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PRICE ONE PENNY

HALIFAX HOTEL,
HOLLIS STREET, HALIFAX, N.S.
THIS is the largest and most commodious in the city of Halifax, and being centrally situated will be found most convenient for business men and tourists.

DOMINION HOTEL,
GUELPH.
JOHN BUNYAN begs to inform his friends and the public that he has leased the above Hotel in the BRICK HOUSE, MACDONNELL ST., a few doors above Hignolman's Drug Store, and immediately opposite Messrs. Sharpe's Seedstore. There is a good stable attached to the house, with good and commodious stabling. Every attention will be paid to customers in order to secure their comfort and convenience. The best of liquors and cigars always kept at hand. Good accommodation for Boarders by the week at reasonable rates. Guelph, July 15th. dwlv

AMERICAN HOUSE,
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The largest first-class Hotel in New England, offers to Tourists, Families and the travelling public, accommodations and conveniences superior to any other hotel in the city. During the past season additions have been made of numerous suits of apartments, with bathing rooms, water closets, &c., attached; one of Tutts' magnificent passenger elevators, the best ever constructed, conveys guests to the upper story of the house in one minute; the entries have been newly and richly carpeted, and the entire house thoroughly re-plastered and furnished, making it in all its appointments, equal to any hotel in the country.—Telegraph Office, Billiard Rooms and Cafe on the first floor. Aug 18 do 6m LEWIS RICE & SON, Prop'rs

CANADA HOUSE,
CALEDONIA SPRINGS,
Near L'Orignal, on the Ottawa, County of Prescott, Ontario.—By F. GIANELLI.
THIS elegant and fashionable first-class Hotel, with accommodation of a superior order for over two hundred persons, will be open for the reception of visitors on the 1st of June next. The House is fitted up in the first style, and is replete with every accessory demanded by modern ideas of comfort and convenience. The Halls and Lobbies are spacious, the Public Rooms for Ladies and Gentlemen elegantly furnished, the Private Apartments comfortable and convenient, all lofty and well ventilated, and newly furnished in a handsome manner. The Hot and Cold Baths are very numerous, in a wing specially arranged for them, and constantly supplied with the Mineral Waters from the Springs, by costly steam pumping engines. To meet the requirements of all, without interfering with the repose of any, the arrangements for in-door amusements are confined to a separate building, especially erected for the purpose, containing a spacious Bill Room, Billiard Room, Bowling Alley, and other recreations. The Saline, White Sulphur, and Gas Springs are but fifty yards from the house. Charges uniformly moderate. For further information, please address A. M. P. GIANELLI, Proprietor, Montreal.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.
N. CROFT
WOULD inform his friends and the general public that he has opened a shop in his old premises, on

CHURCH STREET,
Two doors West of Deady's Hotel,
Where he is prepared to make up Gentlemen's Garments in the newest style.

CUTTING DONE ON SHORT NOTICE.
Agent for the best Sewing Machines.
N. CROFT, Church-st.
Guelph, 11th September. d

A NEW VOLUME OF MUSIC
For the Young Folks, entitled
THE GOLDEN ROBIN
CONTAINING:
I. Musical Notation. II. Rhymes and Exercises adapted to Physical Action. III. Songs for All Occasions. IV. Sacred Pieces.

By W. O. PERKINS, author of "The Nightingale," "Sabbath School Trumpet," &c.
The whole forming a most attractive Music Book for Juvenile Classes, Schools and Seminars, and that cannot fail to be admired by all Teachers and Scholars. Price 50c. Sent post-paid.

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Wholesale and Retail at
A. H. R. KENNEDY'S
FLOUR AND FEED STORE,
UPPER WYNDHAM-ST., GUELPH
Guelph July 24. dw-tf

LAMPS, LAMPS!
JUST OPENED OUT AT
PETRIE'S
DRUG STORE
Old Post Office Building, Wyndham-St.

A Large Assortment of COAL OIL LAMPS, all sizes and kinds, will be sold CHEAP.

