Guelph Evening Mercury.

VOL. VIII. NO. 16 GUELPH, ONT., CANADA, TUESDAY EVENING, AUGUST 25, 1874. PRICE TWO CENTS

New Advertisements.

THE MINIATURE STEAMER—Will ply up and down the Eramosa river all day Monday, Aug. 24th. Fare round trip 25 cents. d1t J. W CLARKE.

SERVANT WANTED.—Wanted a good general servant. Apply to Mrs. A. Dunbar.
Guelph, Aug 18, 1874. 6td-1tw.

WANTED—To rent by the Sept. 10th a small cottage or 3 rooms, in the centre of the town. Apply at this office.
Guelph, August 13th, 1874. 2wd

DR. W. H. LOWRY,
Graduate of University of Trinity College. Member of College of Physicians and Surgeons, Ontario. Office—Next door to Mr. Jas. Hazelton, Upper Wyndham Street.
Guelph, August 3rd, 1874. d&w3m.

STONE SHOP TO RENT — In the Town of Guelph, well adapted for any kind of manufacturing business. Apply at the Mercury office. j27-dwtf

TO LET—Six large rooms suitable for housekeeping, in a handsome and centrally located house, *rent free*, on condition of boarding the proprietor.
Apply to Mr. Henry Hatch, Land Agent, Wyndham street, Guelph. d3t

EDUCATIONAL.
The Misses McDonald will resume their classes for Young Ladies, Tuesday August 18th, corner of Norfolk and Suffolk streets. Terms and particulars given on application. Residence Queen St.
N. B.—The Misses McDonald are prepared to give private lessons in Double Entry Book-keeping. Aug 13-1md&w

LOST.—On Tuesday, between Guelph and the Model Farm, Morton's Design Book of Monuments and Headstones. The finder will be rewarded by returning it to Wm. Hearn, Wellington Marble Works, Guelph.
Guelph, July 30, 1874. dw tf.

FOR SALE — A very excellent Building Lot fronting on Paisley Street and running through to Oxford street — about half an acre. Apply to R. Easton, bookbinder, St. George's square, Guelph.

10 acres of Land wanted, suitable for Strawberries, near the town. Apply to the above.
Guelph, July 15, 1874. dwtf

TO CONTRACTORS.
Tenders will be received by the Trustees of School Section No. 8, Eramosa, up to 4 o'clock, p.m., September 3rd, for the Erection of a Teacher's Dwelling House.
Plans and Specifications can be seen on and after the 31st August.
DAVID SHULTIS,
Secretary to Trustees.
Eramosa, Aug. 25, 1874 dtdw1

GUELPH
Academy and Seminary
Principal: Mr. Edwin Fowler, B.A., (of London University.
Boys' Classical School, Ladies' Seminary, Junior Department,
WOOLWICH STREET, GUELPH.
Opens Monday, Aug. 31st. For terms and other information, see printed prospectus, or apply to the Principal. d3t

BUSH MEETING.
The British Episcopal Methodists of Guelph, will hold a Bush Meeting in Mr. Gow's Bush, on Sunday, Aug. 30th.
Rev. Mr. Smith, of Halifax; Rev. Mr. Jefferson, of Brantford; and Rev. Mr. Brown, of Peel, will preach. Services to commence at 10 o'clock, a.m.
The public are cordially invited.
ROBERT JOHNSON,
Minister in Charge.
Guelph, Aug. 25, 1874. d3t

I. O. G. T.
PEACH FESTIVAL.
A Peach Festival will be held by the Independent Order of Good Templars, in the Drill Shed, on
Tuesday Evening, Sept. 1st.
Lawrence's Silver Cornet Band
Will be present. There will b can abundant supply of delicacies. Admission 10 cents.
Doors open at 7 o'clock.
The proceeds will be applied towards the erection of the new hall.
Guelph, Aug. 19, 1874. d4t

JOHN McCREA,
Produce Commission Merchant,
and Insurance Agency.
Office—Bank of Commerce Buildings,
Guelph, July 28th, 1874. d6m

THE GUELPH
Hot & Cold Water Baths
FOR GENTLEMEN
ARE NOW OPEN.
THE LADIES' DEPARTMENT
IS IN COURSE OF COMPLETION.
Entrance on Woolwich Street, west of English Church.
JOHN HAZELTON,
Proprietor.
Guelph August 11th, 1874. 2md

R. Campbell, L.D.S.
Having recovered from his recent illness, is again prepared to attend to the wants of all who may require his services.
Office at the old stand, Wyndham street, Guelph.

