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SNAPS IN CLOTHING
A big job lot bought from W. R. Sanford & Co., Hamilton, in Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits, &c., bought with 40c off, and also, we have just received a fine lot of Men's Striped Worsted Suits, all wool, from Halifax. We will sell at half price. Come and see them.
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CITY OF GUELPH, MONDAY EVENING, JULY 4, 1892

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Bell's celebrated Hamilton plants, best grown, also, Celery and Tomato plants.
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The great insect exterminator.
AT
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Clearing Sale
HAVING Succeeded to the business of the late M. L. Simpson, and in order to make room for Fall Goods we have determined to mark down the price of every article now in stock, and thereby hope to start with a store replete in every detail.
Those wishing to secure Bargains would do well to call early.
NOTE THE STAND,
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SELLING OUT.
NOW is your time for a good Water Wave Bang or Switch, at a low price. As we have sold our property and have only 30 days longer in the store, all goods must be sold in that time. Orders from outside towns promptly attended to. A. F. SODEN, 72 Upper Wyndham-st., Opp. the George Williams' Grocery, Guelph. junesldlm

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Buy your Horse Feed at
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ALL persons are warned against trespassing or bathing in Gow's Bush, from Edinburgh Road to Creamery. R. H. BARBER. ju7d6

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Butter Beans and New Green Peas.
Cyclone Soap 6 bars 25 cents.
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Large Three Pound can Stewed Pumpkin for pies 10c per can; 3lb can Tomatoes 10c; Sweet Corn and Peas 10c; Best brand Pink Salmon 2 cans 25c; 1½ lbs self sealer jars Baking Powder 25c. A beautiful bright yellow Sugar 25 lbs, $1; Extra Granulated Sugar 20 lbs $1. Buy your Sugars now before preserving season starts.
Have you seen the handsome picture of "The Canadian Militia" given with twenty-five wrappers Ammonia Electric Soap or ten wrappers Puritan Soap.
The only place in town where you can get Silverware coupons with your Groceries.
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All kinds of Early Vegetables.

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The Great Bargain House of Guelph.
21 lbs. Redpath's Extra Quality Granulated Sugar for $1, also 25 lbs. very Bright Yellow Sugar for $1.00.
These Sugars are the very best value in the city. Pure Amber Syrup, 40c. per gallon, 10c. per quart.
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3 cans Salmon ... 25c
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Call in and examine our Goods and Prices We have always got something to interest you
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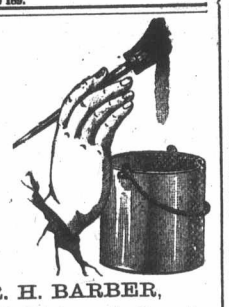
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TAXES FOR 1892.
Ratepayers are hereby notified that the
SCHOOL TAXES
being the FIRST INSTALMENT of Taxes for the current year will fall due on
The 7th Day of July Next,
and if the said First Instalment be not paid on or before the said 7th day July, Five per cent will be added thereto, in accordance with the Bylaw passed by the City Council. And also that a Discount of Three per cent (equal to Nine Per Cent. per annum), will be allowed on the Second Instalment, if paid with the First on or before the 7th day of July.
Do not put off Payment till the last day.
Attention is called to the following:—When making payment present tax bill. Cheques must be "marked" good. All Taxes must be paid at the Collector's Office, in the City Hall Building, upstairs.
By Order,
d4 28 30, july 4 6 JOHN HUTTON, Collector.

Summer Suitings at Cost.
Full Line Trowserings.
J. BROOKING, Tailor,
Merchant Tailor.
P. S.—Cutting Taught. First class System. All kinds of Gentlemen's Garments. Call for terms.
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SPECIAL NOTICES.

We have received from New York a new lot of Ingrain paper in the latest shadings, with border and ceiling decorations in Ingrain to match. A nice Ingrain paper at 15c a roll, at Day's bookstore.

