Guelph Evening Mercury

TUESDAY EV'NG, MARCH 16, 1869.

# Jeannie Sinclair,

OR

## THE LILY OF THE STRATH.

### CHAPTER XIV.

MARY WILSON'S ENGAGEMENT—ANOTHER PAIR OF LOVERS—WATTY AND MAGGIE—RURAL COURTSHIP.

It required no little effort of self-control on the part of Miss Wilson to devote herself so thoroughly and affectionately to the soothing and comforting of poor Jeannie, for she had serious affairs of her own to agitate and occupy her mind. On that same evening, and at the hour when the momentous interview was taking place between William and Jeannie by the side of the river, Mary had an interview not less momentous, and it had terminated in a result of the most astounding character. It was, perhaps, just as well that Jeannie's case demanded all her care, for assuredly had time for thought and reflection been given her, she would have spent a sleepless night, with a heart full of misgiving and perturbation.

And from the following cause:—

Shortly after she came to the Strath she made a conquest, thorough and complete, of the heart of George Munro, a banker in Shawhead. George was nearly twenty years her senior, a widower and childless. He had a singularly warm and ardent heart, and feeling his condition lonely and cheerless, he had no idea of refraining from again entering the marriage state, should he meet with a woman whom he liked well enough to make her his wife. At his age he did not anticipate falling in love—a strong liking was all the feeling he expected to experience towards the lady whose fortune he would seek to unite with his own. But in this George was wrong, for, on the very first occasion when he saw Mary Wilson at the Holme, he was so struck and impressed by her that he felt restlessly impatient to be again in her company. The second sight of her deepened and increased the feeling, and ere long George Munro loved Mary Wilson with a love as ardent, as passionate, as enthralling, as ever found place in human bosom. His passion was indeed so intense and absorbing that he knew he had never really loved before, and probably the mature age at which he had arrived rendered it peculiarly tender and steadfast.

Mary did not long remain ignorant of the banker's state of mind, but no sooner did it dawn upon her that he had a peculiar and growing affection for her than she became greatly alarmed, and with nervous eagerness shunned and withdrew from him. This was harder work than he looked for, since she made the discovery that the kindness he had shown her, and the many estimable qualities she had found him to possess, had touched her own heart to a degree which surprised and dismayed her.

Yes, Mary Wilson was verily dismayed when she found that she loved the man who so obviously and sincerely loved her, and actually shuddered with fear and apprehension. She shunned him more than ever, but in such a rural place as the Strath the opportunities of shunning people are not abundant, and it happened, notwithstanding Mary's care and anxiety, that she and George Munro often met, and in spite of her utmost efforts she could not struggle against the love strong, deep, and true—which, with fear and dread, she owned to herself that she cherished for him.

Neither was she able to hide it from the eyes of him who sought so keenly to detect the signs of so sweet a truth. George, noticed, indeed, that with a strange anxiety she often sought to shun him, but it was not with an appearance of aversion, as if his presence was distasteful or repulsive to her.—He set it down, therefore, to the account of maidenly coyness, and this behaviour served but to attract and fascinate him the more.

At length he told her of his love—how deep, true, passionate and consuming it was, and asked her to be his wife. The blood forsook Mary's face, and her lips trembled as with desperate energy she answered that it could never be. The banker was astonished and concerned, but also puzzled, for in her anguish of distress he saw that in reality she loved him, and could not therefore understand the reason of her rejection, and the kind of nervous horror with which the rejection was uttered.

He pressed her to say if he was indifferent to her, and, with a burst of tears, she confessed that the love he avowed was only too ardently returned. Then, violently shuddering, she added, with increased emphasis, that they could never be anything more to each other than they were.

George earnestly asked to know the reason of this strange decision, and, bursting again into tears, she gave the reason with startling abruptness She was already married.

Married, ill-used, forsaken—that had been her brief history since she put on the bloom of girlhood. When young and inexperienced, she had been induced to listen to the addresses of one who had turned out badly. After their marriage, he became idle and dissipated, treated her with heartless cruelty, and finally deserted her, going she knew not whither. His departure was no grief to her—rather, did she account it a blessing—and she sincerely hoped she might never see him again. At the same time she was friendless and unprovided for, and it behoved her to devise means for her support. It was at this juncture that the advertisement caught her eye which eventually brought her to the Strath to become Jeannie Sinclair's teacher. For weeks and months it had been her crushing dread that the man who had the right to claim her as his wife might discover her; and this it was which had produced the sadness, melancholy and reserve which was noticed after her arrival at the Holme.

