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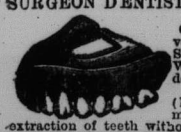
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First-class accommodation for travellers. Commodious stabling and an attentive hostler.
The best of Liquors and Cigars at the bar.
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The Coolest and Nicest
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A supply of the Montreal CELEBRATED GINGER ALE always on hand.
The best Liquors and Cigars always in stock.
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A. H. R. Kennedy's
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Goldie's Standard Family Flour,
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Fine Corn Meal for family use,
Oats, Pease, Corn, Screenings,
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SERVANT GIRL WANTED.—Protestant preferred. Apply at this office.

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FURNISHED LODGINGS & BOARD for a married couple without incumbrance, in a quiet and highly convenient neigborhood, and with a respectable family. Apply at this office. Tud6

TENDERS WANTED — For building a School House, adjoining St. Andrew's Church, Guelph. Plans and specifications at Mr. Boult's office, till 1st of August, when all tenders must be in the hands of Mr. Chas Davidson. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. d3

SEVEN OCTAVE SQUARE PIANO
TO RENT
If purchased within one year, rent will be allowed on the purchase money. Apply to
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INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869.
In the matter of THOMAS & DUDGEON, Boiler Makers, Insolvents.
The Insolvents have made an assignment of their Estate to me, and the Creditors are notified to meet at my office, in Guelph, on the 14th day of August, at 10 o'clock, a.m., to receive statements of their affairs, and to appoint an Assignee.
WILLIAM J. PATERSON,
Official Assignee.
Dated at Guelph this 25th day of July, 1872.

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At low rates of interest and favorable terms of repayment for any length of time
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NEW FANCY STORE.
Mrs. Moyes begs to thank her numerous friends for the patronage conferred on her, and to inform them and the public generally that on account of the success that has already followed her efforts, she has made large purchases of
FANCY GOODS,
AND
BERLIN WOOLS
and has added Children's Dresses, &c., Ladies Underclothing, Chignons, Switches, Brushes, Baskets, Jewellery, &c. &c. to her stock, to which she would respectfully solicit inspection.
Orders for Sewing promptly attended to.
MRS. MOYES,
West Market Square, Guelph.
Guelph, June 20, 1872 3md

GREAT CATASTROPHE!
MEN FOUND DYEING.
Goldie & Co's Dye Works.
We beg to inform the inhabitants of Guelph and surrounding district that we have commenced the above business, and hope by strict attention and punctuality to gain the patronage of the public in general. Having had many years experience in the business, we are prepared to turn out work equal to any house in the Dominion.
Ladies Dress Goods Cleaned or Dyed all colors of the season: Dresses, Shawls, Jackets, Mantles, &c. &c.
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Brussel, Kidderminster and other Carpets and Hearth Rugs cleaned in good style.
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Dying and Scouring Works, Upper Wyndham st., next door to Kay, Brass Founder, near the Alma Block,
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Town and County News.

THE OSTRANDER CASE.—Mr. J. P. McMillan telegraphs us from Toronto that Ostrander is discharged; the application for *Habeas Corpus* having proved successful, the judge hnding no case against him.

SKIM MILK.—The *Herald* indulges in a weak joke on the color of some milk vendor's quadruped, the cream of the joke being, in truth, our devil suspects that this joker over dumb beasts is rarely himself accustomed to more than skim milk, and was lately refused "tick" for a morning's pint from some honest milkman. Hereafter the soubriquet of "skim milk" will appropriately belong to the *Herald's* punster.

QUEEN V. LUDLOW AND MOORE.—In the Superior Court, in Toronto, Mr. C. Mc Michael moved on behalf of Ludlow, and Mr. Watt (Guelph), on behalf of Moore, to admit the prisoners to bail. They are charged by a Coroner's jury with shooting David Hunter, at a station of the Toronto Grey and Bruce Railroad in the Township of Luther, on the 12th of July last. His Lordship took the evidence to read over, aud said he would decide the matter to-morrow.

