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Evening Mercury

Evening, August 3.

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How we See It.

Under this heading the Cobourg World prints the following article, in which there is certainly sound logic: "The supporters of the present Coalition Government are continually harping on the injustice of Reform journals in opposing a Government whose measures have not been set forth, and with whose policy, consequently, they are unacquainted. There seems, at first sight, to be some little weight in this charge; but to us, the slightest reflection condemns the argument as only plausible. The premises are stated,—"the policy of the Government has not been declared. With what greater show of justice or wisdom, therefore, does any Conservative journal jump forward to declare his confidence in this unannounced policy, than any Reform one exhibits in withholding it? We hold that the motive for either act should rest upon principle and not upon a circumstance. Saying nothing of the past history of the Dominion Cabinet, the sole foundation of our own present course is, that we are opposed to the principle of Coalition in toto; and we should propose any Coalition, where it could be avoided, irrespective of any circumstance of the relative power of the parties of which it might be formed. We believe that in the existence of political parties lies the only safeguard of political consistency and purity; and our desire is, if the Conservative party prove the stronger in either House, that they form a Conservative Government; but if Reformers are in the majority, that the power be then confided to them. In short, we argue the necessity of a well constituted party opposition; and we contend that we are quite as consistent and as just in withholding confidence in a policy not yet revealed as are our wonderfully astonished justice-loving critics in jumping, with open arms, at an unseen and ominous shade."

A True Reformer.

Mr. Alexander Mackenzie, one of the most consistent and undeviating Reformers that contends for the rights of the people of Ontario, in his address to his constituents sets the question of Coalition in a clear light before them. Here is no base pandering to the wishes of the powers that be; no renunciation of life-matured principles, no juggling, no dissimulation. He speaks his opinions plainly, and does so because he is confident of the justness of his cause. Truth can endure the light and bear the test of the severest criticism! Hear what Mr. Mackenzie says: "The Confederation of the British American Provinces removes the principal grievances which we had to complain of in Western Canada, and it now remains for us to work out our new political system in such a way as will secure to us the full benefit of the change. I reluctantly agreed that the two great political parties should form a government to carry the Confederation measure, with the express understanding that the passage of the Bill should witness the termination of the Coalition, and that no party measures likely to divide us should in the meantime be introduced. The members of that Government not only violated the latter part of the agreement by the introduction of their financial scheme and their tariff arrangements during last session, but they seek to perpetuate a Coalition for no other purpose than the retention of office. As such a course is utterly opposed to sound political principle, I shall give it all the opposition in my power. I have too vivid a recollection of the results of the Coalition of 1854 to permit another similar combination if I can prevent it. We have already received plain indications of coming calamity from a new Coalition, in the shameful avowal by one Minister that the expenditure of money on the Intercolonial Railway will be made available by purchase of parliamentary support in the Quebec district. The formation of a new Coalition—now entirely unnecessary—will inevitably be followed by the same train of evils which resulted from the Coalition of 1854. We will again be compelled to witness extravagance in all our departments, the most unblushing corruption in Parliament, and a low state of public morality in high places which must be communicated more or less to all classes. I shall therefore endeavour if elected to prevent the continued existence of a Government so constituted. It is now quite clear that Messrs. Macdougall and Howland not only deserted their party to form an alliance with Messrs. Macdonald and Cartier, for the general Government, but also conspired to prevent Reformers in Ontario having control of the Local Government, although they constitute a two-thirds majority of the people, while in Quebec the Government is placed in Conservative hands. Nothing could better show the hollowness of the pretension that they wished to avoid party strife by forming Coalitions, as they have only formed a Coalition in the general Government and in Ontario, where Reformers will have a large majority."