TO BE CONTINUED.

Mr McNab, police magistrate, of Toronto, is to lecture at Seaforth, on the 18th inst. The blokes and bummers of the police court will doubtless hail his absence with joy.

## special Notices.

### Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry.

Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Asthma, Croup, Whooping Cough, Quinsy, and the numerous as well as dangerous diseases of the Throat, Chest and Lungs, prevail in our changeable climate at all seasons of the year. We are fortunate enough to escape their baneful influence. How important then to have at home a certain antidote to all these complaints. Experience proves that this exists in Wistar's Balsam to an extent not found in any other remedy; however severe the suffering, the application of this soothing, healing and wonderful Balsam at once vanquishes the disease and restores the sufferer to wonted health.

Mr. John Buxton, of Baldwin, Chemung Co., N. Y., writes:—"I was urged by a neighbor to get one bottle of the Balsam for my wife, being assured by him that in case it did not produce good effects, he would pay for the bottle himself. On the strength of such practical evidence of its merits, I procured a bottle. My wife at this time was low with what the physicians termed Scated Consumption as to be unable to raise herself from the bed, coughing constantly and raising more or less blood. I commenced giving the Balsam as directed, and was astonished; pleased with its operation that I obtained another bottle, and continued giving it. Before this bottle was entirely used, she ceased coughing, and was strong enough to sit up. The fifth bottle entirely restored her to health, doing that which several physicians had tried to do but had failed.

Prepared by SETH W. FOWLE & SON, 18 Tremont-st, Boston, and for sale by druggists generally.

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Gently it penetrates through every pore,
Relieving sufferers from each angry sore;
All wounds it heals with certainty and speed:
Cuts, burns, from inflammation soon are freed;
Eruptions, at its presence disappear;
Skins lose each stain, and the complexion's clear.

Salve, such as Grace's, every one should buy,
All to its wonderous merits testify,
Let those who doubt, a single box but try—
Verily, the merits true deserts 'twould have;
Even unbelievers won'd laud Grace's Salve
Feb. 23rd, 1869. dawtw

BATCHELOR'S HAIR DYE This splendid Hair Dye is the best in the world. The only true and perfect Dye—Harmless. Reliable, Instantaneous. No disappointment. No ridiculous tints. Remedies the effects of bad dyes. Invigorates and leaves the hair soft and beautiful brown or black. Sold by all Druggists and Perfumers, and properly applied at Batchelor's Wig Factory No. 16, Bond-St. N. Y. dly

SPECIAL NOTICE

The subscriber in returning thanks for the liberal patronage bestowed on him in former years, begs to announce that he has erected a NEW OPERATING ROOM at considerable expense, introducing all the improvements of the day, as well as

### New RUSTIC Accessories.

He is prepared to execute Photographs and Portraits of all kinds

### From the Locket to Life Size

Equal, as regards finish and life-like appearance, to any that can be obtained in the Dominion.—Copying of PORTRAITS in all its branches as usual, done in a satisfactory manner.

*In Large Photographs with Frames he intends offering Special Inducements during the coming Holidays.*

Parties requiring a large sized Photograph with handsome frame, or any other Portrait of themselves or friends, will find it to their advantage to call and examine specimens and prices.

Rooms: Directly over John A. Wood's Grocery Store, Wyndham-St.

WILLIAM BURGESS.

Guelph December 12. dw

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A COMPLETE assortment of the latest pattern of Shoe Tools, Shoe and Machine Thread Machine Silk, Shoe Pegs, Shoe Nails, Shoe Tacks Heel and Toe Plates, &c., wholesale and retail.

RYAN & OLIVER,
114 Yonge Street, Toronto

Toronto, 1st Apr' 1868.

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AMERICAN Shears, Trimmers, and oints of of all sizes, Squares, Carved Rules, traightdges, Improved Irons, English and American Crayons, Bartleets' Needles, Tapes, &c. All the best quality, and at lowest prices.

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Toronto, 1st April, 1868. d

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STEEL Squares, Steel Rules, Centre Gauges Vernier Calipers, Steel Caliper Rules, Calipe Squares, Ames' Universal Squares, Self-regulating Calipers and Dividers, Stubs Files and Tools Patent Oilers, Sheet Steel, &c. For sale by

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Toronto, 1st April, 1868. d

### Cabinetmakers & Upholsterers.

HAIR Seating, Curled Hair, Tow, Sofa Springs Twine, Chair Web, Buttons, Screws, Hinges Locks, Tacks, Flint Paper, Glue, Piano Stool screws Coffin Trimmings, Upholsterers' Needles and Regulators, Addis' Carvers' Tools, Extension Lip Auger Bits, Melodeon Hardware, &c. For sale at lowest Prices.

