

RAILWAY TIME TABLE.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.
Leaves Guelph as follows:
1:45 a.m.; 9:45 a.m.; 1:30 p.m.; 6:00 p.m.; 8:10 p.m. To London, Godrich and Detroit. To Berlin and Galt.
3:05 a.m.; 8:00 a.m.; 11 a.m.; 4:40 p.m. and 7:25 p.m.
GREAT WESTERN-GUELPH BRANCH
Going south—8:40 a.m.; 2:25 p.m.; 9:00 p.m. and 4:15 p.m.
Going north—11:45 a.m. for Southampton mixed 1:45 p.m. for Palmerston; 6:15 p.m. for Harrison; 9:45 p.m. for Fergus.

Guelph Evening Mercury

TUESDAY EV'G. OCT. 13, 1874

Town and County News

KEEP WARM.—To do this you should procure a set of furs from Geo. Jeffrey. His stock is large and prices low.

SOCIAL.—The Young People's Aid Society will hold a social in the Wesleyan Church on Thursday evening next. The entertainment will consist of readings, music, recitations, &c. Admission free.

TO THRESHERS.—Those parties who are engaged in this calling, would do well to recollect that there is a penalty for not complying with the Act respecting the covering of couplings, etc. Any party can prosecute and receive one half the fine for so doing.

PRIME APPLES.—We have to thank Mr. John Laing, of Puslinch, for a quantity of his superior apples which took the first and second prizes at the Puslinch Show. This is not the first time we have had occasion to make our acknowledgments to Mr. Laing for presents of fruit. He has a very fine orchard, and as he is selling his farm (see advt.) this should be an inducement to parties to purchase it.

TORONTO, GREY AND BRUCE RAILWAY.—The General Superintendent of the Toronto, Grey & Bruce Railway, has given public notice that, as their rolling stock will be taxed to its utmost capacity by the opening of their line from Harrison to Teeswater, which adds about thirty miles to their road, no produce, wood or lumber from the townships of Luther or East or West Garafraxa, can be removed (no matter at what stations offered) until after those townships granting bonuses have been served.

ATTACHMENT FOR DEBT.—It may be interesting to some of our readers to know the provisions of the Act passed at the last session of the Ontario Parliament relating to garnishment. Section one of the Act referred to, provides that no debt due, or accruing to a mechanic, workman, laborer, servant, clerk, or employee for, or in any respect of, his wages or salary, shall after the first day of October be liable to seizure or attachment unless such debt shall exceed the sum of \$25, and then only to the extent of such excess. This Act does not affect or apply to debts contracted before the 1st of October.

DEATH OF JESSE KETCHUM, ESQ., OF ORANGEVILLE.—This gentleman, well known in Orangeville, where he resided for many years, has passed away, at the age of 54. His health for the past few years had been failing, and with a view to its recuperation he visited the mineral springs at St. Louis, Michigan. The medicinal waters seemed to be doing a good work for Mr. Ketchum, and his letters home were most encouraging, but on the 3rd inst., he was taken suddenly ill. His wife and two sons immediately started for St. Louis, but were denied the sad pleasure of seeing him, alive who had been to them a loving father and husband, as a telegram from St. Louis after the family had gone announced that he had died on Saturday evening. The body was brought to Orangeville on Wednesday following, and on Thursday a large number of the citizens followed the remains to their last resting place, in a plot of ground which belonged to deceased, near the Episcopal Cemetery. The widow and the family have the sympathy of the entire community in their bereavement. Mr. Ketchum was a son of Jesse Ketchum, Esq., of Toronto, who was foremost in every good work in connection with schools and churches, and whose good works follow him.

Fergus Correspondence.

The Centre Riding Reform Convention meet on Thursday at 2 p.m., to consider the pending protest against Dr. Orton, and also to make arrangements for nominating a candidate for the Local Legislature, and also one for the House of Commons.
The Potatoes in this section of country are a splendid crop, and the other root crops also promise well.
Thursday the 29th Oct. being appointed a Thanksgiving Day for the Province of Ontario, will be observed here as a holiday. A union thanksgiving service will be held in St. Andrew's Church, which will be conducted by the Rev. Mr. Barker. The Y.M.C.A. will hold a meeting in the evening to which friends in the Elora and Guelph Associations are invited.
The Y.M.C.A. are making arrangements to hold their Annual Tea Meeting on Thursday, Dec. 17th.
A gentleman walking from Elora late week on the railway track when near Fergus observed a man who was drunk, sleeping on the track, and he had just time to remove him when the train passed.
Fergus, Oct. 12th, 1874.

