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## Business Cards.

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

**AUSTIN C. CHADWICK**, Barrister and Attorney at Law, Solicitor in Chancery, Conveyancer, &c. 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

**OLIVER, MACDONALD & OSLER**, Barristers and Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitors, Notaries Public, &c. Office-Corner of Wyndham and Quebec Streets, up stairs, Guelph, Ont. dw

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

**WILLIAM J. PATERSON**, Official Assessee for the County of Wellington. Office—Opposite Town Hall, Guelph. dw

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

**DR. BROOK**, Office and Residence Directly opposite Chalmers' Church, QUEBEC STREET. d

**JOHN KIRKHAM**, Silver Plater and Brass Finisher. All orders promptly attended to. Shop—Opposite Chalmers' Church, Quebec Street, Guelph. dw

**F. STURDY**, House, Sign, & Ornamental Painter. GAINER and PAPER-HANGER. Shop next to the Wellington Hotel, Wyndham Street, Guelph. dw

**CASH FOR WOOL, HIDES, SHEEP-SKINS, CALF SKINS, and WOVEN PICKINGS.** The highest market price paid for the above at No. 4, Gore on Street, Day's Old Block, Guelph. Plasterers Hairdresses and all hand for sale. W. WILSON & BISHOP, Guelph, April 19, D. 2. dw

**MR. A. T. HEATHFIELD**, Organist and Teacher of Music. Is now prepared, and will be happy to receive pupils for instruction in Music, both Vocal and Instrumental, Piano, Organ, Harmonium, Violin, also in Harmony and Composition. References kindly permitted to the Rev. Canon Brent, Newcastle; Samuel Wilcox, Esq., Newcastle; and Mrs. Judge Boucher, Cobourg. For terms and particulars apply to Mr. Heathfield, Norfolk Street, opposite the New Baptist Church. d

**PRIZE DENTISTRY.** DR. ROBERT CAMPBELL, Licentiate of Dental Surgery. Established 1864. Office next door to "Advertiser" Office, Wyndham-st., Guelph. Residence opposite Mr. Bonit's Factory, Quebec Street. Teeth extracted without pain. References, Drs. Clarke, Tuck, McGee, Herod, McGregor, and Cowan, Guelph. Drs. Buchanan and Phillips, Toronto. Drs. Elliot & Myers, Dentists, Toronto. dw

**W. M. FOSTER, L. D. S.,** Surgeon Dentist, GUELPH. Office over E. Harvey & Co's Drug Store, Corner of Wyndham and Macdonell-sts., Guelph. Nitrous Oxide (laughing gas) administered for the extraction of teeth without pain, which is perfectly safe and reliable. References kindly permitted to Drs. Herod, Clarke, Tuck, McGee, Keating, Cowan and McGregor, Guelph; W. K. Graham, Dentist, Brantford. dw

**QUELPH PUMP FACTORY.** The undersigned begs to inform the public that he has now fitted up his new shop in the most complete manner, and has on hand a large stock of Pump timber. He is prepared to make to order, and furnish on the shortest notice, pumps of superior quality of all kinds. Having had long experience in the trade he feels sure that he can turn out work to the satisfaction of the public. All orders for pumps or repairs promptly attended to. Remember the factory, on the banks of the Speed, near the Exchange Bridge, and directly opposite the new English Church. Guelph, Aug 12th 1872. STOVELL, dw

**GAS FITTING** AND STEAM FITTING Done in the best style and most workmanlike manner

**AT HOWARD'S** All Kinds of Fixtures made to order on the Shortest Notice. Changing Pipes, &c. or Repairs Done on the shortest notice. (dw)

**NEW FANCY STORE,** Upper Wyndham Street, Next door to Mr. Naimist's. Mrs. WINSTANLEY

Begs to inform her friends and the public that she has opened a Fancy Store on Upper Wyndham Street, where she will constantly have on hand a variety of Trimmings, Berlin Wool, Needles, Pins, Tapes, Chignons, Writing Paper, Envelopes, &c. etc.