WESTERN EXTENSION T. G. & B. R.—Messrs. McKenzie & Co., the contractors for the construction of the Mount Forest and Wroxeter extension of the Toronto, Grey & Bruce Railway, have opened an office in the building lately fitted up by Mr. Stovel in Mount Forest, and announce that they purpose proceeding with the work of construction at once. They are advertising for tenders for clearing, grading, fencing, etc., on the line between Mount Forest and Harriston.

MR. DREW AND HIS WHISKEY BOTTLE.—Mr. Drew appears to have the idea that to be a successful canvassser one must ply whisky freely, for he takes his bottle along with him in his peregrinations and his first salutation is "Will ye'es have a drap o' the crater." The secret service fund and whisky will work wonders. Verily Mr. Drew must find it a hard road to travel, and we think he will find it a hard matter to drown all the wrong doings of five years in a few horns of whisky, and our advice to him would be to throw away the dirty bottle, acknowledge his past errors, ask forgiveness, and promise to do better, then perchance he might secure another term of office.—*Mount Forest Confederate.*

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS.—The installation of officers of Guelph Chapter No. 40, Royal Arch Masons, took place at the Masonic Hall, on Friday evening, 26th instant. The ceremony was performed by Rt. Ex. Comp., T. B. Harris, Grand Scribe E., assisted by Rt. Ex. Comp., D. McLellan, P.G.P.S., and V. Ex. Comp., A.B. Petrie, P.G.S.B. The following is a list of the Companions duly installed:—F. Mudge, Z.; W. D. Hepburn, H.; A. McIntyre, J.; J. Mimmack, S. E.; W. Watson, S.N.; F. Biscoe, P.S.; H. Walker, S.S.; J. Inglis, J.S.; W. Marshall, M.V.; J. E. Worsfold, Trea.; J. Smith, Janitor. At the close of the ceremony, a bountiful repast was provided in the refreshment room by Bro. W. J. Little, to which full justice was done, and the whole closing in harmony at 10 o'clock.

LODGE OF YOUNG ORANGE BRITONS.—The adjourned public meeting of the Loyal Orange Young Britons took place on Thursday evening in the Orange Hall, Guelph, for the purpose of forming a Lodge of the said Order, the W. C. M. in the chair, who, after opening the meeting, and stating the purpose for which this Order is intended, asked those assembled to elect a chairman and proceed to the election of officers, which resulted in the choice of the following:—Guardian, —Preble; Master, T. P. Humphries; Deputy Master, Wm. White; Chaplain, John Smith; Secretary, T. D. Fenwick; Treasurer, Geo. A. Hadden; Marshal, Wm. Hewer; Outside Tyler, —Johnston; Inside Tyler, F. Brownlie. Committee, John Hewer, Wm. Budd, G. Martin, John Young, E. Barber. We learn that about 40 members have enrolled themselves, and the warrant will be on hand at an early date, when the Lodge will be opened.

THE CATACOMBS OF ROME.—Professor De Launay gave the second of his series of lectures on the above interesting subject in Chalmers' church on Friday evening. We were glad to see a good attendance, the majority of whom were ladies. The professor specially devoted himself to an explanation of the epitaphs and inscriptions on the tombs in the catacombs, and much really interesting information was derived from the worthy Professor's researches. The Professor remarked on the wide diversity of nomenclature in modern cemeteries to that employed in the catacombs of Rome; the inscription "died" being never employed, that of "asleep" being the universal mode of indicating the resting place of the dead. The Professor also remarked on the entire absence of everything however slight, indicative of Judaism in the Roman Catacombs, and drew attention to the fact (as he declares) that in no other protestant European community is the name of "Sabbath" used for that of the Lord's Day, except in Britain. Much interest has been manifested in these instructive lectures.

G. W. R. STATION.—A deputation, representing the business men in town, consisting of Messrs. D. Allan, Hogg, Goldie, Massie, Stirton, Robertson, the Mayor, Chadwick and Innes, went to Hamilton on Friday, and had an interview with the directors of the Great Western in order to ascertain from them what were their intentions in regard to the removal of the station from its present very inconvenient place, into the town. The deputation brought the matter in its most forcible light before the Board, pointed out the disadvantages both to the business men and citizens, from having the station so far from the town, and gave facts to show that in the matter of frieght the G. W. Company were losing a large share of their Guelph business which they would secure were the station near to the town. The Board promised to take the subject into consideration at an early day, and in the meantime intimated that Messrs. Muir and Reid would be sent up to Guelph to examine into all matters connected with the proposed removal of the station.

