

Getting their Deserts.
On Monday nine members of the Ontario Legislature—Messrs. Greeley, Eyre, Lauder, Craig, Smith, Barber, McGill, Cockburn, and Swinerton—published a letter in the *Leader*, complaining of the so-called dictation of the *Globe*, in calling them to account for several bad votes they gave, and for their traitorous desertion from the Reform party. The *Globe* replied on Wednesday in a scathing article, in which each of these pliable "Reformers" were taken singly to task, and where it was shown how each was influenced in supporting the "Coalition" by some selfish or interested motive. The nine "martyrs" reply to this in a short letter, published in the *Globe* of today, in which, like drowning rats, they seek hold of a sentence in the article in question, that the Reform party cannot be held responsible for the *Globe's* utterances, and try to escape condemnation by thus getting from under the *Globe's* dictation, and free we suppose to vote and speak and act as they like, independent of party claims or principle. Some of these gentlemen will find that the condemnation which they think they have escaped will come from another quarter which they cannot affect to despise. We notice that already the Reformers of Halton, who elected Mr. Wm. Barber, are taking steps to call him to account for his conduct. They held a meeting at Milton on Tuesday, over which the Warden, Archibald Campbell Esq., a staunch and true Reformer, presided, at which the recent manifesto of Mr. Barber, and the eight others, were taken into consideration and a general feeling of condemnation given expression to. It was resolved to request him to attend a general meeting of Reformers, to be held there on Friday, the 29th instant, for the purpose of expounding his position.

Reciprocity with the Dominion.
The New York *Post* says: The whole question of Reciprocity treaties lies in a nutshell. The people of the United States want some of the products of Canada, and must have them; the question is whether we get them cheap, or pass laws to make them dear. A few men who have similar products to sell in this country want to make them as dear as possible; the mass of people want them cheap as possible. Just now the few have their way; the natural price of coal, potatoes, fish and many other articles of necessity, being artificially raised for their benefit by act of Congress.

Those people who sell lumber and coal at a third more than they are worth, because the natural supply is kept out of the markets by law; talk about the movement for reciprocity as if it were an attack on their vested rights. In point of fact, they are the assailants; they have seized a position which does not belong to them; and reciprocity would only give it back.

Senator Morrill, of Vermont, in an elaborate speech yesterday against any form of reciprocity, discussed at great length the powers and rights of the House of Representatives as against the Senate, and tried to identify the interests of these monopolies with the popular branch of Congress, against the treaty making power. We hope neither House will permit itself to be led astray from the main question by such a transparent device as this. What the people want is cheap rent and cheap food; they know that to secure these, the free importation of Canadian lumber and potatoes is necessary.

POLITICAL RUMORS.—All sorts of rumors are flying about the old world. 1st. Great efforts have been made to reconcile the reigning families of Austria and Prussia, but without success. 2nd. The Crown Prince of Prussia was to have passed through France on his return from England, but was made to change his route to Belgium by Bismarck. 3rd. Prince Nicholas of Montenegro has gone on a visit to the Czar, to organize a great united movement of the Slave population of Turkey to second the Greeks as soon as war between Greece and Turkey breaks out. 4th. Lord Clarendon has said that Russia and Prussia should occupy the congress of great powers before Turkey and Greece. 5th. Russia and Austria are making a rush to see which will be first to get possession of Wallachia and Moldavia, when the Turkish Empire in Europe breaks up. 6th. Louis Napoleon has told Bismarck to stop his interference in Baden. Prussia is not on any account to cross the Meim. 7th. The echoes of the Tuilleries are more and more warlike. 8th. The Viceroy of Egypt is going to help Turkey in her struggle with Greece.

A YANKEE ON HIS TRAVELS.—To show how far a man can travel, what he can do, how long he can live, and how he can live on \$100, greenbacks, a Mr. Keeley, of Toledo, states that he started from that city, got a free ride to New York, bought a steamer ticket for London, got a glimpse of the World's Fair in that city, saw the Emperor's *féte* in Paris, and at last arrived at Heidelberg, where he took lodgings in a sky-parlour at a rent of two gulden or eighty cents a month. Here he pursued his studies at the university, and sustained a decently comfortable existence upon breakfast at four kreutzers, or three cents apiece, dinners that cost eight cents, and suppers that came to four cents for each one. Being a graduate of an American college, his tuition fees at the university were \$10 the half-year. He travelled over Germany in the disguise of a tradesman's apprentice, which secured him good fare at the lowest possible cost. Three times he was reduced to nearly his last sou, and three times he was saved by remittances from newspapers, to which he had sent contributions. One morning he found himself on the Pont Neuf, in Paris, when he had not a centime to bless self with, and had eaten nothing that day, and was saved from suicide by falling in with an unfortunate who had reached the spot intent on her own destruction. He made the triumphant; and now he is at Heidelberg, and should have a medal, or an official testimonial from the economical kees he so ably represented.