No. 1 COAL OIL.
A supply of No. 1 COAL OIL KEPT CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

A. B. PETRIE, Druggist.
Guelph, September 25th. dw

Canada Clothing Store!
WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH.
GREAT BARGAINS
Positively selling off at
20 PER CENT BELOW COST

COUNTRY Merchants and Tailors are particularly invited to inspect the stock of CLOTHING, TRIMMINGS, &c., which for quality and cheapness cannot be equalled in the Dominion. We challenge competition.
A number of first-class Sewing Machines for sale at from \$10 to \$45, in good working order. Call before purchasing elsewhere and get a bargain.
RICHARD JAINLEY,
Guelph 29th July. dw

Singing and Pianoforte.
MISS L. RHEMMIE begs to announce to the Ladies of Guelph and vicinity that she will be ready to receive pupils for the above accomplishments on the 15th of SEPTEMBER, 1868, at her residence, Waterloo Road.
Guelph, Sept. 11th, 1868. do tf

DANCING CLASSES.
THE MISSES RHEMMIE beg to announce that, in addition to the other branches of education, they are prepared to open classes for Dancing on THURSDAY, 1st October, at their establishment, Waterloo Road. Afternoon class at 3 o'clock. Evening class at 7.
Guelph, Sept. 20th, 1868. do tf

CLARK'S Music Store.
BLANK BOOKS, STATIONERY, and SCHOOL BOOKS, CHEAP.
At Clark's Music Store.

NEW WRITING & COPYING INK
Superior to Stephens'. At CLARK'S MUSIC STORE, Market Square. Guelph, September 10th. dw

10, C. & T. MEREDITH.
GOOD DRAWING TEA, For 50 cents, worth 65 cents
VERY CHOICE HYSON, For 75 cents, worth 87 cents
Very best GREEN or BLACK, For one dollar.

All kinds of GROCERIES at very Low Rates.
China, Crockery & Glassware—A very large stock now on hand. Call and see. N.B.—The Stock of the Canada Clothing Store is going off at Great Bargains, so as to clear out the premises for C. & T. M.'s Immense Fall Stock.
Guelph, September 23rd. d

R. J. JEANNERET,
From England,
Established in London, Ont., 1842 and in Guelph 1863.)

WORKING WATCHMAKER AND JEWELER
DAYS' BLOCK,
Opposite the Market Guelph.

A GOOD Assortment of the Best English and Swiss Lever Watches of Reference can be made to respectable persons who have carried his Watches from one to twenty-five years each. Guelph, September 9th. dw

18 FALL IMPORTATIONS. 68
Wools, FANCY GOODS TOYS, &c.
JUST ARRIVED, an Immense Stock of Berlin, Zephyr, Saxony, Andalusian, Lady-Betty, and Fancy Wools. English, Scotch and American

A Splendid Assortment of Braids, Frillings, Ribbons, and General Fancy Goods. A great variety of Slippers and Slipper Patterns Ottomans, &c.

JET and RUBBER GOODS.
Juvenile Clothing always on hand and made to order.
Stamping for Braiding and Embroidery from the Latest Designs.

J. HUNTER,
Opposite the English Church, Wyndham-St Guelph, September 12th. dw

TROTTER'S
Canadian Dentifrice
IS recommended by the following first-class Dentists as the best preparation for cleansing, whitening and preserving the teeth: B. W. DAY M. D., L. D. S., Pres. of the Dental Association; W. C. Adams, L. D. S., Toronto; J. O'Donnell, Secretary, Dental Association; L. Lemon, L. D. S., St. Catharines; D. A. Bogart, L. D. S., Hamilton; J. W. Elliott Toronto.
Price 25c. per box. For sale by all Druggists.
Guelph, June 22. daw 6m

DOMINION LIVERY STABLE
GUELPH, ONTARIO.

