

will not say what it is, but prepare for an astonishment.

"Good heaven, and was this what he meant?" faltered Stephen, looking up. "This is just what he meant," said Garret. "Had he lived to reach this place, he would have told you that he had been married for nearly three years; that he had a child ten months old; a boy, and that his wife and it had been left in Jamaica in my charge."

"My God, a boy—an heir to Ardgowan and I out!" said Stephen with a hollow groan. "It's not the best of news for you, I must own," observed Nathan. "When a man finds he has come into a fine estate like this, and learns in a moment that it is not his after all, it's enough to take the wind away. But when such things are, they have to be put up with. And you are no worse than you were before the wreck."

"Well," shouted Stephen, with darkening brow and flashing eye. "Is a shock like this not worse? Curse it, man, I am ruined. I have sold my commission; I am overwhelmed in debt. I, too, have a wife and child, and this news beggars both them and me."

"And it is me!" roared Malcolm, with savage fury. "I counted on receiving the half of the personal property, and now, confound it, I shall receive nothing—at least, I suppose so." "Your supposition is quite correct," rejoined Garret, with provoking composure. "The widow and child inherit everything."

"Damnation," hissed Malcolm through his set teeth. "Well, no—not that, I should hope," said Nathan, with a chuckle, the sound of which and the sight of his satisfied face drove the young man nearly frantic. His first impulse was to spring forward and knock the manager down, but the sight of the pistol peeping from his breast had a restraining effect, and he gave vent to his ungovernable passion by stamping about the room.

The United States Government is to undertake the breeding of salmon upon a large scale, and will be under the charge of Mr. Livingston, of Charleston, who will go to Oregon next month and commence operations in the Columbia River.

**BREAKFAST—EPP'S COCOA—GRATEFUL AND COMFORTING.**—By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine and purest of selected cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavored beverage which may save us many heavy doctors' bills.—*Civil Service Gazette.* Made simply with boiling water or milk. Each packet is labeled "James Epps & Co., Homoeopathic Chemists, London." Also, makers of Epps's Milky Cocoa (Cocoa and Condensed Milk).

Married ladies, under all circumstances, will find *Parson's Purgative Pills* safe; and, in small doses, a mild cathartic. The cause no gripping pains or cramp.

A fact worth remembering—five cents worth of *Sheridan's Cavalry Condition Powders*, given to a horse twice a week, will save double that amount in grain, and the horse will be fatter, sleeker, and every way worth more money than though he did not have them.

The use of tobacco causes indigestion, palpitation, slowness of intellect, a desire for strong drink, and an intermittent pulse; it destroys the vitality of the blood, produces dizziness, disturbs sleep, makes a man miserable, and prematurely old. When the diseases are serious and stubborn, the best remedy is *Fellows' Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites*, as it restores circulation, the nervous ganglia, builds up the muscles, and induces healthy liver, heart, stomach and intellect.

**RAILWAY TIME TABLE.**  
**G and Trunk Railway**  
Trains leave Guelph as follows:  
WEST  
1:50 a.m.; 9:45 a.m.; 1:55 p.m.; 5:48 p.m.; 8:35 p.m.  
To London, Goderich, and Detroit. To Berlin.  
8:10 a.m.; 7:50 a.m.; 11:05 a.m.; 8:45 p.m. and 8:35 p.m.

**Great Western—Guelph Branch**  
Going South—4:55 a.m., 1:05 p.m., 1:40 p.m. for Hamilton; 4:55 p.m.  
Going North—11:45 a.m. for Clifton; mixed 11:15 p.m. for Clifton; 4:55 p.m. for Fergus; 8:35 p.m. for Fergus.  
\*Will not run on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.  
†Will not run on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

