

Mr. JOHN ANDERSON sends us the Sunday at Home for October. The frontispiece this month is a handsome illuminated text, Col. III, 17. The usual selection of well illustrated and entertaining Sunday reading is contained in this monthly part.

GREAT SALE OF IMPLEMENTS.—We direct attention to the advertisement, in another column, of the large sale of Agricultural Implements, belonging to the late firm of Messrs Thain & Elliott, Guelph. The sale will take place on Saturday 11th October. This will be a rare opportunity for farmers to secure articles in their line at very low figures, as the stock must be sold.

THE SUNDAY AT HOME; THE LEISURE HOUR.—Mr. Day sends us the October monthly number of these old standard publications. In *The Sunday at Home* commences a new continued tale by Rev. Dr. Ederheim, entitled "Shorn to the Wind; Scenes from Life in a Scottish Manse." There is the usual number of good illustrations, and we notice some interesting sketches in the *Leisure Hour* by E. J. Whately. In *The Leisure Hour* "Laura Loft" is continued, and amongst the articles are "The Carlist Country," with two good woodcuts of Spanish scenes; and three illustrations on papers on "Leisure Hours in Ireland."

THE "CANADIAN ILLUSTRATED NEWS."—It is with much pleasure we avail ourselves of the opportunity given by the proprietors of this thoroughly Canadian journal to place it on the list of our exchanges. The first number that reaches us contains the following paragraph, which is so apropos that we reproduce it here:—"One of the chief uses of an illustrated paper is the insight which its portraits give the physiognomist into the character of public and prominent men. Where a column of letterpress will fail to convey an adequate idea of a noted personage, a glance at his face reproduced in a pictorial will furnish his stamp and measure. The one who habitually reads an illustrated paper and keeps it on file will in a brief space of time familiarise himself with the faces of most of the men who occupy the attention of the public, and unconsciously he will be able to judge of and to speak of them with a precision he could not otherwise have obtained. This journal has made its portraits of leading Canadians a prominent feature, giving an historical value to its pages.

A Commercial Traveller's Total Abstinence Society has been formed in Montreal.

A blushing damsel called at the office of a paper a few days since and enquired for "papers for a week back," and that innocent young publisher's remark, "thought she wanted a sticking plaster," instead of a bundle of papers suitable for a bustle.

When a burglar gets hurt in climbing through the scuttle of a Louisville house the charitable inmates take him in, nurse him tenderly, make out the papers carefully, and when he gets well, tuck him away tidily in the penitentiary.

A LARGE VOLUME would not contain the mass of testimony which has accumulated in favor of Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry as a safe, efficient and reliable remedy in curing coughs, colds and pulmonary disease. Many of the cures are wonderful.

COMMERCIAL.

GUELPH MARKETS.		
MERCURY OFFICE October 2, 1873.		
Flour per 100 lbs...	80	82 50
Fall Wheat, per bushel, new...	1 12	1 10
" Treadwell "	1 08	1 15
" Spring Wheat "	1 05	1 10
Oats "	0 82	0 84
Peas "	0 89	0 92
Barley, new...	0 85	0 92
Hay, per ton...	12 00	12 00
" Straw, "	3 00	4 00
Wood, per cord...	4 25	5 00
Eggs, per dozen...	0 14	0 12
Butter, dairy packed, "	0 90	0 92
" rolls "	0 21	0 22
Potatoes, per bag, new...	0 48	0 50
Apples, "	0 60	1 00
Wool, per lb...	0 00	0 00
Dressed Hogs, per cwt...	0 60	0 60
Beef per cwt...	5 00	7 00
Clover Seed per bushel...	0 00	0 00
Timothy Seed...	0 00	0 00
Hides, per cwt...	0 50	0 70
Flax "	1 10	2 00
Sheepskins "	0 75	1 25