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Toronto 1st April, 186 y

### Undertakers!

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Having bought out Mr. Nathan Tovell's Hearse, horses, &c., we hope by strict attention to business to gain a share of public patronage. We will have

A full ASSORTMENT of COFFINS always on hand.

Funeral furnished if required. Carpenter work done as usual. Premises, a few doors north of Post Office, and next D. Guthrie's Law Office, Douglas Street, Guelph.

JOHN MITCHELL. NATHAN TOVELL, Jr

Guelph, December 1. dwly

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CANADIAN LINE-Portland to Liverpool every Saturday.

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CABIN.—Guelph to Liverpoo $83.5 and $93.
ST RAGE, do do $32.00.
CABIN—Guelph to Glasgow, $73.50.
INTERMEDIATE, do $47.00.
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Return Tickets at reduced rates. Prepaid Passage Certificates issued to bring friends out, at the lowest rates. For Tickets, state-rooms every information apply to

GEO. A. OXNARD,
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Guelph, April 1, 1868. daw

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Policies issued on the most favorable terms

GEO MURTON, Agent for Guelph.

Guelph, December 5th. dtf

### A RARE CHANCE.

A Six Year's Lease and Furniture of a First-class Hotel in the Town of Guelph for sale.

To be sold by private sale, a six year's lease and furniture of one of the best Hotels in the Town of Guelph. The subscriber being about to leave Canada, wishes to dispose of the above.—For further particulars apply to

M. DEADY, Deady's Hotel, Guelph.

Guelph, 8th Feb dtf

### GALLERY OF ART.

R. W. LAIRD,

Looking Glass and Picture Frame

MANUFACTURER,

9 King-st. West, TORONTO.

The Trade supplied with Washable, Gilt and Imitation Rosewood Mouldings and Looking Glass Plate. Country orders promptly attended to

Toronto, 1st April 1868. dwtw

### BILLIARDS

GREAT EXCITEMENT.

Billiard Hall Refitted
New Style Tables
Exhibition Twice a Week.

AT O'CONNOR'S BILLIARD HALL.

Guelph, 23rd February dol

CLOVER AND TIMOTHY SEED,
At JOHN A. WOOD'S.

Guelph, Feb 16. daw

# PUBLIC NOTICE.

# ALMA BLOCK RETAIL GROCERY!

WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH.

# JOHN A. WOOD

HAVING LEASED OF MR. MASSIE

The most Spacious and Elegant Grocery in the Dominion of Canada,

And having (thanks to the liberality of his friends and customers for the last twelve years) bought the Stock on very favorable terms,

He is able and determined to take the lead in the Grocery Trade in Guelph.

Many of the Goods will be sold at less than they would cost to lay down at the present time.

# TEAS, TEAS!

AT A VERY SLIGHT ADVANCE.

## SUGARS AND SYRUPS

Will be sold at market rates.

## FRESH COFFEES!

CHEAP AND GENUINE.

And as he intends to confine himself strictly to the Retail, no Goods will be bought but those fo guaranteed quality. Every article sold to a customer will be sure to please, or will be exchanged.

## THE WINES & LIQUORS

Are all sound and of good age, carefully selected, and guaranteed genuine.

## The Crockery and Glassware Department

Has also received great attention in selecting such Goods as are useful and necessary in every household. Parties who have been in the habit of going to the cities when in want of anything superior are now saved the trouble, for at the ALMA BLOCK is kept everything from the common Black Teapot to the costly Dinner, Tea and Dessert Service. A large lot of Cut and Pressed Crystal, such as was never before exhibited in this part of the country.

**My Store on Wyndham Street** will still be carried on on the same principles as hitherto, giving a good article at a fair price. It will be conducted by **Mr. ROBERT MITCHELL,** who, having been with me for a number of years, is favorably known to all my old customers. The prices of Goods will be the same at both places, so that there need be no trouble in selecting at which store you will deal on that account.

THOSE WHO HAVE NOT YET PAID A VISIT TO THE

ALMA BLOCK

# RETAIL GROCERY!

Should do so at once, as I promise them that we will sell at low rates, owing to the great facilities for buying which we possess over any other store in Guelph.