We sell a nice Willow Baseball Bat, Spalding's make, 3B for 15c, common price 25c. Baseball at half the usual price. Day's bookstore is the spot to buy goods for outdoor games, for we have a better stock and lower prices than our competitors.

Silk, Balbriggan, Merino and Natural Wool Underclothing in all sizes up to 44 breast measure at Shaw & Grundy's.

Choice Canadian Strawberries, Ripe Tomatoes, Green Cucumbers, Cabbage and all kinds of Grasses at George Williams', 81 and 83 Upper Wyndham St.

JOHN M. BOND & CO. have been appointed agents for the celebrated Brantford Bicycles, and will be pleased to quote prices and show the goods to all parties interested. Give them a call before buying your wheel.

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Down, Down in Price.
Put up in Square Packages.
1 lb. 20c.
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Get it Pure and Cheap from
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For Sale or to Let.

Houses to Rent.

THE house containing 8 rooms on Arthur street, formerly occupied by F. B. Skinner; also, large stone house occupied by the undersigned, containing 10 rooms, conservatory, stable, etc., in good repair, with beautiful grounds commanding a fine view of the city, also 10 acres of land within 15 minutes walk of Market. For particulars apply to JAS. ECOUGH or THE MERCURY office. may28dtf

TO LET—House on Neeve street. Good well and garden. Rent $4.50 per month. Apply to W. CRAIG, Neeve street, or J. CRAIG, at Bell & Co's. d2

House to Let.

A BRICK COTTAGE, corner Liverpool and Arnold streets, 5 rooms, hard and soft water. Apply to P. RYAN, at Ashery. june8d3

HOUSE TO LET—$12.50 per month. The stone house on Douglas street, opposite Guthrie & Watt's office. Ten rooms, city water and cistern. Apply to HUGH MCMILLAN. june6dtf

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ON Liverpool street, nine rooms besides bath room, kitchen and pantries. Hot air furnace, gas, hard, soft and city water. House in first class order. Apply to HUGH WALKER & SON, 47 and 49 Wyndham st. m23dtf

HOUSE TO RENT—Five rooms, large garden and stable. Five dollars per month. S. & G. PENFOLD. m25dtfeod

FOR SALE

LOTS 262 and 267 Canada Company's Survey, on Essex street, bounded by Birmingham and Manchester streets, with stable thereon. Property available for a quarry if required. Apply at this Office. june25d6eod 2 ss

Two Houses To Let

ONE at $17 per month and one at $7 With immediate possession. Both close to business. Apply to John Smith, 20 Wyndham street. my25dtf

WANTED—A lady wishes a situation as housekeeper or companion where servant is kept. Best of references. Address, Box 126, Guelph. ju30d3

LUMBER—LUMBER—THE PROprietor offers for sale the well-known and established planing mill and lumber yard, en bloc or separate; one of the best chances in Ontario; the establishment is the best equipped west of Toronto; with machinery of the latest improvements for manufacturing doors, sashes, blinds, etc.; run with a new 50 horse power Wheelock engine. ROBT. STEWART, Guelph. july4d6ead

WANTED—A girl accustomed to general housework. Apply to G. A. FOWKE, corner of Dublin and Charles streets, City. d1

Executor's Notice to Creditors.

In the Matter of the Estate of Maggie Latimer Simpson, deceased.

PURSUANT to Chapter 110 Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1887, notice is hereby given that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of Maggie Latimer Simpson, late of the City of Guelph, in the County of Wellington, deceased, who died on or about the third day of June, A.D. 1892, at the said City of Guelph, are on or before the Fifteenth day of July, A. D. 1892, to send to W. B. Cowan, M. D., and Robert Howie, Esq., Guelph P. O., executors of the last will and testament of the said Maggie Latimer Simpson, their christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and nature of the securities (if any) held by them and that after the said 15th day of July, 1892, the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to those claims of which they have received notice, and the said executors will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, to any person or persons of whose claims notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.
Dated at Guelph, this 16th day of June, A. D. 1892
McLEAN & McLEAN,
Solicitors for the said Executors.
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Puslinch Lake Hotel.
THIS favorite Hotel has been leased by the undersigned, and been thoroughly renovated, and is now in the best of order as a Summer resort. Everything first class and charges moderate. Picnic parties can be arranged for by addressing me at Box 33, Hespeler P. O.
FRANK GUYETT.
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MR. JAS. WATT, chairman of the Board of Education, and of the firm of Guthrie & Watt, barristers, has left for Port Cockburn for a month's holidays.