H. MARRIOTT
BEGS to inform the citizens of Guelph and the travelling public that he has started a Livery Stable next door to Mr. W. Armstrong's Blacksmith's Shop, Macdonnell Street, where he can supply
Saddle Horses, Horses and Buggies Commercial Waggon
At the shortest notice. Also, a large
PLEASURE WAGGON!
FOR PIC-NICS.
Guelph, 19th June. do 6m

NO RESERVE. Auction Sale.
IMPORTANT
W. S. G. KNOWLES has been instructed by the subscriber to sell by Public Auction, at his farm near Guelph,
ON FRIDAY THE 30th OCTOBER,
At twelve o'clock, noon, the whole of his valuable Stock and Implements:—2 horses, 2 mares (6 and 8 years old) in foal to "St. Lawrence," 1 one year colt and a foal by the same Horse, 2 grade cows, Durham, steer, 1 Galloway heifer, 15 pigs (Essex and Berkshire breeds). 1 iron-axe wagon, 1 box do., 2 ploughs, 3 harrows, 3 scufflers, prize cultivator, 1 pair double-mould-board plough made by Thain, 1 turnip sower, 1 roller, 1 stone cast, 1 new furnace, 2 hay racks, 2 sheep racks, 1 fanning mill, hay and manure forks, harness, and numerous other articles. There will be no reserve, as the proprietor wishes to close his business and leave the Province.
TERMS—Sums of \$20 and under, Cash; over that sum, 12 months' Credit will be given on approved endorsed Notes, or 10 per cent allowed off for cash.
HAY, STRAW, TURNIPS—Also, will be sold 7 acres of Turnips that cannot be surpassed in the country, besides a quantity of Hay and Straw, if not previously disposed of. Terms—3 Months' bankable paper, or 10 per cent per annum for cash.
AN EXCELLENT FARM—The Farm will be offered for sale the same day, if not previously disposed of. Terms made known at the time of sale.
JAMES O'NEIL, Proprietor, Anglo-American Hotel, Guelph, October 5th. dtdw3t

MORTGAGE SALE!
OF PROPERTY NEAR THE GRAND TRUNK AND GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY STATION, IN GUELPH.
One and a-third Acres. TITLE INDISPUTABLE.
On Monday, October 12,
At noon, at the Town Hall, Guelph, under a Power of Sale contained in a Mortgage.
The said property being adjacent to what is commonly called the Hockin Co. property, with Coopers and buildings thereon. A railway track connects the property with the Grand Trunk Railway. The same composed of a part of the block land on the south side of Crinia Street, Schofield's Survey for Mr. Gault, commencing at the intersection of the south-easterly side of said street, thence north sixty-two degrees twenty-eight minutes, east along Crinia Street 3 chains and 60 links; thence at right angles with Crinia Street, 3 chains and 50 links to the Grand Trunk Railway; thence along the boundary of the said railway to the east side of Cathcart Place; thence along the same 3 chains and 50 links to the place of beginning.

TERMS—One-fourth cash, balance by approved note or mortgage in 12 months with interest. For further particulars apply to
LEMON & PETERSON, Vendors' Solicitors, Or to W. S. G. KNOWLES, Auctioneer. Guelph, Oct. 9. dtd

THE MAGAZINES ENGLISH MAGAZINES
FOR OCTOBER, AT DAYS' Bookstore, Guelph.

Sunday Magazine, Good Words, British Friend, Sunday at Home, All the Year Round, Kind Words, Leisure Hour, Young Ladies' Journal, Chambers' Journal.
Guelph, Oct. 9. daw tf

CASTLE GARDEN SALOON
MARKET SQUARE
GUELPH, ONT.
THE Subscriber begs to inform the public that he has leased the above premises for a term of years, and has refitted it in a very superior and substantial manner, and hopes to share a portion of the patronage of the public.

