Guelph Evening Mercury

OFFICE:.....MACDONNELL STREET

MONDAY EV'NG, OCT. 19TH, 1868.

The Braes of Yarrow

An Historical Tale of the Sixteenth Century.

'I have spoken truly, my lord,' he said simply, in concluding, 'and, albeit, I have nothing to support my words, I do not doubt that I will yet find proof to satisfy your lordship of their truth.'

'What proof that will satisfy me that you have not recklessly miscarried a trust of high import can you hope to find?'

'Under favour, my lord, that I could not be reckless in my mission, my own anxiety to procure the pardon of my dear friend should, I think, be guarantee sufficient that I was betrayed. I hope to prove it by discovering the traitor.'

'You suspect some one then?'

'I do.'

'Whom?'

Gilbert hesitated, looking suspiciously at Barras the while.

'This hesitation, Master Elliot, looks but ill,' said Angus sternly. 'If your suspicion be a just one, speak.'

'I did not wish to speak, my lord, till I was in position to advance such proof as would convince your lordship that my charge was well grounded. But if you command me in the King's name to speak, I must obey.'

'In the King's name, then, I command you, speak.'

'Mine host of Peebles acquainted me that the courier who had arrived at his house with me had a blue mark over his left temple. Said you not so, friend?'

'Ou, ay, yes, I said say, an' I keep my word,' rejoined Jock Stott, fidgetting uneasily, and wishing himself anywhere but in his present position.'

'You said also that you would recognize the man under whatever guise he might appear.'

'Ou, ay, yes, I thocht sae,' was the answer, in the same uneasy way as before.

'My lord, there is one man who, I believe, stands well in your lordship's eyes,' proceeded Gilbert, the while Barras stood cool as the most indifferent spectator. 'That man has the same mark over his left temple, and is known to me and to others to be the inveterate enemy of Spens—that man, I believe, followed me, with intent to rob me of my charge, and to permit the knight to perish.'

'You mean—'

'The man who is in your lordship's presence—Heron Barras, otherwise Lord of Binram.

At this denunciation, delivered in the firm voice of earnest conviction, Barras started with every symptom of the most guiltless indignation and surprise.

'How, sirrah,' he exclaimed, 'dare you to breathe so foul a taint upon my honour?'

'Your honour, sir, will be little hurt by any charge, however foul,' retorted Gilbert quietly.

Barras turned to the Earl and spoke with all the warmth of injured innocence.

'My lord, the Knight of Halstane was husband of my sister, and although I frankly own, we were no friends, I had no reason to wish him harm. But I do your lordship's judgment discredit in fearing for an instant that you would fail to see the weakness of the attempt this springald makes to defend himself by trumping up this silly calumny against me.'

Gilbert turned to the timorous Jock Stott, whose knees were now fairly knocking together in dread of being dragged into a scrape which threatened to assume a deadly character.

'Is not this the man who entered your house with me in the garb of a courier?' he demanded.

The hostelier looked confused, dropped his bonnet from his hands, stooped to pick it up, and hoped his 'honour's lordship's majesty' would excuse him. He glanced anxiously toward the door, as if seeking for the smallest opportunity to escape. Seeing none, he sincerely wished that he could have changed places with his guidwife.

'Jean would hae kent what to say in this predicament,' he thought 'but deil a bit o' me kens whilk word should gang first, or whether I should tell them that yon hawk chiel in the kirkhed yeller is the verra billie they're a' scrambling aboot or na.'

TO BE CONTINUED.

JOHN L. LEWIS

HAS JUST RECEIVED a large lot LAYER, M. R and VALENTIA RAISINS.

Car Load WOODEN WARE, PAILS, MATCHES, CLOTHES PINS, &c.

A lot of Porto Rico SUGARS, in Hhds.

A lot of TOBACCOS—Solace, Navy, Quarter Pounds, and McDonald's 10s (Prince of Wales) all offered to the trade at a small commission over cost.

A large lot of FISH to arrive on or about the 1st of November.

LABRADOR HERRINGS, SALMON, SALMON TROUT, WHITE FISH and LAKE HURON HERRINGS, both in bbls and hlf-bbls. Also a large lot of DRY COD FISH.

It is unnecessary to mention that the October caught FISH are much finer and keep better than fish early in the Market.