THE permanent popularity of Burdock Blood Bitters is due to the high ratio of cures it performs. In nine cases out of ten it is successful.

It Can't be Done!
Every attempt to imitate the incomparable Turkish Dyes ends in an ignominious failure. Sometimes the package is imitated. Sometimes it is the color. The failure is doubly disastrous. The dealer suffers in reputation, and the imitators are exposed by those who have been deceived by them. Sometimes old dyes are offered at a less price than the Turkish Dyes. That is another poor trick. That, too, recoils upon those who use it. Merit will make its way. The fame of Turkish Dyes is far and near. Ladies tell each other of what they have accomplished with them. That is the best advertisement in the world. Not what is said about an article but what that article will do. That is the vital point. Every lady who has used Turkish Dyes knows that every color of the 79 will produce a lovely effect that their lustre is a delight; and their permanency a solid satisfaction. Wash the common dyes and your dress will be mottled in the most distressing manner. Wash the Turkish Dyes, and the colors will be improved. You don't want shading colors when you buy Turkish Dyes. They are perfect in themselves.
Send postal for "How to Dye Well" and Sample Card, to 481 St. Paul street, Montreal.

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4 per cent paid on sums of $1 and upwards, from date of deposit to date of withdrawal, or compounded half yearly on 31st May and 30th November.
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A General Banking Business transacted
A. F. H. JONES, Manager.
Guelph July 4, 1892. dw

Sons of Scotland.
THE REGULAR MEETING OF Camp Holyrood, No. 18, S. O. S., will be held on Monday evening, at 8 o'clock sharp. Business—Initiation, Report of the Grand Camp meeting and other important business. All members are requested to attend.
JOHN SMITH, Chief. T. H. MIDDLETON, Sec

I. O. O. F.
REGULAR Meeting of Reliance Lodge I. O. O. F., this Evening, at 8. Business—Installation and General. Visiting brethren welcome.
R. MCLEOD, N. G. J. COLSON, Sec.

DEATHS.
JAMIESON—In Guelph, on the 3rd July, Algernon, third son of Judge Jamieson, aged 18 years.
The remains were taken to Arnprior this morning for interment.

Local News.

CITY Council tonight.

THERE was a large number of people in the city today.

THIS is the 116th anniversray of the Independence of the U. S.

MRS. Marsland and daughter Ethel, Toronto, are visiting in Guelph.

As will be seen by advertisement in another column, Mr. Robert Stewartoffers his lumber establishment for sale.

THE final dividend of the defunct Central Bank is being paid out today at the Bank of Commerce.

YESTERDAY'S rain was the worst that has befallen the crops in this section yet. Many fields are injured more or less.

AT the meeting of the Wellington Mutual today, Mr. John I. Hobson was appointed director, in place of Col. Hespeler, resigned.

The collection at the customs for the month of June this year was $6100.37, an increase of $2005.10, compared with the same month of last year.

MR. Thos. Moffatt, son of Ald. Moffatt, painter, has painted a beautiful sign board for his father in his spare moments. The design is good and the lettering exceptionally so.

MISS Burnett, so well and favorably known in this city for a long time as chief operator of the Bell Telephone Company, has recovered from her protracted illness, and is expected to resume her duties here on the 1st August.

PROF. Shaw is still confined to his house from the fracture of the scapula bone, which he sustained the other day. Fortunately it was the professor's left arm which was broken, so that he is able to employ a great portion of the time, which would be otherwise monotonous, in writing. The professor will be confined to the house for some time yet.