THE BAR
will be supplied with the best
Wines, Liquors & Cigars
And the table with all the delicacies of the season. In fact no expense will be spared to make it a first-class establishment.
LUNCHEON!
Every day from 1 to 3 o'clock.
Etc. Dinner and Supper parties provided, shot notice, at reasonable charges.
JOHN MILLER, Proprietor.
Late of the Commercial Hotel, Whitty
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.
Guelph Jan. 25, 1863. do

Insolvent Act of 1864-65
In the matter of JAMES CHRISTIE, of STOCK OF DRY GOODS AND GROCERIES FOR SALE.—Tenders for the Stock of the above named Insolvent, at so much in the dollar, will be received by me until Wednesday, the 14th of October, 1868. The stock amounts to about \$5,000, in a good order, and can be seen on the premises by applying to Mr. Wm. Watson, at Biggar's Hotel, Elora.
JOHN KERR, Official Assignee. Dated at Toronto, 28th September, 1868. dsw

TAKE NOTICE.
ALL overdue accounts must be settled by the 1st November, otherwise they will be put in suit for collection.
ROBERT RUTHERFORD.
Guelph, October 7th. dw-tf

WANTED.
A YOUNG, active Man, capable of doing all kinds of farm work, who can manage horses and oxen, and can do butcher work. Civility and willingness indispensable. Apply at the Mercury Office.
Guelph, October 16. dtdw3t

Evening Mercury.
OFFICE:.....MACDONNELL STREET
MONDAY EVENING, OCT. 12, 1868.

Local News.
During the past month there have been no less than thirty-seven incendiaries in Montreal.

The Guelph Lacrosse Club went up to Elora to-day to play a match with the club of that village.

A young man was let off at the late assizes at Stratford with \$300 damages for having seduced his cousin.

Enthusiastic Nova Scotians are doing up the Inverness election in poetry. The muse is getting the worst of it.

An African Princess is looking for her son in Brooklyn. At last accounts he was an artist in the whitewash line.

On Saturday afternoon the roof of the new registry office in St. Catharines gave way, and two men were injured, one of them seriously.

Efforts are being made to form a company for the purpose of laying a submarine cable from Peterhead, Scotland, to Norway. The distance is 480 miles.

Two New Haven men, one a Republican and the other a Democrat, have backed their respective candidates for the Presidency, the loser to walk to New York.

Some boys at Mandam station were amusing themselves pushing empty cars, when one of them was caught between two of the cars and his head so injured that he died a few minutes after.

NORMANBY RAILWAY BY-LAW.—The Normanby by-law, granting \$50,000 aid to the Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railway via Harriston or Mount Forest, was carried on Saturday by a majority of 387.

It is stated that the Toronto University has over sixty fresh men this term; Trinity College will have about twenty; and a report is in existence that the Victoria College, at Cobourg, will be removed to Toronto.

HELP IN THE DISTANCE.—We beg to acknowledge the receipt of a copy of a short story bearing the above title, the author of which is J. W. Griffith, Esq., M.D., of Salem. It is a very pleasing little tale, and very creditable to the doctor's imaginative powers.

The annual meeting in connection with the Sabbath School of the Presbyterian congregation in Glenallan, was held in the church on Saturday week. There was a bountiful supply of the good things of this life, some addresses, and some singing by the children.

A man named McCaffrey was arrested in Stratford for cursing the Queen last 25th of May and held to bail. His trial came off at the assizes the other day, and while two witnesses swore that he cursed Her Majesty, ten swore that he only cursed the soldiers. He was found not guilty.

Within the last month there have been two very extensive incendiary fires in the neighborhood of Durham. One was the grist mill and distillery of Mr. G. Privat, in Normanby, and the other the barn of Mr. Thos. Sirr, Egremont, which contained all this year's crop and some valuable implements.

The cultivation of hops seems to be making considerable progress in the Lower Provinces. The St. John's Telegraph learns that a Mr. Smith, of Shediac, picked from four acres 2,300 bushels of a superior quality. It is thought that the profit of the crop this year will be \$1,500.