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Canadian contemporary," as he calls the Advertiser, severe on us yesterday... Howitt had consented to the Riding, and the next day it on the Doctor's side he took care not to state the rumor as it was given, without in any way correctness. If the Advertiser had good deal of the ante-meridian might have heard the same day in half a dozen columns. At the present time the duty of a journalist is to whatever reports are made with regard to candidates in election matters, if at the same time to state the truth. There is nothing to be done but to come up to the mark as performed by the Advertiser, it hoisted its banner, embellished in displaying it, and unanimously and unanimously episode of the political nonchalant, and with the intention of doing an immense amount of good to the county. The whole is a patriotic attempt to make the electors of the North Riding "Reject McKim and Foley," and patriots are to sing it to that doleful air, "The Girl I left Behind me." "The man who left his dactyls and iambs behind him," would be a much more appropriate tune.

New Project of Relief for Ireland.

Some person has written a communication to the New York Sun upon the troubles in Ireland, and showing the means by which he would alleviate the sorrows of that country. If he is an Irishman (which is most likely) he has more reason and less impetuosity than most of his countrymen who have had their ideas of Fenian prowess nurtured on American soil. He does not propose an invasion of Ireland; he knows that would be futile, nor an insurrection of her people, which would be destructive to themselves, but the following scheme is his:— 1st. Organizing the clubs, societies, fairs, &c., throughout the United States, to collect subscriptions for a vast sum to be used for the transportation of the Irish people to this country. Nine-tenths would start at a week's notice if they had the means. 2nd. Petition our Government for a liberal sum. She owes Irishmen a heavy national debt of gratitude for services rendered. 3rd. Make an economical arrangement with some of the international steamship companies for the transportation of the emigrants to this country. 4th. Place only men of acknowledged honesty and ability to control this fund. 5th. Send reliable agents to Ireland to forward the emigrants to the U. S., and protect them from sharpers. 6th. Leave the informers to still live in a country they have helped to crush. This, our correspondent thinks, would damage Britain more than a thousand Fenian invasions," while it would greatly benefit Ireland.

Prospects in Halton.

The Milton Champion in reference to the spirit of the people of Halton, and the chances which the two Reform candidates, Messrs. White and Barber, have of success in that county, speaks thus:—"The Reformers of Halton are thoroughly alive to the importance of the issues placed before them, as far as regards the interests of Ontario, and the future economical administration of affairs. The most cheering reports have been received from nearly all the wards in the county, and the election of Messrs. White and Barber by the old-fashioned overwhelming majorities of yore, is as certain as the steadfastness of the Reformers of Halton, who have so long battled for doing so, for fear that Mr. Chisholm might return, and not give the electors the opportunity of administering a lesson to him, and his aides, who thought to win this county by wholesale slander. Let Reformers remember the declaration of their opponents, that this is their last attempt, and if thoroughly beaten now that they will abandon their opposition. Let this nerve us to continue active for a few days longer, and Halton will be assured to good government for the next five years, which will be the most eventful period in Canadian History."

BUCOLIC'S LETTER.

The Advertiser yesterday charges Dr. Parker with being the author of the letter signed "Bucolic," which so trenchantly exposes the treachery of the publisher of that paper. We beg to state that Dr. Parker is not the author of that letter. He never saw it or knew of it, till it appeared in the columns of the Mercury. The Advertiser would no doubt like very much to know who wrote it, but as we do not intend to follow his example and publish the names of our contributors whenever a slight breeze occurs between them, he must guess again and often before he hits upon the writer.

New Advertisements.

Silk Parasol Found.

FOUND, on Saturday the 3rd inst., between G. T. Railroad and Lindsay's Stable, a brown Silk Parasol. The owner can have it by paying expenses, on application at the Mercury Office. Guelph, Aug. 3, 1867. d1

STORE to LET in ACTON

A COMMODIOUS STORE and Dwelling House in Acton, situated in a good locality for business. This presents a favourable opening for a Dry Goods or General Store. Apply to W. DARLING & CO., Montreal, or W. H. STOREY, Acton. August 2nd, 1867. d4f Daily Globe copy till forbid.

MONEY TO LEND.

THE Subscriber has money to lend on first-class farm security, at 8 per cent. half-yearly. The security must be undoubted, both as to title and value. Loan to be repaid by yearly instalments, no commission charged, and expenses moderate. Apply personally, or by letter, post-paid, to G. S. PAPPS, Barrister, &c., Hamilton, Hamilton, August 3, 1867. daw-1m

Harvest Gloves,

HARVEST GLOVES.

