serve MARES this season, NOWLES, GREEN-STREET, near SITTINGBOURNE, Kent, At Three Guineas each Mare, and 5s. the Groom. The money to be paid at the time of covering.

PRECURSOR was bred by Lord Stradbroke. He was got by Alpheus, out of Adeline, the dam of Daniel and Beggerman, by Soothsayer; grandam, Elizabeth, by Orville; great grandam, Penny Trumpet, by Trumpeter, out of Young Camilla, sister to Colibri, by Woodpecker; Camilla, by Trentham; Coquette by the Compton Barb, sister to Regulus.

PRECURSOR is a beautiful chestnut; stands over 16 hands high, with great substance, fine action, and excellent temper. And being descended from three winners of the St. Leger at Doncaster, viz. Quiz, in 1801; Orville, in 1802; and Soothsayer, in 1811; offers to breeders a combination of blood rarely to be met with. He has proved himself a sure foal-getter, having now some very superior Colts in the neighbourhood.

Alpheus is also the sire of Evenus, who will be found by reference to the *Racing Calendar* to be one of the first horses of the day.

DU BARRY'S HEALTH-RESTORING FOOD for INVALIDS and DELICATE INFANTS.

Messrs. DU BARRY and CO.'S REVALENTA ARABICA FOOD is a farina derived from an African plant of a highly curative and delicately nutritive kind, and supersedes medicine of every description, in the effectual and permanent removal of indigestion (dyspepsia), constipation, and diarrhœa, nervousness, biliousness, liver complaints, flatulency, distension, palpitation of the heart, nervous headache, deafness, noises in the head and ears, pains in almost every

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SERVANT WANTED.

A respectable Woman, not under 25 years of age, to attend and nurse an invalid in the country; she must be active and industrious, also a good Needlewoman.

Apply by letter only, addressed to X. Y. Z., Post-office, Ash-next-Sandwich.

TO FARMERS AND OTHERS.

THE Particulars of a large number of FARMS (in various parts of the kingdom), TO LET, varying from 30 to 300 Acres, may be obtained by applying for lists and enclosing 4 postage stamps to Messrs. RIKD and BUTCHER'S Offices, 38, Red Lion Square, London.

NOTICE!!!

To Hotel Keepers and Families requiring Table Linen, &c.

NOW ON SALE,

A LARGE QUANTITY of GERMAN DAMASK TABLE CLOTHS, (well known for their superior qualities,) at a less price than the ordinary Damask Cloths;

Also, BADEN BADEN TOWELS, 6s. 6d. per dozen,

HYDRAULIC SHEETS, 10s. 9d. per pair,

At HUMPHREY BOURNE'S,

58, HIGH-STREET, RAMSGATE.

N.B.—Sample Cloths sent within ten miles carriage free.

MORTGAGE AND ACCOUNTANCY OFFICE,

1, Great St. Helen's, Bishopsgate Street, London.

24 years established.

MORTGAGES immediately effected, in Sums from £500 to £10,000, on well-secured Life Interests, Annuities, and Marriage Settlements, Reversions under Wills, and Freehold Estates. Consultations strictly confidential, and no charge whatever if the business be not completed.

N.B. Embarrassed individuals judiciously advised, and their affairs with creditors in town and country suitably arranged, with regularity and economy.

Applications to Messrs. Hawkes and Co. will meet attention.

THOMAS BRICE'S ESTATE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN,

THAT, by an Indenture of Release and Assignment, bearing date the Eighth day of MARCH, 1850, THOMAS BRICE, of RAMSGATE, in the Isle of Thanet, in the county of Kent, carpenter and builder, Hath conveyed and assigned All his real and personal Estates as therein mentioned unto GEORGE BROOKS, of RAMSGATE aforesaid, grocer, and HENRY STRONG, of the same place, timber merchant, Upon Trust, for the benefit of all the creditors of the said THOMAS BRICE. And that the said Indenture of Release and Assignment was executed by the said THOMAS BRICE, on the said Eighth day of MARCH, 1850, in the presence of, and attested by, James Robert Judge, Solicitor, Ramsgate, and John Acock, his clerk; and by the said George Brooks and Henry Strong, on the same day, in the presence of, and attested by, John Mercer, Solicitor, Ramsgate; and George Griggs, his clerk.

And Notice is hereby further Given, that the said Indenture of Release and Assignment, now lies at my office for execution by the creditors of the said THOMAS BRICE, who are requested to furnish me with the particulars of their demand against him.