Mrs. Winstanley has also opened a Registry Office for Servants AND A LENDING LIBRARY. Guelph, May 27, 1872. dw

## New Advertisements.

**APARTMENTS TO LET.** Enquire at this office.

**TO LET**—Two rooms and kitchen, being part of a property already occupied. Apply at Day's Bookstore, 24 St. d

**CHARVER & HATHERLY**, Contractors, Well sinkers and General Jobbers, Excavations of all kinds undertaken by the day or job. dw

**QUELPH RACES.**—The Refreshment Booths on the Guelph Race Course will be sold by Public Auction on SATURDAY, the 21st inst. at 3 p.m., on the Ground, Terms Cash. W. A. BOOKLESS, Sec. dw

**ITALIAN BEES.** For sale, a few stocks of Italian Bees with pure queens. Apply to P. H. Gibbs, near the Pontiac Bridge. Guelph, Sept. 4, 1872. dw

**STOREHOUSE TO LET**—On Switch connecting Grand Trunk and Great Western R. R. Capacity 12,000 bushels, with horse-power Elevator. Apply to John McCrea. Guelph, 18th September, 1872. dw

**TWO STONE MASONS AND LIME BURNERS.** The undersigned offers for sale his valuable limestone quarry in one or more parcels to suit purchasers. Terms easy. HENRY HATCHER, Guelph, 18th September, 1872. dw

**FOUND STOLEN OR STRAYED**—Strayed from the subscriber's premises on the 1st inst., a Red and White Cow, with white face. Any one returning the same, or giving such information as will lead to her recovery will be suitably rewarded. JOHN COUGHLIN, Union Hotel, Guelph, Sept. 5. dw

**DESIRABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.**—The Cottage on Arznoth street, adjoining Mr. Marriot's residence, near Mr. Raymond's Sewing Machine Factory, with one-fifth of an acre of land, 80 feet frontage. Room for another building, or tennis court, on the premises to G. C. Ward, or to Messrs. Hart & Speyer, Land Agents, Guelph, Aug. 20, 1872. dw

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS.** Persons having claims against the estate of John Stewart, late of Guelph, produce merchant, deceased, are notified to send full particulars of the same to his executors, A. Mackenzie and Edward Osborne, or to Guthrie, Watt & Cutten, Solicitors, Guelph, and all persons indebted to the estate are required to pay the amount of their indebtedness at once to either of the same parties. Dated 11th September, 1872. dw

**LECTURE.** T. H. Dunn, of Pennsylvania, Will lecture in the TOWN HALL, On Sunday next, Sept. 22nd, at 3 O'CLOCK, P.M. Subject:—The Religion of the 19th Century antagonistic and subversive of the Christianity taught by Jesus and the Apostles. Admission Free. No collection. The clergy cordially invited.

**INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869.** In the matter of JAMES T. MITCHELL and ADAM CLARK MCELROY, of the Town of Guelph, trading under the style and firm of Mitchell & McElroy, merchants, Insolvents. The Insolvents have made an assignment of their estate to me, and the Creditors are notified to meet at their office in Guelph on Tuesday, the 1st day of October, at ten o'clock, a.m., to receive statements of their affairs, and to appoint an assignee. W. J. PATERSON, Interim Assignee. Dated at Guelph this 12th day of September, 1872. dw

**LONDON Commercial College AND TELEGRAPHIC INSTITUTE.** The oldest and most practical business school in Great Britain, teaching all the branches of actual business transactions. Plain and ornamental penmanship, Business Correspondence, Telegraphy and Phonography, Business Arithmetic, mental and commercial, all taught in the most careful manner. The great superiority of our system of training has ensured us continued success, and enabled us to supply the wants of all institutions. A Business Education has become a necessity of the age. There are 20 Book-keepers, 20 Telegraph Operators, 20 Short-hand Writers needed 20 days, where one of each would have sufficed a few years ago. Send for circular. JONES & CO. London, Sept. 11, 1872. dw

**CAUTION.** The Cornwall Manufacturing Company have pleasure in intimating the complete restoration of their works at Cornwall which are now in full operation, producing large quantities of White and Grey Blankets, and Heavy Medium Class Tweeds. They regret, however, having again to call attention of the public to the continuance of the disreputable practice of importing English Blankets and selling them as Canadian. These Blankets are made largely of Shoddy and Cotton Waste, with a small percentage of pure Wool, and though slightly in appearance, closely imitating the Cornwall Blankets, and ticketed "Canadian Manufacture," have neither warm nor wear, but can be sold at a lower price than the Cornwall Blankets which are made of Pure Wool can be produced for.