Local and Other Items.

FIRE AT GODERICH.—A fire broke out on Friday morning at 2 o'clock at Platt's grist and saw mills. Loss about $5,000; no insurance.

HARPER'S WEEKLY.—Mr. J. Anderson has Harper's Weekly for sale, containing part 5 of Dore's beautiful illustration of London. Price for the whole only 10 cents.

FROM FORT GARRY:—Rev Dr. Punshon has arrived at Fort Garry. A Wesleyan Mission Conference is to be held there next week, and there is a general mustering of all the Wesleyan missionaries in the North West.

CARRIED OVER THE FALLS.—An old fisherman and resident at Clifton, by the name of Barney, accompanied by a friend was capsized in a boat while crossing the river near Chippawa, on Friday afternoon, and were carried by the current over the falls. No trace as yet of their bodies.

THE WELLAND CANAL.—Mr. Munroe, C. E., of the Public Works Department, has been appointed to the charge of the enlargement of the Welland Canal, and is now actively engaged in the location of the new line between Thorold and Port Dalhousie, so that the works may be put under contract as soon as possible.

THE CROPS ABOUT WALKERTON.—The *Telescope* says:—The weather having moderated a good deal in the degree of heat is most favourable to the growth and ripening of the crops. The yield promises to be abundant. The drouth which prevailed in some localities has not extended to this district, where the distribution of heat and moisture has been in the most desirable proportion.

FOOLED.—The Stratford *Beacon* says: A young girl up in Listowel, aged 35, captivated a widower, and on Wednesday were to be married in Listowel, but the lady was left at the hotel while the groom went down town to get the gloves, and during their absence she proclaimed herself so bashful that she would have to run away, which she did with such speed that her lover could not catch up to her until she got home, where she hid herself so securely that he was unable to find her, and returned and dismissed the waiting minister.

HORRIBLE ACCIDENT.—On Friday while a child of Louis Montroul, of Walkerville, near Windsor, was watering a horse at the river, he put the noose at the end of the rope over his head. The horse, while in the water got frightened at something, and ran along the shore, drowning the child. He then left the water on the full run, and made for the yard, dragging the child. Coming to a log the horse jumped over it, and the child's body catching against the log, the head was entirely jerked off and thrown a distance of twenty feet from the body. Much sympathy is felt for the distressed parents, who witnessed the melancholy event.

THE GREAT ROBBERY AT THE DIAMOND FIELDS.—A supplement to the *Cape Argus*, South Africa, dated June 5, gives a report of the examination, at the Cape Town police court, of a man named John William Harding, who is supposed to have been concerned in the great robbery of the mail bag at the diamond fields. When arrested he was about to set sail for England in the *Syria*. His luggage had gone on board, and on examination 2,347 diamonds and more than £1,000 in money were found concealed in the stock of his gun, both barrels of the rifle, powder flask, courier bag and other places. The man had arrived from England at the end of February, and was at the Royal Hotel with a Mr. Aubrey Beauclerk, with whom he left for the diamond fields early in March, and was first arrested on a charge of robbing Beauclerk of £100 and other property. On being apprehended on this charge the above-named discovery was made. Harding was examined at the police court before Mr. Rivers, the resident magistrate, and after the examination of several witnesses remanded till the eigth.

