es, Wm. Hearn, Guelph, \$3; 2nd A. nedy, Guelph, \$2. Pottery, an as-nent, C. Welding, Brantford. Tran.—Out stone and brick, George (highly commended); Specimens poing slate, G. Duthie, Toronto, mended).

CLASS 35-FINE ARTS.

OFESSIONAL LIST-OIL (originals.) PROFESSIONAL LIST—OIL (originals.)
Any subject, Chas, Chapman, London, \$8, 2 d.J. Bell Smith, Montreal, \$4. Animals, from life, C. Chapman, \$6. Flowers, grouped or single, James Griffiths, Westminster, \$6; 2nd C. Chapman, \$4. Landscape, Canadian subject, C. Chapman, \$6; 2nd J. Bell Smith, \$4. Landscape or marine painting, C. Chapman, \$6; 2nd J. Bell Smith, \$4. Portraits, J. Bell Smith, \$6; 2nd C. W. Reynolds, Gaelph, \$4. Still life, C. Chapman, \$5; 2nd Jas. Griffiths, \$3.

AMATEUR LIST-OIL (original). Any subject, Nancy Strickland, Osha-wa, \$4. Landscape, Canadian subject, 2nd Nancy Strickland, \$2. Portrait, John Davidson, Guelph, \$4; 2nd Nancy Strickland, \$2.

AMAFEUR LIST—OIL (copies).

Any subject, Miss Westmacott, Toronto, \$4; 2nd W. Stevenson, Guelph, \$2. Animals, grouped or single, Miss Palmer, Guelph, \$4; 2nd Miss Westmacott, \$2. Flowers, grouped or single, Nancy Strickland, \$4. Landscape or marin views, Miss Palmer, \$4; 2nd Miss A. Simmons, \$2. Portrait, Miss Westmacott, \$4; 2nd Nancy Strickland, \$2. Still life, Miss Westmacott, \$4. Propressional or Reference of the State of the PROFEȘSIONAL OR AMATEUR—FIGURE SUB-JECTS (originals).

Model, in clay or wax, with plaster casts, Miss A. Heaslip, Toronto, \$6. Lithographic drawing, plain, J. Bell Smith, \$3.

PHOTOGRAPHY.

Photograph portraits, collection, in duplicate, one set colored, W. Marshall, Guelph \$8. Photograph portraits, collection, plain, Thos. Hunter, Galt, \$6; 2nd do. do. \$4. Photograph landscape and views, collection, W. Marshall, \$6; 2nd T. Hunter, \$4. Photograph portrait, finished in oil, Nancy Strickland, \$6. Photograph portrait, finished in dian ink, W. Marshall, \$5. Photograph portrait, finished in water colors, Miss Westmacott, \$5; 2nd W. Marshall, \$3. CLASS 36-FINE ARTS.

PROFESSIONAL LIST-(originals.)

Any subject, F. M. Bell Smith, Hamilton, \$6; 2nd do. do \$4. Animals from life, C. Ghapman, \$5. Flowers, grouped or single, Jas. Grifliths, \$5; 2nd Chas. Chapman, \$3. Landscape, Canadian subject, F. M. Bell Smith, \$5; 2nd C. Chapman, \$3. Landscape or marine view, C. Chapman, \$5; 2nd F. M. B. Smith, \$3. Portrait, J. Bell Smith, \$5. Still life, Miss Heaslip, \$5; 2nd James Griffiths, \$3. WATER COLORS

Crayon, colored, James Griffiths, \$4. Crayon, plain, C. Chapman, \$4; 2nd F. M. B. Smith, \$2. Pen and ink sketch, J. Griffiths, \$4; 2nd C. Chapman, \$2. Pencil drawing, F. M. B. Smith, \$4; 2d J. Griffiths, \$2. Sepia drawing, F. M.B. Smith, \$4; 2nd C. Chapman, \$2.

AMATEUR LIST-(ORIGINALS.)

Any subject, Miss Palmer, \$5; 2nd Miss Westmacott, \$3. Flowers, grouped or single, Nancy Strickland, \$5; 2nd Miss Westmacott, \$3. Landscape, Can-adian subject, Miss Palmer, \$5.