The Meaford Monitor states that a disease which generally proves fatal, has made its appearance among the horses in that township—nine having within a few weeks died in the neighborhood. If discovered in time, and bleeding resorted to, the horse may be saved. The lights of those that have died, when opened have been found distended with clots of blood.

PASSED CREDITABLY.—At the matriculation examination of the Toronto University, Thomas Smellie, son of Rev. G. Smellie, Fergus, and Abraham Groves, son of Mr. A. Groves, Garafaxa, both pupils of Mr. Miner, in the Fergus Grammar School, passed creditably, the former in the Arts department, and the latter in the Medical department. We also learn that John Black, Dugald Stewart, John Goldie and John Wilkie, from the Guelph Grammar School passed the matriculation examination very creditably, each standing very high in the department in which they were examined. There were no less than 55 pupils sent up for examination, 33 of whom were "plucked." The Guelph pupils ranked next to those from the Upper Canada College.

A NEW PROFESSION.—A man applied lately in France for employment in a government office, complaining that his present occupation did not remunerate him sufficiently. "What are you doing now?" "I am playing the people." "What do you mean?" "When the Emperor goes out I represent the people, I am paid for crying, *Vive l'Empereur!*; but he either keeps too much at home, or is travelling; that makes the times very dull. I want to change office."

THE CANADIAN PONTIFICAL ZOUAVES.—A recent letter from Rome says that a party of Canadian Zouaves had marched 75 miles in five days, carrying full equipments; that Zouave Tetu, of Quebec, had been promoted to the rank of Corporal; and Schiller and Leblance, of Montreal, made Lance-Corporals. The Zouaves shortly expected to be brought into active service. A large number of auspicious omens had appeared on the frontier, and reinforcements had been called for.

The dethroned Queen of Spain is about to take refuge with His Holiness in Rome, where there are other royal members of the same Bourbon family who, in consequence of a somewhat unpleasant feeling between them and their former subjects, have found it expedient to take up their residence in the holy city. A month or two ago Isabella, in the instance of her husband, offered to send 30,000 troops to Rome to protect the Pope against all his enemies and enable him to hold therein more tightly over his unfortunate Roman subjects. What a commentary it is upon the vanity of rulers that the Sovereign who made this disgraceful offer is now flying for refuge to the weak occupant of the tottering chair of St. Peter.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.—The convention, which met in St. Catharines on Tuesday, elected the following officers:—President, D. W. Beadle, St. Catharines; Treasurer, Hon. J. McMurray, Toronto. General Secretary—Rev. M. Millard, Toronto. Minute Secretaries, Rev. A. Sutherland, Yorkville; Geo. Bell, Clifton; J. Wood, Brantford; H. E. Parsons, Toronto; S. S. Martin, Toronto. Vice-Presidents, Hon. J. B. Benson, St. Catharines; John Paton, Kingston; Ryan Holden, M. D., Belleville; Rev. E. H. Marling, Toronto; Rev. John Alexander, Montreal; John Macdonald, Toronto; Rev. Dr. Crocker, Toronto; R. J. Walker, Toronto; Rev. Dr. Richardson, Toronto; E. N. Thomas, County of Ontario.

PUSHING THEIR WAY.—At the annual dinner of the Tipperary Union Farming Society, among the usual toasts proposed was one to "The Ladies." Mr. C. Bayley rose to respond, but some one in the ladies' gallery, dressed in the haughtiest style, rose and said, "Sit down, sir," and "I lay did so." The lady continued standing, fanning herself, and made a very humorous speech, hoping that there would be a prize for the best husband who minded what his wife said to him (laughter), and the best wife who insisted on her rights (laughter). The gentlemen she continued, looked well to be eating and drinking all the evening, and complimenting one another, and leaving the ladies without a bit or sup (cheers). This ought to be remedied next year.