W. M. FOSTER, L.D.S.,
Surgeon Dentist, Guelph.

Office over E. Harvey & Co's. Drug Store, Corner of Wyndham & Macdonnell-st, Guelph.
☞ Nitrous Oxide (laughing gas) administered for the extraction of teeth without pain, which is perfectly safe and reliable.
References kindly permitted to Dr. Herod, McGuire, Keating, Cowan, and McGregor, Guelph.

ROCKWOOD ACADEMY.
The 48th semi-annual session commences August 17th. This successful Institution combines the advantages of other preparatory schools, presenting a thorough course of optional studies, suited to the different stages of teachers, and classical, commercial, and general students.
Terms—Board and tuition, $33 per quarter of eleven weeks. Classics and modern languages each $2 50 per quarter of eleven weeks. Send for circular.
ALEX. McMILLAN,
Aug. 5th, 1874. wtf Rockwood.

Guelph Evening Mercury

TUESDAY EV'G, AUG. 25, 1874

Town and County News

THE ERAMOSA ACCIDENT.—We are sorry to learn that Mr. Thos. Murphy, of Rockwood who met with the accident last week in Eramossa, is not likely to recover, having got worse again within the last few days.

THE CLANDEBOYE GALOP.—Among the pieces played by the string Band on Saturday in the Town Hall was the "Clandeboye Galop," composed by Mr. Vale the leader, and dedicated to Lady Dufferin. We understand that her Ladyship complimented Mr. Vale on the merits of the piece, and on the excellent way it was rendered by the band.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH RE-OPENING.—The improvements which have been going on in the Congregational Church for some time past having been completed, the re-opening services will be held on Sabbath next. The Rev. Henry Saunders, of Hamilton, will officiate both at morning and evening services.

OPEN MEETING.— The Aberfoyle Division of the Sons of Temperance will hold an open meeting, at the Town Hall, Aberfoyle, on Friday evening, September 4th. There will be music by a Guelph choir, and speeches by Dr. Davidson, Rev. Mr. Howie, and Mr. Ryan, of Guelph. A pleasant time may be expected.

THE CIVIC HOLIDAY.—The provision made for holding the annual holiday on Monday was certainly a wise one, and afforded our citizens an excellent opportunity of seeing the Governor. In the afternoonn many attended the base ball match, and as there was no public celebration in the evening, the latter portion of the day was spent very quietly.

OFF TO THE LAKE.—The members of the Fire Brigade, accompanied by their wives, sweethearts and numerous other friend, left town this morning for a day's picnicing at Puslinch Lake. The firemen were dressed in their handsome uniform and presented a fine appearance. Wood's Cornet Band accompanied the party, who we doubt not will spend a pleasant day.

FIRE IN ROCKWOOD.—On Sunday about noon Dr. McCullough's stable was discovered to be on fire, and so quickly did it spread that the whole structure was soon enveloped in flame. One horse could not be got out in time, and the poor brute was burned. There were also consumed a buggy, cutter, some harness, and a quantity of hay and oats. It was with great difficulty that the house of Mrs. Murphy, next to the stable, was saved, and had it not been for the exertions of Messrs. A. Nairn, Michie, White and others it would also have been destroyed. The fire was caused by the Doctor's children lighting some shavings inside the stable with some matches they had.