**COMMERCIAL.**  
**GUELPH MARKETS.**  
Guelph, July 19, 1872.  
Flour per 100 lbs. .... \$3.50 to \$3.75  
Fall Wheat, per bushel .. 1.25 to 1.28  
Treadwell " .. 1.18 to 1.20  
Spring Wheat " .. 1.14 to 1.16  
Oats, " .. .86 to .87  
Peas, " .. .50 to .52  
Barley " .. .50 to .52  
Eggs, per dozen .. 15.00 to 15.25  
Straw, " .. .40 to .50  
Wood, per cord .. 4.00 to 5.00  
Eggs, per dozen .. 15.00 to 15.25  
Butter, store packed, per lb. .... 12.00 to 12.50  
" dairy packed, " .. 11.00 to 11.50  
" rolls, " .. 10.00 to 10.50  
Potatoes, per bushel .. 3.00 to 3.25  
Apples, " .. 1.00 to 1.25  
Wool, per lb. .... 1.00 to 1.25  
Dressed Hogs, per cwt. .... 7.00 to 7.50  
Clover Seed per bushel .. 5.00 to 5.25  
Timothy Seed, per cwt. .... 3.00 to 3.50  
Sheepskins, each .. 2.00 to 2.50  
Hides, per cwt. .... 0.00 to 7.00

**HAMILTON MARKETS.**  
Hamilton, July 18, 1872.  
Spring Wheat, per bushel .. 1.25 to 1.28  
Diels Wheat " .. 1.25 to 1.27  
Treadwell Wheat " .. 1.23 to 1.25  
Red Winter Wheat " .. 1.20 to 1.22  
Barley per bushel .. .54 to .55  
Oats, " .. .50 to .52  
Peas, " .. .50 to .52  
Butter, per lb. roll .. .29 to .32  
" tub, " .. .34 to .35  
Potatoes, per bag .. .75 to 1.00  
Apples, " .. .80 to 1.00  
Dressed Hogs, per cwt. .... 7.00 to 7.50  
Wool, per lb. .... 0.52 to 0.52

**TORONTO MARKETS.**  
Toronto, July 18, 1872.  
Spring Wheat, per bushel .. 1.25 to 1.30  
Treadwell Wheat, " .. 1.25 to 1.35  
Red Winter Wheat, " .. 1.20 to 1.25  
Peas, " .. .50 to .55  
Oats, " .. .50 to .55  
Wool per lb. .... 0.51 to 0.52

**DR. WHEELER'S COMPOUND**  
**ELIXIR OF PHOSPHATES AND**  
**GALAXIA.**—This elegant and agreeable preparation has been found to be a favorite on account of its great reliability in the cure of Diseases of the Stomach, Liver and Kidneys. It relieves at once pain and a sense of fullness after eating, dizziness, acidity, or heartburn, headache, and constipation of the bowels, all of which arise from feeble digestion, and occasion poor blood. It enables the stomach to digest food perfectly, and in sufficient quantity to nourish the system thoroughly, and prevent declining, and running down with chronic wasting diseases. In consumption and scrofulous cases, in women prostrate from family cares, and in all cases where the system lacks a charm in restoring vitality to all the organs and invigorating the general health. It will restore to those who for a long time have been in a feeble condition of the system, wanting energy and disposition to exertion. It cures by means of purifying the blood, and building up all the tissues of the body. Sold at all Druggists. dw

**BUSINESS CARDS.**  
**NELLES, ROMAIN & CO.,**  
CANADA HOUSE,  
General Commission Merchants  
AND SHIPPERS,  
34 South Clinton St., Chicago, Ill.  
References.—Sir John Ross, Banker, London, England; F. W. Thomas, Esq., Banker, Montreal; The Marine Company of Chicago, Bankers; Hon. John Cartier, London, Ontario; Messrs. Gault Bros., Merchants, Montreal; Senator Frank Smith, (Frank Smith & Co.) Toronto; J. Morton Miller, Esq., Perth, Ont. (late of J. M. Miller & Co., Commission Merchants, Chicago); Walter Watson, Esq., Banker, New York; D. Buttery, Esq., Montreal; Joseph Whitehead, Esq., M. P. Clifton, Ont.; Chas. Magill, Esq., M. P. Hamilton, Ontario; T. O. Chisholm, Esq., Toronto; Samuel B. Foot, Esq., Quebec. July 19, 1872