Two beautiful rainbows were observed last night in the southeast. They continued for about half an hour. The nearest one was a beauty, but the one furthest away on the same line was not so distinct.

KNOX Church Sabbath School hold their annual picnic in Mr. James Miller's bush, on Thursday. Carryalls for the children and congregation will be run free and back from the church from one o'clock in the afternoon until 9 o'clock in the evening.

ONE of the cabs accompanying the body of young Mr. Jamieson to the station this morning collapsed on Woolwich street, on account of a broken axle. Fortunately the horses did not start off, and the only misfortune to the occupants was that they had to take other means of locomotion down.

"I KNOWS."—An interesting discussion took place the other evening between two colored men in regard to the composition of the new pavement on Wyndham street. One, a stranger to the city, held out it was stone. The city bred gent expressed himself in the following manner: "What you knows about de sidewalk? I'se read de city papers, and de flagstones youse see is composed of 'purmament.' Use right, kase I see'd dem makin' it." The country gent had nothing more to say, and led the way out.

DEATH OF JUDGE JAMIESON'S SON.—Judge and Mrs. Jamieson and family will have the sincere sympathy of the citizens in the loss of their third son, a youth of eighteen, whose death took place on Sunday morning. He had been suffering from grip at his old home, Almonte, and was hardly able to be about when the family moved to Guelph five weeks ago. In a few days he again took to his bed here, with a low fever, which developed into a kind of typhoid and afterwards a tubercular trouble went to his brain. Hope was revived a little in the middle of last week when he recovered consciousness, but a turn for the worse again came on Friday and he gradually sank. He was preparing himself for matriculation at McGill University, intending to study medicine. The loss of one whose life seemed opening out with so much promise must prove a very heavy blow, especially as his last illness and death have occurred among comparative strangers, though neighbors and acquaintances gave help and sympathy as far as they were able. The Judge and his second son accompanied the remains to Arnprior, where the body will be buried, leaving by the 6.45 train this morning, a brief service being conducted at the house by Rev. Dr. Hannon.

SUDDEN DEATH. — Sunday morning Benjamin Wise, a farmer residing at Schaw station, was found dead in his bed. On Saturday he had been engaged helping at a barn raising, at a neighboring farmer's. When he came home at night he complained of being tired and went to bed early. Mrs. Wise heard him give two or three groans after he had lain down, but paid no particular attention to them, thinking that he was done out. She retired shortly after and thinking her husband asleep did not disturb him. In the morning when she woke up she found him in the same position as when she went to bed and when she attempted to wake him found that he was dead. It is supposed he died about the time she heard the groans.

A Little Warmer.
Moderate winds, fine and a little warmer.

MR. and Mrs. Smead, of Toronto, returned home this morning after a visit of a few days to Mr. and Mrs. Law, Jane St.

MR. and Mrs. Robt. Armstrong, of Teeswater, are in the city on their way to the old country.

DUNDAS Star:—Miss Maggie Forsyth, lately stenographer at Geo. H. Harper & Co's., has returned to her home in Guelph.

A DESPATCH from St. Thomas says that Charles Law, who is leaving Tilsonburg for Guelph, was presented with a gold watch by his numerous friends.

THE councillors of Drayton entertained the county commissioners at the Western hotel, Drayton, last Wednesday while letting the contract for a new iron bridge.

THE Township of West Luther has appealed against the award of the County Assessment Valuators, on the ground of the assessment of Luther being too high in comparison with other municipalities.

JOHN Darroch, ex reeve of Minto, and Mrs. Darroch left on Saturday for a season's excursion around the upper lakes. They went from here to Wiarton where they will spend a few days. From there they go to Owen Sound, thence to Sault Ste Marie and up the lakes.

MR. F. E. Goodwin, who has for some time past been principal of the R. C. Separate Schools, of Stratford, being about to remove to Montana, was presented with a handsome gold headed cane from the boys of the senior department.