Guelph, Oct. 15. daw tf

COMMERCIAL.

Guelph Markets.

MERCURY OFFICE, GUELPH. October 19, 1868.

Flour ℔ 100 lbs	$3 00	@	$3 00
Fall Wheat, ℔ bush	1 15	@	1 25
Spring Wheat ℔ bush	1 00	@	1 03
Oats ℔ bush	0 48	@	0 52
Peas do	0 80	@	0 85
Barley do	1 25	@	1 35
Hay ℔ ton	10 00	@	12 00
Straw	2 50	@	3 50
Shingles, ℔ square	1 00	@	1 50
Wood, ℔ cord	3 00	@	4 00
Wool	0 24	@	0 25
Eggs, ℔ dozen	0 14	@	0 15
Butter, (store packed) ℔ lb	0 17	@	0 18
do (dairy packed) ℔ lb	0 20	@	0 21
Geese, each	0 25	@	0 30
Turkeys each	0 50	@	0 60
Chickens, ℔ pair	0 20	@	0 28
Ducks, do	0 20	@	0 25
Potatoes (new) per bag	1 00	@	1 12
Apples, ℔ bag	0 75	@	1 00
Lamb, ℔ lb	0 06	@	0 07
Beef	5 00	@	6 00
Beef, ℔ lb	0 05	@	0 12
Pork, ℔ 100 lbs.	5 00	@	7 00
Sheep Pelts each	0 20	@	0 40
Lambskins	0 35	@	0 50
Hides	00	@	6 00

Money Market.

JACKSON & EXCHANGE OFFICE, Guelph, Oct. 19, 1868.

Gold, 137½

Greenbacks bo't at 71½ to 72; sold at 72½ to 73.

Large Silver bought at 5 dis.; sold at 4.

Small silver bought at 10 dis.; sold at 0.

Upper Canada Bank Bills bought at 55c. to 00c

MONTREAL MARKETS.

Kirkwood, Livingstone & Co's. report by special Telegraph to 'Evening Mercury.'

MONTREAL, October 19, 1868.

Flour—Fancy, $5 75 to $5 90; Superfine No. 1, $5 20 to $5 45; Welland Canal, $5 20. Bag flour $2 50 to $2 60. Oats 45c to 46c Barley $1 25 to $1 30 Butter—dairy 20c to 24c store packed 20 to 24c. Ashes—Pots $5 65 to $5 70 pearls $5 50 $5 50.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, Oct. 17.

Fall wheat, 1 35 to 1 35; spring wheat, 1 14 to 0 00; flour, No 1 super, 5 10 to 0 00; extra, 0 00 to 0 00; barley 1 43 to 0 00; peas, 90c to 00; oats, 00c to 00.

HAMILTON MARKETS

Hamilton, Oct. 17.

Barley, 1 49 to 1 50; peas, 90 to 91c; oats, 45 to 0 00; spring wheat, 1 06 to 1 08; white wheat, 1 26 to 1 28; red winter, 1 13 to 1 13.

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of every description, suited for the season, at prices to please the close and economical buyer.

Dress Materials,

In all the newest novelties.

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The DRESS GOODS are pronounced by the public the best assortment for elegance and price ever offered in Guelph,

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SEE STEWART'S

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See Stock at

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Stock of STAPLE GOODS holds more than ever ahead of all competition. The public are the judges, and the verdict for STEWART.

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Agents for investing Money for the

TRUST and LOAN COMPANY

OF UPPER CANADA, AND

THE CANADA PERMANENT BUILDING and SAVINGS SOCIETIES

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THESE Companies afford every facility to the borrower, and give him the privilege of either retaining the principal for a term of years or of paying it off by instalments extending over any term of years up to 15.

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK,

Have also a large amount of

PRIVATE FUNDS

On hand for Investment.

Money Invested and interest collected. Mortgages bought subject to examination of title, and valuation of property offered.

Debentures, Stocks and Securities of all kinds negociated.

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are Agents for the

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Established - - - - in 1825.

The STANDARD takes risks at very reasonable rates, and Policy holders are secured by the very large sum of accumulated and invested Funds, viz: $18,000,000, and the Company have made the deposit with the Government of the Dominion of Canada required by the new Act.

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK

Have a number of FARMS for sale in the Co. of Wellington and adjoining Counties.

