Guelph Evening Mercury

WEDNESDAY EV'NG, OCT. 28, 1874.

EAST NORTHUMBERLAND ELECTION TRIAL.—This case closed on Tuesday, when Mr. Biggar was unseated and the seat declared vacant, through bribery by agents; the respondent to pay part of the costs, but exempted from payment of the rest, on account of the faultiness of the particulars. The personal charges of bribery by Mr. Haines were dropped.

THE writ for the Lincoln election has been issued, and will probably be in the hands of the Returning Officer in a few days.

THE Reform Association of the the County of Monck met at Wellandport on Tuesday, when Dr. Haney, the present member, was their unanimous choice as candidate for the Local Legislature at the next election.

Mr. Blake and the Reform Party.

(From the Halifax Recorder.)

The *Express* pretends to think that the Reform party is alarmed lest Mr. Blake intends to desert from its ranks. But here is just where the shoe pinches. Gladly, indeed, would they see the great Reform champion desert his colors—gladly would they see him give the lie to his past life and ruin his position and prospects; but the real trouble is that Mr. Blake remains in thorough accord with the party with which he has ever associated—whose principles he has assisted to form, and whose success he has helped to achieve. Doubtless, there was faint hope in the breast of theses forlorn dismembered and demoralized Tories, that the Reform press would take issue with some of Mr. Blake's utterances; but it was a mistaken notion. The great beauty and glory of the Liberal party of Canada is found in the fact that they are not tied down to any stern dogmas. They are ever ready to progress with the wants and enlightments of the age. If Mr. Blake or any other respectable Reformer propounds any sound doctrine, the Liberal party is not afraid to accept it because it is novel and advanced. The whole Reform press of Canada has with one voice endorsed Mr. Blake's advanced ideas, and never before—not even when his thrilling eloquence and irrestible logic gave the death blow to "Twenty years of Corruption"—did Mr. Blake stand so high in the confidence and esteem of the Reform party. False hope! The Reformers have not given up Mr. Blake, and Mr. Blake has not yet given up the Reformers. It is cruel to take away this last faint gleam of consolation; but all of us have to bow to the irresistible logic of facts. Destitute of any leader or any respectable man whom they dare ask the people of Canada to support—with the few men of ability they had hopelessly tainted with corruption—the Tory remnant may well envy the Reformers the possession of such a man as Edward Blake. But their envy will not injure him, nor illumine by a single ray the deep gloom which over shadows their own dark and dismal condition.

A Temperance Hotel.

TO the Editor of the MERCURY.

SIR:—We have been watching with interest and pleasure the efforts of the Temperance men of Guelph, which have been put forth from time to time for the advancement of the public good, by removing the temptation from the weak, and by suppressing the sale—at unlawful hours and places—of intoxicating liquor. With your permission I would like to call the attention of the different organizations of a philanthropic nature, to the necessity of opening a Temperance Hotel in Guelph. For a long time we have been pained to listen to the complaints of Lodges of Good Templars and Sons of Temperance, whose members have been overcome by the influences brought to bear against them while in town, being compelled by necessity to frequent places where the temptation was too strong for them to resist. Several cases are now fresh before our minds, in which, men who have risen from habits of intemperance to respectable citizenship, and even to official positions in churches, have been overcome by the influences of their former habits.

Now Temperance men are both able and willing to pay for all the accommodation they receive, and it is this willingness that sometimes leads them from the right track whereby they are imposed upon with *Soft Stuff*, which is a greater enemy to Temperance Societies than pure old Rye itself. We fully appreciate the services of the Y. M. C. A. by furnishing reading rooms free to all, where one may while away a pleasant and profitable half hour while waiting for a train. We are also pleased to hear that the Good Templars purpose building a new Hall, to cost $7,000, but we would like to see them build a Temperance Hotel, with a capacious hall to accommodate the Good Templars and the Sons of Temperance, with rooms for the Y. M. C. A. and kindred Societies, for they are so closely allied that they should not be separated. Let us then have one large building where the reformed drunkard may stop with comparative safety; where those who have not become drunkards may be free from temptation; where young men who have no homes may find a home; where ministers of the Gospel may feel comfortable; where those who do not wish to countenance the liquor traffic may go with no danger of doing so.