BURGLARIES.—A series of desperate and partially successful attempts at burglary occurred in Hamilton on Wednesday night. The first entered appears to be that of Mr. A. M. London, on Carling street. Ingress was secured through a back window, the fastening of which was broken. The thief went up-stairs with noiseless tread, extinguished a night lamp in Mrs. Hamilton's room, and then threw a flash from a dark lantern, or concealed light, into the room. Mrs. Hamilton saw this and the figure of a man in the doorway, which she was certain she could identify if she should ever see it again. The sudden start caused her to say, "Oh," and the fellow instantly bolted for the lower part of the house, Mr. Hamilton following in his wake, but without catching even a definite glimpse of the intruder. This was shortly after one o'clock, when the policemen on the beat are changed, consequently the relief who came on soon after had not seen anything strange about the premises. Between two and three next morning the house of Mr. Peer, on Simcoe street, was broken into in a similar manner as that adopted in the case above described, but also without obtaining anything, though several articles of clothing were well overhauled. Next a raid was made upon the house of Col. Moffatt, corner of Simcoe and Talbot, and by this time it would seem the thief or thieves had grown hungry. The pantry was visited and from the condition of the remains of several articles of diet, it is presumed they made a hearty feast from the Col.'s store. The upper story was also visited, nothing, however, has been missed. The residence of Mr. Hannah, next door, came in for a share of the burglar's attention, and here a good show of success attended his efforts to steal. He went into the room occupied by Mr. Hannah as a sleeping apartment, and when startled by the awakening of Mrs. H., took a pair of pants from a chair and rushed down stairs. Hr. Hannah quickly followed, but found his pants on the door step of his house, robbed of some $45, and the thief sufficiently far away to be out of sight and hearing. The police were at once notified of the affair, but as yet nothing has transpired, so far as we know, that will lead to the capture of the burglar.

A clergyman in a Lawrence church, on a recent occasion, discovered after commencing the service, that he had forgotten his notes. As it was too late to send for them, he said to his audience, by way of apology, that this morning he would have to depend upon the Lord for what he might say, but that in the afternoon he would come better prepared.

The Centre Riding.

MEETINGS IN VARIOUS PARTS.

Mr. Ross's meeting at Douglas on Wednesday last was attended by from 150 to 200 people. Mr. Ross spoke ably and fluently on the great political topics of the day. Messrs. Lacey, Stirton, M. P., and Kelly followed. At the close, the house divided, some 8 or 10 only patronizing the left side (the Drs.) The chairman (Mr. Alex. Dyce) and the Secretary (Mr. Hill) informing the reporter of the Fergus *News Record* that there were at least 10 to 12 in favour of Mr. Ross to every one in favour of the Dr.

Speaking of the *Heraldic* apostate at the Alma meeting, the *News Record* says:—Froth and fury Fahey, of Guelph, followed with one of his characteristic harangues. Fahey has a great command of words, and is a pleasant speaker to listen to, but he is entirely deficient of the facts and logic so essential to do anything more than merely entertain and amuse. His wit, though borrowed, is of a lively description; and he particularly excels in repeating stale jokes and vulgar wit. His wordy humor may serve the purpose of drawing attention from the real facts before the electors, but his style of arguing is not of a character to change any one's opinion. He is foolishly anxious to create a sensation and gain notoriety, and was quite crestfallen because no notice was taken of him at Alma.

DR. ORTON'S ROWDYISM.

At Cumnock rowdyism was rampant amongst Orton's supporters, who accompany him in shoals from Fergus and Elora to all his meetings, so as to be ready to drown if possible the real feeling of the particular district in which the meeting is held if it should prove adverse, as indeed it generally does. The *Lightning Express* says that the Dr. fairly *wilted* when he saw Mr. James Young, M. P., confront him at the Cumnock meeting, excusing himself from speaking at length on account of a bad cold, and intimated that our Guelphic "Ishamaelitish adventurer!" would harangue the meeting in his place. But it seems he too was sick and did not appear. Mr. Young then followed with a scathing exposure of the iniquities of the Government, and so damaging was it that the Dr. and his horde frequently interrupted him, calling him a liar, a d—d liar, a blackguard, and so on *ad infinitum*, thereby disgusting all decent, right thinking men.