HAMILTON MARKETS

HAMILTON, October 1, 1873.		
Spring Wheat, per bushel...	\$ 1 15	0 90
Diehl Wheat, "	1 20	1 22
Treadwell Wheat, "	1 15	1 18
Red White Wheat, "	1 12	1 16
Barley per bushel...	0 80	0 95
Peas, "	0 50	0 58
Oats, "	0 85	0 92
Butter per lb roll...	0 20	0 25
" tub, "	0 00	0 00
Potatoes, per bag, new...	0 70	0 70
Apples, "	0 70	0 75
Dressed Hogs, per cwt...	0 50	0 50
Wool, pe 12, "	0 00	0 00

TORONTO MARKETS

TORONTO, October 1, 1873.		
Spring Wheat, per bushel...	\$ 1 17	1 18
Fall Wheat, "	1 24	1 30
Barley per bushel...	0 69	0 70
Peas, "	0 58	0 60
Oats, "	0 40	0 41
Wool per lb...	0 60	0 60

Gait Markets

September 30.
White Wheat from \$1.20 to \$1.25; Treadwell \$1.15 to \$1.20; Barley 75c to 85c; Oats 35c to 45c; Peas 45c to 50c; Potatoes 27c to 30c; Butter 15c to 16c; Eggs 11c to 13c; Hay \$1.00 to \$1.05; Straw \$7.00 to \$8.00; Pork \$9.00 to \$9.00.—*Reformer.*

Elora Markets

October 1.
Fall Wheat from \$1.05 to \$1.10; Spring Wheat \$1.00 to \$1.05; Treadwell \$1.05 to \$1.10; Barley 55c to 60c; Peas 45c to 50c; Oats 35c to 40c; Butter 15c to 16c; Eggs 12c to 13c; Hides \$0.50.—

Fergus Markets

October 1.
Fall Wheat from \$1.10 to \$1.15; Spring Wheat \$1.05 to \$1.10; Treadwell \$1.10 to \$1.15; Barley 55c to 60c; Peas 45c to 50c; Oats 35c to 40c; Butter 15c to 16c; Eggs 12c to 13c; Hides \$0.50.—

Drayton Markets

October 1.
Fall Wheat from \$1.10 to \$1.15; Spring Wheat \$1.05 to \$1.10; Treadwell \$1.10 to \$1.15; Barley 55c to 60c; Peas 45c to 50c; Oats 35c to 40c; Butter 15c to 16c; Eggs 12c to 13c; Hides \$0.50.—

Harriston Markets

October 1.
Fall Wheat from \$1.12 to \$1.15; Spring Wheat \$1.07 to \$1.10; Treadwell \$1.08 to \$1.11; Barley 55c to 60c; Peas 45c to 50c; Oats 35c to 40c; Butter 15c to 16c; Eggs 12c to 13c; Hides \$0.50.—

Clifford Markets

October 1.
Fall Wheat from \$1.10 to \$1.15; Spring Wheat \$1.05 to \$1.10; Treadwell \$1.10 to \$1.15; Barley 55c to 60c; Peas 45c to 50c; Oats 35c to 40c; Butter 15c to 16c; Eggs 12c to 13c; Hides \$0.50.—

Mount Forest Markets

October 1.
Fall Wheat from \$1.10 to \$1.15; Spring Wheat \$1.05 to \$1.10; Treadwell \$1.10 to \$1.15; Barley 55c to 60c; Peas 45c to 50c; Oats 35c to 40c; Butter 15c to 16c; Eggs 12c to 13c; Hides \$0.50.—

Rockwood Markets

September 25.
Fall Wheat \$1.22 to \$1.25; Spring Wheat \$1.15 to \$1.18; Barley 75c to 85c; Peas 45c to 50c; Oats 35c to 40c; Butter 15c to 16c; Eggs 12c to 13c; Hides \$0.50.—

MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS.