**RAYMOND'S**  
**SEWING MACHINES**  
Family Sewing Machine (single thread); Hand Sewing Machine (double thread); No. 1, Foot Power, and No. 2, for heavy work; Furnishings for tables, half, or Cabinet Cases, as required.  
**CHARLES RAYMOND,**  
GUELPH, ONT.  
July 12, 1871 dw

**HEATHER'S**  
**Stove and Plough Depot**  
The subscriber would call the attention of the public to Kinney's Patent Improvement in Stove Furniture, by which pots, kettles, frying pans, &c., are so constructed that all smoke, smell and steam from frying meat or other cooking are conducted up the chimney as perfectly as in the old fashioned fire-place. Ladies, give them a trial.  
Sole agent for Guelph.  
A good assortment of STOVES, TINWARES and PLOUGHS always on hand, and at the lowest prices.  
**WM. HEATHER,**  
Corner Woolwich-st. and Eramosa Road Guelph, 22nd August, 1871. dw

**SPRING AND SUMMER.**  
1872  
For the best choice 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 Elias 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. D. HEPBURN & Co.,**  
Store and Factory—East side Wyndham Street, Guelph, June 4th, 1872. dw

**7 O'CLOCK.**  
**PUBLIC NOTICE.**

**On and after Wednesday, the 19th inst., I will keep my place of business open until 7 o'clock in the evening, as formerly.**  
**A. O. BUCHAM,**  
Fashionable West End, Guelph, June 18, 1872. dit

**HART & SPIERS,**  
Conveyancers, Land, Loan, Insurance and General Agents,  
4 Day's Block, Guelph

In reference to the above, Wm. Hart begs to inform his friends and the public that he has entered into partnership with Mr. James S. Spiers in the above business, and while expressing his grateful acknowledgments for the liberal share of patronage bestowed upon him for the past three years, would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same to the new firm.  
All business entrusted to us will receive prompt and strict attention.  
*Deeds, Mortgages, Wills, Leases, &c., &c.* neatly and correctly prepared.  
MONEY always on hand in sums to suit borrowers, on mortgages or good personal security. No delay or extravagant charges.  
Our list of Town and Farm Property is large and varied, and parties in want of real estate of any kind should call on us before purchasing elsewhere.  
Agents for the Commercial Union Assurance Company of London, England.  
**HART & SPIERS,**  
Mvls-dw 4 Day's Block Guelph, Ont.

**JOHN SPIERS,**  
**Veterinary Surgeon**  
(Member of the Ontario Veterinary College,  
**Hirsch's Union Hotel,**  
Dw-23 GUELPH dw  
**JESSOP & CORBET,**  
General Insurance, Loan and Real Estate Agents.  
Office—CANTARIO BANK BUILDING GUELPH ONT.

Life, Fire and Accident Policies issued in first-class Companies on the most favorable terms.  
Several valuable farms and town property for sale on easy terms.  
\$5,000 to invest on first-class security.  
Parties requiring or desiring to invest money will find it to their advantage to give us a call. Charges moderate.  
**JESSOP & CORBET,**  
Ontario Bank Building, Guelph, Ont.  
**N. HIGNBOTHAM,** Agent for following first-class companies:—Royal Fire and Life, Scottish Imperial Fire and Life, Etina Fire and Life, Agricultural Fire (Isolated), Isolated Risk, Fire and Traveller's Life and Accident Insurance Company; Also, Agent for the Hamilton Fire and Loan Society, one of the best in Canada.  
No lawyer's fees charged.  
Office with **JESSOP & CORBET**, Ontario Bank Building, Guelph, Ont. May 14, 1872 dw

**GEORGE S. POWELL**  
Begg to announce that he has purchased the  
**Bankrupt Stock of BOOTS and SHOES**  
Of John McNeil's Estate, and will continue the  
**Boot and Shoe Business in all its Branches**  
IN THE SAME PREMISES.  
Having been with Mr. McNeil for a number of years, and having an experience of over 15 years at the business, he feels confident of giving the public entire satisfaction.