Ramsgate, 9th March, 1850.

JOHN MERCER,
Solicitor for the said Trustees.

FREEHOLD ESTATES,

BELLE VUE PLACE, RAMSGATE,

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION,

BY W. E. SMITH,

AT the BULL and GEORGE INN, RAMSGATE, on THURSDAY, the 21st day of MARCH, 1850, at Three o'clock in the Afternoon, (by order of the Trustees for Sale under a deed for the benefit of Creditors),

IN TWO LOTS:—

Lot 1.—All that FREEHOLD MESSUAGE or TENEMENT, with the outhouses, yard, ground, and appurtenances thereunto belonging, situate and being in BELLE VUE PLACE, in RAMSGATE aforesaid, distinguished by the No. 24, containing two parlours, drawing-room, two chambers, two attics, kitchen, scullery, and other domestic offices, and now in the occupation of Mr. Thomas Brice.

Lot 2.—All those TWO FREEHOLD newly erected COTTAGES, or TENEMENTS, with the ground and appurtenances thereunto belonging, situate and being in rear of Lot 1, and now untenanted.

For further particulars inquire of W. E. SMITH, Waterloo Cottage, Ramsgate; or at the Offices of Mr. JOHN MERCER, solicitor, Ramsgate.

ROMNEY MARSH SCOTS.

THE Occupiers of Land lying in the Level of ROMNEY MARSH are hereby required to pay their next Quarter's WALL and WATERINGS SCOTS, at NEWHALL, in DYMCHURCH, on MONDAY, the 25th of MARCH next, assessed as follows:—Sixpence per Acre.

And such Occupiers are desired to take notice, that, in pursuance of an order of General Lath, a list of the names of all persons who shall be in arrear for their Scots at the expiration of 20 days from the said 25th of March will be immediately delivered to the Bailiff, in order that distresses may be made for the same, according to the laws and customs of this Marsh. Also, by another order, the Bailiff is required to enforce the payment of the unpaid Scots as soon as the bills are placed in his hands, and to pay the amount of them to the Treasurers before each Quarterly Meeting.

BROCKMAN and WATTS, Clerks.

Newhall, Dymchurch, 8th March, 1850.

BLEAN UNION.

THE Board of Guardians of this Union, will receive on or before 11 o'clock, in the forenoon of THURSDAY, the 21st of MARCH instant, the usual Quarterly Tenders from Persons willing to supply the In-Door Poor with

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NOTICE.

ALL Persons having any Demands on the Estate of PETER FISENDEN, late of BRIDGE, near Canterbury, Esquire, are requested to send in their Accounts immediately to the Executor, Mr. Henry Bird, 60, Burgate Street, Canterbury.

Canterbury, March 12, 1850.

NOTICE.

ALL Persons having any Claim on the late Mr. JOHN FRIEND, of EWELL, carpenter, &c., are requested to send in their claim to Mr. W. M. Bushell, Dover, and all Persons indebted to the said John Friend, are particularly requested to pay the amount of their debts to Mr. W. M. Bushell, within One Month from this date.

By order of the Executors.

Dover, March 9, 1850.

TO GROCERS AND OTHERS.

TO BE DISPOSED OF,

AN OLD-ESTABLISHED GROCER'S BUSINESS, carried on in the Town of HYTHE, by Mr. William Chister, for several years past. The Stock-in-Trade and Fixtures to be taken by valuation.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. Brockman and Watts, solicitors, Hythe.

March 9, 1850.

TURNPIKE ROAD,

From Ashford to Canterbury, Faversham, and Hythe.

THE Trustees of this Road are desirous of CONTRACTING for the Supply of ROAD MATERIALS, for the repair of the said Road; specifications and particulars of which may be had of the Surveyor, Mr. THOMAS THURSTON, ASHFORD, and at my Office, 12, ST. MARGARET'S-STREET, CANTERBURY.

Sealed Tenders addressed to the Trustees and marked "Tender for Road Materials" to be delivered by, or before, Twelve o'clock at noon, on SATURDAY, the 6th day of APRIL next, at the SARACEN'S HEAD INN, ASHFORD. No Tender will be received unless made on one of the printed particulars, and free of carriage.

R. M. MOUNT, Clerk.

Canterbury, March 7th, 1850.

PEMBURY-GREEN, KENT.

FREEHOLD CLOSES OF GRASS LAND, ABOUT 11 ACRES,

WITH COTTAGE BUILDING THEREON.