THE FLAGS. — Among the many flags displayed on Saturday was one in front of Mr. Doran's house, which attracted some curiosity. It belongs to one of the Hibernian Societies in Toronto, and was borrowed by the President of the St. Patrick's Benevolent Society here to display in honor of the Governor-General. As some are curious to understand its emblems, we may explain, as we are informed, that the figure on the upper part represents the sun rising, which typifies the sun of Christianity rising over Ireland, and dispelling the night of Pagan darkness. Taken in connection with the harp beneath it, recalls to the mind the conversion of the Arch Druid Dubtach, when St. Patrick preached to the Druids and chieftains assembled on the hill of Tara. The figures of wolf dogs on each side (an animal remarkable for fidelity), represent the fidelity with which the Irish nation has clung to the principles of Christianity. The motto "Erin go Bragh" (Ireland for ever) speaks for itself.

BASE BALL ITEMS.

TECUMSEHS VS. MAPLE LEAF.

The game between these clubs after the closely contested one in London on the 14th inst., drew out a number of interested spectators. As in the former game, the Tecumsehs were beaten, but this time the defeat was considerably worse. On the whole, the play was not so good as that displayed in London, as the following score will show:—

MAPLE LEAF

	R.	1B.	P.O.	A
T. Smith, lf	2	2	0	0
Keerl, 2b	2	1	3	1
Coulson, r f	4	2	1	0
W. Smith, p	3	2	1	1
W. Jones, s s	3	2	3	2
Emery, c f	2	2	0	0
Spence, 3b	3	2	1	0
Maddock, c	2	2	5	7
Myers, 1b	1	3	13	0
	22	18	27	11

TECUMSEHS

Love, lf	1	0	3	0
Eldridge, ss	1	2	3	3
Hunter, c	2	1	3	1
Steeds, rf	0	0	1	0
Jury, 3b	1	0	1	7
Brown, 1b	2	2	11	0
Emslie, cf	1	1	1	0
Gartshore, 1b	2	1	4	1
Smith, p	1	0	0	1
	11	7	27	11

RUNS EACH INNINGS.

Maple Leaf	13	1	1	0	3	0	3	1	0	—22
Tecumsehs	1	4	0	2	0	0	1	1	2	—11

Umpire, Mr. Lawrie, London; Scorers—M. L., M. Tinker; London, Mr. McIntosh.

MOUNTAIN RANGERS VS. SILVER CREEKS.

The following is the score of the match played yesterday, between the Mountain Rangers and Sleeman's Silver Creek nine:

M. RANGERS	O	R	SILVER CREEKS	O	R
Curtis, lf	2	1	Griffin, c	3	3
McCrae, ss	2	2	Chamberlain, 3b	5	1
Meston, rf	5	0	J. Stapleton, p	3	1
Stewart, 2b	3	2	Hardy, s s	3	2
Fenwick, 3b	4	0	Craig, rf	4	1
Sangster, c	4	0	P. Stapleton, 2b	1	3
Costigan, p	3	1	Beck, 1b	4	1
Swinless, cf	3	1	Jones, cf	2	2
Cross, 1b	1	2	Hutchison, lf	2	8
	27	9		27	17

RUNS EACH INNINGS.

Silver Creek	0	1	2	9	0	1	3	0	1	—17
M. Rangers,	0	0	1	2	4	0	0	2	0	—9

Umpire, E. J. Curtis. Scorers, J. W. Burgess, Silver Creek; Frank Nunan, Mountain Rangers.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE MERCURY

Beecher's Positive Denial.

The International Congress.

Famine in Calcutta.

Yellow Fever in New York.

Exodus of English Laborers.

The Americans in England.

Concord, New Hampshire, Aug. 24.—Rev. H Ward Beecher to-day signed and swore to a paper which had been drawn up by his counsel, and which was an explicit denial of all the charges made in the allegation of the complaint brought against him by Theodore Tilton.