Crayon, plain, 2nd, Miss Westmucott, \$2. Crayon or pencil portrait, Miss Westmacott, \$3; 2nd Nancy Strickland, \$2. Pencil drawing, P. H. Gibbs, 2nd, \$2. Pen and ink sketch, Chas. T. Calton, Guelph, \$3; 2nd Miss Mary Leslie, Guelph, \$2. Sepia, Miss Westmacott, \$3; 2nd Nancy Strickland, \$2.

AMATEUR LIST—WATER COLORS—(copies).

Any subject, Miss Westmacott, \$3;
2nd Mrs. J. P. Brown, Galt, \$2; (commended) Miss Katie Macdonald, Guelph.

Animals, grouped or single, Miss Falmer, \$3; 2nd Mrs. J. P. Brown, \$2.

Flowers, Mary Strickland, Toronto, \$3;
Jos. L. Rawbone, Toronto, \$2. Historical or general figure subject, Miss Westmacott, \$3; 2nd Mary J. Johnston, Toronto, \$2. Landscape, Miss K. Macdonald, \$3; 2nd Mrs. J. P. Brown, \$2;
Miss Westmacott (highly commended).

Marine view, Miss Palmer, \$3; 2nd
Mary J. Johnston, \$2. Still life, J. L.

Rawbone, \$3; 2nd Nany Strickland, \$2;
Miss K. Macdonald (commended).

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CLASS 39-MACHINERY, CASTINGS AND TOOLS.

Tools.

Cordwood sawing machine, 6 or 8 horse power, Mitchell & Tesple, Harrisson, \$8; 2nd E. Leonard, London, \$6. Cordwood sawing machine, 2 horse-power, Mitchell & Teeple, \$8; 2nd Haggert Bros., Brampton \$6; 3rd R G Lambert, Harriston, \$4. Edge tools, an assortment, Jas. Warnock & Co., \$10. Steam engine in operation, A Robertson & Co., Guelph, \$20; 2nd Thomas Worswick \$15. Pump in metal, Thos Worswick, \$3. Refrigerator, J M Bond, agent, \$3. Saws, an assortment, J M Bond, \$6. Shingle-splitting machine, Thomson & Williams, \$5.

EXTRAS-Commended.

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Machine for shrinking and upsetting buggy tires and axles, J G Bricker, Waterloo; grain registrar, John Murchie, Guelph; machine knives, assortment, Jas Warnock & Co.; assortment sticker and shaper, for moulding machine, Moses Bechtel; Burnham turbine water wheel, Thomson & Williams; assortment hot pressed nuts, Brown & Co., Paris; assortment moulding and shaper machine knives, Andrew Jardine, Hespeler; fire-proof safe, wringer, improved 3-roller mangle, machine-made horse-shoes, do. tacks and brads, J M Bond, agent; assortment slates, J I Rawbone, Toronto; meat-cutting machine, R C Cuff, Hamilton; mill picks, Cameron & Co., Gult; neat-cutting machine, J T Waters, Guelph: Highly commended—feed-water heater, Thos Worswick.

CLASS 40—SEWING AND KNITTING.

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Kuitting machine, family, Gardner Sewing Machine Co., Hamilton, \$4. Sewing Machine Co., Hamilton, \$4. Sewing Machine, manufacturing, Gardner Sewing Machine Co., \$6. Sewing machiae, manufacturing, R M Wanzer & Co., Hamilton, \$6; 2nd Wilkie & Osborn, Geleph, \$4. Sewing machine, family, Wilkie & Osborn, \$6; 2nd R M Wanzer \$4. Sewing machine, single thread, Wilkie & Osborn, \$3. Spinning machine, J M Auderson, Elora, \$3.

CLASS 41-METAL WORK (MISCELLANEOUS). Nails, pressed, 1 keg, J M Bond, \$3. Nails, cut, 1 keg, J M Bond, \$3.

