

THURSDAY EVE'G, APRIL 9, 1868.
NO PAPER TO-MORROW.
To-morrow being GOOD-FRIDAY, there will be no paper issued from this office.

THE ITALIAN QUESTION.

There are spirits in Italy, (we may call them revolutionary if we choose) which so long as they live will never cease to agitate for making Rome the capital and never tire of laying plans for the redemption of their country from ecclesiastical rule. Chief among these, if we except perhaps Garibaldi, is the veteran Mazzini, who has lately written a letter on the present state of things in Italy. He berates in severe terms the moral cowardice of the Italians of all parties during the recent crisis. He asks what Italy did after she had at great sacrifice of blood and treasure established the national independence, and proclaimed to the world that Rome was to crown the edifice. What could she do? Italy as represented by Garibaldi and his followers performed wonders under the circumstances; but Italy as represented by Victor Emmanuel was fettered by the power of the Emperor of France. The nation was responsible for its conduct to the other kingdoms and empires of Europe, and chiefly was it answerable to him who held the rod over it in *terrorem*; the Garibaldians had but life to lose, and if they survived they had every prospect of pardon, and a restoration to such privileges as they had enjoyed before. It is true, that while Napoleon hesitated Victor might have acted, but had he done so the last field that would have been fought in Italy might have been much more disastrous than fatal Mentana. Mazzini reproaches his countrymen thus: "In opposition to the unanimous will of the nation, and the declarations which all Europe had greeted with applause, an intruding voice is raised, the voice of the French Emperor, a voice of prohibition, unjustifiable, unprovoked, arbitrary, insolent, and without the excuse even of personal interest. What then takes place? Kings, Ministers, and Parliament tremble at the sound of that voice, accept the prohibition, and acknowledge its utterance as their undisputed law and master. Choose for yourselves another capital! cries this foreigner; and they choose another. Put down Garibaldi by force of arms! and they put him down. Defend against Italy, and on behalf of the Pope, what you have declared to be Italian ground! and they undertake to defend it. Back from that frontier! and they go back. Then, as if in act of solemn defiance, and to close the door of the future, a French Minister rises in his place, and says before all Europe: 'Italy shall never have Rome, for France wills it so; and King, Ministers, and Parliament in Italy listen in silence. The country dare not shake off its sluggish apathy, and quietly brooks the insult. Is there a more shameful page than this in the history of nations?' He then adds: "In an army which counts among its highest grades the names of Bixio, Medici, Cosenz, and Cialdini, not a single officer broke his sword in two, and that in a chamber in which are sitting Bertani, Cairoli, Nicotri, Miceli, Asproni, Fabrizi, Norelli, Pianciani, and Tamalo, not ten could be found with the courage to demand the instant evacuation of the French troops. He then quotes the taunt of Ugo Foscolo in the teeth of his countrymen half a century ago: "A nation that uses its name as a theme for arrogance and not as an incentive to courage, a nation that whimpers over its servile state, but dares not raise to put an end to it, gives an excuse to its neighbors to deride its frivolity, to humble its pride, and to seize its wealth, adding its name to that of the herd of conquered peoples. Such a nation, O Italians, is yours! Be slaves, therefore, and hold your peace." Mazzini then condemns the recent movement as premature, and therefore doomed to failure. The work of silent preparation, he says, must be begun anew under the guidance of a single name, with a clearly-defined time of action, excluding all who refuse their adhesion to the entire programme of the party.

Livingstone Safe beyond Doubt.
We are sure every one of our readers will rejoice to learn that all doubts regarding Dr. Livingstone's safety are now dispelled. Sir Roderick Murchison has received a letter from the distinguished traveller, in which he says he is in good health, and will soon return to England.

Dr. Mudd, one of the Lincoln conspirators, who was sentenced for life to the Dry Tortugas, is said to be hopeful of pardon. His conduct is exemplary, and his professional services during the continuance of the yellow fever at the post last fall have made him rather popular with the officers of the garrison.