The public are cautioned against this attempted deception, and respectfully informed that the name of the CORNWALL MANUFACTURING COMPANY is printed on the ticket of every Blanket made by them. Cornwall, Sept. 16th, 1872. dw

**SPRING AND SUMMER. 1872** For the best clothes in

**BOOTS AND SHOES** For Spring and Summer Wear

**GO TO W. D. HEPBURN & CO'S** Shoe Store, the only place in the Town of Guelph, where you can find a good selection of Genuine Home-made Boots and Shoes.

The best Imported Goods can always be had at W. D. Hepburn & Co's cheap for cash

**ONE PRICE ONLY** For first-class Custom Work leave your measures at Hepburn's, the largest and best Custom Shop in Guelph. All kinds of Leather and Findings for sale to the trade at reasonable prices. Agents for the Genuine Howe Sewing Machine, which we are selling at greatly reduced prices. Call and examine before purchasing elsewhere, they are pronounced by all competent judges to be the best Sewing Machine in the Market.

W. J. PATERSON, Store and Factory—East side Wyndham Street, Guelph, June 4th, 1872. dw

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**Town and County News.** GRAIN BUYING is likely to be carried on on a much larger scale in Drayton this season than it was last.

**EAST GARAFRAXA SHOW.**—The East Garafraxa Agricultural Exhibition will be held at Marville on the 16th of October, instead of the 4th, as formerly announced.

The Fergus Express says that the mill privilege in Elora, the property of Mr. J. M. Ross, has been sold to Mr. J. M. Fraser, and this excellent water power will be at once utilized.

The Fergus Express says that Mr. Jas. Clark, of Elora, has just leased the commodious mills Wroxeter, and takes possession next week. He intends remaining in Elora, however, to purchase barley during the season.

**SHEEP SOLD.**—Mr. William Tindale, of Nichol, the celebrated sheep breeder, last week sold a pair of Leicester ewe lambs for \$85, and an aged ewe for \$30; making \$65 for the three. Mr. Duncan McAllister, of Minto, near the village of Harrison, became the purchaser.

**CENTRAL EXHIBITION, GUELPH.**—Intending exhibitors will please remember to make their entries by the 21st September, inclusive; after that up to and inclusive of Friday, 28th September, 50c extra. The office of the Central Exhibition is opened in the room above the Mercury office.

**PRIZE APPLES.**—We beg to acknowledge the kindness of Mr. Joseph Anderson in presenting us with a basket of the 1st prize Fall Winter apples at the recent Eramosa Show held at Rockwood. As their position in the Prize List would indicate, they are a very superior sample of the variety.

We have just received the prospectus of the Free Press to be published in Winnipeg, Manitoba, by Messrs Kenny & Luxton. The Free Press will be a weekly paper and will first appear about the first of November, on a large quarto sheet of forty columns. The Free Press will be an unflinching Reformer, and will not respect the Supranational Teachers' Fund be repealed.

We notice by the Elora Observer that at the late meeting of the Teachers' Association in that village, the Teachers' Supranational Fund was strongly condemned. It was resolved, that the members of the Association, with as many others as they could induce, should sign a petition to the Local Government requesting that the clause in the School Act respecting the Supranational Teachers' Fund be repealed.

The little daughter of Mr. James Arkell, miller, Salem, had a narrow escape the other day. While in the mill she endeavored to grasp a handful of wheat, close to a small shaft, when her dress was caught at the wrist-band, and her arm was wound round the shaft with great rapidity. Her father and brother saw the child's perilous position, ran to the rescue, and fortunately extricated her before she received any injury.