MESSRS. WINSTANLEY,

WILL SELL BY AUCTION,

AT the MART, London, on TUESDAY, MARCH 26, in three lots, by direction of the Executors of the late Charles Comerford, Esq., deceased,

About 11 acres of FREEHOLD MEADOW LAND, well adapted for building purposes, the whole having an excellent frontage on the high road to Hastings, near to Woodsgate, and situate in the parishes of Pembury and Tonbridge, in the county of Kent; together with a messuage, garden, and yards. Possession may be had very soon.

To be viewed by applying to Mr. Pawley, at the Camden Arms, Pembury, of whom printed particulars may be had. Particulars also at the Inns at Woodsgate, Tonbridge-wells, Tonbridge, and Sevenoaks; at the place of sale; of Mr. J. E. Payne, solicitor, 72, Old Broad-street, London; and of Messrs. Winstanley, Paternoster row.

DESIRABLE FREEHOLD PROPERTY,

PALACE-STREET, CANTERBURY,

TO BE SOLD BY AUCTION,

BY MR. E. STONE,

ON the 20th day of MARCH, 1850, at the SUN INN, CANTERBURY, at Twelve for One o'clock precisely, in Three Lots, all those several MESSUAGES or TENEMENTS, numbered 22, 23, and 24 respectively, in PALACE-STREET, ST. ALPHAGE, in the City of CANTERBURY, in the respective occupations of Messrs. Prett, Jackman, and Featherstone.

Lot 1.—No. 24, comprises a substantial DWELLING-HOUSE and SHOP, where the business of a grocer has been carried on for some years by the present occupier Mr. — Featherstone.

Lot 2.—No. 23 consists of a substantial DWELLING-HOUSE and SHOP, where the business of tailor and clothier has been carried on for nearly thirty years, and now in the occupation of Mr. — Jackman.

Lot 3.—No. 22 comprises a modern substantial and recently built DWELLING-HOUSE and SHOP, together with excellent flour store, bakehouse, and every convenience for a baker and confectioner, and where the above business has been carried on for nearly thirty years, and now in the occupation of Mr. — Prett.

The above property is eligibly situated for trade, respectably tenanted, in good repair, and offers a desirable investment, the present low rents yielding an income of £82 per annum.

For further particulars apply to the Auctioneer, or to Messrs. KINGSFORD, SON, and WINTERWICK, solicitors, Canterbury.

HAINE HOUSE, NEAR RAMSGATE.

MR. R. JENKINS

Is instructed

TO SELL BY AUCTION

THE whole of the modern FURNITURE, VALUABLE PAINTINGS, OLD WINES, CARRIAGES, &c. &c. of the late JOHN RATHBONE, Esquire, deceased, at the above residence, HAINE, in the parish of ST LAWRENCE, Thanet, on WEDNESDAY, the 20th day of MARCH, 1850, and two following days, commencing each day at Eleven o'clock.

Comprising in the SITTING ROOMS—Best Brussels and other carpets, of bright colors, with rugs to match; skie

FOR MAY.

May 16, at	10 o'clock.
17,	10
18,	10
—	2
20,	10
21,	11
22,	10
23,	10
24,	10
25,	10
—	2
27,	11
28,	10

e still unable to report in our market, the few ned to the better class of

III. 16.—The low prices rowth of 1847 promote a upon the whole prices

'OR 1849;
Returns.

rns, March, 1850.			Decrease.		
£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
785	12	8¾	6	14	5
693	4	9¾	10	0	9½

various Corrections made ral districts, as follow:—

Re- 549.	Total duty—corrected March, 1850.		
d.	£	s.	d.
7¼	59,456	14	5¼
3¾	27,188	4	11¼
0½	86,614	19	4¾
6	35,250	2	8½
0½	14,001	16	8½
4½	9,122	19	11¾
3½	386	18	3¼
0½	267	19	5½
8¾	18	8	3½
7¼	145,693	4	0¾

DISTRICTS.
unds weight charged with owth per acre.

