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## THE FALL TRADE.

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## Guelph Evening Mercury

FRIDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 18.

### Will it ever Die?

We mean Fenianism with which we are heartily disgusted, and we wish that the last faint tone of the knell that sounded its march to the manse of mad follies had died away in the deep stillness of the past and of oblivion. But will it expire? Shall we soon be able to inscribe on its sarcophagus "died at such and such an age," and shall we soon be able to read on its tombstone, "Beneath lies buried the last wild, futile project of unfortunates, impetuous Irishmen?" We all thought at one time and we thought not unreasonably, that America was the only place where an organization with its avowed object the revenge of the alleged wrongs of British subjects, by the British Government would dare to show itself in open day. We imagined the power and vigilance of Britain, and her known severity to treason would prevent any attempt at an overthrow of her power, not only in Ireland, but in any other part of her dominions. We were not so much astonished when men impelled by frenzy and induced by a hope of plunder passed the boundaries into our land which for years had not been crossed with hostile intentions, as we were when informed a short time subsequently that an insurrection had taken place in Ireland, and that British soldiers were in pursuit of flying rebels. Then, and still more recently since the Manchester riots, have we learned what a bond of sympathy exists between Irishmen at home and Irishmen abroad. To hate England for her oppression of his home, the loved land of his birth perhaps, and of his father's grave has very, very often been inculcated as a sacred duty on the mind of the Irish lad, and go where he may his early lessons are scarcely ever effaced from his memory. He remembers the green hills where he sported, the dells where he frolicked on the shamrock and primrose; he remembers the thatched hovel where Poverty brooded, and he recollects being taught, that the hills would be greener, and the spectre of ant Wlaka its departure were there no such tyrants as absentee English landlords. In this belief generation after generation has lived and died. Of such Seeds Fenianism or something akin to it is but the legitimate and natural fruit and it will never die while they are carefully planted on such a hot-bed as the Celtic mind. It may fall down exhausted, it may be crushed until it has no perceptible signs of life, but it will not be annihilated until the grievances which first gave it life, and which still nourish its spirit have been rolled away by the hand of Justice.

It is a pity that one of the brightest gems in the British Crown should have to be retained by military power. "Something should be done," is the universal opinion, but amelioration is very slow of accomplishment. The rebellion of 1798, the ragged oratory of O'Connell, the mistaken efforts of Emmet's brilliant genius have all called attention to the necessity of special legislation for Ireland, and all the appeals have been heeded. Attempts have been made "to do something," but they have all proved abortive. Parliamentary committees have sat and rose, and sat and rose again, and the result of their sittings and risings was—nothing. The Irish Question was too many for them and they were obliged to leave it at the place where, and in the state in which, they had found it. Tenure bothered them, and had they been able to surmount that difficulty, next came the insuperable obstacle, Church and State. When the Church of England shall be the established Church of England alone, when the collector no longer calls at the door of an Irish tenant demanding the payment of "tithe" then may we expect to see less acrimony between Celt and Saxon, and the dawn of a new and more blissful era on the Emerald Isle. Then may we expect to hear, that the spirit which has for ages been transmuting from one hideous body to another has taken its final flight, then may we anticipate that the sons of Erin will raise their minds from brooding over the wrongs of their country, and from hatching revenge, to struggle for a position in refinement and science as high and as honorable for the time in which they live as history tells us their ancestors had at a period long anterior to the time when the foot of hostile

## AFFAIRS IN ITALY.

Every day gives a fresh shock to the temporal authority of the Pope. Day by day his forces retreat beaten and broken, and his position becomes more and more precarious. Victor Emmanuel captured Garibaldi, but he could not chain the spirit which animated Italians, even if he were willing to make the attempt; he might nullify the efforts of the foremost representative of a principle, but the principle itself was possessed of a vitality beyond his power to kill. Garibaldi has a son with a heart as valiant as his father's is, and with an arm stronger than his father's is now, and while the one incites by stirring proclamations, the other keeps alive courage and enthusiasm by his daring. The last reports are, that the Papal forces are being driven back towards Rome, and that the Pope has called a meeting of the cardinals to consider the situation. All Italy has become infected with the notions of the Garibaldians, and the entire press favours the idea of making Rome the capital. This matters go hard with Pius IX., and the year 1867 may witness his second Hogira, as the year 1848 did his first. For, where are the French bayonets that were so long the rampart of his throne? Where is Napoleon, or how does he regard what a heliote politician might easily construe into an infraction of the famous "September Convention." Is he, like the priests of Baal on a journey, or is he in a sleep so sound that he will not be awakened, though in the words of Cromwell the "thunders of hostile cannon should be heard in the Vatican." Spain has offered her assistance to France to sustain the temporal power of the Pope—this we have heard, but heard no more as to whether the aid is desired, or will be accepted. That his holiness may have to flee is an event not unanticipated; he has no impregnable fortress of Gaeta to afford him an asylum this time, but we read that Bavaria has offered him protection.