The *Express* goes on to say of the meeting that the chairman, (Mr. John Mair, Warden, and a Conservative) called order fifty times during the evening, appealed to the meeting to sustain the chair, and unequivocally said that 'there must be something radically wrong in any cause which required such an amount of rowdyism to sustain it.' These remarks were cheered by one party, and groaned by the other. Dr. Orton again arose to his feet and attempted to reply to Mr. Young. The Dr. called Mr. Young a liar, a man of untruthful assertion, and several other names which we will not now write down. If the Dr. had proved that Mr. Young had made false statements, well and good, but he did not, but contented himself by calling Mr. Young these hard names and hoped some one would believe him. Mr. John Mair, the chairman, was violently abused, taunted with the fact that he could not get the Conservative nomination, and never should, and had the immortal part of him damned to all eternity by an Ortonite just because he tried to do his duty as a man in the chair. Mr. John Mair said that he did not want the nomination of the Conservative party and would not take it. We heard several electors say that Orton lost more support at the Cumnock meeting than he has gained since the canvass commenced, and we believe it.

Lost, Stolen or Strayed.

Lost, stolen or strayed from the city of Hamilton, on or about the 16th of July, an old party, known at one time as the Tory party. Said party, through much knocking about, had become soft in the head, and at times did not know his own name, calling himself, by turns, a Moderate, a Liberal, a No Party, and a Union Prog; carried about with him a bundle labelled "The Washington Treaty," which at one moment he would clasp to his breast and hail as his dearest treasure, and, at others, would kick violently and swear at with great vehemence as a disgrace to him. Was clothed after the fashion of the *Mail* snobocracy, but with a workman's overall to hide the finery. Is supposed to have been lost while searching for permanent lodgings, it being an insane idea of his that he could rest comfortably with a part of his body in "marble halls," and the rest in a workingman's cot. Anybody returning him to anybody who wants him will receive a Hinck's shinplaster and a certificate of "piety" from the Rev. Isaac Buchanan.—*Hamilton Times.*

Cricket Match.

The selected representatives of cricket from Wenthworth and Brant versus those of Waterloo and Wellington met in Hamilton on Friday to play a match, but in consequence of the lateness of the day when the Hamilton men made their appearance, and the necessarily somewhat early departure of their opponents, one innings aside could only be played, the result of which proved victorious for Wentworth and Brant by 14 runs. It must, however, be recollected that no less than 39 byes were credited to the Hamilton team in consequence of the powerfully swift bowling of Simpson, of Galt, and the inadequacy of the Galt long stop to cope with the bowler's swift delivery. Mr. Simpson we understand is a very fine, true bowler, and is not very long out from Scotland, where he gained two medals for his superiority in handling the cricket ball.

POLICE COURT.

Before T. W. Saunders, Esq., P. M.
July 26.

Samuel Soden charged with disorderly conduct on Wyndham Street, on the 25th inst. Fined $2 and costs.

Eli White, charged with unlawfully shooting fowls belonging to Mr. Daniel O'Connor (Catholic Glebe). Fined 50cts and costs.

A youth in an eastern city was enamored of a young lady in that town, but he was too bashful to pop the question in person so he went to Pittsfield and telegraphed her, "Will you marry me?" He waited an hour or two in a fever of anxiety for the reply, and got it in this brief and pointed sentence: "No, you fool;" and he had to pay for his lady love's despatch besides.

BY TELEGRAPH
THIS MORNING'S DESPATCHES

Another Letter from Dr. Livingstone.

