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DNESDAY EV'G, SEPTEMBER 4.

DAVID STIRTON and TTER Gow, the Labourer's indidates.

HOW TO VOTE.

ne of the electors are in doubt put how they should vote—that is, ether they can vote for a represen-that many have changed their skies we to the House of Commons at time, and then afterwards go back vote for a representative to the cal Parliament. There is nothing the Act which will warrant the Rening Officer in taking the votes in fashion. In several other conencies we notice that the Returnofficers have instructed their de es that electors must vote for both mbers at the same time, and if they not they are not allowed to return vote a second time. "We underd that the Returning Officer for Riding has given his deputies ilar instructions. Electors, therewho wish to exercise the full at of the franchise must vote for candidates at the same time, or will lose a vote.

et every Reformer vote the whole et, at one and the same time .-n't split your votes, but rec m for STIRTON AND GOW. your votes, but record

MECHANICS.

MECHANICS. ote for PETER GOW, for his ene-say that you are ashamed of your a class. Show them you are not, but t you have unbounded confidence in Working Man's Friends—STIRTON GOW.

A Word to the Electors.

he time for action has nearly ar-d. You will be called an You will be called upon on ay to exercise the right which as n you possess, and to vote for en in whom you have most con-, and who will by their ability perience do you and the country the greatest service in the ure. It is needless for us cuss at length the claims abilities of the different can-

We have already done so re-We have shown what Stirton and Gow have done

t, which is the best guaranthey will be equally faithful,

capable of supporting many millions at all times be easily moulded to their purposes. Read his letter their purposes. Read his d his meetings and speak for him, this almost buried talent of Britain d his meetings and speak for hims. e could not speak for himself. t reliance can you hopest electors in such a man? To return him unbesitatingly acknowledged, and this sp unhesitatingly acknowledged, and this bright appendage of the British crown ests of the Riding perhaps for to come. drift into the possession of the astute, every Reformer then stand true designing Yankee.s candidates, Messrs. Stirton and Let every honest, right-minded r vote for the men who are free independent on their own judg-who are not like Mr. Leslie b (unter the following from 9 o'clock a. m. till 5 o'clock p.m., each day. The polling the following officers hand and foot to Dr. Clarke places and Deputy Returning Officers he Tavern Keepers. Let them are as follows: their votes EARLY ON FRIDAY TIBTON AND GOW, who are the Senior Girls' School, E. Newton ;

THE PACIFIC COAST. British sentiments can take root retain their former spirit." The boldness of the article in question is to say the least, somewhat surprising, for although the Press in the States un bounded liberty we are ratherastonished that a journal, overtly professing to be imbued with such anti-American and such pro-British principles, if beyond the reach of suppres antagonistic action of popular opinion. Yet it lives, and is popular, successful

and respected. To what can we at tribute its prosperity? To nothing else than the absence of an ogre's greed for territory on the part of many that many have changed their skies only when "they crossed beyond the Our admiration of actions de seas.' pends to a great extent upon the relation the parties making them sustains to us, or upon the manner in which we ourselves are affected by We, in Canada, admire the them. bravery of the man who dares to love his native country, and evince his regard by the utterance of friendly counsels even though those should be detrimental to the land he has adopted; but there is a possibility of the medal being reversed, and of our seeing in the light of cool, unblushing impudence what, when it was beneficial to ourselves, we looked upon as patriot-However this may, be the New York Albion speaks its feelings on the retention and colonization by Britain of the Northwest Territory, and is of opinion that the sooner it loses the step-child relationship it now holds to the mother country, and is adopted into the family of Confederated Provinces it will be so much the better for

where it will be so much the better for
British interests. It says:—
"What is now wanted is, not legislation, but colonization and internal improvement and development, rendering the inhabitants prosperous and contented. Without this, legislation is worse than useless. These fertile countries must be opened up, utilized, and united to the Dominion by teeming highways, and this too without delay, or the Constitution of the new Dominion is not worth the paper it is written upon. Every inducement and seductive argument will be made use of promptly and persistently by the American press and people to induce these weak and desponding dependencies to change their allegiance, and done without delay, these sophistries will eventually provail, and lead to serious trouble, if not actual collision between the two Governments interested. As to Great Britain even entertaining the idea of a cession of the Pacific slopes and harbours to the United States, the idea is simply absurd." British interests. It says :--

QUITE ASTRAY.