The authorities are employing every possible means to find out the murderer of Mr. McGee. All the machinery of the law is at work, and no effort is being spared to bring the assassin to justice. Additional testimony goes to strengthen the suspicion that Whelan is the murderer. It is true the evidence so far is but of a circumstantial character, but that is the only kind which can be expected to be obtained about a crime so foully conceived and darkly perpetrated as this. It is not likely that any human eye witnessed the actual perpetration of the deed except that of the assassin himself, and the probability of obtaining direct evidence of the crime is therefore very remote. But circumstantial evidence, when each link is perfect, is now held by many good jurists to be as trustworthy and in some cases even more trustworthy than direct testimony, because to make the chain complete requires concurrent evidence of numerous parties, while in the other case the proof rests upon one or two who may after all be in error.

The testimony given by the boy Trotter at the inquest is clear and intelligent. It was expected he could throw some light on the direction the murderer had taken, but on this point he could throw no light, and the supposition is that as soon as the assassin had accomplished his purpose he ran round the corner of the Queen's Printer's building, and fled down O'Connor street into the open country to the south-west which commences at the end of O'Connor street, and soon gets broken and wooded. It is also evident from Mrs. Trotter's testimony, that Mr. McGee knew that he was dogged, and sought by tapping at her door in a very rapid and agitated manner to seek instant admission and shelter from the person whom he knew to be following him; also that he had just succeeded in his agitation in inserting his latch key in the lock, as she was opening the door, when the shot was fired. Strange to say Mrs. Trotter neither saw nor heard anything of the murderer.

BIRTHS.
SINGLAI—In Minto, on the 5th inst., the wife of Donald Singlair, Esq., of twins—son and daughter.

New Advertisements.

AGENTS WANTED!

FIVE good men wanted in every Township, to sell on salary, CLARK'S PATENT SASH LOCKS and CAN OPENERS. Address, enclosing \$1 for samples and terms. If Agents cannot sell, return samples and get your money back. A. KENNEDY & CO., Box 960, Chicao, Ill. Guelph, 9th April, 1868. d6w4

House Servant Wanted.
APPLY to MRS. SHARPE, Waterloo Road, April 7th, 1868. (d1f)

House and Lot for Sale
AT A BARGAIN.
FOR sale, that large and commodious Frame Dwelling House situated in East Market Square, in the Town of Guelph, immediately adjoining O'Neil's Hotel. Lot about 30 feet front, and extending through to Macdonnell-st. For particulars apply to D. GUTHRIE, Esq., Barrister, Guelph, or to Messrs BURTON & BRUCE, Barristers, Hamilton. Guelph, 1st April, 1868. dwt1

FOR SALE.
SODA ASH—Gamble's.
CAUSTIC SODA—Gamble's, 'Walden', 'Alkali Comp's', 'Garrett's'.
SAL. SODA.
CHLORIDE OF LIME.
PALM OIL.
W. T. BENSON,
37 St. Peter Street, Montreal.
Montreal, 1st April, 1868. dw-6m

Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, as general merchants, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 22nd day of March, 1868. All debts owing to the said Partnership are to be paid to Alex. McIntyre, at Clifford; and all claims against the said Partnership are to be presented to George McDonald, of Clifford; by whom the same will be settled.
Witness, GEORGE McDONALD, D. McEACHREN, ALEX. MACINTYRE. Clifford, April 8. d6 w4

TO CONTRACTORS.

THE undersigned will receive tenders until the 15th inst. for moving a Frame Dwelling House 30 x 30 feet, distance 24 chains, on good level ground. The building can be seen by applying to the undersigned, who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender.
JOHN TYSON, Butcher, Market Stall No. 2, Guelph. April 7, 1868. d4

R. GALBRAITH TAILOR,

ST. GEORGE'S SQUARE, GUELPH, in rear of the English Church.

BEGS to inform the inhabitants of Guelph and vicinity that he has rented the premises lately occupied by Mr. Jeanneret, Watchmaker, where

Parties Furnishing their Own Goods
Will always find him on hand ready to attend to their orders. All work carefully executed and on reasonable terms.

Garments Altered, Repaired and Cut with Neatness and Despatch.
Guelph, April 8, 1868. dtf w1m

Two Farms & Tavern Stand to Rent.