**CHILD DROWNED.**—A little boy aged about eighteen months, the son of Mr. William Boyd, of Arthur Township, was drowned on Tuesday morning 10th, under somewhat singular circumstances. It seems that the little one had been playing near the doorway of his father's house, and during an absence on the part of Mrs. Boyd of not more than five minutes, he fell head first into a tub of water, which was standing near at hand, and when discovered his wife was extinct.

**THE LATE MRS. FERRIER.**—In reference to the late Mrs. Ferrier, the News-Record says that for a number of years the deceased lady had been almost helpless, owing to injuries sustained by a fall down stairs; but although she was quite feeble, her death was unlooked for, and consequently when it occurred people were shocked by the surprise. The deceased lady was dearly beloved by all her acquaintances, and she is regretted by a large circle of sincere mourners.

**EXHIBITION TIME TABLE.**—In addition to the ordinary passenger trains running on our branch line, the Great Western Company will, commencing on Tuesday next, run a special passenger train from Fergus to Hamilton. This train will leave Fergus at 6:30 in the morning; Elora at 6:40; Guelph at 7:20; Hespeler 7:45; Preston 7:57; Galt 8:12; Brantford 8:35; and Harrisburg 9:05. Returning will leave Hamilton at 5 o'clock, reach Galt at 7:15 and Fergus at 9 o'clock. This train will be run from Tuesday to Saturday, both days inclusive. On the main line, an extra special train will leave Paris at 7:15 on the same mornings.

**Y. M. C. A.**—The regular meeting of the Young Men's Christian Association was held in their rooms last evening. Vice-President Mr. W. Watson in the chair. The rooms of the association are to be kept open during the four days of the Exhibition, so that visitors will have an opportunity of seeing our rooms. Mr. H. W. Maroon gave a very good reading, "The Vision of Mirza." Next Thursday will be our Public Monthly Meeting, when we expect to have a good programme. Mr. H. W. Scoffron will give an essay, "The Abomination of Desolation." There will be music, recitations, and we expect to have our own Organ for that evening. All are cordially invited, and ladies especially.—Com.

## Local and Other Items.

**THE WATERLOO ASSIZES** commenced on Tuesday last. Mr. D. Guthrie is Crown Prosecutor. His Excellency the Lieut-Governor of Ontario will accompany the Governor-General on his contemplated trip to Hamilton next Thursday.

Fitzsimmons and Lipsey, the murderers of the Indian doctor at St. Thomas, have not yet been found. A verdict of wilful murder has been returned against them.

The annual exhibition of the Wallace and Elma Branch Agricultural Society, will be held in Listowel on Wednesday, the 9th of October, instead of Tuesday, the 8th, as previously announced.

The Canadian horse "J. Ellis" trotted over the Barrie course yesterday, one mile, in 2:29—the shortest time on record in Canada, except the performance of "Dexter" at Hamilton.

A ROBBERY occurred on Wednesday night at the establishment of Thomas McCrosson, hatter and furrier, Toronto, by which he was the loser to the extent of \$800 in furs, &c.

DURING the violent thunderstorm in Brantford on Wednesday afternoon, the lightning entered the telegraph office at the station, destroying the instrument, and stunning the operator for some time.

The Reporter says that the Rev. Dr. Boomer's fine property in Galt has been sold to Mr. Hugh McCulloch, of the firm of Goldie & McCulloch, for \$10,000. The Parsonage has been sold to Mr. P. Keifer for \$2,500.

DURING the severe thunder storm on Wednesday evening the barn of Mr. Peter Rowe, 7th line Esqueving, was struck by lightning, and total consumed, together with the contents, which consist of all his fall crops. Loss about \$3000, insured for \$1900.

Mr. Geo. LAIDLAW is again on the war-path. The Mayor of Galt received a letter from him the other day announcing that, now the elections in the country are over, the Directors have resolved on a vigorous prosecution of the Credit Valley Railway enterprise.

EX-ALDERMAN BOUSTEAD'S son, who left Toronto about a year ago, and occasioned great anxiety to his parents, but who was subsequently heard from as having been in Peru and other foreign countries, returned to the city the other night quite as unexpectedly as he left it.

