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GUELPH, ONT., CANADA, MONDAY EVENING, JUNE 17, 1872.

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Business Cards.

FREDERICK DISCOE, Barrister and Attorney at Law, Solicitor in Chancery, Conveyancer, &c. Guelph. Office, corner of Wyndham and Quebec Streets. dw

AUSTIN C. CHADWICK, Barrister at Law, Solicitor in Chancery, &c. Market Place, Guelph. Office entrance next door to the Queen's Hotel. dw

STEPHEN BOULT, Architect, Contractor and Builder. Planning Mill, and every kind of Joiner's Work prepared for the trade and the public. The Factory is on Quebec street, Guelph. dw

GEORGE PALMER, Barrister and Attorney at Law, Solicitor in Chancery, Notary Public, and Conveyancer. Office, over E. Harvey & Co's Drug Store, Entrance on Macdonnell Street. dw

OLIVER & MACDONALD, Barristers and Attorneys at Law, Solicitors, Notaries Public, &c. Office, corner of Wyndham and Quebec Streets, up stairs, Guelph, Ont. OLIVER, JR. (187) A. H. MACDONALD. dw

D. B. BROCK, RESIDENCE Directly opposite Chalmers Church, QUEBEC STREET. dw

D. CLARKE has resumed the practice of his profession. He will remain in his office, Quebec Street, West, on Friday and Saturday from 10 a. m. to 2 p. m. for consultation. dw

DRS. KEATING & WORSFOLD, Physicians, Surgeons, &c. Office—the late Dr. Hewitt's, Essex street, Guelph. dw

JOHN KIRKHAM, Silver Plater and Brass Finisher. All orders promptly attended to. Shop—opposite Gladner's Church, Quebec Street, Guelph. dw

GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN, Barristers, Attorneys at Law, Solicitors in Chancery, GUELPH, ONTARIO. dw

F. STURDY, 40 Cedar Posts, 2000 Cedar Rails, 200 Cedar Stakes. GEORGE BLANCHFORD, New Inn, Waterloo Road. dw

ICE, ICE. The subscriber begs to inform the inhabitants of the Town of Guelph that he can supply them with ice. Delivered Daily, At their houses, at a moderate charge. Parties leaving their orders for the same at Mr. John Webster's, Cork Street, or at Mr. Porter's confectionery store, Wyndham street, will be punctually attended to. RALPH SMITH, Guelph, May 15th, 1872. dw

ICE, ICE. Ice supplied daily in any part of the town. Leave your order with J. HARRIS, Baker and Confectioner, Market Square, Guelph, May 22, 1872. dw

AUCTION SALE of valuable Household Furniture. W. S. G. Knowles is instructed by Mrs. Thornton to sell by Public Auction, on THURSDAY NEXT, 20th of JUNE, at her residence, Waterloo Street, a valuable quantity of Household Furniture, comprising:—Four sets of chairs to match; tables, one-seated chairs, common do, bedsteads, washstands, crockery, stoves, &c. &c. &c. A splendid variety of useful articles. Terms cash. A variety of useful articles. Terms cash. A variety of useful articles. Terms cash. dw

GUELPH Horticultural Society. The Spring Show of this Society will be held in the DRILL SHED, Wednesday, July 3rd, 1872. The meeting of the Fruit Grower's Association will be held on the day following, THURSDAY, the 4th inst., in the FERRY HALL, Guelph. GEORGE MURTON, Sec. Guelph, June 11th, 1872. Herald and Advertiser copy. dw

MICHAEL DUGNEN, Cabinet Maker and Undertaker. Begs to inform the inhabitants of Guelph and surrounding country that he has commenced business in the stand known as M. J. Doran's Grocery Store, opposite the Market. As I have purchased a new and improved Hearse I will keep on hand a full assortment of everything in the undertaking business. Metallic, Rosewood, Walnut, and Chest Covered caskets kept in stock. All kinds of Cabinet work made to order. Particular attention paid to the repairing and varnishing of Furniture. As I intend to devote my attention to both branches, I hope to meet a share of public patronage. Charges moderate. Wanted—A quantity of Seasoned Butternut and Cherry. MICHAEL DUGNEN, Guelph, June 15, 1872. dw

THE BEST HOTEL IN TOWN. CASEY ALWAYS JOLLY. The richest drinks best table, most comfortable beds, merriest company, and jolliest hours in town at Casey's—The Harp of Erin Hotel, Macdonnell Street, Guelph. dw

30,000 Standard and Dwarf Apple, Pear and Plum Trees. NOAH SUNLEY will offer his entire stock at his Nursery, Orange Street, this morning at the following prices:—All varieties of Apples, 18 cents; Pear, 37 cents; Plum, 27 cents; Grapes, 20 cents; Orange Vines, all the new varieties, 25 cents; such as Salome, Rogers, Concord, Delaware, and Currants, 12 for \$1; Gooseberry, English varieties, 81 per dozen; Strawberry, 75 cents per hundred; every variety warranted true to name. Come and see the stock, all the varieties in bearing in my grounds and select for yourself. The trees you prefer. Terms Cash. Guelph, June 12. dw