A royal officer in Canada recently evidence of his peculiarly English patriotism by remarking as he looked across St. Lawrence at a place where it miles wide: "Ah, this reminds me of Thames."

Legislature of Ontario.

TORONTO, Jan. 20.
Attorney General Macdonald introduced a bill respecting lands sold for arrears of taxes. Its effects will be to stop absolutely, until after the end of next session, all sale in which any sale, or alleged sale of lands for arrears, or alleged arrears of taxes, or the title derived, or claimed to be derived, from or through such sale, shall or may be impeached, invalidated, or brought in question. It applies to all actions which may be pending in the courts—no matter what stage they may have reached, while the commencement of new suits is entirely prohibited. It does not the slightest recognition of the grounds on which the tax title is disputed. An "alleged sale" is for the purposes of this Bill as good a bar to an action as a bona fide sale. An "alleged" arrangement of taxes is just as good as a real one, though the plaintiff in the suit may be ready to show that the taxes were regularly paid, and as has happened before this, appeared to be in arrears simply through the blunder of some clerk or collector. The bill is to be read a second time to-morrow.

The House went into Committee of the Whole on the bill to amend the Assessment law. Several amendments were made to the clauses, and the bill was reported on, and ordered for a third reading to-morrow.

The House went into committee of the whole on the bill to amend the act incorporating the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway.
Hon. Mr. Cameron moved the substitution of the following, as the 1st clause of the Bill:—
"That all By-laws passed by any Municipality, or voted upon by the ratepayers of any municipality, when passed for the purpose of aiding the said Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway Company, and all debentures issued or to be issued under such by-law or by-laws shall be and are hereby declared to be legal and valid; provided such by-law or by-laws have been adopted by a majority of legal qualified ratepayers who have voted thereon; and provided further, that the annual rate of assessment shall not in any case exceed, for all purposes, 3 cents in the dollar on the actual value of the whole rateable property within the jurisdiction of each municipality granting such bonus."
Two amendments were moved to this, but they were lost, and the above resolution was adopted, and the bill ordered for a third reading to-morrow.

HIGH PEW RENTS.—At the annual sale of pews in Plymouth Church, Brooklyn (Mr. Beecher's), a few days ago, the premiums paid for choice seats began at \$420, and came gradually down, the whole amounting to \$42,500. This was in addition to the assessed pew rents, which amounted to \$54,500, in all, \$97,000 of income from pews. The party, for instance, who paid \$420 premium, also paid \$120 pew rent, or \$540 in all for a single year. This scarcely looks like a free Gospel, or preaching the Gospel to the poor.

A telegram to the London *Advertiser* states that a conference of the Superior Court Judges took place in Toronto on Saturday to ascertain the views likely to be held at the meeting of the Court of Appeal on Friday next. The result has not transpired.

New Advertisements.

MORGAN'S DOMINION HAIR-DRESSING PARLOR
HAVING had large experience in Cutting and Dressing Hair in the Old Country and in the British Army, where a great deal of good hair had to be displayed to meet the requirements of aspiring young officers, and having carried on the business for half a year, and prospered well in Guelph, I will only add that being now assisted by Mr. JOHN THORNTON, long and favorably known in Guelph, I am better able to give satisfaction than any in the profession. Having observed a good deal of carelessness in many barbershops in regard to the lather-cups and hair brushes, I am determined to keep them clean, as is well known I have done in the past. Best Hair Dye used. A call is solicited where dyeing is needed. Come, gentlemen of Guelph, come all. Satisfaction guaranteed or nothing charged. Special attention paid to Ladies' and Children's Hair—the latter only charged 10 cents for hair cutting. Remember the shop—St. George's Square, behind the English Church, Guelph.
Guelph, January 21. dwtly E. MORGAN.