Vicksburg, Mass., Aug. 24.—Mr. Cardozo, colored, States Superintendent of Education, was arrested in Jackson yesterday, for fraudulently issuing a jury and witness certificate while Circuit Clerk of Warren Co. He waived an examination and failing to give the required bond, was sent to jail.

London, Aug. 25.—A special despatch to the *Daily News* from Santander, announces the arrival of the German men-of-war, *Nautilus* and *Albatross*, at that port of and says they were will received.

La Republique Francaise has an account of the proceedings of the International Congress which is considered trustworthy. It shows that the German delegates took the lead in the deliberations, and that the representatives of Great Britain was silent most of the time.

Calcutta, Aug. 24.—The latest estimates in regard to the extent and effect of the famine show that eight million natives are still dependent on charitable relief. Further distress is threatened in Tirhoot, where the weather has been excessively dry. Unless rain falls soon the harvest will prove a failure.

New York, Aug. 25.—Yellow fever is reported on board the Nova Scotian bark *Evangeline*, which arrived at quarantine on Sunday afternoon. All of her officers and crew were attacked by the fever in the voyage from Cuba to this port and three of them died. The remainder are convalescent.

London, Aug. 25.—Five hundred laborers belonging to the English Agricultural Union, will leave this country for Canada to-day.

The twenty-two of America began a cricket match at Dublin to-day with the Dublin Club. The Americans scored 71 in their first innings, and the Dublins had made 26 runs, with nine wickets down, when the game was suspended for the day. The American clubs then played a game of base ball, in which the Bostons beat the Philadelphians; score 12 to 7. The weather was favorable, and the players had a large and admiring crowd of spectators, among whom was the Marquis of Abercorn.

The Governor-General's Movements.

August 22.

The Vice-Regal party left Goderich at nine o'clock this morning, and stopped at Mitchell, where addresses from the town and county were read and replied to.

At Stratford a guard of honor from the 28th Battallion received the party, and the town band played the National Anthem. At a decorated booth near the station an address was read by the Mayor on behalf of the town, and elicited a lengthy reply. The party were then driven through the town, visiting the various churches. A lunch was provided in the station building, to which, after the drive, the party, as well as a large number of citizens, sat down. This over, the Governor was presented by the Germans of Sebringville with a complimentary address, to which he replied briefly.

The party arrived at Berlin at half-past one, and after a drive through the streets a stoppage was made at a platform gaily decorated, and an address was read by the Mayor, to which a complimentary reply was given. Mr. C. A. Durand then read an address on behalf of the County of Waterloo, which was briefly responded to. A most enthusiastic cheering then commenced, after which a choir of young men, called the Corda Gesnagverein, sang "Die Wacht am Rhein," in excellent style. The party then drove to the station, and proceeded to Guelph.

August 24.

After the stay in Guelph, the party left at 11 o'clock to-day. During a short stoppage at Preston an address was read by Mr. Otto Klotz, who also presented the Governor with a suit of Canadian tweed manufactured in the district. Lord Dufferin acknowledged the gift and addresses in suitable terms. A number of children sang the National Anthem, accompanied by a band.

The citizens of Galt had received notice only the previous evening that His Excellency would stop there, but they made a good display. The firemen in uniform occupied the platform at the station The band of the 29th was present. After the reading of an address by Mr. Thos. Cowan and a reply, the party were driven to Miss McPherson's Boys' Home, where they were enthusiastically received by the pupils. After spending a short time here, the party returned to the station, and at Harrsburg were joined by Hon. David Christie, Sheriff Smith of Brant, Mr. Plumb, M.P., and other gentlemen fron Brantford.

POLICE COURT.

(*Before the Police Magistrate.*)

Aug. 25.

Walter Andrews, charged by C. C. Kelly with disorderly conduct on Woolwich street, was fined $1 and costs.

Thomas Stephen and George Warren, for being drunk, were dismissed.

THE Rev. J. Unsworth, Pastor of the Congregational Church Georgetown, was on Saturday made the recipient of a handsome present from some members of his congregation, in the shape of a valuable new carriage.