New York, July 27.—The *Herald* has another letter from Dr. Livingstone, which was received by cable from London. The following is an extract:—"In trying to make the East African slave trade better known to Americans I indulge in the hope that I am aiding in bringing about the good time when coming when slavery, as well as piracy, will be chased from the world. Many have but a faint idea of the evils that trading in slaves inflicts on the victims and authors of its atrocities. The slaves generally, and especially those on the West Coast, at Zanzibar and elsewhere, are extremely ugly. I have no prejudice against their color; indeed any one who lives long among them forgets they are black and feels that they are just fellow-men, but the low, retreating forehead, protruding jaws, large heels and other physical peculiatities which you notice on coming among slaves and West African Negroes always awaken some feelings of aversion. I will not utter a syllable calculated to press down either class more deeply in the mire in which it is already sunk, but I wish to point out that they are not typical Africans any more than they are typical Englishmen, and that the nations on nearly all the highlands of the interior continent are, as a rule, fair specimens of humanity. I happened to be present when all the head men of of the great chief Msama, who lives west of the south end of Lake Tanganyeka, had came together to make peace with certain Arabs who had burnt their chief town, and I am certain one could not see more finely formed intellectual heads in any assembly in London or Paris, and faces and forms corresponded with the finely shaped heads. Many of the women are very pretty and, like all ladies, would have been much prettier if they had only left themselves alone. Fortunately they could not change the charming black eyes, beautiful foreheads, nicely rounded limbs, well shaped forms and small hands and feet; but most of them adorn themselves by filing their splendid teeth to points like cats teeth. They are not black, but of a bright, warm brown color. The water-shed is a broad belt of trees, covered upland, some seven hundred miles in length, from West to East. The general altitude is between four and five thousand feet above the sea, and mountains stand on it at various points which are from six to seven thousand feet above the Ocean level. In this water shed springs arise which are well nigh innumerable. These springs join each other and form brooks, which again converge and become rivers of say 20, 40 or 80 yards wide, that never dry. They all flow towards the centre of an immense valley, which I believe to be the Valley of the Nile. In this trough we have at first three large rivers, then all unite into one enormous lacustrine river, the central line of drainage, which I name Webb's Laulaba. In this great valley there are five great lakes. The one near the upper end is called Lake Bemba, but it is not a source of the Nile, for a large river never begins in a lake. It is supplied by the River Chambezei and several others, which may be considered its sources, and out of it flows the large River Luapála, which enters Lake Moera and comes out as the great Lake River Lualaba, to form Lake Komolondo. West of Lake Komolondo, but still in the great valley, lies Lake Lincoln, which I name as my tribute of love to the great and good man America enjoyed for some time and lost. Three of the large rivers I mentioned, Bartle, Freres and Lufira, fall into Lakes Komolondo and Lincoln and become a lacustrine river, and it too joins the central line of drainage. But lower down all these unite and form the fifth lake, which the slaves sent home, instead of men, forced me, to my great grief, to leave as an unknown lake. My reckoning chronometers being all dead it is impossible to give the degrees of longitude west of Speke's position at Ujiji. This makes it probable that the great lacustrine river in the valley, in the western branch, of Petherick's Nile is the Bahar Ghazal, and not the eastern branch, which Speke, Grant and Baker believed to be the river of Egypt. If correct, this would make it only the Nile after all, if Bahar Ghazal enters the eastern arm. I at last found that that mighty river left its washing and flowed right away to the north, the two great western drains, the Lufira and Tomaine, running north east before joining the central line or main webbs. Laulaba told me that the western side of the great valley was high like the eastern, and as this main is reported to go into large reedy lakes it can scarcely be aught else than the west arm of the Nile, but besides all this, in which it is possible I may be mistaken, we have two fountains on probably the seventh hundred mile of the waters heds and giving rise to the two rivers, the Cambai on the Upper Zeambezi, and the Rafne which flows into inner Ethiopia, and two fountains are reported to rise in the same quarter, and forming Lufira and Tomaine, flow as we have seen, to the north.

CONSERVATIVE VS. LIBERAL SYMPATHY.—The Ottawa *Times* is very indignant at the *Stratford Beacon* for exposing the shameless treatment, by a portion of the Tory press, of the Hon. Mr. Blake, in comparison with that experienced by Sir John A. during his serious illness. As confirmatory of the *Beacon's* strictures, what the Hon. Wm. McDougall, C. B.,—the great practical politican of the age—said the other day at John A's Stratford banquet, when taken to task by Mr. Ballantyne for his unfeeling remarks:—They admired him (Mr. Blake), and some of them did not object to follow him. But it was absurd to say that he was not to be spoken of because he had got the belly-ache or same other little ailment, and had gone away to get it cured. (Cheers, laughter and confusion.) Mr. Councillor Smithwich—Yes, that's it. The trouble is, he's got the bott's.—(Laughter.) This coarse and vulgar attack was made too in the presence of ladies, and Sir John sitting complacently by. Comment is superfluous.

The St. Catharines *Times* says:—"We beg to announce that the contemplated partnership between the proprietor of this paper and Mr. Matheson for a cause not necessary to make public has not been legally entered into. Mr. Moyer has been all along, and is now, the sole proprietor and responsible editor.