A bushel of wheat weighing sixty pounds contains 500,000 kernels.
Of forty-nine railroads in Illinois, only seven pay dividends.
There is iron enough in the blood of forty-two men to make a ploughshare of twenty-four pounds.
The railways got about \$8,000,000 a year for transporting mail matter.
A contemporary says that quite a number of weddings are taking place around the country this week. Well, it's all right boys, pitch in; all you need is \$2 for a license, enough for the preacher and a girl that's good enough to have you. Remember Susan B. Anthony's advice, "get married young man, don't wait for the girls to become angels. You'd look well alongside of an angel, wouldn't you, you brute."

MANUFACTURE OF COCOA.—We will now give an account of the process adopted by Messrs. James Epps & Co., manufacturers of dietetic articles, at their works in the Euston Road, London.—See article in *Cassell's Household Guide*, 176-7m

ARMSTRONG, McCRAE & CO'S HOSIERY.
No. 1
No. 2
No. 3
No. 4
No. 5
No. 6
No. 7
No. 8
No. 9
No. 10
No. 11
No. 12
Ladies' Hosiery.

GEO. JEFFREY'S PRICE LIST FOR THE PRESENT WEEK

DRESSES.	SKIRTS.	SHAWLS.	JACKETS.
Lustres from 12 1/2c	Wincey, from ... \$1.00	Heavy, plain color, from \$2.50	Children's Black Cloth... \$.25
Home Spun (plain) 25	Quilted Lustre ... 1.62 1/2	Tartan Plaids ... 2.50	" Velveteen ... 37 1/2
" " (checked) 35	Felt ... 1.50	Paisley ... 3.00	Ladies' Seal ... 1.50
Empress Cords 35	The ...	** ANDALUSIAN ... 6.50	" Astrachan ... 3.50
Metz " 37 1/2	** POMPADOUR, from 5.00	Wool from ... 6.50	" heavy Petersham... 4.00
Diagonals, very fine, 50	** GEO. JEFFREY, Sole Agent for Guelph.	** GEO. JEFFREY, Sole Agent for Guelph.	Capes and Waterproof Cloaks, Cheap and Good.
French Merinos 50			
Ah wool, for 50			

SPECIALTIES

Black Lustres.—George Jeffrey, Sole agent for celebrated "Bear Brand." Our 25c cannot be equalled.
Black Silks.—Useful Glace, 75c; Ducape \$1; Drap de Lyons \$1.50; Bonnets' \$2.
Gloves.—Jouvin's celebrated one button, \$1; do. two buttons, \$1.15.
Real Laces.—Valencien's, Beaded Yak, Cluny, Point, Honiton, Irish Crochet.

Milinery Show Rooms open on Oct. 1st.
Pattern Bonnets, In Parisian, London and New York Styles,
Pattern Hats.

The Rush for Bargains Still on the Increase

AT THE LION AT THE LION



We show this Week the Cheapest Lot of Goods ever before shown in Guelph

NOTE THE FOLLOWING PRICES:

500 pieces Fine Scoured Wincey at 10c, worth at least 12c.
379 bales Fine yd wide Factory Cotton 10c, worth 12c—this cotton is great value.
1000 pieces Dress Goods, in check and stripes, from 6s a yard—terrifically low.
Ladies' Clouds, Nubias, Scarfs, beautiful and warm, at 12 1/2c each, in endless variety.
10,000 pieces New Styles D.K. Prints, at 9c, worth 12c.
147 doz. Reversible Wool Shawls, lovely for winter wear, 11 York Shillings, worth \$3.
150 pieces extra Heavy Filled Cloth, only half a dollar, worth 75c a yard.
With pleasure we inform the Ladies of Guelph that we have secured the valuable services of Miss Marney as principal in our Mantle Department. The name of Miss Marney is sufficient guarantee that the orders entrusted to her care will give eminent satisfaction.

Remember the Store—THE GOLDEN LION—where the once wonderful John Hogg was, and where the now wonderful J. D. WILLIAMSON is. Although unprincipled men have been trying to impose on the people that the Lion has been moved up street, the Lion is still in the old spot, next door to Mr. John Horsman's, Lower Wyndham street. Where the Lion is, there the Bargains are.

Golden Lion, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

J. D. WILLIAMSON.

THE NEW STORE

W ONDERFUL ATTRACTION!

TREMENDOUS RUSH

JOHN HOGG

Has now got his New Store, New Goods, and New Prices into full order, and his old Friends and Customers are pouring in to welcome him back again to serve them.

I wish it to be distinctly understood that I have no connection with any Golden Lion, in Guelph or elsewhere, as my New Store only contains New Goods fresh from the Looms. I have no old Shop-keepers' to palm off. My prices for the Best and most Stylish, fresh and New Goods are 20 per cent under the old prices charged for Stuff in the other Stores.

"DOWN WITH HIGH PRICES."

Twenty-one years ago I commenced a War of Extermination against long prices and long profits—and I succeeded; but, alas, on my retirement from the Mercantile business four years ago, again the thirst for long prices and long profits began to show Signs of Life, and has continued up to this present time.