**A NEW STOCK**  
Will be introduced in a few days, and in the mean time the goods now on hand will be sold at remarkably low prices.  
**REPAIRING DONE AS FORMERLY**  
And satisfaction guaranteed. A trial solicited.  
Guelph, May 17 1872 dw  
**GEORGE S. POWELL**

**HATS GO TO HATS**  
AND  
**BYRNE'S**  
AND  
**CAPS GO TO CAPS**  
AND  
**HATS & CAPS**  
**D. BYRNE**

**HAS just opened the largest and best assorted stock of Hats and Caps ever shown in the Town of Guelph,**  
**IN ALL THE VERY LATEST STYLES**  
Comprising English and American Silk and Felt Hats; Cloth Hats, stiff and soft; Cloth, Silk and Velvet Caps; Boys and Children's Felt Hats; Scotch Caps of every shade and color.  
Call at the Guelph Hat, Cap and Fur Store, and See for Yourself.  
**D. BYRNE,**  
Guelph March 23, 1872 dw Wyndham Street, Guelph

**New Goods for the Times**  
AT  
**JOHN R. PORTE'S**  
Fine Gold Sets Brooch and Ear-rings  
" Brooches  
" Earrings  
" Guards  
" Alberts  
Fine Gold Necklets  
" Lockets  
" Finger Rings  
" Studs  
" Cuff Buttons  
AND A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

**GOLD PLATED JEWELLERY**  
Silver Thimbles, Tea Spoons, Chains,  
**ELECTRO-PLATED WARE**  
Castors, Breakfast and Dinner Butter Coolers, Cake Baskets, Children's Mugs, Salons, Butter Knives, Pickle Forks, Spoons and Forks of all kinds.

**RODGER'S TABLE CUTLERY**  
Remember the name and  
**JOHN R. PORTE,**  
Guelph, Dec 19, 1871 dw Wyndham Street, Guelph

**Guelph Lumber Yard**  
Wm. the undersigned, beg to inform the inhabitants of Guelph and surrounding country that we have purchased the stock in trade of the Guelph Lumber Yard,  
**UPPER WYNDHAM-ST.**  
Where they intend keeping on hand all kinds of  
**LUMBER**  
Lath, Shingles, Waterlime, AND  
**Flour and Feed as usual**  
Bill Stuff Cut to Order!  
We hope by strict attention to business to merit a share of public patronage.  
**Douglas & Bannerman,**  
Guelph Jan 10 72.

**FANS! FANS! FANS!**  
A Splendid Line at J. HUNTER'S.  
**Chignons, Hair Braids, Coronets, Switches, Hair Nets,**  
The best assortment west of Toronto, at J. HUNTER'S.

For Ladies Underclothing, Corsets and Hosiery, Infant's Bands, Robes, all kinds of Wool, Braids, Laces, Flowers and Trimmings, Ruffles, Edgings, Embroidered Muslins, &c., there is no place equal to J. HUNTER'S.  
Branch of Madame Demorest's Emporium of Fashion. A complete assortment of reliable Patterns always in stock, and sent post-free to any address.  
**Small Wares and Toys**  
In great variety. Balls, Bats, Walking sticks and Canes, Jet, Rubber and Sterling Jewellery. STAMPING, over 1000 designs, for Braiding and Embroidery.  
**JOHN HUNTER,**  
Berlin Wool, Fancy Goods and Toy Store, Wyndham Street, Guelph, dw  
Guelph, June 21, 1872

**PRESTON**  
**MINERAL BATHS**  
—AND—  
**Summer Resort.**  
PRESTON, ONTARIO.  
CHARGES:  
\$7.00 a week for single room.  
\$12.00 a week for single room if occupied by two.  
25 cents for single bath.  
Transient customers, \$1.50 a day.  
Omnibus at each train.  
**C. KRESS, Proprietor**  
Dr. Mulloy, consulting Physician. Preston May 30, 1872 dw

