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GUELPH, ONT. CANADA, THURSDAY EVENING, JANUARY 4, 1877

PRICE TWO CENTS

MORE MONEY FOR INVESTMENT

TONEY ON HAND.

LEMON, PETERSON & MACLEAN

ONEY TO LEND to suit borrowers. Interest as Charges moderate. GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN, Gue

\$10.000 TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE

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MENTS in sums from \$900 to \$2,000.

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NOTICE



JAMES HIRST.

HOLIDAY PRESENTS



HE IS POUTING WM. TAWSE & SON.

Mo. 25 Wyncham-st., Guelph.

MRS. PASS DRESSMAKER. PRESSMAKING in all its Branches
Fitting Room in the premises occur
pied by John flogg & Son, Merchants. TRESH ARRIVAL OF TWO CASES of Dress Trimmings comprising of the leading novelbeau prising the state of the st

JOHN HOGG & SON'S Fancy and Staple Dry Goods Stor Dec. 15th. dtf

Corn both Whole and Chopped POTATOES

All kinds, Wholesale and Retail. FLOUR AND FEED

Of all kinds delivered to any part of the tow at lowest possible prices, at JAS. HEWER'S Wholesale and Retail Produce Store, 45 Ma donnell Street East. dw

FARM FOR SALE THE UNDERSIGNED WILL REmaxt, for Lots 2 and 18, 6th concession, Pralinch, 67 acres, meetly cleared, with a good
sull privalent—it miles from Guelph. Offers
to state-whether it miles from Guelph. Offers
to state-whether will osah, or a third cash,
and balance in two equal instalments, with
interest at 8 per cent.
CHARLES DAVIDSON.
Town Hall Buildings Gualph 68th Description

Town Hall Buildings, Guelph. 90th Dec.

TS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APPLICA-tion wil be made to the Parliament of On-cario at its rest session, for a v-tet to incorporate The Guelph Street Railway Company, and to con-fer upon the sa'd Company all usual and necessary powers for constructing and operating a Street Bailway in the Town of Guelph and edjacent sum in

New Advertisements.

OUSE WANTED TO PURCHASI
containing about 8 rooms. West W OUSE TO LET—On Cardigan-St. recently occupied by Victor Stewa

ADIES' AND GENTS' STRAW AND
Felt Hats cleaned and dyed. Feathers cleaned
and curied at 137 Suffolk street, opposite the new

Jan. 4. W. GLEORD Quebce-qt

MISS HAYWARD'S CLASSES WILL
re-open on Monday, January, 8th 1877
at 305 Woolwich Street.
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PIGS LOST—Lost on Sunday last from Mill Street, Guelph, two white bigs on a stw, the other a barrow—about six month old and in good condition. Any one returning them will be suitably rewarded.

JOHN HIGGINS, Guld's MI

TO LET OR TO SELL, A COMFORTable house, or charled street, south Ward,
with nine rooms, stable, word steed, a good
garden, and two and a quarter scree of land.
Immediate possession gives. Apply to
PRANCIS EVATT.
Opposite the Espitet Church.

BOARDING HOUSE TO RENT On Sandilands st., at Market Square,
WITH ELEVEN LARGE APART.

Insolvent Act of 1875.

Guelph Academy and Seminary

A LL DEPARTMENTS OF THE ABOVE FANCY SLIPPERS On Monday, 8th of January

> E.B.A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE EM.
> ERALD Sependell Association will be
> in the building adjoining the Bectory, or raday evening at half-past 7 o'clock. A



St. Patrick's Catholic Benevolent

SOCIETY

THE REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING of the St. Patrick's Catholic Benevolent Society, will be held on Thesday, Jan. 2nd, 1877, at 730 p. ms., in the styroquested to attend ab business of importance is to be M. J. DORAN, Secretary.

ADJOURNED MEETING to the 10th January, 1877 at the same heur and place. dtdwl

H OUSE AND LOT FOR SALE, NEAR the Catholic Church, Morriston. Terms favourable. Apply to George Tennant, Mor-\$66 a week in your own town. Terms and \$50 as outfit free. H. HALLETT & CO. Portland, Maine, dec14 wly

010 a day at nome Agents wanted. Outht 014 and termsfree. TRUE, & CO., Augusts, Maine. FOR SALE THREE DURHAM BULL CALVES— two 11 months old and one 8 months old— good color. Prize takers at Hamilton, Lon-don, Guelph and Feigus.

\$5 to \$20 per day at home. Samples worth \$5 free, STINSON & CO., dec 14 wly Portland Maine.

STRAYED RAM.—Came on the premises of John Jeffrey, lot 18, 8th Concession, Funinch, about the 10th of December, an aged ram. The owner is requested to, prove property, pay charges and take him a way.