A QUANTITY of Superior Harvest Gloves for sale. Wholesale at No. 3, Day's Old Block, Gordon Street, and also by retail at the principal stores in the Town. They are strongly made, and cheap. D. MOLTON. Guelph, August 3, 1867. 1w42w

JUST RECEIVED,

One Ton Rannie's

Celebrated Cheese!

Fresh Prunes, and CHOICE MARMALADE. GEORGE WILKINSON. Guelph, 20th July, 1867. d1

MARE STRAYED.

CAME to the premises of the subscriber, on Sunday the 14th instant, a brown mare. The owner can have her by proving property and paying expenses. ANGUS SMITH, Lot 20, 4th Concession, Erin, Erin, 25th July, 1867. 3-mw

MISS WHYTE'S CLASSES

WILL commence on MONDAY, the 2nd of September, 1867. A first-class DRAWING

INDIA & CHINA TEA CO'Y.

Home Depot at London and Liverpool. Canada Depot, 23 Hospital Street, Montreal.

THE India and China Tea Company beg to call the attention of the Canadian community to their directly imported Teas, which for purity and excellence will be found unequalled. The Company have made arrangements whereby they have secured the entire produce of some of the best plantations in Assam and on the slopes of the Himalayas, and by judicious blending of these magnificent Teas with the best varieties of China produce, they are enabled to offer to the public Tea of quality and flavour hitherto unknown to the general consumer. These Teas are in high favour in England and France, and a single trial will prove their superiority. The Company supply two qualities only, either Black, Green or Mixed. Their Black Teas will be found to possess great brilliancy and flavour, combined with colour and strength, and to be entirely different to the flat and rapid article usually sold as Black Tea; while their Green Teas are altogether free from the deleterious mineral powder so commonly used for coloring the leaf. PRICES: Rich, full-flavoured Tea for family use a real genuine and fine article, 70 cents per lb. Finest quality procurable, one dollar per lb. The above can be had either Black, Green or Mixed. To be had in packets of Quarter Pound, Half Pound, One Pound and upwards, or in tin canisters of 5 lbs. and upwards. The Company's Agents in all the chief towns of Canada—N. B. The packages are lined with tin foil paper, and the Tea will consequently retain its flavour any length of time. ONSKAVE.—All packages have the Company's trade-mark, without which none are genuine. MR. N. HIGINBOTHAM, Agent, Guelph, Guelph, August 3, 1867. daw-1w

REMOVAL.

THE MISSES ELLIS will continue to carry on the Straw and other Millinery work, at their residence, next to Mr. Pitt's, East Market Square, Guelph, 30th July, 1867. dw

FARM FOR SALE.

FOR sale, in the Township of Caledon, County of Bruce, 100 acres of splendid land, about 35 acres cleared, with log house and stables, being lot No. 24, 14th Concession of the Township of Caledon, 2 1/2 miles from Tresswater, and near the gravel road. There is a fine spring creek running through the lot, and the timber is unsurpassed. It is in one of the finest wheat growing sections of Canada. The soil is limestone and clay loam.—This eligible farm is now offered for the low price of \$1,700, for which a clear deed from the Crown will be given. Address (post-paid), SAMUEL SOFTLEY, Guelph, 26th July, 1867. (4m) Guelph P O

MRS. BUDD'S SCHOOL.

MRS. W. M. BUDD'S pupils will re-assemble on Monday the 19th of August. Music, French and Drawing by first-class teachers. Norfolk-st., Guelph, 1st Aug., 1867. (dw-1m)

To Whom it may Concern.

DO you know that McLAREN is selling Men's, Women's and Children's Boots and Shoes at Wholesale Prices. Call and see, believe. W. McLAREN, Manufacturer and Wholesale Dealer. Guelph, 20th June, 1867.

FRUITS, &c.

MRS. ROBINSON

Has just received at the Dominion Grocery, Fruit and Fancy Store, Ripe Tomatoes, Lettoms, Cherries, &c. Also, a varied stock of General Groceries and Fancy Goods. Don't forget the stand, next-door to the Wellington Hotel, Upper Wyndham Street. Guelph, August 1, 1867. daw

TROTTER & GRAHAM,

DENTISTS!