FIRST—The easterly half of lot No. 6, 1st concession, Eramosa, 100 acres, 30 chains 1 acre under cultivation; with two dwellinghouses, good new frame bank barn, stone root house, water, &c. on the premises.
SECOND—Lot No. 3, on 1st concession, Division B, Township of Guelph, on the Waterloo Road, three and a half miles from Guelph, on which there is a good tavern stand. There are 44 acres in a good state of cultivation, with barn, stable, outhouses, water, &c. on the premises.
For particulars apply to Mr. Jas. Scougal, Waterloo Road, or to MESSRS. McCURRY & MITCHELL, Guelph, April 8th. d6 w1f Solicitors, &c.

Fashionable Entertainment! RETURN OF THE Townsend Family!

For THREE NIGHTS ONLY

Enthusiastic Reception and Crowded Houses Everywhere. Entirely New Pieces, New Scenery and New Dresses.

JOHN TOWNSEND

in his great character of
CORWIN THE DEMON ADVOCATE.

Miss Florence Townsend

in her celebrated character of
THE ORPHAN OF GENEVA,
Supported by the Entire Company.

Monday Ev'g, April 13, 1868

WILL be presented the Popular and Highly interesting Melo-Drama, in 3 Acts entitled
The Orphan of Geneva.

Corwin by..... John Townsend.
Count de Morville..... Harry Townsend.
Fontaine..... B. L. Townsend.
Therese..... Miss Florence Townsend.
Countless..... Miss Constance Townsend.
Supported by the whole Company.

To conclude with the Laughable Farce of
THE FAST YOUNG LADY AND HER STUPID LOVERS.

Hector Timid..... Mr Harry Townsend.
Mr Wiseman..... Mr. A. J. Reil.
The Fast Young Lady..... Miss Florence Townsend.
Supported by the Company.

Doors open 7:15. Commence at 8. Carriages at 11. Admission 25 cents. Reserved Seats, 50c. Guelph, April 7, 1868. d7,9,11

TO BE HAD ONLY AT The Apothecaries' Hall.

NEURALGIA POWDERS.

The New, Extraordinary, and Tonic Remedy for

Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Sciatica and Lumbago.

Also, for Face-ache, Tooth-ache, Ear-ache, Coughs and all affections from Cold.

The Powders are entirely Tonic in their action, giving strength and tone to the system, and increasing the appetite.

They are tasteless and may be taken by anybody with perfect safety.

A. B. PETRIE,
Chemist, Sole Agent, Guelph.
Guelph, April 8. daw 1f

MONTREAL Boot and Shoe Store WHOLESALE & RETAIL

STILL THEY COME!
50 Cases Just Opened
OF THE BEST AND MOST FASHIONABLE BOOTS & SHOES

The Dominion can Produce. TERKS, CASH. N. B.—Country Merchants are invited to call and examine our Stock.

JOHN McNEIL,
Montreal Boot and Shoe Store, Wyndham-st. Guelph, 8th April, 1868. dw

R. J. JEANNERET.

From England,
(Established in London, Ont., 1842, and in Guelph 1863.)

WORKING WATCHMAKER AND JEWELER, DAYS BLOCK,

Opposite the Market, Guelph.

FOR sale cheap, best quality of English and other Fine Gold Washing Rings, also, a fine assortment of Ladies' English Dress Rings. Guelph, 8th April, 1868. dw

LOST.

LOST this Morning, on Wyndham Street, an Envelope containing two Railway Passes and a little money. Whoever has found it by returning it to PETER GOW, ESQ., M. P. P., will be suitably rewarded. Guelph, April 8th. dit

BOARD WANTED.

By a newly married couple in a family where no other boarders are kept. Address Mr. A. McCreary office. Guelph, 4th April, 1868. ds

SELECT Boarding & Day School

MRS. FETHERSTONHAUGH proposes (D.V.) to open a School for young Ladies at her residence in Wyndham Street, over the Post Office, on MONDAY, 20th April. Guelph, 27th March, 1868. c w3

1868. SPRING 1868. Important and Startling Announcement.

FIRST ARRIVAL OF SPRING GOODS

AT THE

BRADFORD HOUSE

THE Subscriber has much pleasure in announcing the arrival of his **SPRING STOCK**, which for extent, cheapness and quality is not surpassed in the Dominion, and

This Week will shew the following Attractive Lines

POPLINS—In all the New Colours, from \$6 per dress.
PLAIN AND FANCY SILKS in every shade.
PLAIN AND FANCY DRESS GOODS—New Styles.
CASHMERE—In beautiful colours and patterns.