THE Galt Reporter says:—Last week Mr. Thomas Clelland, of Sheffield, sheared for Mr. S. Waite, near St. George, fifty-two sheep in eight hours, besides driving seven miles. He also drove ten miles and sheared 50 sheep for Mr. Thos. Moffatt in the same time. This, we believe, beats the record.

As a warning to light fingered boys who steal strawberries, bananas and other articles from shop doors, we give them a hint that if they continue doing it they will be arrested. Some of their names are known, and they are being watched.

THE Elora Lodge of I. O. O. F. have postponed their decoration ceremonies, which they proposed holding on the 7th inst., in order to be present at the visit of Grand Master Fitzpatrick in this city on the same evening.

THE annual picnic of the Norfolk street Methodist church Sunday School will be held at Victoria Park on Tuesday, July 12th.

COWS KILLED BY LIGHTNING.—Preston Progress: On Wednesday afternoon three valuable cows belonging to Mr. Peter Bauer, which were grazing in the pasture field across the river, were struck by lightning and instantly killed. Mr. Bauer has had a great deal of misfortune with his cattle killed by lightning. About a year ago he lost twelve fine milch cows, and six years ago he lost another cow.

THE WHEAT IN DUMFRIES.—The Galt Reporter says:—Despite the heavy rains of the past week the fields of wheat, the heaviest seen for years in this vicinity, are still standing up. Here and there a small patch may be seen somewhat lodged, but as a rule the plant stands strong and the sight is enough to gladden the eyes of all. Heavy lands, however, we regret to say, are suffering, and on those lands only dry weather can save the crop. Rust is greatly to be dreaded.

S. O. E.—On Thursday evening the Sons of England held a very successful meeting. The White Rose degree was conferred on four candidates. The committee for the reception of the S. of E. of Toronto reported progress. This will be one of the largest excursions that has visited the city this season. The date is the 15th August.

MR. J. F. McMahon, a graduate of the Guelph Business College, has secured the responsible position of assistant manager of the shipping department in the large establishment of "Frank Bros.," 138 to 144 State street, Chicago, Ill. The house is one of the largest department stores in Chicago, and Mr. McMahon, who is well and favorably known in this vicinity is to be congratulated on his success, which he gratefully attributes to "the valuable training he received at the Guelph Business College."

VISITING IN MINTO.—The Harristen Tribune says:—James Laidlaw, Esq., ex-warden of Wellington and ex M. P.P., of South Wellington, has been visiting friends in Harriston for several days. He drove out out to Ferdwich on Monday to visit his niece, Mrs. A. Hutchison, and was greatly delighted with that section. On Tuesday he sent word out Jos. Lavery to kill the fatted calf as he and some friends were coming out to visit him, Jas. Connel and other friends. On Tuesday morning early he got out the best livery carriage in town, collected all the best looking ladies and went to see Joe. Joe had done more than kill the fatted calf and they had a merry time, but returned home in good time. Mr. Laidlaw likes the looks of our farms and buildings in Minto and Howick and was almost got to say that they were as good as in Guelph.

Blood poisoned by diphtheria, the Grip, typhoid fever, scarlet fever, etc., is made pure and healthy by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

FUNERAL OF MRS. HIGNELL.—The funeral of Mrs. Henry Hignell took place yesterday afternoon to the Union Cemetery and it was well attended in spite of the very unfavorable weather. Rev. W. J. Magwood, the new pastor of Paisley street Methodist church, officiated at the house and grave. Mrs. Hignell was the wife of Henry Hignell, blacksmith, with whom she was united in marriage 32 years ago. Her maiden name was Jane Davis, and she was a native of the county of Peel. She leaves, besides her husband, four sons and four daughters. Two of the sons, Albert, of Hamilton, Henry, of Detroit; three brothers, James Davis, of Mitchell, Young and William Davis, of Derry West, Peel county, and Geo. Buskin were the pall bearers at the funeral.