A County which has fifteen hundred members of the Independent Order of Good Templars besides Sons of Temperance and British Templars, with a great many sympathisers who are not members of any organization, ought to be, and is able to support a Temperance House in grand style. Will the Temperance people of Guelph and surrounding country take the matter into consideration, and express themselves *pro* or *con* through the medium of our local papers.

Thanking you for the insertion of the above,

I am faithfully,
AMICUS HUMANI GENERIS.

Oct. 26, 1874.

A TESTIMONIAL. — The *Globe* takes notice of a very handsome French china pitcher displayed in the window of a King street store and intended as a gift to Mr D. Wylie, of the Brockville *Recorder*. On one side is an excellent likeness in colors of the genial face of that gentleman—"The Father of the Canadian Press"—as he is called; on the opposite side is a representation of Niagara Falls. The painting and decoration of the pitcher were done by the gentleman by whom it is being presented to Mr. Wylie, Mr. E. Tatler, now of Trenton, N. J., but formerly of the establishment of Messrs. Hurd & Leigh, Toronto.

DEATH FROM THE KICK OF A HORSE.—A son of Mr. Chas. Foreman of Durham, met his death on Saturday morning while driving in a single horse attached to a waggon. The horse became fractous and the boy in the abdomen, killing him instantly.

Palmerston Correspondence.

Thanksgiving day service will be held on Thursday, in the Bible Christian Church, at 10.30 a.m., and in the Presbyterian Church at 2.30 p.m.

Rev. D. Anderson will deliver a lecture in the Presbyterian Church on Thursday evening, 29th inst.—Thanksgiving day—on "Man's Responsibility, specially for his Belief." A collection will then be taken up in aid of the Building Fund of the Church. Afterwards an effort will be made to organize a Young Men's Christian Association, or a Literary or Mutual Improvement Society.

The new Presbyterian Church, in this village, was opened for Divine service last Sabbath. It is of stone, 40 x 50 ft., and two stories high. The upper story is completed with the exception of the painting, and will be used for ordinary Sabbath services. The ceiling is 14 feet high at the sides, and rises from the base of the rafters, forming an angle in the centre, where it is about 21 feet high. The windows are large and give plenty of light. The seats are plain but comfortable. The pulpit is also plain. A spire, which is sixty-nine feet in height, surmounts the building and gives it a fine appearance. The basement ceiling is about ten feet high. When completed it will be used for lecture room, Sabbath School room, &c. The cost of the building is about $3,000.

Three services were held in connection with the opening, the first at 10.30 a.m., by the Rev. J. McMillen, of Mt. Forest, who preached from the 2nd verse of the 129th Psalm; at 2.30 p.m., Rev. R. J. Forman (Wesleyan), of Drayton, preached from the 29th verse of the 73rd Psalm, and at 6.30 p.m., the Rev. J. McMillen again preached, his text being the 20th and following verses of the 15th chapter of Luke. All the sermons were able and practical. The church was crowded at each service, but especially in the afternoon, when there must have been nearly five hundred people in the church, although it is only intended to seat about three hundred. The collection amounted to $87.

Palmerston, Oct. 27, 1874.

BIRTHS.

COPELAND—At Rockwood, on the 27th inst., the wife of Mr. William Copeland, of a son—still born.

MARRIED.

HOLMES—MORRISON—By the Rev. Jas. Little at the residence of the bride's father, on the 27th of October, Marshall Holmes, to Mary, daughter of Mr. Duncan Morrison, all of Nassagaweya.

PETERS—BROUGHTON—At Guelph, on the 27th inst., by the Rev. I. B. Howard, Mr. Geo. C. Peters, to Miss Hannah Broughton.

DEATHS.

LUCIA—On the 25th inst., at the residence of his father, on the Galt and Hespeler road, of typhoid fever, Emanuel Lucia, aged 24 years.

HOWITT—In Puslinch, on the 28th inst., of diptheria, Alfred William, youngest son of Alfred Howitt, P.L.S., aged four years and three months.