**RECOLLECT, my friends,** that although this is a NEW STORE, I am not a stranger to you. With one exception, **I am the oldest Grocer in the Town of Guelph.** I began to supply your wants thirteen years ago in the same spot that I now solicit your patronage. I have not been unsuccessful during this time in giving satisfaction to those who have honored me with their custom, and I hope to be found as watchful of their interests and my own as hitherto.

*ALL ORDERS, however small, will be delivered by HORSE and VAN a short time after purchased.*

**Attentive and obliging Clerks,** all old friends of the Guelph public, will be found at all times ready to show Goods to parties, no matter whether they want to purchase or not.

NEW AND SEASONABLE GOODS WILL BE ADVERTISED AS SOON AS RECEIVED.

## Clover, Timothy, Tares, Flax and Turnip Seeds

Of every description, in stock and arriving. We shall not in getting Seeds care so much about the prices as the quality, as it has been proved often enough to the farmer's disadvantage that economy in the purchase of Seeds is false.

## Caledonia Plaster, Liverpool Coarse & Fine

AND CODERICH SALT,

And all other kinds of Manures suitable for Agricultural use will be kept on hand, or obtained for customers as required. As a list of all the articles kept in stock would take up the whole of this paper, I shall not at the present time attempt to particularize, but would ask all to pay a visit to the ALMA BLOCK RETAIL GROCERY before they lay out their cash, as I am determined not to be undersold by any one, and HAVE A LARGER STOCK OF FIRST-CLASS GOODS THAN ANY OTHER STORE IN TOWN.

You will not be charged more on account of the Store being the handsomest and most comfortable for you to be supplied at, and I am sure that one visit will induce you to pay another and become regular customers.

## TEAS.

Every one should know and have confidence in those they buy their Teas of, as all who sell watches are not watchmakers. JOHN A. WOOD HAS SPENT 17 YEARS IN THE GROCERY TRADE, and knows exactly what Teas are, and does not deal in damaged goods of any kind; consequently every pound of Tea sold is warranted as represented or the money returned.

Every article wanted in Families, Hotels, Saloons, Boarding Houses, &c., is sold by JOHN A. WOOD, who is a real live man, working 14 hours a day for the last 17 years. He is a steam engine compared with the ordinary style of Grocers. In a word, John A. Wood is as far ahead of the trade as a velocipede run properly is to a pedestrian. He is the man for the people—quick as lightning and punctual as time.

JOHN A. WOOD,

Guelph, March 9. Alma Block, Upper Wyndham Street

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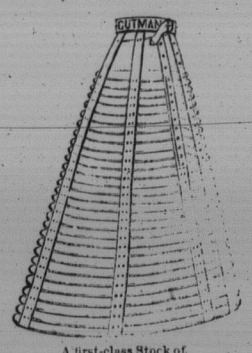


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## Hoop Skirts

In all the Latest and most Approved Styles.

Including the

### New PANNIER Skirt

Which is a general favorite.

THIS IS BEYOND ALL COMPARISON

THE CHEAPEST LOT OF SKIRTS EVER SHOWN

IN GUELPH.

The attention of every lady is requested.

A. O. BUCHAM.

Guelph, Jan. 17 d

### HAMILTON DYE WORKS,

Two doors from the Royal Hotel. Established 1856.

Silks, Satins, Merinoes, Damasks, Moreen Table Covers, &c., &c., dyed and finished. British and Foreign Shawls cleaned and pressed, Kid Gloves cleaned, Feathers cleaned, dyed and curled.

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Orders left at J. HUNTER'S Berlin Wool and Fancy Goods Store, Wyndham-st, will receive prompt attention. For price list and further information apply to

J. HUNTER,

Guelph, 8th Feb dw Agent for Guelph.

### Mrs. ROBINSON'S DOMINION STORE

MRS. ROBINSON begs to inform her patrons, and the public, that she is still in the old stand and is able and willing to supply the wants of all who give her a call. She has already received a fine

Stock of Dried and other Fruits.

FANCY GOODS of all kinds. A splendid otock Berlin Wools; also the Largest Stock of Wool to be had in any store in town, including English, Fingering, Clouded, Berlin, double and single, Fleecy, Merino, and Fancy Wools of every description. All kinds of Canadian Yarns.

MEN'S UNDERCLOTHING AND SOCKS, Also, Ladies' Breakfas Shawls. Stockings of all colours, of the best quality made and can be bought cheap.

Stamping and braiding done to order.