Cooking stove, for wood, with furniture, Wm Sunley, for E & C Gurney, Toronto, \$5: 2nd do do \$3. Cooking stove, for coal, do, do, \$5. Hall stove for wood, do, do, \$4: 2nd Wm Buck, Fanntford, \$2. Hall stove, for coal, Wm Sunley, for Oshawa Co., \$4. Parlour stove, for coal, Wm Buck, \$4: Parlour stove, for coal, Wm Buck, \$4: 2nd Wm Sunley, for Oshawa Co., \$2. Country Stove, for wood, with furniture, Wm Sunley, for E & C Gurney, Toronto, \$5 ; 2nd do do \$3. Cooking stove, for coal, do, do, \$5 . Hall stove for wood, do, do, \$5 . Hall stove for wood, do, do, \$4 ; 2nd Wm Buck, Brantford, \$2. Hall stove, for coal, Wm Sunley, for Oshawa Co., \$4. Parlour stove, for wood, Wm Buck, \$4. Parlour stove, for coal, Wm Buck, \$4 ; 2nd Wm Sunley, for coal, Wm Buck, \$4 ; 2nd Wm Sunley, for Oshawa Co., \$2.

EXTRAS.

Three hot air furnaces, Beccher Bros., London, No. 2 commended and Nos. 1 & 3 highly commended; dining-room stove, Wm Sunley, for Oshawa Co., commend od; cooking range for coal and wood, do, for Jewett & Root, Buffalo, highly commended.

SLEEMAN'S

CLASS 42-MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS. Piano, grand, Rainer's Piano Co., \$12. iano, square, do do, \$8; 2nd J. Jackson Piano, squ & Co., \$6.

CLASS 43-NATURAL HISTORY.-BIRDS.

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Bank Derostrs.—In an article in the Monetary Times, we learn that by the last published returns of our banks, the deposits belonging to the general public in their hands were as follows:—Payable on demand, \$34, 205,217; payable after notice, \$30, 215,519, making a total in our ordinary banks of \$64,510,736. This sum does not include the deposits in four banks, one in Columbia, two in Prince Edward Island, and one in New Brunswick. It is calculated that about fourteen millions more are in deposit in the Government Post tutions. If the probable deposits in Building Societies were added, they would swell the sum to eighty-five millions, which can be lifted immediately on short notice. This is a handsome amount to have at one's bankers, and it is creditable to the public that so much of it stands in their name, and to their credit. We are especially glad to observe that the Savings Banks contain so respectable an amount as they do. These deposits are mostly in small sums, and are owned principally by the thrifty and economical among the working classes. It is gratifying to know that so many millions are laid up for a "rainy day."

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ap for a "rainy day."

It is rumoured that Mr. M. C. Cameron, leader of the Ontario Opposition, admitting the practical impossibility of being again returned for ris present constituency, and determined if possible to die hard, is to offer for West Toronto in opposition to the Hon. Mr. Crooks.

Chief Luttice Wood has been an

Chief Justice Wood has been ap-pointed Administrato of Manitoba during the absence of Governor Mor-ris, who accompanies Hon. Mr. Laird, to negotiate treaties with the Indians.

Base Ball.—A championship game be-tween the Maple Leaf and the Tecunsehs of London, will take place to-morrow (Tuesday), on the grounds of the former.

BIRTHS.

SPIRES-In Fergus, on the 11th inst., the wife of Mr. Wm. Stires, Wellington Hotel, of a son. DAVIDSON-At Clifford, on the 4th inst., Mrs. Walter Davidson, of a son.

CLARRE—BUCHAN—In Mount Forest, on the 16th inst., at the residence of the bride's mother, by the Rev. F. M. Smith, Mr. Thos. Cierke, of the firm of Smith, Clarke & Co., merchants, Mount Forest, to Jauet, youngest daughter of the late Chas. Buchan, Esq.

DEATHS.

HUTCHINSON—In Nichol, on the 15th inst.,
Wm. Hufchinson, Esq., aged 63 years
and 4 months.
THOMSON—In Eramesa, on the 13th inst.,
Robert Thomson, second youngestson of
Mr. Hugh Thomson, of Garafraxa, aged
27 years.

SLEEMAN'S

BOTTLED ALE

In prime order at



FOUR, YEARS AGO

It is just four years ago to day since the Fashionable West End became an established institution on Upper Wyndham Street. At that time, many of the business men in town ridiculed the idea of doing a successful retail Dry Goods business here as absurd, it not altogether foolish. By industry, perseverance, and a determination to succeed, we have dispelled those fears to such an extent that those who were loudest in their prophetical denunciations are now beginning to think there are worse places than Upper Wyndham Street, and are rather inclined to wish themselves up this way.

