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PAINTERS AND GLAZIERS, HUMPHRIES & REYNOLDS, Beg to announce to the people of Guelph and surrounding country that they have entered into partnership, and intend to carry on the Painting Business in all its branches in their shop a few doors west of the Guelph Sewing Machine Factory.

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THE CYLINDER ENGINE, Low-priced, servicable, quality machinery, iron and wood-working, of leading Canadian and U. S. manufacture.

JAS. R. ANNETT, 50 Wellington St. Montreal.

R. CAMPBELL, L.D.S., Having recovered from his recent illness, is again prepared to attend to the wants of all who may require his services.

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CHARLES RAYMOND, GUELPH, ONTARIO.

OIL, OIL, OIL, GUELPH OIL WORKS, Just received at the warehouse of the above another lot of superior water white kerosene, burning quantities of which cannot be obtained elsewhere.

CLARKE, CARD—Col. Kingsmill not finding it possible to call upon all his friends and acquaintances in order to solicit them to become subscribers to his forthcoming work, 'Life at St. Helena during the exile of Napoleon,' begs to inform them that he has deposited a quantity of the bookstems of

New Advertisements.

PORTER WANTED, Wanted, a porter. Apply to JOHN HORSMAN, Hardware Merchant, Guelph, Sept. 29, 1874.

WANTED—By the 22nd of October, a good cook who can wash and iron. Also a housemaid. Must have references. MRS. WATT.

WANTED—A good general servant. Apply at this office. S21-dtf.

DRSS MAKERS, IMPROVERS, and Apprentices wanted immediately at the Fashionable West End. A. O. BUCHAN, Guelph, Sept. 23, 1874.

HOT AIR FURNACE.—For sale, Mill's 2000 Wood Furnace, as good as new—wood furnace having been substituted. This may be had on reasonable terms. A. Lemon, Guelph, Sept. 8, 1874.

WANTED—By the 1st of October, a Cook in a small family. Apply to Mrs. Biscoe, Woolwich street, Guelph, Sept. 28, 1874.

RE-OPENING OF SCHOOL, Mrs. Budd begs to announce that she will re-open her English classes for young ladies and little boys, on MONDAY, Sept. 29, Woolwich Street, a31-d4w-4d

FOR SALE—A splendid chance for a Market Garden. Brick house and five acres land, 5 miles from town. Apply to R. W. Robertson, Flour and Feed Store, Guelph, Sept. 28, 1874.

BLACK SHAWL, trimmed with silk, found in Guelph about two weeks ago. The owner can have it by paying expenses. Apply at the MERCURY Office.

WANTED—A smart active boy to deliver the morning papers, and learn the Book and Stationery business. ANDEON'S Bookstore, Guelph, Sept. 30, 74. dtf

\$50 REWARD, The above reward will be paid for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who mutilate three tombstones in front of A. Kennedy's Marble Works, near Eramosa bridge, Guelph, on Sunday night last, 27th Sept. Guelph, Sept. 28, 74 dtf A. KENNEDY.

VERY DESIRABLE PROPERTIES, FOR SALE.—The subscriber has received instructions from Mr. James Masie to offer for sale real estate situated on Green street, with the dwelling house fronting on Norwich street. The property is situated in the best part of the town, and in excellent condition, having a frontage on Paisley and Oxford sts. Also, offers for sale his HOOPERMAN MANUFACTORY and machinery for carrying on the business. Factory situated on St. George's Square. Apply to R. EASTON, Guelph, Sept. 26, 1874. dtf R. EASTON, d&w Proprietor.

TWO DWELLINGS FOR SALE, The subscriber being about to leave Guelph offers for sale the valuable brick house in which he resides, situated on the corner of Paisley and Glasgow streets. The house contains 10 rooms, an excellent cellar, well, cistern, woodshed, &c. On the same property is a comfortable rough-cast cottage. The lot containing a good orchard. Will be sold together or divided to suit purchasers. Also two lots adjoining, having a frontage on Paisley and Oxford sts. Also, offers for sale his HOOPERMAN MANUFACTORY and machinery for carrying on the business. Factory situated on St. George's Square. Apply to R. EASTON, Guelph, Sept. 26, 1874. dtf R. EASTON, d&w Proprietor.