NEW GOODS

The following invoice of Goods has just been received from the Celebrated Establishment of Crosse & Blackwell, of London, and as it comprises goods such as are not brought to Guelph by any other house you are invited to inspect them:—

Wax Moons for Carriage Lamps,
Night-lights, 6 and 8 hours,
Cadbury's Cocoa Essence,
Raspberry and Strawberry Jam,
Raspberry Vinegar,
Calvesfoot Jelly,
Lemon, Madeira, and Vanilla Jelly,
China Preserved Ginger,
Capt. White's West India Pickle, and Curry Paste,
Mango Relish, Pickled Onions,
Kippered Herrings,
English Yarmouth Bloaters,
Smoked Cods, Roes,
Anchovy and Bloater Paste,
Strasburg Meats, Potted Ham,
Chicken and Game,
Harvey's Sauce,
Lea & Perrin's Worcestershire Sauce,
English Malt Vinegar, and Anchovy Sauce.

ALSO,

White Clover Honey, in Comb,
Cranberries from Lake Superior,

AT JOHN A. WOODS,

Alma Block and Lower Wyndham Street, Guelph. 012 do.

WALL PAPER

BELOW COST
AT
ANDERSON'S
BOOKSTORE,
East Side Wyndham Street,
GUELPH.

FOR SALE—
TYRCATHLEN LOTS.

The Venerable Archdeacon Palmer has placed in my hands for sale the Lots in his new survey, immediately in rear of his residence and lying on the north side of Grange street. The situation cannot be surpassed in the town—convenient to Market, Post Office, Churches and Schools, commanding a magnificent view of the town and surrounding country. The lots are of different sizes, and well suited for private dwellings, with a first-class soil for gardening.

Those lots on Tyrcathlen Terrace are well adapted for genteel residences, (and will only be sold to those who will bargain to put up good buildings).

Plans of the lots can be seen at my office and particulars learned.

Terms very liberal. Purchases made this Fall, interest on balance of purchase money will not commence until 1st April next.

If desired, the lots will be pointed out on the ground.

Also, 17 other lots lying to the north of Palmer street, in Macdonald's survey, and on Queen and Arthur streets.

An early call is solicited.

CHARLES DAVIDSON,
Land and General Agent, Town Hall Building, Guelph.

Guelph, Aug. 31, 1874 dwf

FOR SALE,
DWELLING HOUSES
IN
GUELPH.

The undersigned is now prepared to offer to the Public a Class of Property which, for some time has been difficult to obtain. The prices to each parcel are given in plain figures and are marked down to the lowest possible price. The various properties here submitted are all in desirable situations, and the prices are extremely low. With regard to terms of payment the Subscriber will endeavor to meet the views of purchasers.

PARCEL NO. 1.—A stone cottage, containing six rooms, on Surrey street rented at $5.00 per month. Price—$700.00.

NO. 2.—A new frame cottage, four rooms, wood shed, etc., on Suffolk street. Price—$900.00.

NO. 3.—A frame house, 1½ stories, seven rooms, on Preston street, rented at $8.00 per month. Price—$1,000.00.

NO. 4.—A frame cottage, five rooms, on Preston street, for $900.00, rented at $7.00 per month.

NO. 5.—A two story roughcast house, 11 rooms, 2 large cellars and wood shed, on Green street, rented at $176.00 per year.

NO. 6.—A frame house, 1½ stories, 6 rooms, stone cellar, on Southampton street. Price—$900.00.

NO. 7.—Frame cottage on Essex street, three rooms. Price—$350.00.

NO. 8.—A block of three dwelling houses, on Cork street, adjoining the Wesleyan Methodist church, and producing a rental of $264.00 per year. Price—$2,000.00.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

NO. 9.—A dwelling, containing 5 rooms, with a workshop adjoining, situate on a good corner lot in Paisley Block, suitable for a country store or a wagon maker. Price—$600.00.

NO. 10.—A store and dwelling, 2 story, stone, in Everton, in which the Post Office and Telegraph Office are kept. A rare opening for a person wishing to commence business. Price—$1460.00.

FARM PROPERTY.

109 acres in Guelph Township, two miles from town, with excellent stone dwelling, 2 stories, excellent barn 200 feet long, sheds, stables, &c., large orchard, bearing.

200 acres, Guelph Township, 5 miles from Guelph, an excellent farm, log house, barn, and large orchard.

200 acres, in Puslinch, excellent frame dwelling, wood shed, barn, and large orchard.

50 acres, in Pilkington, on Elora gravel road, excellent land.

Building Lots in Guelph.

About 200 lots in various parts of the town. Lots in every Ward in town. Plenty of choice at low prices and on reasonable terms. Now is the time to buy, times are good, the town is prosperous, and prices will advance very materially.