Also, Town Lots and Houses

In Guelph, Berlin, Fergus, &c.

AMARANTH.

Lot 22, in the 10th Concession. 200 acres.
Lots 17, 18 and 19, 8th Con., 600 acres.

ARTHUR.

South-half of Lot 15, 3rd Con., 100 acres, 60 of which are in a high state of cultivation, and well fenced, watered by a creek crossing the centre of the farm; a two story house and good barn on the lot.

ERAMOSA.

Part of West-half of 2, in the 3rd Con., four acres, with a good stone house and log stable.

West-half of Lot 30, in the 5th Con., 100 acres, 25 acres cleared.

Part of 5, in 1st Con., 90 acres, 70 cleared, good buildings

East half of 9, in 4th Con., 100 acres, 40 cleared.

ERIN.

West-half of Lot 8, in the 1st Con., 100 acres, 80 cleared, good frame barn and shed, and part log and frame dwelling house; well watered & fenced.

East-half of Lot 32, 5th Con., 100 acres, 75 are cleared; new frame house and barn; spring creek.

West-half of Lot 32, 8th Con., 100 acres; 75 are cleared; 25 excellent bush.

West 70 acres of 24, 3rd Con., 15 acres cleared, hewed log house. Small amount required down, and long time for the balance.

ELORA.

Valuable Tavern Stand for sale in the Village of Elora, at present leased to Robert Cook being lots 5 and 6, corner of Victoria and Walnut Streets, with stabling for 40 horses.

GARAFRAXA.

Lot 11, in 13th Con., 100 acres; 60 acres cleared, all dry land; farm buildings.

E½ of Lot 29, 3rd Con., 100 acres; 20 acres cleared; farm buildings, watered by a creek.

South-quarter of 5, in the 15—50 acres.

GUELPH TOWNSHIP.

Lots 3 and 4, in 3rd Con., Div. D., 140 acres; 90 acres improved; frame dwelling house, and frame bank barn and sheds, well fenced. There is an excellent orchard on the farm; and being so near the Town, and on the Gravel Road, makes this a very Valuable Property.

TOWN OF GUELPH.

Large two storey stone house with verandah, stabling and garden, and ½ of an acre of land, on Dublin Street, at present occupied by Joseph Hobson, Esq.

River Lots on Queen Street, well adapted for Private residences, valuable quarries being on the lots.

Water Privilege and Mill Site, containing 13 acres, composed of the north parts of Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 and Lots 5 and 6, in Oliver's Survey, on the Waterloo road.

Lots 4, 15, 16, 22, 23, 25, 30, 31, 35, 36, 40, 41, 49, 50, 51, in Webster's Survey, lying between Strange Street and the river Speed.

Lot 4, on the north side of Pearl Street, with a double frame house.

Lot 155, corner of Gordon and Wellington-Sts.

Lots 1043 and 1044, Cambridge Street, on which is erected a frame plastered dwelling house.

Four Quarry Lots, being Nos. 21, 22, 42 and 43 on the Waterloo Road.

70 feet of double frontage on Market Square and Macdonnell Street—just the spot for grain ware houses or stores.

East-half of Lot No. 383, on which a frame house is erected.

Two storey brick house on Queen Street, with stable and sheds, at present occupied by Mr. J. P. Martin.

Park Lots in St. Andrew's Church Glebe, containing from ¾ to 5 acres each.

Nos. 23, 24, 25, 28, 29, 30, 36, 37, 38 and 39, fronting on the Woolwich Road, and 26, 27, 28, 29 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 40, 41, 42 and 43 in rear, acre lots each, in one block.

Also, lot 13, Wyndham, a beautiful lot, well fenced, and in a high state of cultivation.

These lots are admirably adapted for Market Gardens, and the terms of credit are extremely liberal.

Lot 388, Market Street, next to Mr. McGeenan's residence.

PILKINGTON.

Lot 8, Concession B, 150 acres, 105 cleared, well watered, close to Elora.

LUTHER.