COMMITTED FOR STEALING A WATCH.—Thos. Chambers and Robt. Fields, jr., both of Guelph, were committed to jail by the Mayor of Palmerston this morning on a charge of stealing a gold watch, chain and locket from the Mansion House, at Palmerston, from one Nellie Atkinson, daughter of the proprietor. They were arrested on Saturday and evidence heard by the Mayor, Richard Johnston. Constable Westgate brought the prisoners to jail.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP should always be used when children are cutting teeth. It relieves the little sufferer at once; it produces natural, quiet sleep by relieving the child from pain, and the little cherub awakes as "bright as a button." It is very pleasant to taste. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for diarrhœa, whether arising from teething or other causes. Twenty five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP," and take no other kind.
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FALL OF A GABLE.

Two Men Seriously Injured

Mr. Taylor, mason, Speedside, has the bentract for building a new school house near Oustic. The work was being preceded with as fast as possible to allow of occupation. On Dominion Day the masons were at work finishing the gable. Mr. Taylor and Mr. Geo. Lillie, a young man about 24 years of age, son of Mr. Jno. Lillie, sr., of this city, had about completed the work, when all at once the gable gave way from the eaving, a distance of about eight feet, struck the scaffolding on which the two men were working and carried it and them to the basement of the school some twenty feet below. The joists of the first floor were broken, and the two men and the mass of stonework were piled in a heap at the bottom.

Lillie was completely covered with stones and scaffolding, and only one of his hands, when the rescuers came, was seen protruding from the mass. He was taken out and carried to the residence of Mr. Geo. Scott, where he now lies. At first it was thought he was dead, but after an hour of unconsciousness he recovered. Of course a physician was at once sent for, and, strange to say, the only injuries he received were a number of bruises about the head, and one finger broken. He may have received internal injuries, but if so there have been no symptoms developed as yet.

Taylor was partially covered with the debris, but managed to crawl out with the loss of a boot. He had three ribs broken, one of which penetrates the lung. He retained his senses.

The fall was so sudden that neither of the men knew what had happened them.

Mr. Robertson, carpenter, who had just left the wall, saw the gable sway and made a spring for a rafter and clung to it. A laborer and a mason, who had just left the wall a minute or two before, escaped.

The reason for the gable giving way is accounted for by the recent rains which had sagged the walls, and their being built too hurriedly, not allowing sufficient time for them to settle.

Police Court.

This morning the police court opened up on time before an appreciative audience. The first case was that of Jas. Burns, Marden, charged with selling liquor during unlawful hours. He pleaded guilty and was fined $20 and costs.

Jas. Hodgson was charged with selling liquor without a license on the 25th June last. From the evidence it appeared that on the evening of the 25th several parties on their way home from town called at Hodgson's residence on business, when they were invited by Mr. Hodgson to partake of ale. He had six bottles standing on the kitchen table, which had apparently just arrived, and from them he treated his friends. While this was being done Inspector Cowan made his appearance, and took away with him three of the unopened bottles. It was shown that no money passed. The magistrate dismissed the case, remarking that there was good grounds for the parties being at Hodgson's, as it was in connection with a business transaction, and that there was no violation of the law. Mr. Field, who appeared for the inspector, considered that there was no evidence for conviction. J. B. Fischer appeared for the defendant.

Donald Darby was fined $2 and costs for assaulting Willie Roche.

Frank Carroll, a 13 year old son of Peter Carroll, was charged with being incorrigible to such an extent that his parents could do nothing with him. It was the wish of the father to have him sent to the Industrial School. Papers will no doubt be made out to that effect. T. P. Coffee has the case in charge.

Guelph Central Exhibition.

The directors met in the Township Board room on Saturday last at 3 o'clock. There were present Messrs. G. B. Hood, president, in the chair, Kenny, Starkey, Bruce, Sweetnam, Grenside, Bathgate, Shortreed, Barber, Whitelaw, McGarr, White, Coghlan, McIntosh, Cowan, Gowdy, Reed, Hewer, McCorkindale and Wm. Laidlaw, secretary.