THE GOVERNOR GENERAL'S VISIT TO GUELPH.

ENTHUSIASTIC RECEPTION.

THE LUNCH, RECEPTION, ILLUMINATIONS, &c.

The preparations for the reception of the Governor-General and Lady Dufferin by the citizens of Guelph were all but completed by twelve o'clock on Saturday, and everything gave promise of a real gala day—a day of rejoicing. From early morn the merchants and others along the principal streets were busy with the decorations. A profuse display of evergreens in front of the houses and at the verandah posts, flags pendant from shop fronts and streaming across the streets, gave to the town a gay and lively appearance. Flags also floated from all the public buildings, from many stores, hotels, factories, &c. St. George's Square, which had been nicely levelled, was decorated with evergreens stued in in imitation of trees, and in the centre was a temporary fountain which was supplied with water from Messrs. Robertson's pipes. A very pretty pavilion had been erected on the Market Square, covered with fancy striped cloth, and from the top of which floated a beautiful flag. From the pavilion to the railway a temporary platform and sidewalk had been constructed for the use of the vice-regal party on landing.

During the forenoon Wyndham street and the Market Square presented a very animated appearance, and as the hours wore on the people from the country began to pour in, and filled the space about the pavilion.

THE ARRIVAL.

The train which conveyed the vice-regal party was about half an hour late, and shortly after three o'clock it quietly drew up to the temporary platform From here to the parvilion the passage was kept clear by a detachment of 100 men of the 30th Battalion, taken from Guelph, Eramosa, Elora and Fregus Companies, and under the command of Capt. Bruce, of the Guelph Company. Accompanying the guard of honour was the band of the 30th, which played the National Anthem when their Excellencies made their appearance. The Wellington Field Battery, which was stationed in the fair ground, also fired a vice-regal salute in splendid style. They were also greeted with three hearty cheers by the assemblage. His Worship the Mayor, after being introduced to His Excellency, conducted him to the pavilion, followed by Lady Dufferin and the rest of the party. Here, surrounded by members of the Council, he, on behalf of the Corporation, read the following address:—

To His Excellency The Earl of Dufferin, K. P., K. C. B., Governor-General of the Dominion of Canada, &c., &c.

We, the Mayor and Council of the Town of Guelph, take the present opportunity of tendering to your Excellency and Lady Dufferin a hearty welcome to this Town, and to express the hope that your visit may be one of enjoyment.

As the representative of our most gracious Sovereign, we desire to express to you our devoted loyalty to Her Majesty's person and Government, and also to congratulate your as the ruler over a people so happy, loyal, and prosperous as those who inhabit this portion of the Queen's Dominions.

We trust that the extended journey you are making over the western portion of Canada will be fraught with pleasure and gratification by bringing before your Excellency's notice the wonderful progress in agriculture, manufactures, wealth and population, that has been made within the period of an average human life, and in which the wilderness has been converted into the thriving homes of a contented and industrious people.

We wish your Excellency and Lady Dufferin long life and every blessing, and trust that your connection with the Canadian people as Governor-General may long continue, and will be in the future a period in your life to look back upon with satisfaction.

JOHN HARRIS, Mayor.

Guelph, Aug. 22nd, 1874.