MRS. ROBINSON

Guelph, Jan. 23 1869. dwtf

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CHEAP AND GOOD

## FARMING LANDS

8,000 ACRES of land for sale in Lincoln and Rock Castle Counties, Kentucky, U. S., located from half to one and a half miles south of the line of the railroad from Louisville to Knoxville, and passing about two to three miles south of the village of CRAB ORCHARD. Also, two excellent

## SAW MILLS

may be had with the lands. One mill is located at a switch at the railroad four miles south of Crab Orchard, the other about three miles back in the woods from the switch, which is a portable mill of 20 horse power, with ready sale for all both mills can make. Timber mostly oak, chestnut, hickory, maple, beech, and some pine, &c.—The lands are good farming lands, unsurpassed for fruit of all kinds, and Tobacco, and well watered by springs of excellent water and creeks, and convenient to good roads passing through them in all directions

Climate the Healthiest and Finest in the World.

The celebrated Kentucky Blue Grass grows luxuriantly, and affords fodder for cattle running out the year round. No better country for stock raising.

These lands will be sold from $5 to $15 per acre, in lots to suit purchasers, on favorable terms for payment—say one-third cash, balance on time if required. Address,

WILLIAM BACON,
Crab Orchard, Lincoln Co., Kentucky.

March 18. w4

### DOMINION SALOON

FRESH OYSTERS!

OF the best quality always on hand, and served up in all styles at short notice; also for sale by the keg or can. The Bar is supplied with Liquors, Wines, Ales and Cigars, of the choicest brands, likewise with the favorite drink, "Tom and Jerry." LUNCH between the hours of 12 noon and 3 p. m.

DENIS DUNYAN

Guelph, 17th October d

### HARTFORD Fire Insurance Company

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Special Rates for Dwellings and contents for terms of one to three years

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Guelph Dec. 21 dly

### MONEY TO LEND.

The undersigned are requested to obtain Farm Securities for several thousand dollars, to be lent moderate interest.

LEMON & PETERSON,
Barristers, Solicitors, &c

Guelph Dec. 9th, 1868. dwtf

### BLACKSMITH SHOP FOR SALE OR TO LET.

A Blacksmith stand in the village of Ospringe, 12 miles from Guelph, on the Elora Gravel Road, with half an acre of land, good buildings and well fenced. For further information apply to the undersigned, or at the *Mercury* Office, Guelph

WM. HEASMAN, Blacksmith.

NOTICE TO DEBTORS.—All parties indebted to the subscriber, either by note or book account, will please call and settle at once to save cost.

WILLIAM HEASMAN, Blacksmith

Ospringe, Feb 24. w 1m*

### BLACKSMITH'S SHOP TO SELL OR RENT IN ERAMOSA.

A Blacksmith Shop, with dwelling house attached, to sell or rent on Lot 25, 4th Con., Eramosa, near Oustic Post Office. A good business has been done on the premises the last two years. Possession can be had on the 1st of March next. Apply to George Duffield on the east half of Lot 25, 4th Con. Eramosa.

Guelph, Feb. 17. w tf

### GREAT POWERS

Are always neutral in small squabbles.

SO IT IS WITH

### PREST & HEPBURN

In the leather war now going on between their opponents on the south side of Wyndham-st.

WE do not believe in bosh and bunkum, but deal with facts, and leave the verdict in the hands of the intelligent people of Wellington. We are prepared to prove, and we positively affirm, notwithstanding all the puffing and blowing which has become the order of the day, that PREST & HEPBURN, Wyndham Street, Guelph, manufacture more

### BOOTS AND SHOES

And employ double the number of Workmen of any other establishment in the County of Wellington. We invite the public to call and look through our Factory, and they will be convinced that we are telling the truth, and nothing but the truth.

A great deal has been said for and against machine made Boots and Shoes. Now we believe, and we are confident that very well-balanced mind in Wellington will agree with us, that the less machinery used in manufacturing Boots and Shoes the better. All our staple Boots and Shoes are made by hand, which must be admitted is far superior to any machine made Goods. We have now on hand the largest and best assortment of Boots and Shoes ever offered to the people of Wellington which we will sell as cheap as the cheapest

Remember that all our work is warranted, and no second price. Repairs done as usual.

PREST & HEPBURN.

Guelph, 2nd November. dw

### THE QUEEN'S HOTEL,

West Market Square, Guelph.

J. MILLER, Proprietor.

THIS FIRST-CLASS HOTEL has recently been opened and fitted up in a style to meet the wants of the TRAVELLING PUBLIC, and secure to his patrons all the comforts and convenience of a home.