Mr., Sayers at the St and vegetate on the soil of the Unit-ed States. At least so it would ap-pear from an article repently publish-ed in the New York *Albion*, which proves fully that the conductors of January next from voting. The leg-that journal believe what they assert islator for the East Ward is quite in their motto, that "they who cross astray as usual, but he thought it.was the sea may change their skies, but The ents, and consequently he was not very scrupulous whether or not he blamed the innocent, so long as he made a point against Mr. Stirton .is an institution which enjoys almost Mr. Sayers ought to know that the Coalition Government of 1864 is re sponsible for it. John A. Macdonald took the Bill in hand after it had passed the Committee, took upon himself the responsibility of passing on by law, should not fall from the it through the Legislature, and in common with his other Conservative colleagues voted for it, and succeeded in getting it made the law of the land. CLOSING OF HOTELS & GROCERY STORES.

We would remind Hotel Keepers and Grocers that their places of business must be closed on Friday and Saturday, in ac cordance with the Law respecting Elec

tions. The clause referring to this mat-ter will be found in the Con. Statutes, Cap. 6. Sec. 81. and reads as follows : 6, Sec. 81, and reads as follows:
"Every hotel, tavern and shop, in which spirituous or femented liquors, or drink, are ordinarily sold shall be closed during the two days appointed for polling in the Wards or Municipalities, in which the polls are held, in the same manner as it should be on Sunday during Divine service, and no spiritous or fermented Liquors, or drink shall be sold, or given, during the said period, under a penalty of one hundred dollars against the keeper thereof. If he neglects to close it, and under a like penalty if he sells or gives any spirituous or fermented liquors or drinks as aforesaid."

NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS.

BROCKVILLE-Close of boll. Craw-ford's majority 174; Fitzsimmons' 24.

SOUTH LEEDS.-CLEAWFOR'S majority over A. N. Richards, first day, 48. Tett's majority over Hon. Stephen Richards, 55. SOUTH LANARK.-Shaw's majority over Code, first day's polling, 364.

NORTH BRANT-First day's poll, Bown was 10 ahead of Clement, and Finlayson 19 ahead of Turnbull. [Adet]

NIAGARA.—Morrison, 800; Thompson 250. Robertson, 802; Currie, 252.

WEST HASTINGS-Majority for Brown first day, 474. Graham's majority, 600. NORTH WENTWORTH-First day's pol-ling, Brown had a majority of 50 over Mc-Monies, and Miller 54 over Christie.

NORTH OXFORD-Majority for Perry 232 NORTH ONFORD-MAJORITY for Perry 232 NORTH NORFOLK—Walsh's majority over Duncombe 32. Wilson over Foley 1. WEST PETERDOROCOL,—Majority for Perry 30 : for Carnegie 19. SOUTH OXFORD—Majority for Oliver, first day, 219.

SOUTH BRANT-Mr. Wood is probably COAL OIL

HAMILTON—At the close of the poll on the first day, O'Reilly had a majority of 28 over Williams. FRONTENAC—Sir H. Smith was elected by a majority of 482 over Kirkpatrick.

CHATEAUGAY.--Messrs. Holton and La-berge have been elected for this county. HALTON--First day's polling, White's najority, 51. Barber's majority, 151.

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DAVID STIRTON and PETER Gow, the Union Can-

didates. 105 unsuccessful attempts at suf-ide have been made in New York this summer.

Thread spinning is now conducted 10 Thread spinning is now conducted to an extent which is most astonishing. A single pound of wool in Norwich, Eng-land, has been spun into 39.204 yards, or over 22 miles of thread. Hand-spinning, however, has besten this, for it is anced that sixty years ago, a Miss Iv at Spaulding, England, spun 68,000 yds or thirty-:wo miles and two-third thread, from a single pound of wool. STRAYED on the 7th instant, a three year old Cow, color red and white, with heavy horns standing well up. A reward will be given for her

STIRTON and GOW. Poll your votes early on Friday morn-ing, the 6th September. One vote before 12 is worth two after. Vote for the Re-form ticket.

To the Millers, Manufacturers, Pro-duce Dealers, and Farmers of Canada. No. 4, Day's Old Block, Gordon Stree Guelph, July 31, 1867. (dw) D. MOLTON

GENTLEMEN.—We beg to advise having admitt Mr. John C. More, of Halifax, as a partner in a tim, and have opened a Branch of our business that City, where it will be our aim to serve-riseds in Canada to the utmost of our power he attaining the best possible rates for Consis ments, the extension of the manufacturing in sets of the Bover Provinces, the importing the mominism their Pish Olis, &c., and the d semination of correct and unbiased informat respective the markets. WANTED to rent; and ultimately to purchase, a farm of about 200 acres, in the neigh-borhood of Guelph, with suitable builings and good A. B., Post Office, Guelph. Guelph, 24th August, 1867 Primary Girls' School.
 HE Primary Girls' School (Miss'Unaworth's) will be opened on Monday next, the 2nd of ptember, at 9 o'clock, foremon.