DURING the approaching Provincial Exhibition it is expected that there will be a larger number of professional thieves and gamblers in Hamilton than there has ever been at one time before; and we would, thus early, warn those from a distance who contemplate visiting the Fair Grounds to keep a sharp look-out.

**ARRIVAL OF MORMONS FROM EUROPE.**—The Mormons who arrived in the steamship Minnesota, on Monday afternoon, were landed at New York the next day. They numbered 590, and include English, Swedes, Danes, some Germans, a few Irish and Scotch, and an occasional Frenchman. They have much the same appearance as ordinary emigrants; are poorly dressed, and have little property.

**FATAL ACCIDENT.**—A fatal accident occurred at Bowmanville on Thursday, resulting in the death of Thos. Welsh, conductor on the Grand Trunk Railway. While attempting to jump from the front end of the van while in motion, it being wet, he slipped and fell under the wheels, which passed over both legs, smashing them fearfully. Drs. Reid and Beith were in attendance, but the shock was of too serious a nature for his recovery.

The office of John H. Grant & Co., iron founders, of Grimsby, was entered by burglars on the night of the 16th, and the safe blown open. But after ransacking through the papers, the burglars had to leave with the sum of one dollar. The residence of Major Charles Anderson was also entered by the same parties, and the lower rooms were thoroughly searched by them. They succeeded in obtaining about \$10; but upon their ascending the stairs, they were heard by the gallant major, who sprang out of bed and seized his revolver, and challenged the intruders who at once beat a hasty retreat.

**GOVERNOR-GENERAL'S MOVEMENTS.**—The Governor-General will arrive at Toronto on Tuesday evening next, and will remain in the city until Thursday, as the guest of the Lieutenant-Governor, who will, on Wednesday evening, give a ball in his honor. On Thursday His Excellency will visit the Provincial Exhibition at Hamilton. On Friday he will return to Toronto. On that day he will then be formally received by the corporation and citizens, but in exactly what manner has not yet been decided. After returning from Hamilton His Excellency will remain in Toronto until the 30th, when he will go to Niagara Falls for a few days. He will then return to Toronto, take a house, and stay there for two or three weeks.

**COLONY FROM ENGLAND TO MINNETOTA.**—The Rev. Geo. Rodgers, a leading Independent or Congregational minister of Dorsetshire, South of England, accompanied by a number of tenant-farmers, has recently made a tour of inspection through Minnesota, for the purpose of selecting lands for a colony of 2,000 persons—well-to-do farmers, possessing a capital of from \$2,000 to \$10,000 each, and who are among the most successful agriculturists in the world. The delegation selected right townships in Cleary County, Minnesota, on the line of the Northern Pacific Railway. A railroad town, to be named Yeovil, (in honor of the district from which many of the colonists came) has been set apart near the centre of their tract. Two hundred families will leave England in April for this colony, and the remainder, with the pastor, will follow during the season.

## THIS MORNING'S DESPATCHES

King of Sweden Dead.

Mr. Spurgeon Very Ill.

Opening of a New Park.

Death by Lightning.

Brother of the Pope Dead.

Horace Greeley Speaks.

London, Sept. 19.—A despatch from Stockholm announces that King Charles of Sweden died at Malmö last evening.

New York, Sept. 19.—A London special says that Rev. C. H. Spurgeon, the noted Baptist preacher, was suddenly taken ill, and is now lying in a critical condition.

London, Sept. 19.—John Fox & Co., merchants, Mining Lane, have suspended. Their liabilities are five hundred thousand pounds. They have connections with several American houses, and their suspension was caused by recent failures in Baltimore.

London, Sept. 20.—5:30 a. m.—Prince Arthur opened Roundhay Park at Leeds yesterday with appropriate ceremonies, in the presence of a large assemblage. A ball was given in the town hall in the evening.

The wife of Bismarck has arrived at Torquay, where she will soon be joined by her husband.

During a thunder storm yesterday, lightning struck a mill in a little borough in Lancashire and killed four women. Several other operatives were also injured.

Dublin, Sept. 20.—The meeting to protest against the occupation of Rome, which was advertised some days ago, has been indefinitely postponed for some unexplainable cause.