Duty.		Average growth per acre.		
d.		Cwt.	qrs.	lbs.
7¼	12·20	4	2	14
0¼	12·20	3	2	25
2¼	4·20	4	1	5
0½	12·20	3	3	27
0½	12·20	2	1	15
0½	8·20	3	3	14
0		1	2	8
1	4.20	1	0	10
8¾		0	1	2
8¾		3	3	12

of Hops in cultivation for nd the decrease since 1848,

847	1848.	1849.	Decrease.
Acres	Acres	Acres	Acres
1,981	16,286	14,575	1,711
0,839	9,777	8,272	1,505
,820	26,063	22,847	3,216
,877	11,592	10,006	1,586
,502	7,890	6,646	1,244
,082	2,874	2,665	200
280	348	279	69
442	362	277	85
135	103	78	25
,328	19,232	42,798	6,434

AND WEDNESDAY.
f the Rolls.
N RAILWAY COMPANY
D RESTRAINED.
e heard on behalf of the tion for an injunction to end recently declared by the branch railway from

have hitherto been well satisfied with each other. But these men (the whole race of them) are the victims of a delusion, which, in these days of "universal citizenship," can never be forgiven. The old English yearning after fatherland—home—is not extinct in their bosoms. The sin that "philosophy" can never forgive—"the evil influence" that renders them an absolute pest in their native land, is, to use the language of the *Times'* commissioner, "that singular tenacity of grip with which they cling to the soil!"

Now, my lords, I ask you seriously, are your lordships willing that this sacrifice shall be made to the "Manchester men?" If you are, your doom is sealed by yourselves.

The domestic manufacturers—the cloth-dressers—the handloom-weavers—the laborers, have, each in their turn, been offered up at the shrine of "philosophy;" and now the unsatiated monster demands as victims "the humblest class of the occupants" of the soil—"elevated but one step above the position of the agricultural laborer"—the small farmers! Next must follow the large farmers; then yourselves—and (the interval being very brief) Royalty!

Well, well—if it must be so, it must. But surely there will be a stir first. Old England's homesteads must not thus be despoiled in quietude. Does duty demand your inertness all the while? Have you no concern in this great question? Then are you bastards—not sons!

A mist obscures my vision. Many discordant rumblings vibrate in my hearing. I cannot silently consent to this national dispersion of a people, and that people my fellow-countrymen—Englishmen. I am at present too much "concerned" to dress my thoughts. Hereafter you shall have them. As to—who is to till the soil?—for whom is it to be tilled? These are questions it "concerns" us all to solve.

These poor farmers are, or have been, one great bulwark of the nation's strength; but they cannot grow corn, hatch chickens, or breed cattle, by machinery. Lo, the cotton lords are angry, and disinherit them. Is that no "concern" of yours? In my next, I shall press that question home to your lordly bosoms, and, if possible, arouse you from your lethargy.

I never hear of the ravages of machinery and the triumph of steam in connexion with farming, without thinking of old John Wilson—as good a tenant as ever landlord had. He occupied a farm at Lindley, under the late Squire Thornhill. This was his tale.—"It was well for me my father taught me how to manage a farm. Twice have I been driven from my livelihood by steam machinery. I was first a domestic cloth-maker—the mills robbed me of that trade; then I became a cloth-dresser—the 'gigs' spoiled that trade; but now I have fairly beaten both steam and machinery: I have become a dairy farmer, and always keep two of the best bred bulls!" Those bulls were not of "The Tamworth breed," they were true Yorkshire bred.

Poor John Wilson! Had he been living now, steam and machinery would again have unhorsed him! He, good honest soul, never could have learned the scientific philosophic mode of farming, breeding, and rearing. But, methinks, John Wilson would have rebelled against this third attack of the philosophers.

Will the farmers tamely surrender? And will you, my lords, quietly look on? To use the words of the *Times'* commissioner, "the sooner a result is arrived at by those most concerned, the better."

I have the honor to remain, my Lords,
Your Lordships' most obedient servant,
RICHARD OASTLER.

Broadstairs, Kent, April 12.

HERNE BAY.

On Wednesday, a little boy, named Charles Acres, was playing at Mr. Winder's mill, with a little boy of Mr. W's; the latter having occasion to go down the steps, the other, during his absence, went out on the stage, it is supposed to look at the swifts, which were then going round, one of which struck him on the head, and knocked his brains out. At an inquest held on Thursday evening, before Mr. De-Lassaux, a verdict of "Accidental death" was returned.

DOVER.

The works at the new Harbor of Refuge are progressing most favorably; although they have been so recently resumed two courses of substantial masonry have been laid deep under water extending upwards of 20 feet since the diving bells have been at work.

Mr. and Mrs. Perkins arrived at their residence, No. 26, Waterloo Crescent, on Sunday, after a short continental tour.