Particular attention is paid to the Table,

Which will always be furnished with all the delicacies of the season.

FIRST-CLASS SAMPLE ROOMS FOR COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS, with

### LIVERY STABLE

Attached to the Hotel to meet the requirement of all permanet as well as transient customers.

Guelph, March 5. do t

### DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

Notice is hereby given that the Co-Partnership heretofore existing between Alexander Thomson, Samuel Shaw and George Murton, junior, under the style and firm of A. THOMSON & Co., in the Town of Guelph, was dissolved this day by mutual consent.

The business in future will be carried on by Samuel Shaw and George Murton, junior, under the style and firm of SHAW & MURTON, who hereby agree to settle all claims against the old firm of A. Thomson & Co., and are hereby authorized to collect all debts owing to A. Thomson & Co.,

ALEXANDER THOMSON,
SAMUEL SHAW,
GEORGE MURTON, JR.

Witness, CHARLES GRUNDY.

Guelph, February 24, 1869. daw

THE Subscribers in returning thanks to the public for the liberal patronage bestowed on the late firm of A. THOMSON & Co., would beg to state that they intend carrying on the business as heretofore, at the Guelph CLOTH HALL and shall be happy to have a call from their old friends.

SAMUEL SHAW,
GEORGE MURTON, JR.

Guelph, Feb. 24, 1869. daw3w

### 1869. Wholesale. 1869.

### Wellington Boot & Shoe Manufactory

WYNDHAM-ST., GUELPH.

JOHN A. McMILLAN

Has much pleasure in intimating to the Trade that he is now prepared to supply at the

*Lowest Wholesale Prices Boots and Shoes of every Description, Style, and Variety.*

All Manufactured by himself in Guelph. Dealers are requested to call and examine my stock and prices, and they will find a much better article than any Imported Work, and their price as low as the lowest. Terms, liberal.

WANTED, a number of good journeymen to work on Ladies' Kid, Goat, Prunella and Canvas Gaiters, in connection with the McKay Sewing Machine.

LEATHER WANTED.

Tanners can find a cash market for every description of Leather, any quantity, at any time, at the Wellington Boot and Shoe Manufactory.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

The whole of the present stock of Boots and Shoes, Rubbers and Moccassins, will be sold cheaper than any man can sell imported work.—This is no humbug. Call and see, and remember the spots—Guelph, Fergus and Elora.

JOHN A. McMILLAN,
Bootmaker for the Million

Guelph, 4th January 1869 dw

### IMPERIAL Fire Insurance Company

OF LONDON.

(Established 1803.)

HEAD OFFICES.—1 Old Broad Street, and Pall Mall, London

GENERAL AGENCY FOR CANADA—24 St Sacrament Street, Montreal

Subscribed and Invested Capital and Reserve Fund

£1,965,000 .. .. STERLING

Funds invested in Canada—$105,000

INSURANCE against loss by fire effected on the most favorable terms, and losses paid without reference to the Board in London. No charge made for policies or endorsements.

RINTOUL BROS, General Agents, 24 St. Sacramen Street. JOHN DODSWORTH, Inspector.

JOHN M. BOND, Agent, Guelph.

Guelph, 14th Nov. md

### NEW SABBATH SCHOOL BOOK.

JUST PUBLISHED.

THE MORNING STARS.

A collection of Religious Songs for Sunday Schools and the home circle. This book of religious songs for children was undertaken because the authors could find no book which appeared to them to be well adapted for the use of Sunday Schools, and the choir of children, whose musical instruction they have in charge. Great care has been taken in this selection that the words might faithfully reflect the sentiment of the music as well as equal it in the elevation of tone. Price in boards, 35 cents; paper, 30 cents. Sent postpaid on receipt of price Oliver Ditson & Co., publishers, 277 Washington-st., Boston. Charles H. Ditson & Co., 711 Broadway, N.Y. dw

### NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

The subscriber begs to inform his patrons and the public that during his absence in Scotland his business will be carried on as usual. Parties requiring work will please call at his shop, Mark Square, where all orders will receive prompt attention.

Guelph, 6th Jan. dwtf JAS BARCLAY.

### NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS.

Notice is hereby given that any person or persons found cutting or removing timber, or in any way trespassing upon the front halves of Lots Nos. 3 and 4, in the 10th Con. of Puslinch will be prosecuted to the utmost rigor of the law.

W. F. SNIDER,
Per THOS. W. SAUNDERS,

Guelph, March 11. d6 w4 his Attorney.