## Flax Culture in Canada.

The London *Protopse* says:—The continued high prices for every kind of produce in Canada is in the highest degree satisfactory to the farming community. And thus, while such a state of prosperity prevails in every branch of agriculture, it is satisfactory to know that the flax, although, comparatively speaking, a new branch of labor, has in no way declined, and we are glad to learn that the cultivation of this important article of commerce is annually on the increase in this country. The great drawback so long experienced by farmers generally, the hand-pulling has now been entirely obviated. In the production of a flax-puller, which, of course, will set aside any reasonable objection to the more extensive development of that valuable branch of Canadian industry, and we trust to see the number of acres sown largely increased another year. The various flax manufactories now in operation in the Dominion are at present turning out large supplies of seamless bags, ropes, twines, cordage, &c., from native grown flax, thus saving the duty on this class of importable goods, and furnishing as cheap and as strong for an article as that previously brought from the United States and elsewhere. We hope to see before long the introduction, by some of our enterprising citizens, of a sowing machine, or the erection of a flax manufactory in London. No better investment if properly taken in hand, could be effected. It is this neighborhood enterprises every facility for carrying on such an enterprise successfully. Mr. J. A. Donaldson, of Toronto, informs us that flax pulling machines are to be obtained from the manufacturer, at Woodstock, at the moderate cost of \$75 to \$80 each.

## Miraculous Escape from Death.

The *Baltimore Telegraph* relates the following:—An accident, which for its apparent seriousness and yet fortunate result is almost without parallel, occurred on the farm of Mr. H. Moore of Wexley on the 11th inst. A boy of Mr. Moore was watering horses at a well, which was about thirty feet deep, where a present year's colt in playing about got upon the boards. These gave way and precipitated him (the colt) to the bottom of the well. A neighbour, Mr. John Kyle, descended into the well which contained very little water for the purpose of fastening lines to the colt preparatory to drawing him out. Having done this Mr. Kyle was in the act of re-ascending when the stones which lined the well caved inward burying the poor man at the depth of twenty-four feet from the surface of the earth. Notwithstanding the apparent hopelessness of doing anything towards saving the life of Mr. Kyle, neighbours were speedily summoned who set to work with a good will, and after four hours of hard labor succeeded in removing the stones and bringing the unfortunate man to the surface when, strange to say, he was found to be in a comparatively unhurt condition. No bones were broken nor was there any other injury of itself so severe as to cause serious apprehensions, but the sufferer's whole system was as might be expected, fearfully prostrated by the prolonged crushing and tension which it had undergone. Mr. Kyle had, with extraordinary presence of mind, so braced himself (with head and back against the pump, and hands against the side of the well) so as to enable him to bear the dreadful burden for upwards of four hours, with the full consciousness that the yielding of one inch on his part would be followed by immediate destruction. Not the least difficulty which Mr. Kyle had to contend with was the emanations from the mouth and nostrils of the colt which lay beneath him and which lived for a considerable time after the well's collapse. The sufferer is progressing favorably towards recovery.

The Americans are pushing their ambitious parallels into all parts of the earth. A reciprocity treaty between the United States and Hawaii has been signed and ratified. The King of the Fejee Islands has ceded three small islands in a group, and one of which possesses a fine harbor,

## TO-DAY'S TELEGRAMS.

Special and Exclusive Despatches to the Evening Mercury.

### From Havana.

Havana, Oct. 17th.—Advices from Vera Cruz state that Santa Anna had been sentenced to banishment from Mexico for eight years. The revolt in the Penitentiary at Santiago de Cuba had been suppressed.