RED MILL Flour and Feed Store, Wyndham Street, Guelph. Family and Pastry Flour, and all kinds of Feed delivered in any part of the Town. R. W. ROBERTSON, Guelph, Sept. 1, 1874. dtf

FOR SALE—TYRCATHLEN LOTS, The Venerable Archdeacon Palmer has placed in my hands for sale the Lots in his new survey, immediately in rear of his residence and lying on the north side of Grange street. The situation cannot be surpassed in the town—conveniently connected with the Office, Church and Schools, commanding a magnificent view of the town and surrounding country. The lots are of different sizes, and well suited for private dwellings, with a first-class soil for gardening. Those lots on Tyrcathlen terrace are well adapted for genteel residences, (and will be sold to those who will bargain to put up a new house.) Plans of the Lots can be seen at my office and particulars learned.

TERMS very liberal. Purchases made this Fall, interest on balance of purchase money will not commence until 1st April, next. If desired, the lots will be pointed out on the ground. Also, if other lots lying to the north of Palmer's estate, in Macdonald's survey, and on Queen and Arthur streets. An early call is solicited. CHARLES DAVIDSON, Land and General Agent, Town Hall Building, Guelph, Aug. 31, 1874 dtf

THE CYLINDER ENGINE, Low-priced, servicable, quality machinery, iron and wood-working, of leading Canadian and U. S. manufacture. Cold-rolled Shafting, Gearing, Belling, Diamond Entry Wheels, and Grinders, &c. JAS. R. ANNETT, 50 Wellington St. Montreal.

WALDRON'S CONFECTIONERY STORE, Choice Confectionery, Hot Tea, Coffee, and Lunch At all hours. CAKES of all kinds constantly on hand. Weddings supplied on short notice. Guelph, July 29, 1874 dtf

RICE'S BILLIARD HALL, In the Queen's Hotel, Guelph, opposite the Market. The room has just been refitted in splendid style, the tables reduced in size, and everything done to make it a first-class Billiard Hall. Guelph, Nov. 23, 1873. dtf

MOKEY TO LEND, In sum of \$1000 borrowers. No solicitor fees. Apply direct to the undersigned. GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN, April 18, 1874 dtf

CARD—Col. Kingsmill not finding it possible to call upon all his friends and acquaintances in order to solicit them to become subscribers to his forthcoming work, 'Life at St. Helena during the exile of Napoleon,' begs to inform them that he has deposited a quantity of the bookstems of

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BY TELEGRAPH TO THE MERCURY Tyson, the Arctic Explorer.

Small Fox in Long Island. New York, Sept. 30th. — Capt. Tyson writes that he has made twelve voyages to the Arctic regions, and spent twenty-eight years of his life contending with Polar ice, adding, "Let those who have the means furnish a stout steamer, equipped and stored, and they will find me ready to start for the North Pole at short notice."

Small fox prevails to such an extent in Long Island City that a large hospital is to be immediately erected on recommendation of the Sanitary Committee.

FROM TORONTO. Toronto, Sept. 30th—1 p.m. Leaving, tried yesterday for the murder of his wife, was this morning found guilty of manslaughter.

The Methodist Conference last night by a large majority, rejected the recommendation of the Committee on Itinerary to permit alteration in the terms of ministrations.

POLICE COURT. (Before the Police Magistrate.) Sept. 30. Hugh McConachie, for being drunk, was fined \$1 and costs.

Wellington County Fall Assizes. On Tuesday next, 6th October, the Fall Assizes for this County will open. The criminal docket is as follows: John Hazle, wounding with intent to murder; Joseph Hauser and others, riotously injuring the buildings of Wendelen Sauer, Birmingham; Thomas Birmingham, obstructing highway; J. H. Stynoff, alias Henry Steiner, Maryborough, bigamy; Benjamin Hall, voluntary escape of prisoner; Robert Craig, Fergus News Record, libel.