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By the same means we have established a business second to none in town. From the day we opened up to the present, we have enjoyed a steady and regular increase in our sales, the last week being the best we have ever had. For these satisfactory results we feel our indebtedness to the inhabitants of the town of Guelph and surrounding country, and desire to convey to them our very best thanks. Encouraged by the past and fully realizing the fact that the trade is rapidly concentrating on Upper Wyndham Street, we enter upon our fifth year with strong resolutions to do our utmost to merit the continued support of all our old customers, and to secure as many new ones as possible. We were never in a better position to give our customers satisfaction than we are for the Fall of 1874. Constantly increasing facilities enable us to take advantage of every favourable turn in the markets, and, confident that no one can do the trade better than we can, we have determined this Fall by an unusually grand display of Cheap Goods to satisfy every one that there is no better place in which to make purchases than the Fashionable West End.

A. O. BUCHAM,

Fashionable West End Dress, Mantle and Millinery Establishment.

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Stoves usually sold at \$32, now at \$26

All others at the same reduction.

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Give us a call before buying elsewhere, as we are determined not to be under sold. Our stock is the largest west of Hamilton and Toronto.

MILLS & GOODFELLOW,

CLEARING SALE OF CLOTHING AT THE

Elephant Clothing Store

Previous to receiving Fall Stock we have concluded upon a Clearing Sale

DURING THIS MONTH

& BOYS' CLOTHING!

Which we will offer at prices never before equalled in Guelph.

A BEAUTIFUL STOCK OF OXFORD AND REGATTA SHIRTS JUST RECEIVED, TO BE SOLD VERY CHEAP, AND EVERYTHING IN THE WAX OF GENTS FURNISHING GOODS AT COMPARATIVELY LOW PRICES.

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Guelph, Aug. 3rd, 1974. WAR) GREAT EXCITEMENT.

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HORSMAN'S JOHN

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Buying the BEST STOVES for Cash, I will sell at bottom prices, and as heretofore wage a war against high prices.

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Which ever came into Guelph, and respectfully solicit the patronage of an appreciative public. Remember--- "Money Saved is Money Gained."

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THE BOTTOM KNOCKED OUT OF HIGH PRICES.

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William Stewart

BLACK SILKS

Beys to announce the arrival of a Case of 5,501) yards of Black Silks. Taking the advantage of the late depression in the Silk Markets of Britain and the Continent, I have secured the above at prices quite unprecedented in the annals of Black Silks for loveness of price, and am now offering Bright Black Silks at 75c, 85c, 95c, \$1,\$1.15,\$1.20, and up.

On comparison purchasers will find fully a reduction of from 25 to 33 per cent. on former prices.

Mr. Stewart respectfully informs the public that the present is a grand time to buy, as prices are again advancing.

WM. STEWART.

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X. S. S. Caspian, 1 Cask Cutlery,

" 2 Cases Steel,
" 260 Bdls Hoop Iron.
Scandinavian, 4 Casks Chains,
" 3 loose "
" 1 Jask Hardware.
" Memphis 250 boxes CanadalPlate
Severn, 16 Rolls Oil Cloth.
" Texas, 1881 Bdls Iron.
" Dominion, 11 Casks Hardware.
" 1 Case
" 10 Casks Chains.
" 15 Bdls Gas Tubes
" 10 Kegs Nails.
" 5 Cases Borax.
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John M. Bond & Co. Direct Hardware Importers,

Wyndham street, Guelph. THE GUELPH

Hot & Cold Water Baths

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He has now opened out his fall goods, which he will sell at the lowest prices, all new goods, no old stock in his shop, the kindes attention will be paid to customers, that favour him with a call. My motto is "quick sales and light profits." I am also prepared to make all ordered work, in the seatest styce and of the best material, no misfits. All sorts of little boys' work will be topt on band. Repairing done on the hortest notice.

2 Shoemakers wanted that can make first-lass work. Highest wages will be vaid, and teady employment. Guelph, Sept. 2nd, 1874, WM. NOBLE.

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