### From Boston.

New York, Oct. 18.—The *Herald's* special says a novel race, in which the pedestrian Griffin attempted to run five miles while the trotting horse Capt. McQueen trotted ten, took place at the Park in Boston, yesterday. The man gave out and was declared distanced on the third mile, and the horse finished his 10 miles in 30 minutes and 9 seconds.

### From Buenos Ayres.

New York, Oct. 18th.—The *Tribune's* Buenos Ayres correspondence of the 12th says the A'ried fleet steamed boldly up to Fort Curapity and demolished it. They then, after passing the fort, fired upon Humaita at long range.

### From Baltimore.

Baltimore, Oct. 17.—About nine o'clock last night, as a militia negro regiment was parading through the streets, some twelve or fifteen shots were fired in the street; one white man was instantly killed. A number of white men soon arrived and great excitement prevailed. A large police force was soon on the ground, and prevented any further disturbance.

## Cable News!

OF TO-DAY.

### The Italian Insurrection

CONTINUED SUCCESSES OF THE INVADERS.

### FRENCH INTERVENTION!

### The Fenian Excitement in England Increasing

### THE IRISH BISHOPS' MANIFESTO

### Large shipments of Specie from London to Paris.

(MIDNIGHT DESPATCHES.)

### PARIS, Oct. 17.—

Just before the departure of the Emperor from Biarritz, on his return to Paris, he summoned a general council of the ministers of his cabinet to the Bois de Boulogne, to consider the condition of affairs in Italy, and decide what action France should take in the matter. The council was held yesterday; the Emperor presided, and the result of his deliberations was a resolution that France should immediately intervene for the settlement of the Roman question, but without acting any longer in conjunction with the Italian government to that end. The *Monitor* of yesterday, in a leading article, reproaches the Italians for violating the laws of nations, and regarding the obligations of solemn treaties, and entering a dangerous spirit of republicanism in Italy. Owing to the continued disturbance in Italy and a prospect of French intervention the financial depression on the bourse increases and rates are steadily declining.

PARIS, Oct. 17.—News from the South continues to be favorable to the cause of the Emperor. The Garibaldians have taken possession of the town of Verola, in the Papal States, where they have entrenched themselves and await the arrival of their bands to increase their numbers sufficiently to enable them to make further advance. The Emperor has received a telegram from the Italian parliament, in which the Italian parliament, is commander-in-chief of the insurgents in that quarter of the Roman territory.

PARIS, Oct. 17.—The *Monitor* this morning asserts that the inhabitants of Rome and the Papal provinces are loyal to the Pope, and are anxious to assist in driving the Italian invaders from the soil. LONDON, Oct. 17.—The *Times* of today, says, in regard to the Roman situation, that prime minister Rattazzi must order the national troops to Rome, and anticipate the arrival there of both the volunteers of Garibaldi and the regular troops of France. The article concludes by declaring that the boldest policy is the best for Italy, and advising her to seize Rome and then treat with France.

VIENNA, Oct. 17.—The Emperor has referred to the council of ministers for their consideration an address received by His Majesty from the congress of the Roman Catholic bishops of the Austrian empire, which recently assembled in Vienna. The address protests against the adoption of a new concordat, and strongly urges the Emperor not to make any concession in the sacred treaty now existing between Austria and Rome. In his communication to the ministerial council, the Emperor approves the Austrian bishops for adopting a paper so liable to create public excitement at a time when tranquillity is indispensable for the restoration of the country, and he expresses his regret that the Emperor of Austria is a constitutional prince as well as a true son of the church. LONDON, Oct. 17 (evening).—The weekly returns of the Bank of England show that the amount of specie has decreased \$847,000 sterling since last report, made October 10. Large quantities of specie have been shipped from London to Paris during the last week, and the current still continues in that direction.