Arrivals and departures—Birmingham's Royal Ship Hotel—His Excellency Mons. Van de Weyer, Count and Countess de Somery and suite, Viscount and Viscountess Jocelyn, Hon. Philip and Mrs. Stourton and family, Col. Benbow, Mr. and Mrs. Gilton and family, Col. Godby, C.B., Hon. Robert Petre, Mr. Coulfield, M.P., Col. Sowerby, Rev. R. M. and Mrs. Price, le Viscomte d'Henin, Mr. and Mrs. Lett, Dr. and Mrs. Hutton, Hon. P. Ashburnham, Col. Paget, Capt. Hilton, R.N., and Miss Hilton, Mr. and Mrs. P. Salomans, Mr. and Mrs. Rhys Powell, Major Smithie, Monsieur and Madame Coletti, Capt. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Wade, Mrs. Gordon, and family.

for Cork and New York; Amélie, for Yarmouth, N.S.; Glenlyon for Havre and Station Island; Salvator, for Malta; Rival, for Quebec. Arrived and anchored, the Graham, from Shields for Madras. Wind W.N.W. to W.S.W., strong and squally.—*April 21*: Arrived and proceeded to London, the Giovanni Matteo (Austrian ship), from Alexandria; Navarino, from Havannah, last Cowes. Arrived from London and proceeded, the British Empire, for Adelaide; Thomas and Joseph Crisp, for Launceston; Andrew Colville, for Newport; Ann, for Cape of Good Hope and Madras. Arrived, and anchored, the Anna Margaretha, from Amsterdam to Batavia. Arrived and proceeded, the Lord Ashley, from the North to Hong Kong; De Gloria, from Rostock, for Portsmouth; Faith, from Blyth to Bordeaux; Elizabeth and Caroline, from Sunderland to Pauillac; Henry Taylor, from Newcastle to Dieppe; Sidney, from Shields to Algiers; Dorothy, from Shields to Rio de Janeiro; Marquis of Bute, from Sunderland to Charente; her Majesty's ship Hercules, from the River to Malta. Sailed, the Apolline, for Cork and Halifax; Countess of Seafield, and Mohawk, both for China; Eleanor, for Mauritius; Spheriod, for St. Vincent's; Sea Lion, for New-Orleans; Glenlyon, for Havre and Station Island; Lochlibo, and President, both for Quebec; Emperor of China, for Swansea and China; Bowes of Streatlam, for Rio de Janeiro; Agnes, for Jamaica; Graham, for Madras; Duchess of Kent, for Cape of Good Hope; Sylph, for Barbadoes; Ratcliffe for Sydney; with the rest of the outward bound vessels for their respective destinations.—Wind N.N.E., a gentle breeze—cloudy.

FAVERSHAM.

Tradesmen's Dinner.—The annual tradesmen's dinner was held on Wednesday last at the Ship Hotel, when the principal gentry and tradesmen of the town sat down to a sumptuous dinner, provided by Mr. Hodges, the landlord. James Tassell, Esq., presided, Mr. Isaac Wildash filling the vice-chair. The usual loyal toasts were given, and two professional gentlemen from London enlivened the evening's amusement by many good songs. Mr. J. H. Mares was named as the chairman for the ensuing year, and Mr. H. H. Reed as his deputy.

BRIDGE.

Bridge Union.—Guardians Elected for the Ensuing Year.—Adisham, Rev. W. W. Dickins; Barham, Mr. Thos. Winch; Beakesbourne, Mr. W. Gardner; Bishopsbourne, Mr. John Harvey; Bridge, Mr. R. Brice; Chartham, Mr. B. Andrews; Fordwich, Mr. John Wotton; Harbledown, Mr. T. Pinkett; Hardres, Lower, Mr. T. Bartlett; Hardres, Upper, Mr. T. Holttum; Ickham, Mr. C. Collard; Kingstone, Mr. R. Gardner; Littlebourne, Mr. J. B. Gausby; Nackington, Capt. T. Hilton; Patrixbourne, Mr. H. Collard; Petham, Mr. F. Slater; Stodmarsh, Mr. E. Collard; Thanington, Mr. R. Sladden (vice-chairman); Waltham, Mr. E. B. Brittenden; Westgate-without, Mr. T. R. Burch; Wickhambreux, Mr. C. Collard (chairman); Womenswold, Mr. G. Kelsey.

LYMPNE.

During the night of Sunday week nearly 10 cwt. of sheet lead was stripped from the roof of our parish church and stolen. Notwithstanding every effort used, no clue to the depredators has been obtained.