THE TOWN OF GUELPH.
Applications will be received at the next meeting of Council for the offices of Assessors.
JAMES HOUGH, Town Clerk
Guelph, January 20. dwtly

LAND PLASTER.
PARIS and CALEDONIAN PLASTER at the Montreal Produce Store, at the old stand below the railway crossing.
Guelph, Jan 17. dwtly GEO. BALKWELL.

PUBLIC NOTICE.
The subscriber has to intimate that during his absence in England all orders left at the shop will be promptly attended to as usual. Parties indebted to him will please call at his house and settle as early as possible.
Guelph, 6th Jan. dwtly W. H. JACOMB.

APPRENTICE WANTED.
Wanted at the Mercantile Office an apprentice to the Printing business. A stout, active, well-reading, good English education, 15 or 16 years of age, from the country preferred. Apply at once.
Guelph, 3rd December. dwtly

STRAY HEIFER.
Came on the premises of the subscriber, Lot No. 20, 5th Con, Nassagaweya, about the 1st of Dec. last, a young heifer, principally red. The owner can recover by proving property and paying expenses.
Nassagaweya, 20th Jan. dwtly JOHN RAMAGE.

NEW MUSIC BOOK.
"THE WREATH OF GEMS," a Collection of the most Popular Songs, Ballads and Duets of the day, with Accompaniment for the Piano-forte. Boards, \$2.00. Cloth, \$3.00. Cloth, full gilt, \$4.00. Sent post-paid on receipt of price to DITSON & CO., Publishers, Washington Street, Boston. C. H. DITSON & CO., 711 Broadway, New York.

MONEY TO LEND.
The undersigned are requested to obtain Farm Securities for several thousand dollars, to be lent at moderate interest.
LEMON & PETERSON,
Barristers, Solicitors, &c.
Guelph, Dec. 9th, 1868. dwtly

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

Notice is hereby given that the co-partnership heretofore existing between F.W. Galbraith and George Beattie, as partners, &c., under the style and firm of Galbraith & Beattie, of the Town of Guelph, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 1st of January, 1869. The business in future will be carried on at the old stand by Mr. Beattie. Parties having claims against the late firm are requested to send them in for liquidation, and parties indebted will please call and settle the same either with Mr. Galbraith or Mr. Beattie.
Witness, J. F. GALBRAITH,
JOHN SROSOVIC, J. GEO. BEATTIE,
Guelph, 10th January, 1869. dwtly

NOTICE.
The subscriber in returning thanks to the public for the patronage bestowed on the late firm of Galbraith & Beattie, would beg to say that he intends carrying on the business in all its branches at the old stand, West Market Square, Guelph, and hopes by strict attention to business, and moderate charges, to merit a share of public support. As he intends using only the best of stock, and employing none but first-class workmen, the public may depend on getting a good article. He will always keep on hand, and make to order, the newest and best styles of Harness, Saddles, Bridles, Martingales, Trunks, Valises, Whips, Horse Blankets, Brushes, Curry Combs, Mane Combs, Cards, Spurs, Whip-lashes of all kinds, Oil and Varnish for cleaning harness, and all other articles connected with his business.
A liberal discount made for cash. All kinds of repairing done with neatness and dispatch.
GEORGE BEATTIE,
January 19. dwtly West Market Square

NEW GROCERY, GLASSWARE, and CROCKERY STORE,
WYNDHAM-ST., GUELPH.
J. & D. MARTIN
Beg respectfully to inform the inhabitants generally of Guelph and vicinity that they will open on **SATURDAY, 23rd Jan.,** a choice assortment of Family Groceries, Glassware and Crockery, in the premises lately occupied by Wm. McGill & Co.
They beg to assure those ladies and gentlemen who have favored their predecessor with their custom, that they will be able to procure at the above establishment articles of a superior quality, selected from some of the first wholesale houses in the Province.
They also beg to state that their constant endeavor will be, by the excellence of their Goods, the moderation of their charges, and unremitting attention to the wishes of their customers, to ensure and retain that patronage and support which they now respectfully solicit.
JOHN MARTIN, DAVID MARTIN
Guelph, 20th January. dwtly