 Guelph, 27th August, 1867.
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instance Provinces, the importing there consission their Fish Oils, &c., and the dis-ination of correct and unbiased information eeting the markets. Consignments to Halifax, as well as Mon-, we will, as heretofore, make liberal advances at shipments, and drafts may in all cases be at the option of Consigners, either on Mon-or Halifax. l or Halfns. to essay being now at hand when the Chee Butter in the country must be marketed, this liberty of tendering, our services for here, or at either of the different princip is in the Lower Provinces or Great Brita re we have first-chass reliable corresponden will do the Very best that can be possibly with Consignations. So and the possible of the consignation of the Very Correlation of the ten-ter of the tent of the tent of the tent of the tent of the very tent that the tent of the tent of the tent with the tent of the second second second second second second second second second the tent of tent A GOOD farm hand wanted to work on and take charge of a farm. Must be a married man. Apply to KIRKWOOD, LIVINGSTONE & CO., ICE CREAM, ICE CREAM

KIRKWOOD, LIVINGSTONE, & MORE, Commission Merchants, Collin's Wharf, Halifax, Montreal, 2nd Sept., 1867

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A MEETING of the Company is requested on TUESDAY EVENING, the 10th at

JOHN INGLE, Eden Mills

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Guelph.

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AT H. BERRY'S. Guelph, June 13, 1867. 712 tt. THE COMING ELECTION **CENTRE RIDING**

THE COMING ELECTION Is something which is creating quite an excitement in the Town of Guelph, and at present it is not known which of the opposing candidates will be successful, both having a fair show of hands. Be this as it may, SMITH & BOTSFORD have the largest, best and cheapest stock of CLOTHING ever offered in Guelph, which they are selling at remarkable low prices. Sign of the Elephant, opposite the Market BAMED and the ABOTSFORD. OF WELLINGTON. To the Electors of the Centre Riding of Wellington.

Elephant, opposite the Mark SMITH & BOTSFORD.

LEMEN— the meeting of the Convention of the Reform r, in the Centre Riding, held at Fergus on the of April last, I was elected by a majority, and words by an unanimous vote, as the Reform

NOTICE

ditors of the , formerly of Eden Mills send in their accounts, e of Messrs. Blair & Gu t of September, 1867.

CHARLES ADSETT, {

GUELPH

TOWNSHIP COUNCIL !

THE next meeting of this Council will be held at the Council Room on Monday the 9th of

August 29th, 1867. A. McCORKINDALE, 2in Township Clerk

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ust, 1867.

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Guelph, 27th August, 1867. dwtf

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ANDREW SIMS, Lot 29, Con. 5, Eramosa, Ostic P. O

nfederation, in giving us a Local Gove avested the one Legislative Body of great powers, and entrusted to its kee Municipal Institutions ;our Public Lands cational System, our Laws relating to Ag , Immigration and Civil Rights, the mai rmission " to deal generally with i private or local mature in the contario Assembly will also be evy a Direct To Brrow Money, to companies for Provincial objects do respect to the Marriage Rite; is in relation to Local works and The Ontario Legislative Assembly been, will be entrusted with a ch-portant as that of the Provincial therefore important that you also

al to you in making years the can say that my re-without beosting. I think I can say that my re-idence for more than forty years in this section of the Province, and my knowledge of the working fits Municipal Institutions (with which I have cen connected since 1850) gives me some claim to our confidence on the ground of my acquaintaites eith these nucleus in this division of the Province. Fur Municipal Laws requires some alterations.-ure Public Lands have been sailly unismanged, Municipal Laws requires solue arterations, – Tublic Lands have been sadly misunnaged, it would afford me pleasure to be able to turn experience?in Municipal matters, and of the Iships of the first settlers, to a good account, to help to devise scome plan by which lumi-tion may be encouraged, and the balance of our lands profitably taken up and improved in a friend to cheen and convent and fully de-post resume to being a functure myself, and have been accustomed to extinit and fully de-to any take being a functure myself, and hav-been accustomed to extinit and turney de-t of my brow, everything relating to Agricul-would receive my most careful attention, and in me a strong advocate for improvement, so sive my most careful attention, ; ong advocate for improvement, tive Body can give. As our i ill be empowered to levy a Di important that our Assessme based through the Province; ; wince; and ince, I will any Charter for public improve me a warm supporter ; and that useful public improvements will be encoura by me. But I wish to tell you plainly and disti-ly, that I shall set my face, from the first, aga