THE BAILY MERCURY

course araffic is extraordinarily heavy, 403 bags of mail matter were received at the post office last bight, and 243 bags dispatched, most of which is accumulation of the last four days.

Shocking Accident.

A shocking accident occurred in Hull's new Opera House, Belleville. This more-ing Mr. Jno. Winneberg, the architect,

DRATH OF WH. DICESOR OF GALE.—The Gait Reformer announces the death of WM. Dickson, one of the oldest and most prominent residents of Galt. He died on Monday night. Mr. Dickson had been indisplosed for two, or three weeks and from the beginning but alight hope, were entertained of his recovery, he being in his 78th year. The deceased was one of the first residents of Galt, his father at one time owning all the t. waship of Dumfries. His funeral was to take place this afternoon, and no doubt it will be largely attended.

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Whater Probabilities.— Winds mod-rate, shifting to southwest and south, only and warmer weather, with possibly ght snow. At Quebec this morning at 7 clock the thermometer stood 10 below are, a strong west wind prevailing.

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new Opera House, Belleville. On Wednesday evening about eleven

in taking down as casfild about thirty feet

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to of the building, one- of the vupports

being cut the support below gave way and

Winneberg fell backwards, descending for

the floor, which his head struck with a pendeling for the floor, which his head struck with a pendeling sleigh towards the Norlolk st.

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ceased was a man of forty years of age, and
leaves a widow and four children. Boobard asved himself by catching and hanging to fam.

How the best was historian and the struck with a pendeling for the creation of a stone building, driving a one of the structure for the purpose intended cutside was the building. Although power struck it. At the same time Johnston, who was in the sleigh the previous form of the work of the w

The second restination of Bon. Printer of the Espains of Coronal Covernor, which are the March State of the S church, composed of Mesars, Jas. Ho Geo. Smith, Wm. Stevenson, Rich Ainley, W. G. Smith, C. Campbell A Ruchast, Chas, Adeett, Henry Medeal

Buchan, Chas, Adsett, Henry Med D. Hatton, C. Me, ill, Jas. Schofield. McGregor, resolved to make the improve-ments which have been carried out, at a cost of \$12,000.

The work of refitting extended from baseand no doubt it will be largely steaded.

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Williamson & Co's new advertisement.

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Brutal Assault.

SHOOTING AFFRAY IN GUELPH. the Grand Trunk freight station and the Great Western railway depot. The assault three o'clock on Wedne Armstrong was coming town the Grand Trunk freight ste at the crossing on the Edinburgh Road he observed a man and a woman on the road near Rev. W. S. Ball's residence. The man although he had stated at the non appeared to be in the act of assaulting the woman, as he was chasing her with a stick when a stick was opposed to the Dunking the woman, as he was chasing her with a stick had double the votes of his opponent and the stick opposed to the stick was opposed to the stick when the stick was opposed to the stick was opposed to the stick with the stick opposition to the stick was opposed to the stick when the stick was opposed to the stick wa

near Rev. W. S. Ball's residence. The man appeared to be in the act of assaulting the woman, as he was chasing her with a stick. Mr. Armstrong walked hurriedly towards the parties to see what was wrong, and on reaching them remonstrated with the man, who turned out to be Hinds, for his actions is abusing the woman who it appears was Mrs. Reork. Hinds wanted to know who he was, and Mr. Armstrong teld him he was a Genetable, and that he sbould behave himself and cease abusing the woman. Hinds said he did not eare for any constable, and that he would act as he pleased. He then struck at Mr. Armstrong, and in return received a blow on the head with a cane, which kept hin off for a moment. Hinds then drew a revolver and fired. Mr. Armstrong closed with him and struck him a hard blow on the arm with his cane, knocking the revolver out of his hand. He had no sconer done this however, than Hinds, who is a powerful fellow, grappled with him and both fell, with Hinds underneath, who managed to turn Mr. Armstrong over in the show, and then struck him several times abeut the face. By some means Mr. Armstrong regained his feet, and securing his cane kept Hinds off, as he backed alowly towards Mr. Green's house on Bestin street. Hinds followed that far, and then sleared off. Mr. Armstrong, although severtly injured, proceeded to town, and having told Policeman Doolev' the circumstances, the two drove out in a sleigh to Newton's Hotel, where they

The Municipal Election

THE OFFICIAL DECLARATION OF THE COUNT YESTERDAY.

mot be right to leave the ward entirely mew mes, and on the meminal day determined to become a caldidate, when he found he had been now ated for a higher position. He had been business here for many years, and busint up a large and honorable husines though some might not approve of it, thought the temperance men only in