HARRISTON—Friday before the Guelph Fair.
NEWTON—Saturday before Guelph.
BRANTFORD—The Saturday before Guelph.
ELORA—The day before Guelph.
DOUGLAS—Monday before Elora fair.
CLIFFORD—First Wednesday in each month.
CLIFFORD—Thursday before the Guelph fair.
TRIVETTALIS—Friday before the Guelph fair.
NEW HAMBURG—First Tuesday in each month.
BELMONT—First Thursday in each month.
ELMIRA—Second Monday in each month.
WATERLOO—Second Tuesday in each month.
CLIFFORD—Third Wednesday in each month.
HANOVER—Monday before Durham.
DURHAM—Tuesday before Mount Forest.
FERGUS—Thursday following Mount Forest.
ORANOVILLE—Second Thursday in January, March, May, July, September and November.
MONO MILLS—Third Wednesday in January, April, July and October.
ELMIRA—First Monday in January, April, Jul and October.
MASONVILLE—First Tuesday in February, May, August and November.
BRANTFORD—First Wednesday in each month.
LISTOWEY—First Friday in each month.
HILLABURG—Second Tuesday in January, March, May, July, September and November.
MOONSBIRD—Monday before Guelph.
HAMILTON—Crystal Palace Grounds, the day after Guelph.

\$3 to \$20 PER DAY. Agents wanted for all classes of working people, of either sex, young or mature, money at work for us in their spare moments, or all the time, than at anything else. Particulars free. Address G. Simmon & Co., Portland, Maine. mvsdwy

HAVING SUFFERED FOR SEVERAL years from Dyspepsia, resulting in great Nervous Prostration and General Debility. Improved Blood, Eruption of the Skin, Rheumatic and Neuralgic Pains, Restlessness, want of sleep and extreme lassitude, I was recommended to take Dr. Wheeler's Compound Elixir of Phosphates and Calisaya. Having persisted in its use for several weeks I recovered perfect health. My wife and children also have taken it, for general Tonic purposes to invigorate and strengthen the system and promote the formation of pure blood, with permanent benefit. It energises and sustains the vital forces in a remarkable manner.

BOOK FOR EVERY MAN.—The "SCIENCE OF LIFE, OR SELF-PRESERVATION," a Medical Treatise on the Cause and Cure of Exhausted Vitality, Premature Decline in Man, Nervous or Physical Debility, Hypochondria, Impotency, Spontaneous or Seminal Weakness, and all other diseases arising from the errors of youth or the indiscretions or excesses of mature years. This is indeed a book for every man. Thousands have been taught by this work the true way to health and happiness. It is the cheapest and best medical work ever published, and the only one on this class of ills worth reading. 100th edition, revised, much enlarged, illustrated, bound in beautiful French cloth. Price \$1. Sent by mail, post-paid, on receipt of price. Address: PEARSON MEDICAL INSTITUTE, No. 4, Bulfinch Street, Boston, Mass., or Dr. W. H. PARKER, Assistant Physician. N.B.—The authority may be consulted on the above as well as all diseases requiring skill and experience. mvsdwy

AUCTION SALE

TO TAKE PLACE AT THE

AGRICULTURAL WORKS

Of the late firm of

THAIN & ELLIOTT,

IN THE

TOWN OF GUELPH,

ON

Saturday, Oct. 11, 1873,

OF THE ENTIRE STOCK OF

Agricultural Implements,

Consisting of their celebrated makes, as follows:

4 Gang Ploughs,

10 double mould do.

75 Thain's heavy sod do.

60 Fleury do. (patented)

20 Root Cutters,

3 Horse Powers,

3 Johnson's Reapers,

50 Cumming's Straw Cutters

20 Cultivators,

70 Scufflers or Horse Hoers.

—ALSO—

Three Pedlars' Wagons,

Two double set Harness,

One single set harness,

One span of excellent horses.

The above presents a rare opportunity for Farmers to procure the best of implements, and at greatly reduced prices from the quotations of manufacturers.

The sale will take place at 12 o'clock, on Saturday, the 11th of October, inst., and the terms: For all sums over \$15 six months credit on giving approved endorsed notes.

W. S. G. Knowles,

Guelph, Oct. 1, 1873.