b) that I shall set my new, new is a set of the set ir to be, Gentlemen

DYE STUFFS! NCLUDING Indigo, Madder, Extract of Log-wood, Cudbear, Fustic, Sumac, Quercitron, azil, Peachwood, &c. Also, a complete assort-ent of the 'ANALINE DYES,' of every shape in uid form to suit purchasers. N. HIGINBOTHAM, Guelph, 27th July, 1867. NEW FRUITS PEACHES, APPLES PEARS, T MATOES, &c. riving d at the Fruit Depot. HUCH WALKER, Opposite the English Church, Wyndham-st., Guelph Guelph, 17th Aug., 1867. STONE HOUSE TO LET TO LET in the West Ward, near St. Andr Church, a stone House containing; 11 Rowith stable, wood shed, yard room, hard and water, and every other convenience. The h is comfortable and finished in first-class style Enquire at THE MERCURY Office, Macdo Guelph, 20th August, 1867. The Queen's Book. QUEEN VICTORIA'S Memoirs of the Prince Consort. Price, \$1.50. At DAY'S BOOKSTORE; Guelph, 27th August, 1867. Opposite t FRUITS, &c.

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HEIFER LOST.

TRAYED from a field adjoining Mr. Sleeman's Brewery, on the Waterloo Road, a two year heifer, white, with red spots. Any person by her will be rewarded by the owner. Guelph, 24th August, 1867.

DOG LOST.

OST on Thursday evening a small black and tan dog, with white spot on breast. Answers to name of "Carlo." Any one returning it will

JOHN MCNELL, Quebec-St Guelph, Ang. 24, 1867. d tf

LOT FOR SALE.

your rights, and who will te before twelve o'clock D Gow.

GUELPH TOWN .- West Ward, at flooking after your interests, North Ward, Court House, Jas Arm strong; South Ward, at the School ou in Parliament. Let House, George Hough; East Ward, ut early on Friday, and at the Market House, Daniel Kribs

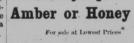
THE POLLING PLACES.

the House, George Hough; East Ward, at the Market House, Daniel Kribs, GUELPH TOWNSHIP—At the school house, near Blyth's, Archibald Mc-Corkindale. POSLINCH—First Division or new survey, at McCaig's Corner, Chas F. Heath; Second Division, or old sur-ty vey, at Aberfoyle, R. T. Johnston. We need not remind our friends that it is of the greatest consequence they should poll their votes on the tar relates that after young officer in the tremendous of the members that the war

· The Franchise.

The Franchise. John Sandfield Macdonald, in his speech at Hamilton on Monday night, said he would raise the franchise still higher than it is. Yet Mr. Sayers and the rest of the Tories of Guelph will support him and his "patent Combination," while they denounce Mr. Stirton for giving his assent to the new Municipal Act, which will only deprive a few from voting in comparison with the sweeping mea-sure which Mr. Macdonald favours, and which he will pass should he have a sufficient support in the House. How therefore can the mechanics and labourers support such a man who will deprive them of their votes if he has the power.

ELECTORS—Vote for PETER GOW, who has brains and who can use them, and won't be a " dummy " at Toronto.



AT JOHN A. WOOD'S. Guelph, 3rd September, 1867. dtf JUST RECEIVED, Fresh Lobsters! AND SARDINES. Strong Vinegar! 25-cents per Gallon. GEORGE WILKINSON. Guelph, 2rd Sept., 1807. (d)

2nd Sept., 1867. (d)

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6th Aug., 1867.

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CENTRE RIDING OF WELLINGTON.

To the Electors of the Centre Riding of Wellington.

GENTLEMEN,

Toronto, August 21, 1867.

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Having received a requisition signed by 416 of he most influential electors from different parts of the Biding, requesting me to allow myself to be at in nomination for the Legislative Assembly (Ontario, in compliance with the said requisi-tion, I now offer myself as a candidate for your lineary, a representation of your con-lineary. The commencement of next session on Sep-mber 3 rd, is the best time to enter College. For prospectus apply to the Principal, U C. College, Toronto.

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