THE ORGAN QUESTION.—The organ question was again up before the Montreal Presbytery of the Canada Presbyterian Church, on Wednesday, and was decided against Knox's Church by a vote of eleven to nine. Dr. Irvine dissents from the finding of the presbytery—first, on the ground of injustice and partiality. He said, "It is well known, having been often stated in this court, not as a matter of rumor, but as a matter of fact, that instrumental music is being used in other congregations within the bounds, yet this presbytery have never taken any cognizance thereof, but persistently singled out and subjected the congregation of Knox's Church to grievous and vexatious annoyances—annoyances which many of them think amount virtually to persecution. They are of opinion, as I am, that if the use of instrumental aid be a sin in Knox's Church, it must also be so in any other Church within the bounds; and as murder is murder, whether committed in a garret or in a cellar, so what is sinful in a gallery cannot be holy in a lecture room. Secondly, I do so on the ground of incompetency. You, as a Presbytery, have already placed this matter, by reference, in the hands of the Synod, and they have never recommitted to you. If you have therefore a right to take it out of the hands of the Synod, then the kirk session of Knox's Church have an equal right to take it out of yours."

"NEW DOMINION" FOR OCTOBER.—The first number of the New Volume opens with a Portrait of the lamented Dr. Fulford, which, with the biographical sketch, is of mournful interest new to the many friends of the late Metropolitan of Canada. "Annals of the Camp," with its humorous illustrations, carries us away from the smoky city on a pleasant jaunt through the glorious autumn woods, and all who read will enjoy the excursion. J. A. Bell, of Halifax, contributes a short poem, "The fisherman of Chebucto Bay." As companion pictures and pleasant memories of the past season, we have "A Summer Night," by an Ottawa friend, and "A Summer Storm," by W. H. Withrow, of Toronto. Another Nova Scotian, J. G. Bourinot, commences "Some Stories of a Lost Tribe,"—a record of the poor Boobies of Newfoundland. "The Crucible" is continued through a couple of chapters, but not yet concluded. "Covey Hill," though but little known, is another point of attraction in the splendid scenery of the Dominion, and should entice many a visit from the city. "The Expulsion of the Acadians" is a prose sketch of the act of governmental injustice, on which Longfellow founded his *Changeling*. Thomas Widd, in a third article, gives us a further insight into the hidden—almost mysterious—life of the deaf-mute. "October Leaves," by James Betts. The "Young Folks" department is the best number yet: Mrs. Campbell's "Better than Gold," "Susie's Birthday," "anecdotes," selections, "Johnnie's Treasure," "Puzzle for the Children," "Fred and Fannie in Italy," "Singing School for Birds," "The Persevering Boy," will delight the children. Lots of recipes are given in the "Domestic Economy." "Animal Intelligence," "Daisy's Lessons," "A Plea for the English Language," "Where is It," "The Leipzig Fair," "A Tropical Fruit," "Yeddie's First and Last Sacrament," complete the selections. "The Fountain," a pretty new song by Mr. Warren, and "Nearer Home," are the musical selections. For sale at the bookstores, or to be had of the publishers, John Douglass & Son, Montreal, for \$1 per annum.

BY TELEGRAPH
Despatches to the Evening Mercury.

Madrid, Oct. 10.—The United States Minister had a cordial interview with Serrano to-day, and notified him of the probable recognition of the United States after a lapse of one year.

Florence, Oct. 10.—The Italian government has officially recognized the Jaures Government in Mexico.

London, Oct. 11.—Mr. Gladstone's address to the electors of South Lancashire is praised by the Liberal organs, who contrast its frank and positive tone with the vague and negative utterances of Mr. Disraeli. The Tory journals do not take up the "No Popery" cry of the premier, but rest the claims of that party on the Parliamentary canvass, on the brilliant Foreign policy of the Ministry, the success of the Abyssinian war, the necessity for the defence of the Church of England from the dangers with which she is menaced, and the maintenance of the strictest economy in the public expenditures. On the latter point, however, they are sharply assailed by the Whigs, who point out the wide discrepancy which exists between the precepts and practices of the party in power.