But, lo! what a Commotion there is now in the Camp of long prices and long profits, and well may there be that Commotion, because the WONDERFUL JOHN HOGG is up and at it again.

CLEAR THE TRACK!—Look at the immense throng about his Store. The Public appreciate an ENTERPRISING man and support him.

Call at once at the New Store, Upper Wyndham Street, Guelph. Ask for John Hogg himself, as many who would like to be John Hogg do not hesitate to deceive strangers enquiring for that Wonderful Man.

All branches of the business carried on.
Tailoring done to order. The finest assortment of all kinds of Coatings, Vestings, and Trousers in the Dominion.
Ready made clothing in Men's, Youths, and Boys' sizes, 25 per cent under anything in Guelph.
My general Stock of Goods is stirring up the Slow Coaches and making them open their eyes, saying "Hogg is losing Money."
REFORM, not only in the high prices changed, but in the quality of Goods offered to the Public.

The Public may at all times feel safe while I am in the business. I shall keep a watchful eye not only on the character of the Goods offered but on the prices charged.

JOHN HOGG.

Alma Block, Upper Wyndham Street, Guelph.

N.B. Mr. William Knowles, long and favorably known to the Public, is again with me and will be glad to see old friends and customers.

RED MILL Flour and Feed Store,

Wyndham Street, Guelph.
Family and Pastry Flour, and all kinds of Feed delivered in any part of the Town.
K. W. ROBERTSON, dtf
Guelph, Sept. 1, 1874.

NEW COAL YARD.

The undersigned having opened a Coal Yard in Guelph is prepared to furnish all kinds of Hard and Soft Coal at moderate prices. Orders left at the store of John A. Wood, Upper Wyndham street, will be promptly attended to.
GEORGE MURTON, dtf
Guelph, March 1st, 1874, dtf Proprietor.

MULTUM IN PARVO. (WAR) GREAT EXCITEMENT. (WAR)

NEW STOCK

WOOLS, FANCY GOODS, JEWELLERY, SMALL WARES, TOYS, WALL PAPERS, STATIONERY, SCHOOL BOOKS, HAIR GOODS, CHIGNONS, SWITCHES, BRAIDS, &c., &c.

Full lines in every Department. All new and the BEST VALUE at the LOWEST PRICE.

J. HUNTER,

Wyndham street, Guelph.

Stamping, for Braiding and Embroidery. Kid Gloves and Slippers cleaned. Feathers cleaned and curled. Agent for Miss Demorest's patterns.

THOS. WORSWICK

MACHINISTS' TOOLS

Complete, with best modern attachments. STEAM ENGINES of a superior class, with variable cut off. Also cheap Portable and Stationary Engines, the smaller sizes of which are designed for Printing Offices, and other requiring small power.

Jobbing will Receive Careful Attention.

Dec 17 1873 THOS WORSWICK Guelph, Ont. dtwjl

SALE OF PIANOS

The Committee appointed to dispose of the Pianos at the Manufactory of **JOSEPH F. RAINER,**

WEST MARKET SQUARE, GUELPH, will offer them at a considerable reduction on cost on reasonable

TERMS OF CREDIT consists of about **40**

first-class Instruments

Similar to those shown at the last Central Exhibition, and for which he was awarded the first prize. They are equal in compass of tone, finish and durability to the best instruments of any of the celebrated manufacturers, and as such an opportunity seldom occurs, in that in want of pianos would do well to avail themselves of it.

An inspection invited. A competent person will be the presence, near Mr. John Matthis', who will show the instruments. Guelph, March 18, 1874. dtwjl

WALROND'S CONFECTIONERY STORE.

Next to Petrie's Drug Store. Choice Confectionery. Hot Tea, Coffee, and Lunch At all hours. CAKES of all kinds constantly on hand. Weddings supplied on short notice. Guelph, July 29, 1874 dtf

Clattering among Stoves and Tins

DOWN THEY COME

JOHN HORSMAN'S GUELPH.

I have been the means already of considerably reducing the price of Stoves, but STILL DOWN THEY MUST COME.

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

COAL AND WOOD STOVES

Which ever came into Guelph, and respectfully solicit the patronage of an appreciative public.

Remember—"Money Saved is Money Gained."

All kinds of TINWARE manufactured on the premises by first-class and experienced workmen, and

THE BOTTOM KNOCKED OUT OF HIGH PRICES.

JOHN HORSMAN, General Hardware Merchant, GUELPH.



AT WHOLESALE PRICES.

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

All others at the same reduction.

GREAT REDUCTION IN TINWARE

Give us a call before buying elsewhere, as we are determined not to be undersold. Our stock is the largest west of Hamilton and Toronto. **MILLS & GOODFELLOW.** Gue ph, Sept 9, 1874. dtwjl