Rome, Sept. 20.—The eldest brother of the Pope is dead.

Pittsburg, Sept. 20.—In his speech last night Mr. Greeley, referring to the Veterans Convention, said a very large number of men were collected at vast expense with the single purpose of rekindling bitterness, hatred, animosities, antipathies, fears and exultations of the civil war, for the advantage of a political party.

**Assault Case in Arthur.**

The Queen on the prosecution of Geo. Church (senior) against Thos. Ostrander, of Arthur, a Justice of the Peace for the County of Wellington. On the 11th inst. an information was laid before A. Buschlen, Esq., J. P., against Thomas Ostrander for having committed an assault and battery upon George Church, Sr., at Caswell's hotel, railway station, Arthur Village, by kicking him in the face, and at the same time calling for his revolver, saying that he could murder the prosecutor.

On the 18th inst. Ostrander was brought before a bench of magistrates consisting of Messrs Buschlen, Gordon, O'Callaghan, Cushing and Mitchell. A number of witnesses were called, who proved that the assault and battery was committed, without any provocation whatever, in a most brutal manner upon the old man Church, and which might have resulted fatally, had not Mr. Caswell and James Byrnes interfered in time and secured a loaded revolver in Ostrander's possession, who was much excited with liquor. The case lasted some time. After considerable deliberation the Justices decided that Ostrander pay a fine of \$10 and costs, and find securities to keep the peace, himself in \$200 and two others in \$100 each, to remain in custody, committed to the County Jail, until such fine and costs are paid and security to keep the peace given. Mr. N. M. Munro, of Fergus, for the prosecution. Mr. J. P. MacMillan, Guelph, for the defence.—Fergus News Record.

**Base Ball Notes.**

The fourth game of the Championship series between the Athletics of Brooklyn and the Athletics of Philadelphia took place on Wednesday afternoon on the Capitoline Grounds. For the Athletics Barrett played extremely well at the left field, and Fergusson exhibited some really splendid fielding at third base, doing a brilliant double play on the 4th, eliciting long continued applause. For the Athletics Malone played well behind the bat, and Mack at first base, while Cuthbert took the lead in the batting, but the general play was not creditable. Time 1 h. 45m. Umpire, Charley Mills, of the Mutuals. Score Athletics 12; Athletics 4.

**RUNNERS EACH INNINGS.**

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Athletics	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	4
Athletics	3	2	0	0	0	2	1	4

The first three games were won by the Athletics with scores of 11 to 1, 26 to 12, and 8 to 3.

As the English cricketers have expressed a strong desire to see a first-class game of base ball, the Athletics, of Philadelphia, and the Mutuals are to play an exhibition game on the Union Ground this afternoon.

To-day, the 20th of September, ends the 3rd year of the Maple Leaf Championship, and unless some club takes it from them before 12 o'clock to-night, (which does not seem very probable at present writing), the silver bell may be called their own. We have been informed that it is the intention of the Club to keep the latter up for the championship as long as they hold it.

Fifty-five carloads of cattle bought in Mount Forest, and at the up-country markets were shipped by the narrow gauge railway from that station on Tuesday and Wednesday.

M. About, the famous French writer, is to be tried by court-martial by the German occupation of France.

## POLICE COURT.

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

Mrs. Charles Powell charged by John Peake, both of the Township of Guelph, with unlawfully assaulting and beating his son John on the 14th inst. It appears that the lad Peake along with another lad of the name of Ariss were hired with Charles Powell. After their work on the day in question, the two adjourned to a neighboring tavern, where Peake got so drunk that he fell and blackened his eye, and to account to his father for this somewhat unusual cost of arms, alleged that his employer's wife had made the impression in question. These facts being proved, the case was dismissed with costs.

We are informed that a most exciting and interesting case of Printer's Strike is likely to come up for adjudication before the Police Court in a day or two.