**UNDERTAKER**  
GUELPH  
Respectfully solicits the attention to those bereaved of earthly friends to his Undertaking Establishment, in rear of the Wellington Hotel, where all things necessary for the proper observance of the last rites due to the departed can be furnished on the shortest notice.  
**Metairie, Walnut and other Coffins**  
kept in stock. Shrouds supplied, and Funerary conducted with the utmost decorum. Charges moderate.  
**WM. BROWNLOW,**  
Guelph, Feb. 3, 1872 dw

**POSITIVELY A FACT!**  
**Mustard's Catarrh Specific**  
Cures Catarrh, Cold in the Head, Neuralgia, Toothache, Nervous and Sick Headache, Weak and Sore Eyes. The Specific is a new remedy, prepared from Medicinal Barks, Roots, Gums, and Flowers. Free from poisonous drugs. It is harmless, novel, and efficacious in its operation. Try it if you are afflicted with the above diseases. It is also one of the best Cough and Croup Remedies extant.  
Mustard's Vegetable Pills should also be used in connection with the Specific for Sick Headache and Catarrh; and those who are afflicted with Rheumatism should try Mustard's King Oil.  
Sold in Guelph by McCullough & Moore Druggists.  
Manufactured at Ingersoll by N. H. Mustard, Proprietor. dw

**MONEY—\$30,000 to Lend in sums of from \$300 to \$2,000. Interest 5 per cent. W. M. MERRITT, Solicitor Guelph, May 8 1872 dw Wyndham-st. Guelph**

rec mentioned, or any part thereof, was according to the last revised and equalized assessment rolls of the said County of Wellington, \$13,896,298.  
And whereas for paying the interest and creating an annual sinking fund for the payment of the principal of the said sum of twenty thousand dollars it will run by the Council of the said County of one-fourth of a mill in the dollar to be levied in addition to all other rates.  
And whereas the amount of the existing debt of the Corporation of the County of Wellington is for principal the sum of \$89,649.00, and for interest the sum of \$80,680.52.  
And whereas there is no interest in arrears.  
And whereas the Corporation of the County of Wellington hath not in this municipal year contracted any debt or loans over and above the sum required for its ordinary expenditure which, including the sum of the said interest, payable in dollars, exceed twenty thousand dollars.  
And whereas a copy of this by-law hath been duly published according to law. Therefore the Corporation of the County of Wellington, in pursuance of the powers in it in that behalf vested, and by the Council thereof acting as follows: That the Warden of the said County for the time being, be, and he is hereby authorized, empowered, and required for the purposes aforesaid, to issue in due form of law the sum of twenty thousand dollars in debentures of the said Corporation of the said County, in the amount of not less than one hundred dollars each, payable in twelve years at par from the day on which this by-law is appointed to take effect, at the office of the Treasurer of the said County, and that every such debenture shall bear interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum from the date of its issue, payable half yearly at the said office, and shall be signed by the Warden, and countersigned by the Treasurer for the time being of the said County, and shall have attached thereto coupons for the payment of said interest, which debentures the Warden is hereby authorized to negotiate and dispose of.  
AND BE IT ENACTED that for the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of said debentures and interest, an equal special rate of one-fourth of a mill in the dollar in addition to all other rates be raised, levied, and collected in each year upon all rateable property in the said County during the continuance of the said debentures.  
AND BE IT ENACTED that the proceeds of the said debentures shall be applied and apportioned to the several purposes hereinbefore mentioned, and in the amount and proportion aforesaid, the grants of the said local municipalities to be paid to the Treasurers thereof respectively, to be applied by them strictly to the purposes aforesaid, and an account of such application to be returned by each Reeve to the Council of the said County, at the next December Session of this Council.  
No person lending money upon or purchasing said Debentures shall be bound to see to the application of the proceeds thereof.  
AND BE IT ENACTED that, this By-law shall take effect upon, from and after the first day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two.

