

The Pacific R. R. Committee.

In accordance with his notice respecting Mr. Huntington's motion, Sir John A. Macdonald, on Tuesday last, moved that a committee of five be appointed to enquire into the grave charges contained in Mr. Huntington's motion; and the following members were elected to form the committee:—Messrs. Blake, Dorion, (Napierville), J. H. Cameron, Macdonald, (Picton), and Blanchet. It will be observed that the Government have a majority of one. It will also be seen that the Government members are amongst the most devoted and able of its followers. The representatives of the Opposition are members qualified specially for the duties which will devolve upon them—duties of a most disagreeable and arduous nature, for accepting the responsibility of which Messrs. Blake and Dorion deserve the thanks of the entire country.

The first step in this investigation has now been made; and further developments will be anxiously looked forward to. Every step in the proceedings will be watched with eagerness and jealousy. The issues at stake are of great importance and interest, and any attempt to hinder justice, any difficulties placed in the way of arriving at the exact truth, will only be regarded as a tacit admission of conscious guilt on the part of the accused Ministry.

Immigration Report.

The Minister of Immigration laid his report for the year 1872, before the House a few days since; and we find therefrom, that in 1872 the number of emigrants who came by the St. Lawrence and Quebec, increased from 65,722 in 1871, to 89,186 in 1872, or an increase of 23,464. A large number of these, however, merely passed through on their way to the States.

We find also, that in 1872 the expenses for immigration were nearly double the expenses in 1871. In 1871 the expenses were \$64,706, in 1872 \$126,124. With respect to the expenses connected with quarantine, which show an increase of \$2,666 during the past year, the report states that it is entirely due to the increase in the staff of agents, and the cost of printing and circulating the various publications respecting immigration. In 1872 the amount expended for assisted passages was \$55,873, against \$22,112 in 1871, showing an increase of \$33,761.

In addition to these expenses we find a combined expenditure for immigration purposes, in the four provinces of Ontario, Quebec, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, by the Local Governments, of \$114,616. The expenditure for the same purposes by the Dominion Government was \$150,361; and the aggregate expenditure by the Dominion and Local Governments was \$264,977.

The Mail.—We learn that a meeting of the stockholders of the Toronto Mail was held at Ottawa not long since, at which a resolution strongly condemnatory of the course pursued by the journal towards the Right Hon. R. W. Scott, was unanimously passed, and a copy thereof forwarded to the managing director, who has since seen fit to modify his tone pretty considerably, when speaking of the Hon. Commissioner of Crown Lands. We are also given to understand that the course adopted by the Mail in its dealings with all matters concerning Ottawa, has given much offence, and has greatly estranged the people in that section from the party of which it is the mouthpiece.

A Remarkable Story.

The Newark, N. J., Abolitionist of the 21st ult. remarks: "Now being detained at the second prison station house in this city is a disreputable woman about thirty-seven years of age, whose general appearance, dress, lady-like manners and evident culture, stamp her as a person who has indeed seen better days. A description was made some days ago upon the saloon under Grafton Hall, a place of notorious reputation, and presiding at the piano at the time was the subject of this paragraph. She was taken in custody with the other parties found in the saloon, but when brought before Judge Lambert she protested her innocence of any criminality; and declared that 'Johnny' had driven her to seek employment as a pianist in the city place which, as a stranger, and without any means at hand to prove her respectability, she could expect to obtain it."

Her culture, manner and conversation, her evident sincerity and unaffected dignity of appearance satisfied the Judge that her representations were truthful; and he took pains to separate her as much as possible from disagreeable prison associations, and subsequently drew from her a brief story of her life. She said she was the daughter of Colonel John Hutchinson Gamble, of Garnerville, near Belfast, County Down, Ireland, who formerly commanded the Fortieth Regiment British Infantry, but is now a retired officer living in wealthy ease at the place which bears his name. Several years ago she was married to William Francis Hall, then cashier of the Ulster Bank, at Belfast, the proprietor of a manor of 160 acres of Killyleigh, near Bellef. Soon after their marriage, which was one not wholly approved by her father, her husband attacked himself to a club, and soon became so addicted to gambling and drinking that accumulating debts, and the threat of dismissal from his position, caused him to abscond to this country, where she followed him soon after. He had saved from the wreck of his fortune some \$10,000, but he continued his



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NEW SPRING GOODS!

CHANGE & WILLIAMSON

Are now receiving part of their New Spring and Summer Goods, which will in a few days be complete, and ready for the Spring and Summer Campaign. We are now showing

150 pieces of Scotch Tweeds worth \$1, for 62 1/2 cts;

256 pieces of WHITE COTTON, cannot be sold by any other store in Guelph less than 12 1/2c. We will sell them at 10 cents, over forty inches wide.

75 pieces COLOURED DRESS SILKS, the Choicest Goods ever seen.