Town and County News. THE HARRISON BANQUET.—Tickets to this Banquet, to be held on the 1st, are for sale at the MERCURY Office.

ATHLETIC.—The pupils of Galt Collegiate Institute held their Athletic Sports publicly on Friday, Oct. 2nd.

HAMILTON CENTRAL FAIR.—The date of holding this fair for 1875 has been fixed by the Directors for the week following the Provincial Fair at Ottawa.

CORRECTION.—At the Central Exhibition Charles Thain took the 3rd prize for game plough, and not Thompson & Williams, as printed in the prize list.

Y.M.C.A.—The members of the Association will please remember the annual business meeting to-morrow (Thursday) evening at 7.30. The officers for the ensuing year will be elected, and we trust the members will make an effort to be present.

ELVA AND WALLACE FALL SHOW.—This Show will be held at Listowel on Wednesday and Thursday, Oct. 7th and 8th; \$1,500 will be offered in prizes, many of which rival those of the Provincial Exhibition.

TO KEEP CIDER SWEET.—Heat the cider until it boils, pour into bottles which have been previously heated to prevent cracking. Cork tight, and seal immediately, and in a few days the cider will keep unchanged for years.

Business in all its branches, in Clifford, has been, and is still very brisk, and is expected to be even more so during the present and coming seasons. The grain dealers are making extensive preparations, and the "Clifford Market" promises to be first class in every respect.

EVANGELICAL ALLIANCE.—Tickets for admission to the meetings of this alliance, to be held in Montreal, commencing on Tuesday next, are for sale at Anderson's, at \$1 each. They enable holders to obtain railway tickets at one fare for the double journey.

FREEMASONRY.—Mr. T. D. Harington, Most Worshipful Past Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Master Freemasons of Canada, has received a warrant from the Supreme Council of the 33rd Degree, authorizing him to establish that degree in Canada. It is signed by the Prince of Wales, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of England, by the Earl of Caernarvon, and a host of other dignitaries of the Order in Great Britain.

SABBATH SCHOOL CONVENTION.—Brantford is the favored spot for the holding of the eleventh Provincial Sabbath School Convention. The time of the convocation is the 13th of October and two following days. The distinguished Rev. Dr. Weston, of Philadelphia, William Reynolds, of Philadelphia, Illinois, and the great musical composer, W. Howard Doane, of Cincinnati, Ohio. The topics to come under review commend themselves to every Sunday School worker.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE IN ERIN.—On Monday, the 14th inst., a very destructive fire occurred in the Township of Erin, by which the barn, stables and sheds of Mr. John McMillan, Oct. 2, lot 14, were completely destroyed, together with all the contents, comprising the crop of from 55 to 60 acres. About 5,500 rails, some fruit trees, and about 7 acres of hardwood brush were also consumed. The loss sustained by Mr. McMillan cannot be less than \$2,000. It was only by the strenuous exertions of the neighbors that the buildings of Mr. Robertson, Oct. 1, lot 13, were saved from destruction. Mr. Barber has also lost a quantity of valuable lumber; Mr. Cutting the greater part of his fences; Mrs. Danbar, her house and stable; and Messrs. Waters & Reid, a quantity of rails and fences.

"It's a wonderful place is Australia," said a Scotsman to a friend; "it's thirteen times as big as Europe." "How can that be, man?" replied the other, "since Europe is one of the quarters of the globe?" "I'll tell you how it is; it was discovered till after the globe was made, and so the maker of it

Eramosa and Rockwood Fall Show.