PRIZE DENTISTRY. DR. ROBERT CAMPBELL, Licentiate of Dental Surgery. Established 1861. Office next door to the "Advertiser" Office, Wyndham St., Guelph. Residence opposite Mr. Hunt's Factory, Quebec Street. Teeth extracted without pain. References, Drs. Clarke, Tuck, McGuire, Herod, McGregor, and Cowan, Guelph; Drs. Buchanan and Phillips, Toronto; Drs. Elliott & Meyers, Dentists, Toronto. dw

ONTARIO COAL YARDS. MURTON & REID. Have received and are receiving a large stock of Delawara, Lackawanna and Western R. R. COAL of all sizes. EGG, STOVE AND CHESTNUT, IN FIRST-RATE CONDITION, CLEAN AND DRY. This Coal, for general use, is the best article in the market—low for price. All other Coals, such as Briar Hill, Mount Morris, Lehigh and Blossburg, in large quantities. Order early and secure your stock at present prices. Office—James Street, one door south of the Canada Life Assurance Co., Hamilton. dw GEO. MURTON, Agent at Guelph

CONTRACTORS AND OTHERS. The subscriber keeps on hand Fresh Lime, Stone, Sand, Posts, Lumber, &c., which he will sell at reasonable prices to all who may favor him with their patronage. He also keeps on hand, to be let by the day or otherwise, at his residence near the G. T. Station, where he will see to this new kind of work in person by the usual way, and hopes to be patronized hereafter as he has been in the past. Orders promptly attended to. DENIS COFFEY, Guelph, April 11th, 1872. dw

New Advertisements.

A GOOD SERVANT GIRL Wanted. Must be well recommended. Small family. Apply at once to this office. dw

DURHAM BULL.—The subscriber has a thorough bred Durham bull, which will serve cows. This animal has been lately occupied by Mr. John Kirkham, May 20th-1872. J. W. B. KELLY. dw

PRIVATE BOARDING.—Boarding house opened by Mrs. Fitzmorris, in the house formerly occupied by Mr. Sturdy, near Mr. Mackley's, second crossing from the Market Square. 4-124 dw

40 ACRES OF GOOD PASTURE IN TOWN TO RENT. RIVER on one side of it. Apply at the Law Office of the undersigned. J. ROBT. MITCHELL. dw

WANTED.—At the Ontario Carriage and Coach Factory, Acton, four journeymen—two wood-workers and two blacksmiths; also, two apprentices, one for each branch. W. M. BROWN, MGR. SOON. T. H. EASTON. dw

FOR SALE.—The Guelph Packing House, with or without appurtenances, containing one 10 horse boiler nearly new, and boiler, scales, &c. Dimensions of cattle slaughter house seven by eight feet, and six by six, packing rooms in two compartments eight each, with good collar. For particulars apply to Geo. Lees, Guelph. 3-114 dw

LOTS FOR SALE.—For sale twenty-four lots in Jackson's Survey, near Mr. John Horsman's residence. Twenty-three of the lots are a quarter of an acre each, more or less. Terms, one-fifth of the purchase money down, the balance in five years, with interest at six per cent. Apply to John Jackson, Guelph. 3-114 dw

SHEEP LOST.—About three weeks ago; 12 in number; principally last year's lambs, and one oblong ewe with black mark over her eye, with knot at foot. The sheep will be liberally rewarded on application to Robert Cochrane, York Road. 3-114 dw

COW STRAYED.—Strayed from the premises of the subscriber on Friday night, the 7th, an aged cow, with a dark face, neatly cut out, in fair condition. Any one returning her or giving such information as will aid in her recovery will be suitably rewarded. Apply to AMES BARCLAY, Builder, Guelph, June 12. dw

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WOOL.—Supply limited, prices slightly higher to-day—51 to 52 cts being paid.

St. George's Church Festival.—This Festival is fixed for Tuesday evening the 25th June in the Drill Shed.

To Correspondents.—Mable Grey must send us her real name before we can take any notice of her communication.

ENGLISH MAGAZINES.—Mr. John Anderson has sent us the Gentleman's Journal and Young Englishman for June, both nicely illustrated. For sale at Anderson's bookstore.

SHEEP FOR OREGON.—Mr. Fletcher & Co., of Oregon, have lately bought in this section 100 head of sheep for shipment to Oregon. They bought 19 from Mr. Thos. Waters, 10 from Mr. P. McGregor, Erasmus, and about 50 from Messrs. Arkoll and Rudd, Puslinch, at from \$20 to \$30 a head.

PRIMITIVE METHODIST CHURCH.—The following are the appointments for the Guelph District for this year: Guelph—Rev. G. Wood, Rev. C. O. Johnston, student; Peel—Rev. E. Middleton; Hawksville—Rev. A. Heyworth; Minto—Rev. G. Watson; Brant—Rev. R. Anger; Clifford—Rev. R. Thompson; Kincardine—Rev. F. G. Scott; Jubilee—Rev. W. J. Thornby; Rev. D. Ilie; Arthur—Rev. W. J. Farrar.