The Chinese Embassy are making progress in their preliminary arrangements for negotiating with the British Government. It is reported that Mr. Burlingame finds Lord Stanley is not unfriendly to the policy proposed by China, and that he is ready to treat the question on the broad grounds of civilization rather than from the purely English point of view urged by the London Times. It is understood that the ambassadors will be received by Queen Victoria on the 20th of the present month, after which they will make a visit to Paris.

Paris, Oct. 11.—The reference to Schleswig made by the King of Denmark in his speech at the opening of Rigsdag induces semi-official journals here to declare that France is pledged to a treaty of Prague and that Prussia must not depart from the obligations of that compact. The fears of a European war have abated. The Press, however, says that the armories of France were never busier than at present.

Madrid, 10th.—The local Junta at Seville, at the request of the United States Consul has granted permission to the foreign residents to build Protestant churches within the walls of the city. Don Rivero has been appointed Mayor of Madrid.

MADRID, Oct. 10.—The Provisional Junta has issued a circular invoking all the Spanish officials and citizens to join in preserving order, and thus proving that the revolution just accomplished means not violence but peace and justice. The elections for the members of the Cortes have been fixed for the 15th of November. Olozaga has left Paris for this city. John P. Hale, the American Minister, has waited on Serrano and congratulated him. Gonzales Bravo, secretary, was mobbed yesterday and badly hurt. Gen. Prim came upon the ground and made a speech to the troops. He deplored any act of violence. He said the people could now afford to forget the wrongs of the former servants of the Crown.

The Provisional Junta has issued a programme guaranteeing many reforms. Among them are administrative decentralization, universal suffrage, religious liberty, freedom of the press, right of public assemblage, radical changes in the system of education, right of trial by jury, and equality of all men before the law. Judges of Courts are to be appointed for life. The leaders of the Junta at Madrid are Monarchical in their preferences, but have agreed to accept a Republic, if the people so pronounce at the elections.

American Despatches.
Effect of the Spanish Insurrection in Havana.
HAVANA, Oct. 10.
Though the people have been informed of the progress of events in Spain there has been no political manifestation. Everything is quiet.

Earthquake Continued in Peru.
NEW YORK, Oct. 10.
South American advices up to the 10th of September have been received. The earthquake still continued on the southern coast of Peru, but caused no further damage. Six thousand houses were destroyed by the previous shock in Arequipa, which would cost \$40,000,000 to rebuild. Provisions have been received all along the coast, and the sufferers are abundantly supplied.

At Iquique 167,000 quintals of saltpetre were washed away by the sea. The yellow fever has appeared in Peru.

Steamship Arrived.
NEW YORK, Oct. 10.
The steamship City of London from Liverpool has arrived.

Damage to the Erie Canal.
ALBANY, Oct. 10.
The bottom has gone out of the five mile level of the Erie canal, east of St. Johnsville.

THE GUELPH POLICE COURT.
Before T. W. Saunders, Esq., Police Magistrate
MONDAY 12th.—Matthew Ellison was up this morning for being drunk. The Chief Constable arrested him on the street yesterday while he was making one of his usual attempts to get up a row. Fined \$1 and costs, which he paid.

THE MCGEE MURDER.—Ball for Ewright and Murphy was furnished on 8th yesterday, and they were liberated from jail the same afternoon.

JUDICIAL DEPRESS.—An interesting commercial case came before the Queen's Bench on Wednesday. Mr. McOwan and three of his employees were charged with conspiring to defraud his creditors in 1866, be secreting away a portion of the estate. The case occupied the whole day, and resulted in the acquittal of defendants. Judge Badgley presided. He is so deaf lawyers cavil at each other in the most unseemly manner. Mr. Cartier who prosecuted, at one time put his finger to his nose at Mr. B. Delvin, counsel for defendants. A general laugh followed, when the judge not knowing the cause, pointed to the reporters and asked what they were grinning at. This caused increased merriment.—Free Press.