### To-day's Despatches.

London, Oct. 17.—Certain evidence has come into the hands of the metropolitan police authorities which leads them to believe that Col. Kelly, who was rescued at Manchester, has not left the country, but is now in this city. A force is now actively engaged in trying to discover his whereabouts and secure his arrest. New evidence has been given, and it is believed that Kelly will be kept up the air at the Fenians. The government, however, does not relax its vigilance, but rather increases its precautions against any possible disturbance or outrage, especially in Scotland. The prize fight between Jim Mace and Baldy, which was prevented in England by the arrest of Mace, will come off on the French coast. Dublin, Oct. 17.—The Roman Catholic Bishops of Ireland issued an address denouncing in strong terms the Protestant Church establishment, the system of National Schools and Fenianism. The *Standard*, Oct. 17th, says, Gen. Landolfi

the appointment has been offered to San Roman. Despatches from the Spanish expedition in the Pacific state that the government of Chili has manifested a disposition to enter into negotiations for the restoration of peace with Spain.

Florence, Oct. 17.—Reports have been received of skirmishes and fights between the Papal troops and the Garibaldians, but accounts are conflicting, and it is difficult to say which side has been most successful.

Lisbon, Oct. 17th.—The mail steamer from Rio Janeiro has arrived. Late advices from the seat of war on the Parana were unfavorable. No movement had been made and no preparations making for an attack. The land forces of Allies under Gen. Nitre, were lying idle before the Paraguayan forts, and the Argentine and Brazilian fleets were hemmed in by the guns of Lopez and compelled to remain inactive. The Brazilians were much disheartened with the conduct of the war and the peace party was in the ascendancy in all the states bordering on the Rio de la Platta.

London, Oct. 17th, midnight.—It is reported that the emperor of Russia and the king of Prussia sent a joint note to the Sultan, asking him to cede the island of Candia to the King of Greece.

Vienna, Oct. 17th.—The Reichsrath today passed the organic law which, under consideration since the beginning of the present session. This measure makes legal many of the new reforms introduced into the government of the empire. The announcement of the reply made by the Emperor to the address of the bishops in regard to the concordat, was received with prolonged cheering in the Reichsrath.

Paris, Oct. 17.—The *Politique* contains an editorial arguing that the intervention of France is necessary to save Italy from revolution and anarchy. Specie in Bank of France decreased 4,000,000fr. during the past week. Renten still falling, and the Bourse much depressed.

## MARRIAGES.

LETTER—JACOB.—On the 9th inst., at the residence of the bride's mother, by the Rev. James Little of Nassauwaya, brother to the bridegroom, Mr. Joseph Little of Peshigo, to Miss Elizabeth Little of Nassauwaya, Peshigo.

BOWMAN—McLEOD.—By the Rev. James Little of Nassauwaya, on the 11th inst., Mr. Alexander Bowman of Galt, to Miss Catherine McLeod of Nassauwaya.

DELLER—MCALEER.—At the residence of the bride's father, on the 15th inst., by the Rev. James Little of Nassauwaya, Mr. Robert Deller of Nassauwaya, to Miss Elizabeth McAlpine of Nassauwaya.

## New Advertisements.

### A Lot of New Strained Honey

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### COOK WANTED.

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New on hand at DAY'S BOOKSTORE,  
Opposite the Market.

### ENGLISH MAGAZINES,

FOR OCTOBER.

Low Bells	Cassell's Magazine
Sunday at Home	Leisure Hour
Family Herald	English Monthly
English Woman's Argosy	Belgravia
Temple Bar	St. James
British Workman	Father William's Stories
Children's Friend	Sunday Teachers' Treasury
Infant's Magazine	Christian Treasury
Boy's Magazine	London Society
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### American Magazines!

FOR NOVEMBER.

Godey's	Frank Leslie's
Harper's	Mdme Demorest's
Harper's Bazar	every Saturday.

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Opposite the Market,  
Guelph, October 18, 1867. d w 4 f.

### YOUNGER'S

### EDINBURGH ALE.

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Guelph, Oct. 7, 1867. No. 2, Day's Block.

### AUCTION SALE.

### STOCK & IMPLEMENTS

W. S. G. KNOWLES will sell by public auction, at Ballinacree, the residence of J. C. Chadwick, jr., on the Waterloo Road, on

### MONDAY, 21st OCTOBER,

commencing at 1 o'clock p.m., the following valuable Stock and Implements, viz:—20 head of steers, 2 milch cows, one lately calved, 5 cows in milk, one yearling, 1 superior two year old bull, one off, 1 yearling heifer, 1 yearling steer, 1 calves, 1 valuable team horse, 1 two year old filly, 1 yearling filly, 1 yearling colt, 1 fully bred pair of Charon mare by "King Alfred," 1 colt, 1 "Black Sam," out of Mr. King Alfred's celebrated breeding mare by "Royal George." 7 colts out of Cons by "King Alfred," 12 pigs, small and large, unless previously sold, an excellent cut of iron, 1 pair of heavy cart harness, 1 pair of waggons, 1 plough, 2 sets harrows, single and double harness, &c.