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POLICE COURT.

Before T. W. Saunders, Esq., P. M. June 17.

Ann Dunn, for vagrancy, fined \$1.00. Committed in default.

Mr. Henry Wilson, a respectable farmer in the township of Whitechurch, died of his children, on Friday of small pox. One child died four weeks ago of the same disease. His widow, who is labouring under the same disease, is recovering. There are now two children left in the family. There is no other case of small pox in the township at present.

As an evidence of the growth of the wholesale business in Hamilton, the Times says Messrs. Simpson, Stewart & Co., have decided in doubling their present business dimensions.

Congress has at last authorized the adoption of the postal card system in the United States.

The Trinity Church Corporation, of New York, holds nearly seventy million dollars worth of property.

The Kingston News understands that the last official act of the Governor-General will be to sign the pardon of Grace Marks.

CABLE SCREW WIRE Boots and Shoes are sure to supersede all others, because they are the most pliable, durable, do not rip or leak. Try them. All genuine goods are stamped with the

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HAMILTON AND NORTH-WESTERS RAILWAY.

The deputations from Hamilton in connection with this new enterprise have been holding meetings in the Townships of Eggs, Toomsch and Adjala, and have met with the most gratifying success.

CREDIT VALLEY RAILWAY.—The following is the state of the vote on the bonus by-law, submitted a few days ago to the ratepayers of Caledon, Toronto Township and Chingacoony, in aid of the Credit Valley Railway: Caledon, for 248, against 256; Toronto Township for 195, against 306; Chingacoony for 126, against 396—total for 569, against 898, majority against the by-law 329.

DEATH OF A MINISTER.—Rev. Edward Whyte, Wesleyan minister and pioneer missionary to British Columbia, died on Saturday morning in Montreal.

The reverend gentleman had only recently returned from England, where he had been for his health. On Tuesday signs of small-pox developed themselves, supposed to have been contracted on ship-board.

BROWNED.—A son of the Rev. John Brown, Presbyterian minister, Newmarket was drowned on Saturday while bathing. The other son sank also, but was taken ashore, and as several members of the medical profession were present, by constant friction and stimulants, he was resuscitated in about two hours.

DISASTROUS HURRICANE.—The damage by the hurricane in the States on Saturday was considerable. Many persons, both in New York and Brooklyn, were injured; and in the latter city, three persons were killed. Al. Wingfield, Long Island, fell on a train of cars, being struck by a portion of them. Some of the passengers were injured. In Jersey City the grain storehouse of the Pennsylvania Central Railway were blown down, causing a loss of several thousand dollars.

SHOCKING CALAMITY.—While the Spanish steamship Guadalupe was lying at Marselles on Saturday, crowded with passengers, her boiler exploded. The entire upper portion of the ship was torn to pieces. Of these on board few escaped death or injury. Forty-four passengers and eleven of the officers and crew were killed. Immediately after the explosion the steamer took fire, and the flames communicated to the dock. A serious conflagration was threatened, and several hundred bales of cotton were consumed. Ultimately the flames were subdued.

EDITORIAL NEWS.

DR. CLARKE has declined the nomination tendered him by the Reform Convention for the North Riding of Norfolk.

The nomination of Mr. McKeough, of Chatham, has proved a cruel blow to the fond hopes and aspirations of poor Mr. Stephenson, who, for a few months past, has been endeavouring to persuade himself that he might by chance be re-elected.

The House of Lords, in England, have waived their objections to the Ballot Bill, which passed the Lower House some time since, and assented to its second reading by a large majority. The ballot is, therefore, soon to become a part and parcel of the British Constitution.

There is a disposition among the Tory press to harp in this Dominion contest chiefly on Ontario local politics, carefully avoiding discussion as far as possible on the deeds and misdeeds of the Ottawa Government.—There is no doubt that they are seeking to hide their own acts in the dust raised by stirring up Ontario matters.

Mr. DALY's canvass does not commence under favourable circumstances. The Listowel Banner, a Conservative paper under its new management, and therefore friendly to the party with whom Mr. Daly is identified, sees inevitable defeat to that party in the event of Mr. Daly deciding to accept the nomination.

The action of the Government in forcing the Mansard swindle through the House on Thursday, when less than a quarter of the members were present, meets with the severest censure, even from warm Government supporters. The motion would not have been carried in a full house. It is regarded as an attempt to remunerate an old Government hack out of the public funds.

STRIKES IN NEW YORK.—The New Tribune says, with reference to the strikes which have for some time prevailed through every department of industry in that city, that confusion seems to have fallen alike on the counsels of employers and employed concerned in the present "strike for eight hours' work. Compromises effected here and there have demoralized some of the organizations, and others are likely to be disturbed eventually by the drafts made on them by the necessity of keeping up their defiant attitude. Meanwhile thousands of men are idle, and the only money drawn is by their officers and vigilance committees. This is wasteful and distressing, for the workmen cannot afford to pay it, and many of them are suffering severely for the want of the necessities of life.

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