

FAREWELL NOTICE.

Mr. Editors.—Gentlemen—Allow me to offer through your columns sincere thanks for the many acts of kindness received from numerous friends here, and to express gratitude for the very liberal patronage conferred. I am compelled (although reluctantly) to say, that in consequence of an engagement to lecture, I must leave Guelph, on

Monday Night, Sept. 21st., At 8 o'clock, precisely, Therefore all who have not yet been supplied with my

UNIFORM FOCUS SPECTACLES, which suit from 15 to 25 years, without a need of a change, and those requiring advice on diseases, can consult me at the ROYAL HOTEL, Guelph, in Parlor No. 22, up to that hour and date only, at which time I strictly close my business in Guelph.

The United Wesleyan Methodist Church of Canada.

SECOND DAY. The principal business done to-day was the adoption of the rules drawn up for the government of the Conference.

A resolution to prepare a book of discipline for the United Church—known as the "Wesleyan Church of Canada," was referred to a committee.

The following statistics show the numerical strength of the individual and also of the United Conferences:—The ministerial staff in the New Connection is 31; in Eastern British America, 217; and in the Canada Conference, 701. The number of communicants in the New Connection is 7,587; in the Eastern, 20,950, and in the Canada Conference, 73,701, making a total ministerial agency of 1,009, and a membership of 102,338, in the newly organized General Conference.

Local and Other Items.

BERLIN ITEMS.—Berlin observed Wednesday as a public holiday and the citizens migrated to Guelph. The Telegraph has a circulation of 600. The three men who stole "pies and things" from a cellar here recently have got 21 days in gaol. The new fire engine house is built of white brick with red facings, and is both substantial and commodious, embracing an engine room with firemen's hall above, hose tower, and lock-up. During the progress of the base ball match between the Elmira and the Berlin boys, on Saturday last, a good silver watch was stolen from the vest pocket of a lad named Rau, a member of the former club, who had laid the garment aside while engaged in the play.

LITTELL'S LIVING AGE.—The numbers of *The Living Age*, for the weeks ending Sept. 12th and 19th, have the following notable contents: Motley's *John of Barneveld* and *Sixteenth Century Diplomacy*; Birds and Beasts in Captivity, by Archibald Banks; Essays by Richard Congreve, English Vers de Société, Homer's Place in History, by Hon. W. E. Gladstone, Mary Lamb's Letters, Professor Tyndall's Address, together with shorter articles, choice poetry and instalments or three serials, all of remarkable merit, viz: "Far from the Madding Crowd," by Thomas Hardy, author of "A Pair of Blue Eyes" etc; "Alice Lorraine" by the author of "The Maid of Sker"; and "Three Feathers" by Wm. Black, author of "The Strange Adventures of a Phaeton," "The Princess of Thule" etc. The subscription price (\$8) is low; or still better for \$10, any one of the American \$4 magazines is sent with *The Living Age* for a year. LITTELL & GAY, Boston, Publishers.

1875.—OFFICE DIARIES FOR 1875.—A large stock of Office Diaries to hand by this morning's express, at Anderson's Bookstore.

A FINE new stock of blank books, journals, day books, pocket ledgers, receipt books, bill books, cash books, letter copying books, scrap books, invoice books, indexes, book-keeping blanks, &c., &c., A full assortment now on hand at Day's Bookstore.

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Dr. M. F. McTaggart, Principal, London Medical Institute and Infirmary, will be at the Wellington Hotel, Guelph, from Friday 2nd till Monday 5th October, to meet with the afflicted requiring his services. Afflicted persons requiring the best of medical skill at the least possible outlay, would consult their own interests by calling upon Dr. McTaggart early during his stay. His wide and varied experience in treating Cancers, Tumors, Ruptures, Eye and Ear, Consumption, Asthma, Heart and Liver complaints, General Debility or Wasting of the System, stand unrivalled. The afflicted calling upon him can expect not only the best medical treatment, but being honorably dealt with. Consultation free.