The principal business before the meeting was selection of judges for the coming show, to be held from Sept. 20th to 22nd. It was decided to continue the three judge system as formerly.

It was also decided to make a large addition to the accommodation for horses during the exhibition, the lack of which has been a matter of serious trouble during the last two years, and for this purpose a grant was made by the Society to supplement that so generously given by the city. The work will be done at once and nothing will be lacking this year. The exhibition will undoubtedly be the best ever held in the city. No other exhibition in Ontario will have such an attractive programme of sporting contests, and no other ground has such a half mile track on which horsemen can have a full chance of making their horses speed to advantage.

Fatal Barn Raising Accident.

STRATFORD, July 2.—During the raising of a large barn at R. Nicklin's, township of Mornington, on Thursday, at which about 100 men were engaged, an accident occured which resulted in the death of one man and the injury of several others. Two beams had been raised and the third was about half way up when it came back upon the men. In attempting to get out of the way William Glen, a young man about 25 years of age, stumbled over a stick of timber and before he could rise the beam fell upon him with such force as to burst open his abdomen, inflicting awful and fatal injuries. He was carried into the house and lived about an hour, during most of which time he suffered terrible agony. Drs. Johnston, of Millbank, and Veitch, of Linwood, were summoned, but were unable to do more than alleviate the suffering of the dying man. The same beam in falling also struck William Reid, injuring his spine and breaking several ribs, but he is likely to recover. Another, Wm. Reid, was less seriously injured and several others were more or less bruised.

A BAULKY HORSE.—There was considerable amusement caused on Lower Macdonnell street on Saturday night by the stubbornness of a baulky horse driven by a butcher boy. The driver attempted to make it go from Schmuck's hotel in the direction of Allan's bridge. After considerable exertion and half an hour's perseverance he succeeded in reaching the bridge and getting the animal on the C.P.R. track. A train was coming along at the time and the driver had great confidence that the animal would go forward. But in this calculation he was mistaken, for instead he took the middle of the track and backed against the cowcatcher of the engine. Fortunately the engine was stopped in time. The horse was finally induced to go out to the exhibition grounds where it again became ugly, reared up on its hind heels, fell backwards, threw out the driver and broke the sulky.

REV. Mr. Sieveright, brother-in-law of Rev. J. C. Smith, B. D., stationed in Huntingdon, Muskoka, preached in St. Andrew's church two very acceptable sermons yesterday. Mr. Smith occupied Mr. Sieveright's pulpit.

The Late Mrs. Middlemiss.

In the death of Mrs. Mary Middlemiss, wife of Rev. Dr. Middlemiss, Elora, notice of which appeared in our columns a few days ago, that village has lost one of its best known, kind hearted and energetic inhabitants, in works of a Christian character.

Born in 1813, on board H. M. 74 gun ship "Firm," then lying in the Harrasaz, Plymouth, under command of Captain Duncan Menzies, R. N., the younger child of a family of two daughters, she removed when yet very young with her parents and elder sister to Dura Deer, near Cupar, Fifeshire, Scotland, and her earliest recollections reached back to the voyage from London to Leith, which was made on board a smack, the ordinary way of travelling in those days, between these two ports, when sailing facilities, conveniencies and comforts were of a primitive description, compared with those which are at present enjoyed.

In her new home and early life every attention was paid to her education, as well as to that of her sister, and to her religious training till she was of age and attainments sufficient to warrant her being sent to a boarding school in Edinburgh, while still young, and in which she received a thorough grounding in all the branches of learning and accomplishments then thought necessary for young ladies.

Some time after the completion of her own education and having acted in the capacity of a governess for a season, she and her sister established a boarding school in the south side of Edinburgh, which was quite successful and was carried on for a number of years. In this school several of the daughters of prominent citizens and others from a distance received their education under competent teachers, and the acquaintance and friendship formed with these were maintained till the end of the life of both sisters, through correspondence when distance had severed them far from each other.

During this period she took an active interest in Christian work, having a district which she regularly visited, with a companion, in connection with a mission kept up by the new North Congregation in Cowgate.