The Fall Show of this Society was held in Rockwood on Tuesday, and was in all respects the largest and most successful which has been held under the same auspices. The show ground is now greatly improved, and a little more levelling will render it a most excellent and suitable place for exhibition purposes. In the matter of providing such accommodation for the people of Rockwood, deserve great credit for their enterprise and public spirit. And they have given proof of this not only as regards their annual exhibition, but in the erection of a large, substantial, and handsome school house, which is adjacent to the show ground, and also in putting up a commodious Town hall, these were exhibitors from Eramosa, Erin, Nassagawaga, Esquering, Nelson, Guelph, and other places. There was a very good turn-out of horses—though in some of the younger classes we should have liked to see more of them and of better quality. The same remark is made by nearly all judges at our town and district shows, and comparisons, not at all complimentary to Wellington, are made between the horses shown here and those that we meet with in other counties—especially Waterloo.

There was, however, a fine turn-out of carriage and buggy horses, and roadsters, and great interest was taken in the trial of speed in the ring. There was also keen competition in the class of hackneys, and for the special prize given by Mr. Farrah for the best trotter.

There were some very superior animals in the Durham class of cattle, and in this same class, we saw a very fine specimen of the kind, which we have only to refer to the prize list for the names of well-known farmers, who are noted for keeping good stock. The same remark will apply to the grades, which were numerous, and all in the best condition.

Swop made a splendid show, being behind the Guelph Central only in numbers and variety. It will be seen that Mr. L. Parkinson took the special prize for the best pen of five sheep.

There was a good average show of pigs, but many of them being kept in the wagons it was hard to get a good sight of them. There was an excellent collection of poultry, and we are glad to notice that increased interest is being taken in this important branch of farm industry.

As regards grain, we believe the display was better than we had at the Central. The wheat was excellent, and the same may be said of the peas and barley. There was an excellent collection of some of that shown did not seem to be half filled. Potatoes were in great abundance, and the samples were very superior, both as regards size and quality. There were 26 entries for Early Rose alone. The turnips were even better than the potatoes, and the competition was very keen. In Swedes alone there were 35 entries, and 12 of other kinds. There was a very good collection of vegetables, and considering the dry summer, it was surprising to see them so large and well grown.

In dairy produce the competition was very keen, and knowing the excellent quality of butter made by the industrious matrons in the district, we may well suppose that the judges had no easy task. There were 24 entries of salt, and 28 entries of fresh butter. In cheese the competition was not near so keen, but the quality was excellent. There was an extraordinary display of bread, as much we believe as would have fed the multitude of the grounds. Some of the loaves looked most tempting.

In the class of fruit we may say that we have never seen a better display, and the judges were profuse in their praise of many of the samples. Apples were in almost endless variety, but what surprised us most was to see the many samples of excellent well grown pears, and two good samples of grapes. Of bottled fruit, entered for the Messrs. Harris's special prize, there was a splendid collection in fine preservation.

We cannot trust ourselves to speak at length of the great variety and excellence of the ladies' work. From the finest crochet to the mammoth quilt, every description of ladies' work was well represented, and many of the specimens were really models of taste and samples of rare skill in this class of work. The flower wreaths also deserve all praise for their beauty of design and finish.

The collection of plants and flowers in pot, cut, and in bouquet, was far ahead of what is generally seen at a district show, and in either class would do no discredit to a first-class Horticultural Exhibition.

Some excellent harness, team and carriage—was shown by Mr. James W. Knowles, and team harness by Mr. Wm. Mathews. Mr. Jacob Westover had some very neat, well-made boots.

Torrance & Richardson had an excellent assortment of implements—all well made and well adapted for farm work. They also showed a substantial wagon, cart and democrat. They also showed an improved set of bob sleighs, by which the sleigh can be turned sharp round, without danger of upsetting. This is a great improvement of the old kind.

Campbell & McKean had some excellent work in the shape of wagon, democrat and buggy. These are highly creditable to them. The same applies to the buggy and democrat shown by Mr. Jas. Byder. The work altogether in this class is the best of the kind we have seen at a district show. Mr. H. Miller had his two superior ploughs on the ground, which we described under the Central in Guelph. Mr. A. Stevenson had also one of his well-known iron ploughs.

We must not omit to mention that Mr. J. G. Hill, of Acton, exhibited a collection of very excellent, well taken photographs.