His Excellency replied as follows:—

Mr. Mayor and Gentlemen,—In thanking you for the loyal address you have been good enough to present to me, I wish to express how glad I am that circumstances have enabled me to fulfil a promise which I made last year to your municipal representatives of paying you a visit on the earliest opportunity, and my presence here to-day will show you at all events, if it shows you nothing else, that I am a man of my word. (Applause.) But I am especially glad to find myself in a town which, at the same time that it is the centre of a large and flourishing agricultural district, is also the home where a very considerable number of prosperous manufactures are safely established. Owing to the peculiar circumstances of our climate in Canada, the future of our country must in a very great measure depend on our manufacturing industries marching hand in hand with the development of its mineral and agricultural wealth; and it is to such places as Guelph, Hamilton, London, and many other flourishing centres of population in this portion of Canada, that we must look for the realization of that vital necessity. I assure you that when I see in such a place as Guelph and elsewhere what the industry and energy of the British population has been enabled to accomplish within such a short number of years and when I remember that in the various districts through which I have passed there are vast areas of territory stretching forth in every direction which are still as it were virgin soil, and have scarcely been reached by the settler, I am astonished at the prospect which is thus exhibited of the great future which is in store, I trust, for the Dominion of Canada. Gentlemen, I congratulate you most heartily upon that prospect. I congratulate you most heartily upon that past which you can look back upon with such pride and satisfaction, and I congratulate you especially upon the present. I see before me such satisfactory evidence that it is prosperous and everything that your best wishes would desire. In conclusion, gentlemen, allow me to thank you most warmly for those friendly expressions in your address which are personal to Lady Dufferin and myself, and to assure you that no effort on my part shall be spared to co-operate with you in your noble ambition to prove yourselves worthy descendants of the forefathers from whom you are sprung, and brave and faithful fellow-subjects of the British nation at home.

His Worship then introduced the members of the Council to their Excellencies, who shook hands with them.

The Directors of the Central Exhibition then came forward, and Mr. Swinford, Vice-President, in the absence of the President, presented the following address:—

To His Excellency the Right Honourable the Earl of Dufferin, K. P., K. C. B., Governor-General of the Dominion of Canada.

We, the President and Directors of the Guelph Central Exhibition, on behalf of the members of the said Society, respectfully approach Your Excellency on this your first visit to this County, to tender you a most cordial welcome, expressive of our devoted loyalty to the person and throne of our gracious Sovereign the Queen. We avail ourselves of this occasion of assuring Your Excellency of our high esteem of yourself personally and as Her Majesty's representative, and how much we regret that we cannot have the pleasure of the presence of yourself and Lady Dufferin to open our Annual Exhibition on the 16th prox., thereby affording the people of this section of the Dominion an opportunity of showing Your Excellency the agricultural and manufacturing productions of our own and neighbouring counties. Having previously solicited the honour of your presence, we would fain hope that should your sojourn in this Province be extended to a later period than was anticipated when our deputation visited Toronto, your engagements will permit you to gratify our wishes by a visit on that occasion, and we can assure Your Excellency a hearty welcome from the yeomanry of Wellington. We wish Your Excellency and Lady Dufferin a safe and pleasant continuance of your tour, and that when completed it may afterwards afford a pleasant retrospect.

(Signed) J. B ARMSTRONG,
President.

Guelph, Aug. 22, 1874.

His Excellency in reply said:—I have to return my best and warmest thanks for the address with which you have presented me. I can assure you that to me it is a matter of especial regret that my engagements do not permit me to take the opportunity of visiting you on the occasion to which you refer. You can readily understand that the Governor-General is scarcely his own master in these particulars, and as I have been absent now for so considerable a time from the seat of Government it is almost necessary that I should return without delay. After I am there, business will begin to flow in; and from all these circumstances I am almost compelled to confess I will be unable to be with you, the summer months being the only months in which I can visit. But while I cannot be with you on the opening of your Exhibition, I desire to express to all those who have the management of it my deep sympathy with them in the furtherance of the interests of agriculture in this Dominion.

THE LUNCH.

The Directors were then introduced, after which amid the cheers of the crowd their Excellencies were conducted to the Council Chamber, which had been temporarily fitted up as a reception room. It was nicely carpeted, a handsome picture of Her Majesty adorned the upper end of the Chamber, and the royal arms the other end. The Committee rooms at the south end were handsomely fitted up as retiring rooms. The Town Hall had got a hasty whitewashing and painting, and never looked so neat and clean since the day it was opened. It was very neatly ornamented with wreaths and festoons of evergreens, many of them being shaped like 'the Prince of Wales' Feathers. The stairways were also wreathed with evergreens. The decorations inside the building and outside, were such as good judgment and taste would suggest, and great credit is due Mr. Raymond—Chairman of the Decoration Committee—for the energy he manifested and to the time he gave the work.