1869. Wholesale. 1869.
Wellington Boot & Shoe Manufactory
WYNDHAM-ST., GUELPH.
JOHNA. McMILLAN
Has much pleasure in intimating to the Trade that he is now prepared to supply at the **Lowest Wholesale Prices Boots and Shoes of every Description, Style, and Variety.**
All Manufactured by himself in Guelph. Dealers are requested to call and examine my stock and prices, and they will find a much better article than any imported work, and their price as low as the Wellington Boot & Shoe Manufactory.
WANTED, a number of good journeymen to work on Ladies' Kid, Goat, Prunella and Canvas Gaiters, in connection with the McKay Sewing Machine.
LEATHER WANTED.
Tanners can find a cash market for every description of Leather, any quantity, at any time, at the Wellington Boot & Shoe Manufactory.
SPECIAL NOTICE.
The whole of the present stock of Boots and Shoes, Rubbers and Moroccosins, will be sold cheaper than any man can sell imported work—this is no humbug. Call and see, and remember the spots—Guelph, Fergus and Elora.
JOHNA. McMILLAN,
Bootmaker for the Million
Guelph, 4th January, 1869. dwtly

SPECIAL NOTICE.
The subscriber in returning thanks for the liberal patronage bestowed on him in former years, begs to announce that he has selected a NEW OPERATING ROOM at 107-108, at the expense of introducing all the improvements of the day, as well as
New RUSTIC Accessories.
He is prepared to execute Photographs and Portraits of all kinds.
From the Locket to Life Size
Equal as regards finish and life-like appearance, to any that can be obtained in the Dominion—Copying of PORTRAITS in all its branches as usual, done in a satisfactory manner.
In Large Photographs with Frames he intends offering Special Inducements during the coming Holidays.
Parties requiring a large sized Photograph with handsome frame, or any other Portrait of themselves or families, will find it to their advantage to call and examine specimens and prices.
Rooms: Directly over John A. Wood's Grocery Store, Wyndham-st.
WILLIAM BURGESS,
Guelph, December 12. dwtly

NOTICE TO DEBTORS.
ESTATE LATE DR. PARKER.
The Executors of the late Dr. Parker have placed the Medical Accounts of the said Estate in the hands of Mr. R. MEIBERTH for collection, who is authorized to grant receipts for the same. He will be found at the store of Messrs. C. & T. Meredith, west side of Wyndham Street, a few doors below the Old Post Office. All accounts not paid by 1st February next will be put in suit in the Division Court.
GEORGE ELLIOTT,
N. HIGGINBOTHAM,
EDWARD BLAKE, Executors.
Guelph, Jan. dwtly

PRIZE DENTISTRY.
DR. R. CAMPBELL.
OFFICE next door to the Advertiser's office, Wyndham Street, Guelph.
References—Drs. Clarke & Orm, McGuire, Herod and McGregor and Cowan, Guelph; Drs. Buchanan & Phillips, Toronto; Drs. Elliott and Meyers, Dentists, Toronto. Teeth extracted without pain.
Guelph, 12th Jan, 1869. dwtly

NEW BUTCHER SHOP.
The subscriber has opened a new Butcher Shop on the London Road, near the Guelph Marble Works, where he is prepared to sell Best Mutton, Pork and Lamb as cheap as it can be bought in the market sheds. The subscriber respectfully requests a share of public patronage.
Guelph, Dec 23. dwtly B. B. PRESANT.

BOARDING and DAY SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES.
CHURCH-ST., GUELPH.
MISS WIGHTMAN begs to announce that her school will re-open (D.V.) on the 4th of January, 1869.
Guelph, 24th December. dwtly

OYSTERS BY MEASURE.

Bring Your Bowls and Pails
And get them filled with OYSTERS at WALKER'S, and save the price of cans and canning.
HUGH WALKER.
Guelph, Jan. 15. dwtly

SEE THE PROSPECTUS.
Alterations now going on. Carpenters at work.
AT SHEWAN'S OLD STAND
The subscriber, who has been for the past twelve years in the Wholesale and Retail Book Trade in Toronto, having purchased the lease of Stock, has concluded to change the business of BOOK SELLING, &c. He is now occupying the premises in the NEW STORE, in the vicinity of a fine assortment of Books in every department of Literature. The OPENING SKRANS will be held on—
J. B. THORNTON.
Guelph, 16th January. dwtly

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New Advertisement.

GREAT AUCTION SALE

GO TO THE AUCTION SALE OF

DRY GOODS

AT THE RUTHERFORD HOUSE

This Evening, at Seven o'clock!