The subscriber has been in the Real Estate business in Guelph for many years, and has sold an immense amount of property, and his record will bear him out in saying that his transactions in the past, and his representations as to the nature of property and title may be relied on.

HENRY HATCH,
Land and Loan Agent, Guelph.

Guelph, Oct. 14, 1874.

KENNEDY'S
Marble Works,
Opposite side from Mills & Goodfellow's Foundry, and
Near Eramosa Bridge,
Guelph.
ALL KINDS OF
MONUMENTS!
Tomb Stones, Mantel Pieces, &c., made to any size or design, and put up in any part of the country.
☞ Scotch Granite Monuments imported to order.
P. S.—A. Kennedy is a practical marble cutter.

BOOKBINDING.
BLANK BOOKS.
Merchants and others requiring first-class Account Books would do well to call at
Chapman's Bindery
Ledgers, Journals, Day and Cash Books made to any size.
Notes and Bill Heads, etc., ruled to order.
Get Your Magazines Bound.
Magazines and Periodical Works, Music, and every description of Books neatly bound in plain and fancy styles.
Charges moderate.
☞ Call and See at Chapman's Bindery
Over Mr. Hacking's Printing Office,
ST. GEORGE'S SQUARE.
F. TROLLOPE CHAPMAN,
Guelph, Oct. 17, 1874. d6t

HORSE SHOEING.
TWO FIRST PRIZES
For the best set of Light, and the best set of Heavy Horse Shoes, were awarded to DUNCAN McKENZIE, Woolwich Street, Guelph.
OWNERS of HORSES
Who wish to have their horses' feet kept in good condition for travelling should give me a trial, as I devote my whole time and attention to this branch of business. Nothing but horse shoeing is done in my shop. This enables me from my long experience in this branch to do horse shoeing superior and quicker than can be done in shops where all kinds of jobs are done. Horse shoeing should be kept entirely by itself.
Thanking my customers for their very liberal support since commencing business I hope by strict attention to my business to have a liberal share of public patronage.
I am,
Yours Respectfully,
D. McKENZIE.
Woolwich St.
N. B. No Factory shoes used in my shop, all of my own make.
Guelph, Oct. 14, 1874. d2w-8tw

THE undersigned have entered into partnership in the practice of their profession.
WM. CLARKE, M. D. H. HARKIN, M. D.
Dr. Clarke will remain at the office every Wednesday and Saturday, and Dr. Harkin every Monday and Friday, for consultation. Office—Quebec St., Guelph. O6-'74-dwy.

"MONEY TO BE MADE."
The subscriber is authorized to let the store and premises, in the village of Eden Mills, lately occupied by Samuel Meadows.
These premises are of stone, large and well suited for a general store. The village is situated in the centre of a flourishing farming district. Terms moderate. Apply to Lemon, Peterson & McLean, Solicitors, Guelph, and to J. A. DAVIDSON,
Township Clerk,
Eden Mills
May 27, 1874 eo

CHEAP DRESS GOODS
OPENING TO-DAY AT
THE FASHIONABLE WEST END.
Another Large Lot of Cheap Dress Goods in
☞ POPULAR STYLES
AT OUR
POPULAR PRICES! ☜
20c, 25c. and 30c.
Every Lady must come direct to the Fashionable West End for Dress Goods, the finest and cheapest stock in the Trade to select from.
A. O. BUCHAM,
Fashionable West End Dress, Mantle and Millinery Establishment.
P.S.—Will open to-morrow another lot of 100 pieces of those splendid 12½ cent Winceys that have been creating such a sensation.

New Advertisements.

Central Grocery and Confectionery Store,
Corner Wyndham and Quebec Streets, Guelph.
KEABLES & KING
Respectfully notify the citizens of Guelph that they have leased the premises lately occupied by Mr. John Sutton as a Confectionery Store, where they have just opened out a first class Stock of Groceries, comprising
Teas, Coffees, and Sugars of the Finest Brands,
and everything usually found in a well regulated Grocery Store. In connection with the above they will at all times keep on hand a choice Stock of Pastry and Confectionery.
Wedding and other Cakes made to order on short notice.
FARMERS NOTE THIS.
We can supply hot tea and coffee, &c., at all hours, while your goods are being put up.
Goods delivered in any part of the town with promptitude.
We trust that by strict attention to business, and selling at the lowest prices, we shall receive a fair share of public patronage.
R. S. KING would be glad to see his old friends at his new place of business.
KEABLES & KING,
Central Grocery Store
Guelph, Oct. 9, 1874. d&w

