Triumph for Women.

The women have taken another fortress. After a contest in which they have sustained more than one defeat, they have taken their way into the London University, and will hereafter be able to compete for its diplomas. It must not be supposed that this involves the question of teaching male and female students in common. The London University teaches nobody; it examines. It will examine anybody, no matter where educated, who wants its certificate. A proposition to alter the charter so as to include women among candidates for diplomas was formerly defeated by the casting vote of Lord Granville, Chancellor of the University. It is Lord Granville who now announces and applauds the abandonment of that exclusive policy. What he calls a middle course has been adopted, for he thinks it not desirable that young women should be mixed up with men at examinations for the same degrees, subjecting themselves to competition with men. It is not quite clear whether Lord Granville apprehends injurious consequences to the men or to the women from this competition. For the present the women are to undergo a standard examination, not a competitive one. Lord Granville described this as a step taken in imitation of the system, followed by the Paris University though he evidently had great doubt whether the same thing would answer for English women as for French. The French women, says his lordship, possess great practical talent, and exercise a greater amount of influence in political, commercial, and manufacturing affairs than is usual with women in England. He affirms that there exists a prejudice in England, with a few brilliant exceptions, against women who write or publish a book. He might almost have added that there is the same prejudice in the same circles against men who write a book, or who do anything which society does not require to be done for its own sake. But such a movement as this in the London University is immensely helped by Lord Granville's name.

EASIER THAN DIVING.—A man in eating an oyster in a saloon at St. Catharines, on the Queen's birthday, found a pearl. Lucky fellow!

SEIZURES BY THE REVENUE OFFICERS.—The Government officials have been extremely vigilant of late in prosecuting their duties. Among the latest seizures the bonded manufactory of tinctures, &c., of Lyman, Elliott & Co., of Toronto, is now in the hands of the Government.

THE NEW SECRETARY OF WAR—The U. S. Senate has confirmed the nomination of Gen. Schofield as Secretary of War, and there is an end of all doubts as to the legal head of the War Department. In confirming Gen. Schofield, the Senate, or the Radical members of it, took care to save their consistency by passing a preamble denying the rights of the President to remove Mr. Stanton, and recording the fact that the latter had relinquished the office in dispute.

LANDLORD AND GUEST.—An interesting case was lately decided in one of the courts in this Province, with reference to the rights of innkeepers to select apartments for guests, and change them as the occasion may require. Plaintiff alleged trespass on the part of the defendant, the hotel-keeper, in having entered his room, put up more beds and removed his property. The jury found damages for a 100. The Chief-Justice, in giving judgment upon an application for a new trial said:—"Whatever may be the traveller's rights to be received as a guest, and to be reasonably entertained and accomodated the landlord has in our opinion, the sole right to select the apartment for the guest, and, if he finds it expedient, to change the apartment and assign the guest another, without becoming a trespasser in making the change. If having the necessary convenience, he refuses to afford reasonable accomodation he is liable to an action; but not of trespass. There is no implied contrat that a guest to whom a particular apartment has been assigned shall retain it so long as he chooses to pay for it. We think the contention on the Plaintiff's part involves a confusion between the character and position of an innkeeper, and a lodging house keeper. It appears to us further that although the innkeeper if bound to receive, the guest must not only be ready and willing, and before he can insist as of right to be received that he must offer to pay what is the reasonable charge." A lodger's bill accrues *de die in diem*.

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JOHN HORSMAN'S.

COMMERCIAL.

Guelph Markets.

MERCURY OFFICE, GUELPH, June 1, 1868.

Flour, ℔ 100 lbs	$3 87½	@	$4 00
Fall Wheat, ℔ bush	1 55	@	1 65
Spring Wheat ℔ bush	1 30	@	1 37
Oats ℔ bush	0 50	@	0 52
Peas do	0 70	@	0 75
Barley do	0 90	@	0 95
Hay ℔ ton	8 00	@	11 00
Straw	4 00	@	5 00
Shingles, ℔ square	1 00	@	1 50
Wood, ℔ cord	3 00	@	3 50
Wool	0 22	@	0 24
Eggs, ℔ dozen	0 09	@	0 00
Butter, firkin, ℔ lb	0 13	@	0 13
Cheese, each	0 25	@	0 30
Turkeys each	0 50	@	0 60
Chickens, ℔ pair	0 20	@	0 28
Ducks, do	0 20	@	0 25
Potatoes	0 75	@	0 90
Apples, ℔ barrel	2 00	@	2 00
Turnip, ℔ lb	0 06	@	0 07
Beef	7 00	@	8 00
Beef, ℔ lb	0 50	@	0 15
Pork, ℔ 100 lbs.	5 00	@	5 50
Sheep Pelts, each	0 50	@	0 75
Lambskins	0 40	@	0 45
Hides	6 00	@	6 00

MONTREAL MARKETS.

(Rockwood, Livingstone & Co's. report by Special Telegraph to 'Evening Mercury.')

MONTREAL, June 1, 1868.

Flour—Fancy, $7 35 to $7 45; Superfine No. 1, $7 90 to $7 00; Welland Canal, $6 50. Bag flour, $3 20 to $3 30. Oats 46c to 47c. Barley $1 10 to $1 15. Butter—dairy 15c to 18c; store packed 15c to 18c. Ashes—Pots $5 40 to $5 50. pearls $5 50 to $5 60.

HAMILTON, May 30, 1868.

Fall wheat,—$1 58 @ $1 65. spring do—$1 55 @ $1 62 per bushel. Barley—$1 10 @ $1 20. Oats [illegible] @ 65c. Peas—60c to 62c. Pork—$6 00 @ $6 50.