Lots 4 and 5 in the 10th Con., 402 acres, 160 of which are improved; house, barn, stabling and shedding; 9 miles from Arthur, 12 miles from Mount Forest

North-half Lot 18, in the	4th Con.	100	acres.
South-half Lot 19,	4th "	100	"
Lot 26,	4th "	200	"
Lot 26,	5th "	200	"
Lot 1,	7th "	200	"
Lot 2,	7th "	200	"
Lot 18,	5th "	200	"
Lot 25,	5th "	200	"
Lot 14,	11th "	200	"
Lot 15,	11th "	200	"
N ½ Lot 16,	12th "	174	"
N ½ Lot 17,	12th "	100	"
Lot 18,	12th "	200	"
Lot 19,	12th "	200	"
Lot 11,	13th "	200	"
Lot 12,	13th "	200	"
Lot 19,	13th "	200	"
Lot 4,	8th "	200	"
Lot 5,	9th "	200	"
N ½ Lot 13,	9th "	100	"
Lot 11,	12th "	200	"

County of Halton.

ESQUESING.

W ½ Lot 30, 3rd Concession, 95 acres, 65 cleared. Good buildings.

County of Kent.

CHATHAM.

N. E. ½ Lot 21, in 5th Concession, 100 acres, well timbered.

Prompt attention will be given to all prepaid letters addressed to

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK,
General Agents, Town Hall Buildings, Guelph.

Guelph 8th August, 1868

New Advertisements.

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Guelph, October 15. dw

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Fancy & Staple Dry Goods

WHICH FOR EXTENT AND QUALITY

IS NOT SURPASSED IN THE DOMINION

Mr. JEFFREY being early in the Markets has succeeded in purchasing some of the Cheapest Goods ever brought into Guelph. As the reputation of the BRADFORD HOUSE is so well known, it is useless to comment on its merits. INSPECTION is the only thing asked to convince the public that

CHEAP GOODS,

Small Profits and Quick Returns, is our motto.

THE DRESS DEPARTMENT

Being a very important one, great care and trouble has been taken in procuring the most Fashionable and Elegant Designs. In this Department we astonished every one last Summer, and this Fall we intend doing the same again.

THE STAPLE DEPARTMENT

Is the largest we have ever offered to the public. We are showing some great value in Grey and White Cottons, Sheetings, Tickings, Tweedings, and General House Furnishings. We are also offering decided bargains in 6-4 all wool Delaines at 70c., worth $1 per yard.

The Fancy and Small Ware Department!

As usual are very extensive, embracing everything New and Fashionable in their lines.

THE CANADIAN DEPARTMENT

Has received a large amount of attention. Having bought from the best manufacturers in the Province, every article we warrant is of the best description, or no sale.

☞ Every Department is well represented, and New Goods will be arriving weekly, of which due notice will be given.

PHILIP BISH

Wyndham Street, Guelph, September 8, 1868. daw tf

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SUGAR AND RAISINS—11 lbs. Beautiful Bright Sugar, $1.
10 lbs. New Valentia Raisins, $1.

TEAS—Fine flavored Young Hyson, 60c per lb.
Best Japan Tea, 65 cents per lb.
Very Fine Black, 60 cents per lb.

TOBACCOS—Good Plug Chewing, 20c per lb.
Bright Leaf Smoking, 30c per lb.
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PICKLES—One Dozen Bottles of Pickles, $2.

Lobsters, Sardines, Sauces and Spices, very Cheap at

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Wyndham Street, Guelph, October 10th. dw

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Toronto, 1st April, 1868. d

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AT COST PRICES,

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First of January,

As I am going out of that branch of the business and would particularly invite all to come and get a share of the GREAT BARGAINS, as they will get

As much for a Dollar as they can get elsewhere for a Dollar and a Half.

My Stock of GROCERIES is complete as I intend to carry on that part of the business.

LIQUORS of the very best Quality of a kinds for Tavern-keepers.

Some very Cheap CROCKERY just arrived.

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Guelph, September 19th. dwy

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Steerage - - - - 29, "

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Fare from Hamilton to New York $7, gold value
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Stockings of all colours, of the best quality made and can be bought cheap.

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The Largest Stock of Wools to be had in any store in town, including English, Fingering, Clouded, Berlin, double and single, Fleecy, Merino, and Fancy Wools of every description. All kinds of Canadian Yarns.

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His Steam Planing Mill is in constant operation All kinds of lumber, sashes, doors, blinds, mouldings &c. He solicits a share of public patronage

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Guelph, Sept. 30th, 1868. dotf