The Judges in the different departments were—For horses, Messrs. Wilson Patterson, Garraza; S. Bathgate, Guelph Township; D. Morrison, Nassagawaga, Cattle and implements, Messrs. P. Rennis, Garraza; B. Ireland, Nelson; and A. Altherson, Guelph Township.

Domestic Manufactures, &c.

Best pair blankets, Robt Wilson; ten yards of flannel Wm Gordon, 2nd Robt Wilson; full cloth, Wm Gordon, 2nd Maggie Allan; maple sugar, 5 lbs. Wm Matrie, 1st Wm Light; honey in the comb, 5 lbs. Robt Dredge, 2nd Wm Tolton; 2nd Robt Dredge. Maple molasses, commended (name not known). Dairy produce—Best firkin salt butter, not less than 56 lbs, fit for exportation, pair of blankets, given by Harris & Co., Rockwood, value, \$7.

Mrs. John Rae, 2nd Mrs F McGreggor, 3rd Mrs Geo Scott, 4th Mrs John Nichol; basket of fresh butter, not less than 5 lbs. Mrs L Parkinson, 2nd Mrs C Swackhammer, 3rd Mrs Geo Coghlin, 4th Miss Lister; dairy cheese, not less than 8 lbs. Duncan Gillies, 2nd Wm Hodgkinson, 3rd Isaac Anderson, 4th Mrs J Parkinson; 2nd of team harness, Jas W Knowles, 2nd W Mathews; carriage harness, W Knowles; pair lady's boots, Jacob Westover; gent's boots do.

IMPLEMENTS, &c.—Best assortment of implements, given by Messrs. Torrance & Richardson, Rockwood, \$5, Torrance & Richardson; farm, Wm Knowles, 2nd McKenzie, 3rd Torrance & Richardson; democrat wagon, Campbell & McKenzie, 2nd Jas Byder; one horse buggy, Jas Ryder, 2nd Campbell & McKenzie; iron plough, A Stevenson, 2nd Wm Torrance; plough any other kind, Hugh Millroy, 2nd Wm Torrance; one horse cart, Torrance & Richardson; turnip drill do; pair iron seed harrow, W Torrance; shod horse—shod by member of Society, James Elliott; set horse shoes, Campbell & McKenzie.

MISCELLANEOUS—Best barrel flour, Wm Michie, 2nd G & E Tolton; basket hops, John Grievie, 2nd Norman Do, 3rd Wm Bred, home made, Mrs Joseph Croft, 2nd Miss Mary Ferguson, 3rd Mrs William Munter.

Fruit, &c.—Best collection of apples, not less than twelve varieties, named, 4 each, Hugh Black, 2nd Jas Bolton, 3rd John Black, 12 and do, Wm Rea, 12th H Black; 12 St Laurance; 12th Wm Coughlin, 2nd Gloria Mundi do, T Mc Coughlin, 2nd L Parkinson; any other variety fall apple, H Duffield, sen., 2nd Jas Bolton; Rhode Island Greenings, Thos Hughes, 2nd Jonathan Lister; American Golden russet, John Peters, 2nd Anderson; Norman's Spyr, 2nd Peter, 2nd Isaac Anderson; any other variety of winter apple, John Ramsey, 2nd Samuel Kerr; six fall pears, B & A Tolton, 2nd Alex Hill; winter, ditto Mark Sutton, 2nd Thos Hughes; sample grapes, Joseph Parkinson, 2nd Mrs S A Secord; dozen Siberian crab, Thos McCullough; Transcendant do, Wm Parkinson; plum, Jno Ramsey, 2nd Alex Nairn; fruit, bottled, not less than six kinds, pair Union blankets, given by Messrs Harris & Co., value \$5, Mrs John Wetherald; peaches, commended—John Wetherald.