FOLKESTONE.

The marriage of Ralph T. Brockman, Esq., Townclerk, with Miss Rachel A. H. L. Bradshaw, of Albion-terrace, was solemnized at Folkestone church on Saturday se'nnight. The Rev. Mr. Randolf (brother-in-law of the bridegroom), officiated at the ceremony. The popularity of the bridegroom, and the high esteem in which the bride is held by all classes of society; her well known and warmly appreciated acts of benevolence to the sick and poor, induced the assemblage of a large number of persons, both within and without the sacred edifice. The happy couple left by train for London, to spend the honeymoon.

ISLE OF THANET.

Lord Stanley, in the House of Lords, last evening se'nnight, presented the petition from the agriculturists of this island; and, in doing so, made a few remarks. The operation of the abolition of the Corn-laws (said his lordship) had been to depreciate property enormously, and to reduce the price of corn one quarter below the average of the last twenty years, and much below that price which was mentioned in the committee on the subject of the repeal of the Corn-laws as the lowest price at which corn could be remunerative to the farmers. He did not join in the belief expressed in the petition that the abolition of protection had been finally and irrevocably determined upon; but, at all events, he could not help considering the petitioners were entitled to the consideration of that house. In the first place the petitioners prayed for an alteration of the law with regard to the Income-tax, that tax being imposed on farmers on a wrong and unjust principle; they further prayed that the tenant-farmers might not be taxed according to the apparent amount of their rent; they complained that the parochial and county rates pressed too heavily on the land, and that a juster system of taking the average price of corn, with

MARGATE

The arrival of visitors to this de
is beginning to take place, and the
flourishing aspect than it has don
Very few houses are to let (none a
this of itself is a source of great g
cited in its welfare. With a direct
communication, this would be one
towns in England.

During the past week the divers
the wreck of the Royal Adelaide
to recover the cargo are not atten
On Sunday last a few cart loads of
landed here.

Curious Symbolical Custom.
married a couple in the parish ch
an aunt of the bridegroom, disple
stood at the church gate and prono
the married pair. She then boug
home, swept her house, and hung th
By this she intimated her rejectio
forbade him to enter her house. Is
What is its origin?—H. Morland
Thanet, March 25, 1850."—*Notes*

MINSTER, SHE

On Thursday evening, the 11th,
Renters of Trinity Church, Sheerness
to choose wardens for that church;
was re-appointed by the Rev. G.
and Mr. Thomas Franks, was re-elec

On Monday, the 8th, His Grace t
terbury confirmed about 150 young
he addressed them both before and a
explaining beforehand the nature a
engagements they were about to
laying down plain and simple rules f
in life, "until they should come to G
dom." The Archbishop inspected
service, and complimented the churc
cellent order in which it was kept, o
not been in a country church, in whi
worthy of commendation. All the C
tended and the large church, (one o
the kingdom), was well filled with at

MAIDSTONE

Fire.—On Saturday morning se'n
Russell, perceived a light in Mr. G
He immediately called up the forem
police, when it was discovered that
was on fire. It was speedily exting
been unobserved for another half-ho
saved the roof. It is supposed that
must have lodged near the crane.

The Gas Question.—A meeting
held last Monday evening at the Be
J. H. Hodsoll presided. The object
determine upon what measures shoul
reduction in the present high price
resolved that a memorial should b
consumers and presented to the dire
praying for an immediate reductio
7s. 6d. to 5s. 6d. per thousand cubic
reduction to 4s. 6d. A committee
out the resolutions entered into, wh
consumers for their signatures.

An inquest was yesterday se'nnigh
House Inn, Earl-street, before the
Esq., deputy coroner of the borou
jury of which Mr. John Tyler was t
into the circumstances touching the d
Haslain, aged about 33 years, atto
found dead in his bed on the previou
Mr. Morgan, solicitor, in whose em
recently been, was present during th

BROMLEY.

A farmer thus describes the co
Mr. G. Warde Norman. He says
taken a lease, Mr. Norman told me
to receive so much rent as we had a
he would take a corn-rent; and beli
two matters would settle down, he
considered a fair rental." He also
has lately expended £100 in drainin
out charging me a farthing."

TONBRIDGE

Coroner's Inquest.—On Thu
quest was held at the Vauxhall-Inn,
Esq., coroner, and a respectable ju
man found dead in an outhouse, b
Austin, on the previous Tuesday.
in the neighborhood on the 1st inst