We have the best PRINTS in Guelph at 12 1/2 cents-per yard. We have a splendid stock of Dresses, Parasols, Mantles, Hats, Bonnets, Ribbons, Collars, Gloves, &c. the best in Ontario. We have also the

Largest assortment of Gent's Ready-made Clothing, Hats, Caps, Shirts, Collars, Ties, Braces, etc. etc. In Ontario. See new advertisement every week, announcing fresh arrivals per steamers from Britain, via New York and Portland.

CHANGE & WILLIAMSON.

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dissipation and gambling in New York and squalid poverty soon drove them to apartments in a garret.

Then came a struggle for which neither was prepared, and after some weeks of deprivation and goading want, the husband caused their three children to be placed on Ward's Island, and then deserted his wife and fled to Canada, which is the last she has heard of him. Mrs. Hall, being an accomplished musician and quite proficient enough to teach it, sought for employment as a tutor. But she was friendless and without endorsement of any kind. Hence she accepted the distasteful occupation of a saloon pianist, and while in that vocation she was arrested. She claims, however, that she had been but a week in the place, and knew nothing of its reputation. Judge Lambert, believing her representations, has written to her father a detailed account of his daughter's troubles, also to Robert, Herron, of Arlington House, Killyleigh, who is her brother-in-law, and one of the wealthiest men of the County Down.

LATEST FROM HALIFAX.

HALIFAX, April 12.—The steamer Kanaroo, commenced to lay the shore end of the new Atlantic cable, from the cable house at Freshwater, a point near Chatham Head, where it will be buoyed until the arrival of the Great Eastern, which is to lay the main part of the cable.

The following is the latest respecting matters connected with the wreck of the Third officer Brady, who swam ashore with the line from the ship after she struck, and another swim for his life on Thursday. He was stepping on the side of the wreck in the act of stepping into a boat which was waiting for him; a heavy sea washed across the wreck and swept him away. He succeeded in swimming to a boat. The magistrates Ryan and Leonard came to Halifax to report and deliver property and mangled recovered from the persons of the dead. Mr. Ryan handed over to the Collector of Customs all in his possession with list of names. Mr. Leonard retained what he had obtained until after the investigation. The Atlantic Court of Emigration was resumed today. Several local authorities were examined in regard to the current and the precautions used on entering the harbor. The keepers of Sambre and Guebec head lights proved that the lights were burning brightly.

DIED

DIED.—In Guelph, on the 12th inst. Mrs. Daniel Perry, aged 49 years. Friends are respectfully requested to attend her funeral at 11 o'clock, on Tuesday forenoon.

SPRING HARDWARE.

GARDEN TOOLS

Of all kinds, consisting of Garden Spades and Shovels, Garden Hoes and Rakes, Garden Lines, Reels, Edging Knives and Ladies Sets, Lawn Scythes and Lawn Rakes, Seed Sieves, Pruning Knives, Carpet Tacks and Carpet Hammers, Bird Cages, Children's Toys, Toilet Sets, (consisting of Water Jug, Foot Pan and Slop Pail) neatly painted and gilt, Fishing Tackle, (splendid lot), Also just received—a nice lot of Oil Cloth, suitable for halls, dining-rooms, &c. (oil-stain patterns), Also Copon Matting, Mats, &c.

John Horsman,

Hardware Merchant.

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FARM FOR SALE

NEAR GUELPH. There will be sold by PUBLIC AUCTION at the Market House, in Guelph,

On SATURDAY, the 26th day of APRIL, 1873, at 12 o'clock, noon, under the powers of sale in three certain mortgages, made by Robert McArthur, the farm upon which he lives, being composed of Lot No. 2, in the 2nd con. Division E. Township of Guelph, containing 130 acres, more or less; also about 5 acres, being part of lots one and two, in the 1st concession of said division, such nine acres running from the Waterloo Road to the said 100 acres, and forming a roadway to the same. This farm is about a mile and a half from the Market House, Guelph, and comprises about 90 acres cleared, and under cultivation; excellent bank barn and stabling, orchard, &c. Terms for sale made known on application to GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN, Solicitors, Guelph. W. S. G. KNOWLES, Auctioneer, Guelph.

SHORT-HORN BULL "GOOD TEMPLAR" Will serve cows this season on the farm of John Finn, Kenosquin Farm, Waterloo. This bull is a fine specimen of the breed, pedigree—Red and white, 2 years old in August, purchased from the Hon. George Brown; got by Capt. Graham (1863) got by Ben Bessie Bell V. by Mac (1828) 8261; got by Red Bull H. V. Imported Prince of Wales (1822-1830) 1822-26.

New Advertisements.

THE FASHIONABLE WEST END!

MILLINERY AND MANTLE SHOW ROOMS.

A. O. BUCHAM

Desires to inform the Ladies of Guelph that he is now showing in his new, large, and spacious Millinery and Mantle Show Rooms, a full stock of

UNTRIMMED GOODS

In all the New and Popular Styles for the Season.

Also, a magnificent stock of Millinery Materials: Flowers, Feathers, Ribbons, etc. Shawls, Roman Scarfs, Mantles, Jackets.