HOSIERY—White and Coloured in large variety.
GLOVES—A beautiful assortment, including Jovina's Black and Col'd Kid. " Alexandro's do do

And the Largest Assortment of Small Wares in Ontario.

UNRIVALLED BARGAINS!

MR. JEFFREY being very early in the Market this Spring, and having bought heavily in STAPLES previous to the great advance, I will sell all

Cotton Goods at December Prices

BEING FULLY TEN PER CENT. CHEAPER THAN ANY OTHER HOUSE IN GUELPH, NO MATTER WHAT THEIR PRE-TENTIONS MAY BE.

THE MILLINERY AND MANTLE SHOW ROOMS WILL BE OPENED IN A FEW DAYS.

As this Department has always been acknowledged to have no rival in the West, extra attention has been given this season to place it still further ahead of any attempt at competition. Due notice will be given of the OPENING DAY.

The Trimming Department, as usual, is Large and Attractive.

Inspection invited. Will be glad to show the Stock and give List of Prices.

PHILIP BISH.
Bradford House, Wyndham Street, Guelph, April 8, 1868. daw 1f

GREAT ATTRACTION.

THE GREATEST ATTRACTION OF THE SEASON IS THE DISPLAY OF

NEW HATS & CAPS

AT

THE GUELPH CLOTH HALL

A. THOMSON & CO.
Guelph, 4th April, 1868. daw y

A. R. McMASTER & BRO.

Are now opening out their

Spring Importations!

And will be glad to see their customers and friends at

32 Yonge-st., Toronto.

Toronto, 26th March, 1868. dw-ly

SPECIAL NOTICE.

OPENED TO-DAY!

New Spring Dress Goods,
New Hats New and Skirtings.

Guelph, March 27, 1868. A. O. BUCHAM.

Try those Splendid New Figs

AT THIRTY CENTS PER BOX.

Oranges and Lemons!

Walnuts, Filberts, & Linc. Chocolate Cream, Gumdrops and every other Nicety.

Well, but where is all this to be got? Why, where would you expect to get them first-class but at

Guelph, 27th March, 1868. dw H. BERP Y'S.

THE SPRING TRADE

STEWART

SPRING DRESSES, NEWEST STYLES.

SPRING DRESSES, BEST MATERIALS.

SPRING DRESSES, MOST MODERATE PRICES.

STEWART

HAS JUST RECEIVED the largest and most choice stock of New Spring Goods he has ever shown, and respectfully requests attention to the great difference in price from last year, being at least One-third Lower.

STEWART

HAS opened a case of White Drab and Grey Stays, that fit the body and not the body the stays. Highly recommended by the Faculty.

STEWART'S

CARPET STOCK is the largest west of Toronto, and being all this season's importations the designs and colors are new.

STEWART'S

STOCK OF TAPESTRY is large and choice. Styles are new, and will be offered very low, commencing at 75 cents.

STEWART'S

NEW SILKS. BLACK AND COLORED.

STEWART'S

DRESS GOODS. CHENES, CAMLETS, REPS, POPLINS, SERGES, MOHAIRS.

STEWART'S

MANTLES. SILK, CLOTH AND VELVET.

STEWART'S

JACKETS. SILK, CLOTH AND VELVET.

STEWART'S

LACES. COLLARETS, TIES, FALLS, MUSLIN AND LINEN SETS.

STEWART'S

PARASOLS. RIBBONS, FLOWERS, &c.

STEWART'S

HOSIERY. SILK, SPUN AND COTTON.

STEWART'S

GLOVES. KIDS, SILK AND LISLE.

STEWART'S

SMALL WARES. BELTS, BUOLE TRIMMINGS, BUTTONS IN VARIETY.

STEWART'S

PRINTS. BRILLIANTES, PIQUES, BRETINGS AND BRETINGS.

STEWART

Is now showing for the Spring Trade

NEW DAMASKS,
NEW REPS,
NEW CHINTZES,
NEW LENO CURTAINS,
NEW MUSLIN CURTAINS,
NEW LACE CURTAINS.

WM. STEWART.

Guelph, April, 1st, 1868. dw