A number of presentations were made in the Chamber, of parties who could not attend in the evening. The party then adjourned to the Hall, where lunch was laid. His Worship the Mayor occupied the chair, having on his right Lord Dufferin and on his left Lady Dufferin. Mr. Howard, Reeve, and Mr. Raymond, one of the Deputy Reeves, acted as vice-chairmen. About 100 sat down to a most tastefully got up lunch, which both as regards the viands and the manner in which it was laid out, reflects very great credit on Mr. Sutton, the caterer, and his assistants. On the platform was stationed a very efficient string band, under the direction of Mr. Vale, which played some fine music while the company were at table. Rev. Dr. Davidson asked a blessing.

After lunch, His Worship proposed "The Queen" and Mr. Raymond "The Prince and Princess of Wales," both of which were duly honored.

Mr. Howard in proposing "The Governor-General" said the reception he had received to-day showed the hearty goodwill of the people towards the representative of Her Majesty in this country. As such he was held in the highest esteem, while personally and for his many eminent abilities they entertained the greatest respect and admiration. The toast was drunk amid enthusiastic cheers. His Excellency, in replying to the toast, said:

Ladies and gentlemen,—I scarcely know in what terms to reply to the toast which has been so kindly proposed, and which has been accepted in so friendly a manner by those whom I have the honor to address. I am sure that all of you must be very much tired of reading the various speeches which, during the last three or four weeks, I have been called upon to deliver in passing through the Dominion. (No.) I can only hope that you understand that, at all events, I for my part never tire of repeating to the inhabitants of Canada how sensible I am of the kindness, the indulgence, the courtesy, and the good-will with which they are always pleased to receive us. Wherever we have gone, whether into the remotest region of the Dominion or into more thickly-populated districts, whether we find ourselves among the French, the Irish, the English, or the German population—everywhere the feeling is the same, a feeling of devoted loyalty to the Crown, accompanied by the most flattering assurances of the friendliness and the good-will with which they are disposed to regard the humble individual who has the honor of representing it. (Applause.) It is with unfeigned pleasure that, as I have already said, I find myself at Guelph. At the outset of my tour I made it a *sine qua non* with those whom I consulted as to the direction I should take, that no matter what the inconvenience or how great the divergence should be, Guelph should certainly not be omitted. (Great applause.) And I confess that I have been amply repaid for my obstinacy in that particular by the kind reception with which I have been honored. His Excellency concluded by proposing the health of the Mayor, accompanied by the sentiment "Prosperity to the Manufacturers and to the Agriculture of Guelph."

The Mayor returned thanks for the hearty manner in which the toast was received. He also briefly referred to the growth and prosperity of the Town, and to the honor conferred on it by this visit of His Excellency, whom they were rejoiced to welcome to-day.

Lady Dufferin was then taken to the residence of Mr. Andrew Lemon, whose guests their Excellencies and suite were to be during their stay in Guelph, and the Governor-General, accompanied by the Mayor, members of Council, and members of Parliament, took a short drive round town in carriages. They proceeded up Wyndham and Woolwich streets to the Exhibition grounds, drove round these, then down Dublin and Norfolk streets to the railway, then across the Square, up Woolwich street, across the Eramosa bridge and along Arthur and Queen streets to Mr. Lemon's.

THE RECEPTION.

In the evening their Excellencies held a reception in the Council Chamber. The Band which played during the lunch was stationed in the Hall and played during the evening. The Council Chamber was brilliantly lighted and admirably answered the purpose of a reception room. About nine o'clock the Chamber presented an animated scene. The ladies looked their best, and their varied and tasteful costumes were the admiration of all.