Terms: 12 months' credit on approved collateral interest—Dinner and discount for cash.

J. C. CHADWICK, Proprietor,  
Guelph, 18th October, 1867. d 2

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### HAVE YOU SEEN BARNUM?

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## PREST & HEPBURN

COME AND SEE IT.

THERE IS NOW AN EXHIBITION the Largest, Best, Cheapest, Neatest and most Durable assortment of

## BOOTS AND SHOES

ever offered to the trade in the county of Wellington. In fact, it is the stock of Ontario. This is the only house in the county that has such a large assortment of Boots and Shoes.

### SUPPORT HOME MANUFACTURE!

and keep your money in the country. We do not believe in peddling, but simply ask the public to come and see our Boots and Shoes, and we are confident the verdict will be in our favor. We will guarantee "No Goods." Remember the Stand!

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And the oldest Shoe Store in Guelph. REPAIRING DONE AS USUAL.

## PREST & HEPBURN.

Guelph, 16th October, 1867. d w

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Arriving Daily Suitable for the Season.

### FOR THE Latest Styles in Ladies' High Cut Balmorals,

Call at JOHN McNEIL'S.

GENTS will also find No. 1 Sewed Gaiters

At JOHN McNEIL'S.

A FEW Lines in American Goods very Stylish

At JOHN McNEIL'S.

### MEN'S Boys' and Youth's Boots Wholesale and Retail at Low Prices. Home Manufactured Goods always on hand.

### All Work Warranted. Inspection Invited. Terms Cash.

## JOHN McNEIL,

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## DRILL SHED, GUELPH. New Groceries.

### GRAND CONCERT!

On Wednesday, 23rd Oct. 1867

A GRAND CONCERT will be given in the Drill Shed in aid of the Orphans and Aged in St. Joseph's Hospital, under the care of the

### SISTERS OF CHARITY.

Ably assisted by Messrs. Hamilton, Toronto and Guelph have been secured for the occasion. Miss HILLARY will make her first appearance in Guelph.

Doors open at 7:30. Concert to commence at 8. Single Tickets, 50c. Family tickets, admitting five, \$1.50.

A Quartette Band will be in attendance at the Concert.

DENIS MULLEN, Secretary.  
Guelph, Oct. 7, 1867. d w 4 f

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Guelph, Oct. 7, 1867. No. 2, Day's Block

### FRESH OYSTERS

Wholesale and Retail, at the

### FRUIT DEPOT,

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### HUGH WALKER.

Guelph, 16th Sept., 1867. (d w)

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### Champion Clog Dancer

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Adults, 50c. Boys, 25c. Boys under 10, 10c. Boys under 7, 5c. to commence at 8 p.m. Grand Ballroom Secured at a 1st rate.

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Guelph, Oct. 15, 1867. d 73 w 34

## GUELPH

### Garrison Battery!

### ATTENTION!

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On Friday Evening, Oct. 18.

JAMES BARCLAY, Comd.

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Price, - - 20c. per Bottle,  
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Guelph, Oct. 7, 1867. d w

### Estimates Wanted.

ESTIMATES wanted for the building of a Stone School House near Killan, School Section No. 7, Peshigo. Plan and specification may be seen with the Architect, Sec. Day and Treasurer, after Saturday next, the 19th, till Saturday the 25th inst., at noon, when the job will be let. The Trustees do not bind themselves to accept the lowest offer, or any offer, unless perfectly satisfactory.

ANGUS WALKER,  
MALCOLM GILCHRIST, Trustees.  
DONALD FERGUSON,  
Peshigo, 16th October, 1867. w 21

### STRAY HEIFER.

CAME on the subscriber's farm, about the middle of June, a red heifer, with a white star on the face. The owner can have her by proving property and paying expenses.

W. KIRKLAND, Peshigo.