TORONTO, May 30, 1868.

Receipts, 900 brls; No. 1, at $6 50 [illegible] Wheat—$1 55. Spring Wheat—$1 40 [illegible] Barley—$0 90 @ $1 00.

BEAUTIFUL ASSORTMENT

OF

DRESS SHIRTS,

TIES, COLLARS,

CUFFS and BRACES

AT

THE GUELPH CLOTH HALL

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Guelph, 9th May 1868 d awy

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THE RIGHT PLACE to find that I MANUFACTURE and can sell Boots and Shoes CHEAPER than any other Establishment, Wholesale or Retail in the County of Wellington, is to call one and all, at

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For Cash Only. All work Warranted.

Guelph, May 5, 1868. daw 2w

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NEW SPRING GOODS!

WILL BE OPENED

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☞ The Subscribers are now paying the Third half yearly dividend.

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Guelph April 7, 1868 daw

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CLOCKS AND JEWELLERY REPAIRED?

AT SAVAGE'S.

Guelph, February 6, 1868. daw tf

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BRITISH AND FOREIGN

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MANUFACTURERS OF

Canadian TWEEDS, Flannels, Blankets,

AGENTS FOR

DUNDAS COTTON MILLS.

Toronto 26th March, 1868. w3m

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DR. R. CAMPBELL

SURGEON DENTIST.

OFFICE, next door to the ADVERTISER office Wyndham Street, Guelph.

REFERENCES—Drs. Clarke & Orton, Mc. Guire, Herod, McGregor and Cowan, Guelph; Drs. Buchanan & Philips, Toronto; Drs. G. L. Elliott and W. Myers, Dentists, Toronto.

Teeth Extracted Without Pain

Guelph, 20th June, 1866

SALE OF TWO FARMS IN PUSLINCH.

FOR Sale by PRIVATE BARGAIN two farms in Puslinch. They consist of the front and rear halves of Lot No. 25, in the 7th concession. There are 100 acres in the front half and 86 acres in the rear half. Both farms are in a good state of cultivation and well fenced. There is a good Dwelling House and banked frame barn on the rear half, and fair buildings and a first-rate orchard in the front half. Terms reasonable and may be learned on application to the subscriber, if by letter post paid,

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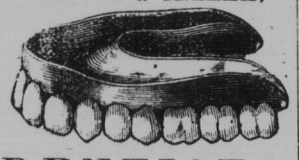

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And the table with all the delicacies of the season. In fact no expense will be spared to make it a first-class establishment.

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Late of the Commercial Hotel, Whitby.

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Guelph, Jan. 29, 1868. do tf

LUMBER & WOOD YARD.

CHARLES HEATH

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Where Lumber of all kinds can be had in lots to suit purchasers.

CORDWOOD

For sale by the cord, half-cord and quarter-cord, and delivered in any part of the Town.

FLOUR & FEED

Also for sale, Flour and Feed, delivered in any part of the Town according to order.

☞ All orders from Town or Country will be promptly attended to.

CHARLES HEATH.

Guelph, May 14, 1868. daw tf

Weekly Advertiser to copy till forbid.

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STEPHEN BOULT,

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Plans, Specifications & Estimates,

Supplied, and work superintended in all its branches,

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Planing Done to Order,

AND ALL KINDS OF

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All orders from the Town and Country will receive prompt attention.

Guelph, April daw m

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ROUVILLE ST. LAWRENCE

WILL stand for Mares at his own stable, at the Anglo-American Hotel, Guelph, this season. Terms same as last year, $8, $5 and $3. This is the best made horse and fastest trotter in the County of Wellington. He is of the stock of the fastest trotting horses on record. His sire was sold for $8500; his time on Long Island Course being 2:24½; his dam trotted on the New York Fashion Course in 2:50; his dam's full sister has made her time in 2:28, and is now owned by the celebrated horseman, Robert Bonner, of the New York Ledger. In consequence of the bad judgment of the judges appointed at the last Horse Show at Guelph I will not disgrace my horse by travelling against such a horse as got the first prize in his class shown. Favoritism and want of judgment is the general rule now adopted, so that no good horses need be expected to show here another season.

JAMES O'NEIL, roprietor.

Guelph, May 13. 7tw 7wd

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THE India and China Tea Company beg to call the attention of the Canadian community to their directly imported Teas, which for PURITY and EXCELLENCE will be found unequalled.

The Company have made arrangements whereby they have secured the entire produce of some of the best plantations in Assam and on the slopes of the Himalayas, and, by a judicious blending of these magnificent Teas with the best varieties of China produce, they are enabled to offer to the public Teas of a quality and flavour hitherto unknown to the general consumer. These Teas are in high favour in England and France, and a single trial will prove their superiority.

The Company supply two qualities only, either Black, Green or Mixed. Their Black Teas will be found to possess great briskness and flavour, combined with colour and strength, and to be entirely different to the flat and vapid article usually sold as Black Tea; while their Green Teas are altogether free from the deleterious mineral powder so commonly used for coloring the leaf.

PRICES: Rich, full-flavoured Tea, for family use a real genuine and fine article 70 cents per lb. Finest quality procurable, one dollar per lb.

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To be had in packets of Quarter Pound Half Pound, One Pound, and upwards, or in tin canisters of 5 lbs. and upwards, from the Company's Agents in all the chief towns of Canada.—N.B. All the packages are lined with tin foil paper, and the Tea will consequently retain its flavour any length of time.

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Guelph, August 3, 1867 dw-1y

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Guelph Jan. 22, 1868. dw

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Guelph, April 28, 1868. do tf

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500 PIECES NEW

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Guelph April 1st 1868