The following are the names of those who were presented in the afternoon and evening:—Mr. William Alexander, Miss Grant, Mr. A. B. Petrie, Mr. and Mrs. G. Howard, Mr. John Harvey, Miss Harvey, Mrs. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davidson, Mrs. D. McCrae, Mrs. Thomas Heffernan, Mr. and Mrs. George Elliott, Miss Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McLagan, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Wood, Mr. E. Harvey, Mr. and Mrs E. Newton, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hood, Dr. McGuire, Mr. Stirton, M. P., Miss Wightman, Dr. Keating, Judge Macdonald, Mr. D. Guthrie, Mr. J. Robertson; Miss Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. John Horsman, Mr. and Mrs. C. Leonard, Miss McKay, Mr. and Mrs. Higinbotham, Miss H. Rhemmie, Miss J. Richardson, Mr. and Miss Romain, Miss Edith Romain, Miss Keating, Rev. I. B. Howard, Rev. J. E. Lanceley, Mr. C. Sharpe, Mr. Wagstaff, Mr. J. Mickleborough, Major M. O. Macgregor, Dr. and Mrs. Brock, Miss Ball, Miss Emily Jones, Judge Chadwick, Mrs. A. C. Chadwick, Miss A. L. Howard, Miss L. Rhemmie, Sheriff Grange, Mrs. Connolly, Mr. A. A. Grange, Mr. Merritt, Mr. James Watt, Mr. and Mrs. James Gow, Mrs. Alexander, Mr. P. Gow, M. P. P., Mrs. P. Gow, Mr. and Mrs. James Innes, Miss Innes, Mr. C. G. St.-Clair Simpson, Mr. Robert Thompson, Miss Heffernan, Miss Davidson, Mr. James Laidlaw, Mr. A. M. Lafferty, M. A., Mr. S. D. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. David Allan, Mr. L. A. Lepan, Mr. John Crowe, Mr. B. R. McConkey, Mr. A. F. D. McCracken, Mrs. Wm. Allan, Miss Harris, Miss R. Harris, Mr. Robt. Bell, Mrs. T. W. Saunders, Miss Alderdice, Rev. Dr. Hogg, Mrs. Mickle, Miss E. Mickle, Miss M. Mickle, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Bucham, Ven. Archdeacon Palmer, Mrs. and Miss Palmer, Rev. Dr. Davidson and Mrs. Davidson, Mr. Jas. and Mrs. Hough.

The vice-regal party left soon after the presentations were over.

THE ILLUMINATIONS.

In the evening the town was brilliantly illuminated. The effect on Upper and Lower Wyndham streets and along the square was very fine, and it was no less so when viewing the buildings on the north side of the river, and in fact wherever there was an illumination.

On Sunday their Excellencies and suite attended divine service in St. Geroge Church, when Ven. Archdeacon Palmer preached. We understand that the party admired the church very much. In the afternoon the Governor-General and Col. Fletcher took a long walk round town, and returned about 7 o'clock.

During the time their Excellencies were in town, Capt. Bruce furnished a guard, who made their headquarters in the North Ward School.

The Governor's Movements on Monday.

VISIT TO THE MANUFACTORIES.

Lord Dufferin having expressed his wish to visit the various manufactories for which Guelph is noted, the Council met at the Town Hall shortly after eight o'clock and proceeded in carriages to Mr. Lemon's residence, the entrance to which was guarded by a detachment of the 30th Battalion, under Captain Bruce. Here the Governor, attended by Col. Fletcher and Mr. Hamilton, entered a carriage and were driven to town. The first stoppage was made at Raymond's new sewing machine factory, through which the party went, Lord Dufferin expressing pleasure at the excellent management of the various departments. The party then walked to Raymond's old establishment, which was inspected with evident satisfaction, the automatic screw machine eliciting particular comment. As the carriages moved away, the workmen gave three rousing cheers, which were duly acknowledged. Time would not allow a lengthened stay at the several places which it had been arranged His Excellency should visit, and the pleasure of a walk through Osborne Sewing Machine Factory had to be foregone. The Governor was introduced to the Proprietors and stayed a short time evidently well pleased with his necessarily brief visit. Moving down Quebec