In August, 1855, having married the Rev. James Middlemiss (who, after his preparatory course, had studied in the Edinburgh University and the Divinity Halls of the Free Church of Scotland, and been licensed to preach the Gospel), she came with him to Canada. In the leadings of Providence Mr. Middlemiss was guided to Elora, where a congregation had been a short time before formed in connection with what was popularly known as the Free Church of Scotland, and after preaching three months and assiduously and acceptably labouring in the interests of the station he was called by the people to be their pastor, and, having accepted their call, he was in due course regularly ordained to the work of the Gospel ministry, and inducted into the pastoral oversight of the congregation, which was then a small one, but which has continued to prosper up to the present day.

Mrs. Middlemiss, with her husband, then made Elora her permanent home, and devoted herself to the discharge of the duties which now devolved upon her, both as a husband and mother in Israel, and had no small part in contributing to the upbuilding and welfare of the people to whom he ministered. Not being of a robust constitution, and being in somewhat delicate health during the early years of her residence in Canada, yet of a lively disposition and energetic temperament, her heart was in her household duties, and the spiritual welfare of those with whom she was specially connected, and she embraced every opportunity which her strength allowed, and yielded to every demand upon her services so far as in her power, frequently regretting that she was not able to accomplish more. In the welfare of the young she evinced a deep interest. She was a frequent visitor to the bedside of the sick, and fervent and appropriate were the prayers she offered up with them, and warm the counsels she addressed to them, and earnest the efforts to keep their thoughts and faith on that Saviour who alone can supply grace for present afflictions; who alone can heal and restore to health, and who alone, when death is in the cup, can render meet for the lands free from sickness and trouble. She took an active part in the work of missions, giving her influence on the side of the efforts which have lately been put forth by the women of the Presbyterian Church for the extension of Christ's kingdom among the heathen.

The only time she visited her beloved Scotland was in 1860, when she sought an improvement of health, and her trip was serviceable to the end for which it was undertaken.

For three years past her health has been declining, but in December last she was taken with heart failure, occasioning frequent paroxysms of breathlessness, but there was no real disease other than the decay brought on by advanced years in the case of a person who had never been of a robust constitution. On New Year's day she was able to visit the House of Industry, in the neighborhood of Elora, according to her annual practice since the date of its erection. From the middle of January she was confined to the house and bed till her death, which took place without a struggle early in the morning of the 28th June. Her sister, who joined her in Canada some years ago, had pre-deceased her ten weeks, so that with this brief interval two estimable ladies, each of whom had attained a good old age, were carried to their last resting place in the cemetery of Elora. Her funeral was largely attended, many being present from a distance. The services were of an impressive character, being held in the church, and conducted by the Rev. Mullan, who had them in charge, Dr. Smellie, one of the aged ministers of the body, and an intimate friend of the family, and Dr. Torrance, of Guelph. The elders of the congregation acted as pallbearers.

Mrs. Middlemiss was truly a helpmate for her husband. Every attention was paid to his comfort and facility afforded him at her disposal for his work in the study and outside among his people. Among the congregation she was diligent and active. Her sense of justice was keen and she could not brook wrong doing. Her disposition was humane, and her heart was pained at seeing the illtreatment going around. Her usefulness was real and acknowledged and her loss will long be felt, and her presence missed by the community at large.

Dr. Middlemiss has the sympathy not only of his own people, and the members of the Presbytery to which he belongs, but of many persons in almost all parts of the Dominion, to say nothing of her native land, for he is a man extensively known, the nobility of his character is widely appreciated, and he has long held a prominent and influential place in the counsels of the Courts of the Church.

Yesterday his pulpit was occupied by Dr. Torrance, who conducted services suitable to the occasion.

MISS Sadie Forrest, of London, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J.A. King, of this city.

BAD BLOOD Breeds Divers Distressing Diseases, Burdock Blood Bitters Banishes Boils and Blotches, with every other symptom arising from bad blood.