PLOUGHS, STOVES AND TINWARE
GOOD AS THE BEST.
Cheap as the Cheapest.
The Subscriber has on hand a large assortment of Ploughs,
Cooking, Parlour, and Heating Stoves,
For COAL and WOOD; also a fresh lot of the
Radiant Home Base Burner
That took the first prize at the Central Exhibition.
Also a large stock of
SUPERIOR TINWARE
The whole of which will be sold at the lowest wholesale prices.
Remember the stand—Corner of Woolwich st. and Eramosa Road.
GIVE US A TRIAL.
WILLIAM HEATHER.
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GOOD NEWS
1. Great Reduction in prices this week at G. B. FRASER'S.
2. FRASER received another lot of cheap Carpets.
3. FRASER is selling white and red Flannels at the following low prices, 15., 20c., 25c., and 30c. per yard.
4. FRASER'S $13.00 Suits are cheap at $20.00.
5. FRASER'S 50c. Young Hyson Tea takes well.
6. It is putting money in your pockets to know that FRASER has a lot of very cheap Shawls. If you want to buy—
7. You can effect a saving of 25 cents on the Dollar by buying Dry Goods and Groceries at
G. B. FRASER'S.

New First-class Grocery Store.
LOCH & WEIR
A Partnership has been entered into between Henry Loch, lately foreman for John A. Wood and Adam Weir, for sometime book-keeper for the Guelph Sewing Machine Company, and they will open a New First class Grocery, Liquor, amd Crockery Store in McQuillan's Block, Upper Wyndham Street, on or about Saturday, 24th October,
UNDER THE FIRM OF LOCH & WEIR.
Loch & Weir beg most respectfully to assure those favoring them with their custom that no effort will be wanting on their part to merit a large and extensive patronage.
The stock will be entirely new, and purchased from all the leading houses.
LOCH & WEIR.
GUELPH, Oct. 3, 1874. dw

MONEY TO LOAN.
The undersigned has over
$50,000 to lend on good farm security
TERMS MODERATE.
Apply direct to
FREDERICK BISCOE,
Barrister, &c., Guelph
Guelph, Oct. 10, 1874 dwtf

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,
Guelph, March 1st, 1874. dy Proprietor.

William Stewart
Has made large additions of New Goods, and at very low and attractive prices:
New Hosiery, every make, for Ladies and Children.
New Promenade Scarfs and Clouds.
New Satin and Felt Skirts.
New Wool Plaids cheap.
New Tweeds for Costumes.
New Black Lustres.
New Black Empress Cords.
New Table Napkins, a Job Lot of 30 dozen at $1.25 worth $2.
New French Merinos, the Greatest Bargains yet offered.
New, a special line of Dress Goods.
New Flowers, Millinery, and cheap Feathers.
New Jackets, in Cloth, Fur and Seal.
WM. STEWART
Will have in stock in a few days
200 pairs of Blankets,
Purchased at a large discount off the manufacturer's cost.
The Goods are perfect, and will be sold cheap.
WILLIAM STEWART.
October 21, 1874.

CHEAP
BLANK
BOOKS
—AT—
DAY'S BOOKSTORE.
Day has now opened out a large stock of BLANK BOOKS for Office and Home Use
All Sizes and Prices Very Low
AT DAY'S BOOKSTORE.
Call and Examine.

UPPER WYNDHAM STREET,
STILL TAKING THE LEAD
For the Best Single Buggy,
For the Best Market or Democrat Waggon,
For the Best one-horse Cutter,
CHASE
WAS AWARDED
Three First Prizes
Against a large competition at the Central Exhibition,
GUELPH.
Orders for Cutters and Sleighs for the coming season will receive prompt attention.
Repairing, Repainting and Retrimming.
Now is the Best and Cheapest time to get your Cutters and Sleighs repaired and repainted before the large rush of repairing sets in
AT CHASE'S
CARRIAGE WORKS,
Woolwich Street, Guelph.
Guelph, Oct. 14, 1874. d12t-wv

MONEY TO LEND.
In sums to suit borrowers. No fees or commission charged.
Apply direct to the undersigned.
GUTHRIE, WATT & CO.
April 15, 1874 dwtf