LADIES' DEPARTMENT.—Specimen of work in wax, Mrs Wm Farrah; wreath work, Mrs Wm Reaney, 2nd Miss Light; crocheted work, Miss Aldous, 2nd Mrs Seth Bailey, 3rd Miss Dobbin; mesh work, Mrs J Parkinson, 2nd Mrs John Rea; plain worsted work, Miss Jane J Tolton, 2nd Mrs J Parkinson, 3rd Mrs S A Secord; worsted work, raised, Miss Hannah Tolton, 2nd Mrs J S Loree, 3rd Mrs Seth Bailey; specimen hooked mat, Miss M Parkinson, 2nd Miss Jane P Tolton, 3rd Mrs J Parkinson; quilt in piece work, Miss E Norris, 2nd Mrs Wm McFarlane, 3rd Miss Jessy Duffield; highly recommended—Miss Crowson; counterpane, Mrs White, 2nd Mrs J Norris; 3rd Mrs J Grievie; Gent's shirt—hand or machine made, Miss Gordon, 2nd Mrs Seth Bailey, 3rd Mrs D Gillies; ornamental needle work, Mrs J Parkinson, 2nd Miss E Norris, 3rd (name not to be found); head work, Mrs J Parkinson, 2nd Mrs Wm Farrah, 3rd Miss Jessy Duffield; pair worsted socks, Mrs H Duffield, ditto pair worsted garter; pair worsted mitts, Mrs Wm Mutrie, 2nd Miss Jesse Anderson, 3rd Mrs Wm Kitcher; fancy knitting, Mrs John Grievie, 2nd Mrs J Wetherald, 3rd Miss Gordon; broderie in muslin, Mrs Thos Knudell, 2nd Miss M Parkinson; specimen braiding, Mrs Parkinson, 2nd Mrs John Tolton; feather flowers, Miss M Hemstreet; agricultural wreath, Mrs D Gillies, 2nd Miss N Osborn.

FLOWERS.—Collection of window plants, John A. Davidson, 2nd Mrs W. Ramsey; collection of animals, Joseph Parkinson, 2nd L Parkinson, 3rd Joshua Norris; collection of pansies, 12 flowers, not less than 4 varieties, J Parkinson; col. of balsams, 12 flowers, not less than 4 varieties, Mrs L Parkinson, 2nd Miss Light; col. of stocks, 12 flowers, not less than 4 varieties, Miss R. Smith, 2nd J Parkinson; col. of asters, 12 flowers, not less than 4 varieties, J Parkinson, 2nd Miss J Tolton; col. of French margolds, 12 flowers, not less than 3 varieties, Mrs L Parkinson, 2nd Miss H Tolton; col. of African margolds, 12 flowers, not less than 3 varieties, Mrs L Parkinson, 2nd John A. Davidson; col. of mimus, 12 flowers, not less than 3 varieties, Miss J. P. Tolton, 2nd John A. Davidson; col. of coccombs, 4 flowers, Jos. Parkinson, 2nd Mrs J Norris; bouquet for table, Miss J. P. Tolton, 2nd Mrs L Parkinson, 3rd Jos Parkinson; bouquet for hand, Jos Parkinson, 2nd Miss H Tolton, 3rd Mrs L Parkinson.

THE PRINCE OF WALES'S DEBTS.—The reports about the Prince of Wales's debts, and a contemplated application to Parliament to pay them, have at last found their way into English print. They are discussed with singular frankness by a new weekly paper published in London under the title of the World—a paper which evinces a very distinct purpose to compel public attention by boldness of speech on some matters usually passed over in silence, or spoken of with bated breath. In mere rumors of debts owing by the Prince of Wales there is nothing novel; they have long been talked about. It is the rumored intention to get them paid which gives rise to fresh remarks, and there is perhaps an element of surprise in the sum of £240,000 to which their total has been said to amount.

PROPOSED NEW PERIODICALS.—The Daily Recorder, the daily record of proceedings of the Toronto Methodist Conference, has an article advocating the permanent establishment of a Toronto religious daily, not exactly the Washingtonian, but still in a sense under the patronage of Wesleyanism. The Recorder also advocates the establishment of a Methodist Magazine; and there is no reason why a vigorous and scholarly monthly in the interest named should not be produced and sustained.

CHICAGO HAS SIXTY BANKS, some of them