QUELPH and BRAMPTON, Members of the Dental Association of the Province of Ontario. (Successors in Guelph to T. Trotter.) OFFICE: Over Mr. Higinbotham's Drug Store

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ACADEMY.

The Thirty-Fourth Semi-Annual Session commences on the 15th August.

THIS Institution is better located, more commodious, and presents a more thorough, varied and extensive curriculum of studies than any other private institution in the Dominion, comprising— 1st.—A thorough English Education, including the higher mathematics, with special reference to the wants of first-class Teachers at the present time. 2nd.—A complete Commercial course, affording instruction in the most practical kind in every department of Book-keeping, as Banking, Steamboat and Railroad, Domestic and Foreign Shipping, Insurance, Exchange, Business correspondence, and routine Commercial Law and Arithmetic, Plain and Ornamental Penmanship, &c. 3rd.—A preparatory Classical course for the University or the professions. The best of references given if required. Pupils received at any time during the session. Terms: Tuition, board, and washing, \$30 per annum extra. Send for a Circular. McCAIG & McMILLAN. August 1 1867. daw 1m

DR. GUY'S ENGLISH

CHOLERA REMEDY

IS the only medicine when taken as a specific For Cholera Morbus, Diarrhoea, Dysentery, Colic, &c. Is quick and certain in its action, pleasant to take, and never fails to cure. Don't trust to Pain Killers and other trash, but get a bottle of GUY'S Great English Remedy.

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BOARDING and Day School for

Young Ladies,

CHURCH STREET, - - GUELPH. MISS WIGHTMAN begs to announce that her school will re-open (D. V.) on the 19th of August. Vacancies for two or three boarders.

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TESTIMONIAL.

To Robert Cuthbert, Watchmaker, Wyndham Street, Guelph. If Society was as perfect in its organization, and was as obedient to the dictates of truth as the RUSSELL WATCH I bought from you is in indicating time, evil would be swallowed up in good, and happiness would become monotonous. G. RENNIE, Guelph.

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New Advertisements.

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AS LOW A PRICE AS ANY HOUSE in the TRADE

NO MATTER WHAT THEIR PRETENSIONS MIGHT BE.

Summer Stock of Imported Goods

AT COST PRICE.

COUNTRY MERCHANTS

are invited to call and examine our goods before purchasing elsewhere, as we are prepared to sell Goods at wholesale which, for quality, cannot be excelled.

SUPPORT HOME MANUFACTURE!

And buy your Boots and Shoes from PREST & HEPBURN.

DON'T FORGET THE PLACE.

The Old Penitentiary Boot and Shoe Store!

REPAIRING DONE AS USUAL.

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Guelph, 1st August, 1867. (dw-1y)

THE RUSSELL WATCH!

A FEW REASONS THAT MAKE IT SUPERIOR TO ALL COMERS.

- 1st.—It proves itself a reliable time-keeper beyond all question. 2nd.—The RUSSELL WATCH being made on correct and scientific principles, it must follow as a natural consequence that it will keep time. 3rd.—Each part of which the RUSSELL WATCH is composed is a reflex of the perfect machine by which, under skillful direction, it is produced. 4th.—Truth is the essential of each part. 5th.—Uniformity and conformity must therefore characterize the several parts in fulfilling the purpose for which they are made and brought together. 6th.—Reproduction, as regards watch work, is simply an application of the principle that "things which are equal to the same things are equal to one another," and if there is any merit, the RUSSELL WATCH possesses that merit to a demonstration. 7th.—The greatest variety of price, quality and size, that confidence and perfection will admit, afforded by the RUSSELL WATCH. 8th.—The RUSSELL WATCH stands pre-eminently above all competitors for public favor and patronage. 9th.—Proofs of the foregoing—the universal testimony of all Watchmakers who have sold, and the positive statements of the thousands in Europe, the United States and Canada, who have worn the RUSSELL WATCH.

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