The above is a true copy of a proposed By-law to be taken into consideration by the Municipality of the County of Wellington, at the Court House, in the Town of Guelph, in the said County, on the 19th day of October, 1872, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, at which time and place the members of the Council are hereby required to attend for the purpose aforesaid.  
**JOHN BEATTIE, CLERK.**

**THE VICTORIA**  
**Chemical Company**  
Sole Proprietors and Manufacturers of the Celebrated Victoria Carbolic Preparations, Glycerine, and other Medicines, 141 Wellington Street, Toronto, Ont.  
The following Genuine Preparations are sold by all Druggists. Be sure and ask for the VICTORIA PREPARATIONS, and see that you get them.  
**VICTORIA**  
**Carbolic Glycerine Jelly**  
This JELLY is highly recommended to ladies as a most agreeable Preparation for the Toilet. For Beautifying the Complexion, and removing the Skin Soft, White, Clear, and free from Dryness, it is unrivalled. It will quickly remove all Redness, Roughness, Tan, Freckles, Pimples, and other Imperfections of the Face. It is sold by all Druggists, and is not to be confused with the cheap and inferior preparations of other houses. Price 25 cents.  
**VICTORIA**  
**Carbolic Toilet Soap**  
THIS TOILET SOAP possesses all the well-known antiseptic and disinfecting properties of Carbolic Acid, is agreeably scented, has a healthy action on the skin, and is especially adapted for the effects of perspiration, and should be regularly used by families. Cholera, Small-pox, and other Epidemics should be washed with this Soap, and its use by persons liable to infection will materially prevent the spread of disease. Price 15 cents per Table.  
**VICTORIA**  
**Carbolic Salve**  
THIS SALVE is a rapid cure for all Skin Diseases Cuts, Wounds, Bruises, Burns, Sores, Ulcers Ring Worms, Itch, Eczema, Scald Head, Scabby Abscesses, Blisters, Pimples, &c. It possesses all the Cleansing and Healing Virtues of Carbolic Acid, which has been found by Physicians wherever it is used to possess curative qualities not discovered in any other chemical preparation. Price 25 cts.  
**VICTORIA**  
**Carbolic Gargarysma**  
THIS GARGLE is the most reliable and efficacious remedy in all cases of Sore Throat, Hoarseness, Diphtheria, Bronchitis, Irritation of the Bronchial Tubes, so common in this changeable climate, Asthma, Offensive Breath, Ulcerated Gums, and all diseases of the Mouth. It is sold by all Druggists and Singers if it is invaluable. The ingredients entering into this Gargarysma are used by all physicians, and for the cure of the above disorders are now, undoubtedly, the most popular in the Materia Medica. Price 25 cents.  
**VICTORIA**  
**Carbolic Disinfectant**  
THIS DISINFECTANT is a sure preventive of Typhus and Typhoid Fevers, Cholera, Small-pox, and all infectious diseases. It will prevent Contagion in Cattle. It is also invaluable for Disinfecting Water Closets, Bins, Cesspools, Stables, Slaughterhouses, &c., and for destroying nauseous effluvia from whatever cause arising. It will drive away Mosquitoes, Flies, Cock-roaches, &c. Meat, Fish, &c., can be preserved from putrefaction by its use. Carbolic Acid was selected by Her Majesty's Royal Commissioners in preference to all other products, as the best Disinfectant for the prevention of infectious diseases. Price 15 cents.  
**VICTORIA**  
**Sharpening and Polishing Paste**  
THIS PREPARATION is unequalled in its efficacy for sharpening and Polishing Cutlery, Table and Pocket Knives, Razors, Surgical Instruments, Shoemaker's Knives, Plane Bits and Chisels, &c. Nothing has ever been discovered which has sprung into popularity more quickly or become of so much value in every household and workshop for general usefulness. Price 25 cents.