**Eramosa Council Meetings.** This Council met at the Centre Inn on Wednesday, the 18th inst. All the members present, Reeve in the chair. The minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed. The collector's bond executed by Hugh Black, collector, and John Black and Alexander Hill, as securities, was received and accepted, and ordered to be filed in the clerk's office for safe keeping. A petition from Rockwood was received, and after considerable discussion it was moved by Mr. Duffield, seconded by Mr. Dickieson and carried, that the petition signed by Henry Strange, Esq., and 42 others, praying for aid in gravelling the piece of road lately graded on lot No. 5, in the fourth concession be granted, and that Wm. Duffield and John R. Harris be a committee to let the same. Messrs. McKelvie and Dickieson were appointed a committee to examine the side road between lots 15 and 16, in the 6th concession, and value the timber thereon with a view to sell the same. Ten dollars were granted in aid of Margaret Thomson, to be placed in the hands of Rufus Everts to be expended for her benefit. The Clerk was instructed to get 250 copies of the minutes, by laws, &c., for the current year printed and ready for circulation by Monday, the 23rd day of December next, that being the day of the annual nomination. The Clerk was likewise authorized to procure a new minute book, the one in present use being almost filled up. On motion the Council then adjourned to meet again at the Centre Inn, on Monday, the 2nd day of December next.

**Death of the King of Sweden.** The telegraph announces the death of this monarch, who succeeded his father King Oscar Francis Joseph, July 8, 1859. He married in 1860, Princess Wilhelmina-Frederica-Alexandrine-Anne-Louise of Orange, daughter of William-Frederick, Prince of the Netherlands, by whom he had issue a daughter, Louisa-Josephine-Eugenie, born Oct. 31st, 1851. He was grandson of General Bernadotte, one of Napoleon's officers, who was chosen King during the palmy days of the great conqueror, and managed by the exercise of great tact and dexterity to preserve the throne after the fall of his early patron.

A correspondent of the New York Herald writes that the Americans who were elected to the Dominion Parliament at the recent elections. He says: "The name of Mr. A. G. P. Dodge, will be familiar to many of your readers. He is the son of the wealthy New York banker and philanthropist, and is as much noted for his almost lavish liberality in promoting church schemes in which he may have an interest as for the enterprise and magnitude of his business operations. He was elected for North York by a handsome majority, and though he defeated the regular Reform candidate and was severely assailed by the Reform press, he maintained perfect independence and declined to go to Parliament as a pledged supporter of either party. He has not hesitated to avow that his sympathies are with the Liberals, and it is believed he will vote with the Opposition on a want of confidence motion. Mr. Charlton, who defeated Mr. Walsh, chairman of the Intercolonial Railway Commission, in North Norfolk, has resided for many years in that county, but still maintains, I believe, a close business connection with Toronto, N. Y. He is a clear and fluent speaker, and will prove an ornament to the House. The Tories endeavored to excite ill-feeling against him on account of his origin, but failed altogether; and despite charges of being an annexationist, a Fenian and a traitor, Mr. Charlton was triumphantly placed at the head of the poll by intelligent electors, who would not reject a candidate simply because he was born across the lines, and who preferred Mr. Charlton's ability, independence and integrity to Mr. Walsh's respectable stupidity and political selfishness and servility."

**Americans in the Canadian Parliament.**

**ACCIDENT IN GARAFRAXA.**—On Wednesday last week, Louis, son of Mr. George Bayne, aged sixteen years, met with a serious accident. He was sitting on a cart, driving a horse, on the farm, when the horse commenced kicking furiously and in order to keep clear of his heels young Bayne threw himself backwards into the cart. The horse continued to kick and turn until the cart was upset, and the young man found himself underneath it. His cries attracted the attention of Mrs. Bayne, who ran to his assistance. In attempting to lift the cart off her son, she injured herself to such an extent that she had to be carried home, and is still unable to leave her bed. Miss Bayne lifted the cart and held it upon her knees and arms till her brother got from under, her strength failing, owing to the great weight, the cart fell from her grasp, and her arms were blackened from the shoulder to the wrist. Louis was carried home, and medical assistance called when it was found the cart-box having fallen directly across the kidneys the spine was injured to an extent sufficient to produce partial paralysis. The young man, on Sunday last, was in a critical state, and suffered much pain.—Fergus Express.