NO RESERVE.

Sale to continue to-morrow at 11.30, and evening.

Guelph, 21st January. dwtly

LOOK HERE

"The Moon shines still, though little dogs bark at it."

SO THE

MASON & HAMLIN

CABINET AND METROPOLITAN

ORGANS

Continue to arrive. variety

AT CLARKE'S MUSIC STORE.

WHAT'S IN A NAME? COME AND SEE

W. WARNER CLARKE,
Guelph, January 16. dwtly Market Square, Guelph

Retiring from the Retail Trade.

ENTIRE STOCK OF DRY GOODS TO BE SOLD OUT.

WM. STEWART,

In returning thanks to his friends and the public for the liberal patronage bestowed on him for the last thirteen years, respectfully intimates his intention of retiring from the Retail Business.

In order to facilitate the entire clearance of Stock, he will on WEDNESDAY, 6th JANUARY, commence the GREAT SALE, when Goods will be offered at Cost, and in many cases under. The public should take advantage of this rare opportunity of securing first-class Goods at the Lowest Prices ever offered in Guelph. The reputation of the Stock being so well known for extra quality, and being composed of New and Fashionable Goods, all may rely on extraordinary Bargains.

On and after the 2nd of January the Books will be closed, and during the sale Goods will be sold only FOR CASH.

N. B.—This is no clap-trap sale, as the subscriber is positively retiring.

WILLIAM STEWART,
Wyndham Street, Guelph }
Dec. 30th, 1868. dwtly

ATTENTION. PROMPTNESS. DESPATCH.

ENGLISH MAGAZINES FOR JANUARY TO HAND AT

DAY'S BOOKSTORE,

OPPOSITE THE MARKET HOUSE, GUELPH.

Bow Bells
English Woman's
Bellevue
Caswell's
World of Fashion
English Mechanic
Boy's Own
Young English Woman's
Sunday at Home
Leisure Hour
Good Words

Sunday Magazine
London Journal
The Quiver
Good Words for the Young
London Society
Cornhill
Argosy
Young Ladies' Journal
Beeton's Annual
Bellevue Journal
Xmas No. Chambers' Journal

I can supply any MAGAZINE OR NEWSPAPER published on short notice. Leave me your Order for what you require in the Newspaper or Magazine line. Then you will be sure to receive them early, with promptness and despatch. My facilities for furnishing the above are very complete. You have the privilege of discontinuing by giving six weeks' notice for British and one week for American.

T. J. DAY,

Guelph, Jan. 13. Bookseller, opposite the Market, Guelph



TOILET REQUISITES!

Hair, Nail & Tooth Brushes.

A Splendid Assortment of

Rimmel's, Edes', & Lubin's

Choice Extracts

Honey, Glycerine, Almond, Rose and Brown.

WILLIAM STEWART,
Guelph, Jan. 10. dwtly

SOAPS

Amlyo-Glycerine Toilet Powder, Oriental Hair Powder, Perfumery, Turkey Soaps, &c. The largest, cheapest and most varied assortment ever imported into Guelph now being opened at the Medical Hall.

E. HARVEY & CO.
Guelph, Jan. 10. dwtly

VALUABLE and DESIRABLE DWELLING HOUSE FOR SALE.

That eligible and commodious Stone Dwelling House and Lot containing nearly half an acre of ground, with large Stables and out-houses complete, the residence of the late Dr. Parker, situated on the corner of Market and Dublin Streets.—This property is but a short distance from the Market and business part of the Town, and is an admirable location as a dwelling for a professional or business man. The above property will be sold on easy terms, which may be known by applying to

GEORGE ELLIOTT,
N. HIGGINBOTHAM,
Guelph, Jan. 2. dwtly Executors.

CAUTION.

I hereby caution any person from buying all, or any one of three notes, drawn in favor of Robert Shree, signed by me, and backed by Joseph Draper, of the Village of Arthur, as I have received no value for them. The first note is due on the third day of February, 1869; the second on the third day of August, 1869; the third on the third day of February, 1870.

JOHN BOND,
Arthur, Jan. 6th, 1869. wotly

NOTICE.

Farmers and others having empty barrels in their possession belonging to the Silver Creek Brewery will please return them at once, as any kept an unnecessary time after being emptied will be charged.

GEORGE SLEEMAN,
Guelph, Nov. 20. dwtly