Ladies are cordially invited to have a look through our Show Rooms. Our opening day will be duly announced.

A. O. BUCHAM,

Fashionable West End Dress, Millinery and Mantle Establishment. Guelph, April 8, 1873 dwy

JAMES CORMACK,

TAILOR and CLOTHIER,

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SPRING IMPORTATIONS!

His stock is now complete in BROADCLOTHS, Fancy COATINGS, Fancy VESTINGS, Fancy TROUSERINGS,

English and Scotch Tweeds; Also, a large and varied stock of

CANADIAN TWEEDS!

READY-MADE CLOTHING BOYS SUITS!

Gent's Furnishing Goods of the best quality and latest styles.

NO. 1 WYNDHAM STREET.

Co-Operative Store.

PROFITS BEING SHARED

The Public who have bought Goods from us during the past three months, and have kept Pass Books, can now draw in Cash 3 cents on every dollar purchased from us.

The dividends are paid every January, April, July and October.

J. C. MACKLIN & Co.

GUELPH, April 4, 1873 dw

FRESH FINNAN HADDIES

RECEIVED TO-DAY.

J. E. McELDERRY

2 DAY'S BLOCK.



HE HAS JUST OPENED

15 CASES

HATS & CAPS

ALL NEW STYLES.

JUST RECEIVED

Pickard's Fruit Store,

ALMA BLOCK,

A LARGE LOT OF

WINDOW PLANTS

Of Choice Selection.

Call and See Them.

W. PICKARD,

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Guelph, April 7, 1873 dw

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NEW

DRUG STORE,

A SUPPLY OF

Walker's Vinegar Bitters,

Piso's Consumption Cure;

—ALSO—

HAUCK'S

Cooking and Heating

SPRIT LAMP!

For heating Baby's Food it has no equal.

Will cook a steak or boil a kettle in from five to ten minutes.

It is invaluable in the Sick Room or Nursery. It produces no smoke or smell. It is perfectly safe, and cannot be exploded.

Requires no wick, therefore no trimming.

Will boil a quart of water at a cost of only one cent.

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A Large Stock of

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Just received ex-steamship Prussian, direct from the Manufacturers.

New Designs,

Beautiful Patterns

UNPRECEDENTED LOW PRICES.

ANDERSON'S

Cheap Bookstore,

Opposite the Old English Church, East Side

WYNDHAM STREET.

50 ACRES OF LAND FOR SALE

IN PUSLINCH.

Northwest Quarter of Lot 27, Con. 1, 8 miles from Guelph, 2 from Morrison or Aberfoyle, and 11 from Brock Road; comfortable house, and large log house, and stables. Will be sold cheap, and on long terms of payment, or town property will be taken in exchange. Apply through Guelph Post Office, box 101, or to Messrs. Hart & Spicer, Guelph.

FOR SALE: MORRISTON HOTEL.

For sale, that well-known old established and popular house, known as the Morrison Hotel, in the Village of Morrison, on the Brock Road, 2 miles from Guelph, and 18 from Hamilton. It is a substantial stone and frame building, containing all the necessary accommodations for doing a large business. Attached to it are also commodious stables and driving shed, hard and soft water, and everything complete. There is a large garden belonging to the hotel, also a good ice house, and a Fairbank scale for the use of the public.

The purchaser can have the furniture, bar-room fittings, liquors, and all other appurtenances belonging to the house at a valuation, or on such terms as may be agreed upon.

The hotel is situated in the heart of a thriving village, and fine farming country surrounding. It is also the leading hotel on the Brock Road between Guelph and Hamilton, and has enjoyed for many years a large and remunerative business. The present proprietor is giving up solely on account of ill health.

For terms and other particulars apply to the undersigned, the proprietor, on the premises, or by letter post-paid, to Morrison.

EDWARD TYRRELL, Morrison. April 12, 1873. dwyt

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New and Splendid Stock

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No trouble to show Paper, whether you want to buy or not.

DAY'S BOOKSTORE.

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TOWN OF GUELPH.

TENDERS

Will be received at the Clerk's Office up to noon

On Saturday, 19th inst.

For the Building Material in the ruins of St. George's Church, and for the old School House upon St. George's Square. Material to be removed by the 1st of June and 1st of July.

SEPARATE TENDERS

For the taking down and removal of the said Building Material to the Market Square or other convenient place. Further particulars can be obtained at my office.

JOHN HARVEY, Town Clerk. Guelph, April 9th, 1873. dw

DRESS AND MANTLE MAKING, &c.

Mrs. Bowers

begs to inform the inhabitants of Guelph that she is prepared to do Dress and Mantle Making, Stamping, Braiding, Straw and Felt Millinery. Bonnets and Hats made over in the latest styles. Also, Cutting and Fitting. A large assortment of Ladies and Children's Patterns of the latest styles always on hand for sale.

Gentlemen's Felt Hats made over. All work done at moderate prices. Residence—The house known as Martin's Academy, opposite Mills & Goodfellow's Foundry. Guelph, March 21, 1873. dwm

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