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FARM FOR SALE IN WATERLOO. For sale that valuable farm in the Township of Waterloo, being the south-east part of Lot No. 124, of the German Company's Tract, in the Upper Block of said Township, containing 120 acres more or less. Ninety-five acres are cleared, well fenced and under good cultivation, the balance covered with pine, cedar and hardwood. Fifty acres of the cleared part, in grass, continuous frame dwelling house, barn 75 x 35 feet built in 1872, two root-houses, 2 driving sheds, sheep and hog stables, 3 wells of good spring water with pumps, and all other conveniences required about a farm. The farm is situated 9 miles from Guelph, 7 from Galt, and 4 from Preston and Breslau, in a good neighborhood and in one of the best farming sections of Ontario. Terms and all other information made known by applying on the premises to the undersigned, or by letter not paid to JOHN BARKER, Preston, P. O. Ontario. Preston, August 4th, 1874. wit

WELLINGTON COUNTY COUNCIL. The Office of the Clerk of the County Council, in Guelph, will be open the first Wednesday in every month, letters on County business had better be addressed to JOHN DEATIE, Clerk Wellington Co.

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Previous to receiving Fall Stock we have concluded upon a Clearing Sale

DURING THIS MONTH

Of our entire stock, consisting of

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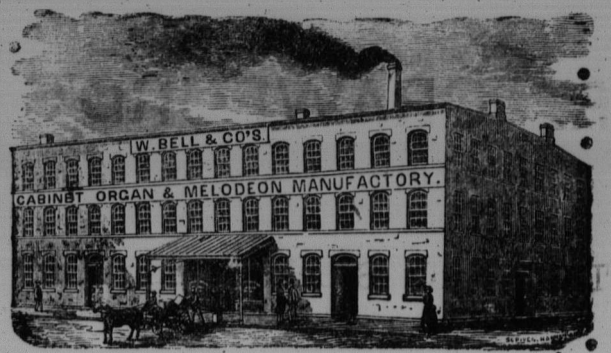
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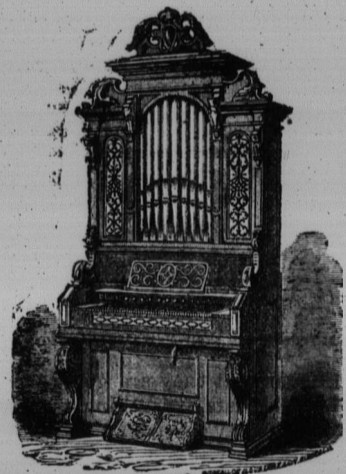
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BY CALLING

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Book and News Depot, and Great Base Ball Emporium,

ST. GEORGE'S SQUARE

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BLACK SILKS

William Stewart

Begs to announce the arrival of a Case of 5,500 yards of Black Silks. Taking the advantage of the late depression in the Silk Markets of Britain and the Continent, I have secured the above at prices quite unprecedented in the annals of Black Silks for lowness of price, and am now offering Bright Black Silks at 75c, 85c, 95c, \$1, \$1.15, \$1.20, and up.

On comparison purchasers will find fully a reduction of from 25 to 33 per cent. on former prices.

Mr. Stewart respectfully informs the public that the present is a grand time to buy, as prices are again advancing.

WM. STEWART.

August 26th, 1874.

N.B.—New Autumn Goods daily arriving, and grand value.

RECEIVED.

Ex. S. S. Caspian, 1 Cask Cutlery. " Cases Steel. " 260 Bbls Hoop Iron. " Scandinavian, 4 Casks Chains. " 3 loose " " 1 Cask Hardware. " Memphis 250 boxes Canada Plate. " Severn, 16 Rolls Oil Cloth. " Terns, 1881 Bbls Iron. " Dominion, 11 Casks Hardware. " 1 Case " " 10 Casks Chains. " 3 loose Chains. " 155 Bbls Gas Tubes. " 10 Kege Nails. " 5 Cases Borax.

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WM. NOBLE. Guelph, Sept. 2nd, 1874.

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