A RUACE OF MUSIC,

GUELPH

Intending Visitors to the Central Exhibition, don't go away without calling at our Establishment.

The Great Estey Cottage Organ,

Peloubet, Pelton & Co's. Organs

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AND

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ARE ALL TO BE SEEN THERE.

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Warerooms:

Three doors from the Post Office, opposite the Wellington Hotel.

A. C. OSBORNE,

Guelph, Sept 13, 1873.

THORP'S HOTEL, GUELPH, remod-

elled and newly furnished. Good accommodation for commercial travellers. Free omnibus to and from all trains. First-class Livery in connection.

May 14 dwtl JAS. A. THORP, Proprietor

BULL FOR SALE

—Thoroughbred Durham, 2 years old, with registered pedigree. Will be sold on easy terms. Apply to Andrew Litten, lot 5, 4th concession, Roushey's, Milton P.O. m22-w44

PETRIE'S DRUG STORE

No. 1 COAL OIL.

If you want to get the best White Coal Oil leave your orders at orders at Petrie's Drug Store. Oil sent to any part of the town.

Dye Stuffs, Dye Stuffs!

A very large stock of carefully selected Dye Stuffs just received.

All colors guaranteed.

OIL, OIL, OIL.

Threshing Machine Oil—a very superior quality kept constantly on hand. Give it a trial.

PAINTS AND OILS

A large stock will be sold very low.

Leeches, Leeches!

Medical men and Others can always get Leeches of the best quality by sending them to Petrie's Drug Store.

Orders by mail or telegraph promptly attended to.

Remember the place,

Petrie's New Drug Store

Nearly opposite the old store.

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McCullough's

Diarrhoea and Cholera Remedy!

The safest and most reliable remedy in use for the speedy and effectual cure of Diarrhoea, Dysentery, Cholera, and Cholera Morbus, and not one out of thousands who have used it has ever known it to fail. Price 25c per bottle.

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The most elegant Dressing ever offered to the public for strengthening and invigorating the hair, renders the hardest and coarsest, soft, fine, glossy, silky and beautiful, keeping it in any required position. Particularly adapted for summer, as it keeps the hair moist and the head cool. Prepared only by

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And several other kinds too numerous to mention, all of which will be sold by E. HARVEY & CO. at the lowest possible figure. A liberal discount allowed for large parcels.

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The Golden Lion this season will have the most extraordinary Stock of Fancy and Staple Goods ever exhibited.

Over 560 Cases and Bales to Arrive; 340 Cases and Bales already received.

Containing Silks, Poplins, Fancy Dresses, French Merinos, Shawls, Mantles, Millinery, Furs, Prints, Flannels, Blankets, and an

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ALL TO BE ON EXHIBITION THIS WEEK.

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Our Stock is now fully assorted for the Fall and Winter Trade, comprising all the Newest and Most Stylish Goods in the Country.

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CHOICE CONFECTIONERY AND BISCUITS,

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Invites the attention of the Trade to the Superior Quality of Goods now produced at his Manufactory, having introduced many new improvements, and employing only first-class workmen, and possessing every facility, he is prepared to supply, the trade with a class of goods unsurpassed by any manufacturer in

OZENGES, all flavors;

DROPS, assorted flavors and shapes;

GUM and LICORICE DROPS,

CONVERSATION LOZENGES,

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SODA, SWEET and FRUIT BISCUITS,

FRUIT BISCUITS,

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A Large Stock of Choice and Favorite Brand Cigars.

His Biscuits took the first prize over all others at the London Western Exhibition the only place where they were entered for competition. All his goods were fully packed and shipped with despatch

GUELPH TEA DEPOT

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Have Just Received

100 caddies best dollar Young Hyson Tea for 80c per lb.

150 caddies of the best 75c Tea for 60c per lb.

75 caddies of the best 80c Black Tea for 60c per lb.

82 caddies of the very best 75c Japan Tea for 60c per lb.

200 caddies of Beautiful 60c. Tea for 50c. per lb.

The above Teas are all put up in 5lb. Tin