

THE FALL TRADE.

Now that the Fall Trade has commenced, we have to remind the business men of this section that our facilities for turning out all kinds of JOB PRINTING are unrivalled.

Guelph Evening Mercury

TUESDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 22.

GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY.

The half-yearly meeting of the shareholders of the Great Western Railway of Canada was held in London on the 9th inst., when the report of the Directors was submitted.

The following circular was sent on Monday from the Head Office in Montreal to the Managers of Branches throughout the country:—

Managers of the Commercial Bank: You will please communicate the following statement to the public:—The Directors of the Commercial Bank of Canada deeply regret that owing to the continued drain upon the resources of the Bank by the withdrawal of deposits and their inability to obtain adequate assistance from any source, they have been compelled to determine upon a suspension of specie payments.

Proclamation by the Pope. The Pope has delivered the following address to the members of the Consistory:—

BELOVED BRETHREN.—The Catholic world is well aware how many times we have had to deplore and reprove the grievous wrongs, and grave injuries the Subalpine government has, in defiance of all divine and human rights, and without regard to ecclesiastical censures and penalties, inflicted for a number of years on the Catholic Church, on us and this Apostolic See, on the bishops, on the consecrated ministers, on the religious orders of both sexes, and on other pious institutions.

The Commercial Bank Stopped Payment.

We regret to learn that the Commercial Bank stopped payment yesterday. The bank has lately had very heavy losses, and much of its capital has been locked up in railway and other loans, which, though certain to produce favourable returns sooner or later, deprive the institution of a very large portion of its working funds.

A Meeting of the Bank managers was held in Montreal on Monday, having been called some time ago by the authorities of the Commercial Bank. All the banks of the country were represented. The object of the meeting was to consider an application made by the Commercial Bank for a loan from the other banks of \$750,000 to carry it over the difficulties which have lately beset it.

FROM MEXICO.—The result of the Presidential election in Mexico is not known. Juarez had a majority in the city of Mexico.

DOMINION RIFLE ASSOCIATION.—Col. McDougall, Assistant Adjutant General of Militia, has taken a step in which he will no doubt be seconded by volunteers throughout the Dominion.

NO DESPATCHES.—In consequence of the wires being almost wholly occupied with transmission of messages from and to Toronto and the failure of the Commercial Bank, we have been unable to obtain our usual afternoon and four o'clock despatches.

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FROM OTTAWA.—The Globe's correspondent says Messrs. John Duggan and Charles Durand, of Toronto, are in the field for the vacant Judgeship of York County. Some trouble exists to get sufficiently grand officers for the new and unnecessary Ministers created out of the Finance department.

DISTRESS IN FRANCE.—The Pall Mall Gazette of the 4th October reports:—The distress which has for some time prevailed among the working classes in France appears by the latest reports from the manufacturing districts to be on an increase. At Rouen most of the factory hands now work for only four days in the week, and it is said that the manufacturers will soon reduce this number to three.

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COOK WANTED. WANTED, a first-class cook to live in Hamilton. To a competent person good wages will be given and permanent engagement. Apply personally to Mr. BRODIE, Station Master, Great Western Railway, Guelph. Guelph, 18th October, 1867.

MONTREAL OCEAN STEAMSHIP CO. Y. 1867 1867 GUELPH AGENCY. Steam to Liverpool, Londonderry and Glasgow.

MORTGAGE SALE OF A FARM. UNDER and by Virtue of the Powers and authority contained in a certain Mortgage, bearing date the Twelfth day of May, 1865, duly registered, and made by one Samuel Platt (his wife joining therein to bar her dower), there will be offered for sale at the

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GUELPH Melodeon and Cabinet Organ FACTORY.

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Melodeons and Cabinet Organs! superior to any on the continent, at prices as low as those of any other good maker. They defy competition and challenge comparison.

First-class PIANOS for Sale. Facto y and Ware-rooms, East Market Square, Guelph.

FARM FOR SALE. THE subscriber offers for sale a first-class farm, being Lot No. 8, East half 3rd Con., Township of Erin, containing 100 acres, from 75 to 80 of which are cleared, and, with the exception of about 10 acres, free of stumps.

Enlargement of Premises. LABOR ARRIVALS OF DRY GOODS

GROCERIES, HARDWARE, CROCKERY, BOOTS & SHOES, READY-MADE CLOTHING, WINES AND LIQUORS.

J. McLEOD, ROCKWOOD. HAVING purchased the greater portion of his Goods direct, he is in a position to sell at Toronto and Hamilton Wholesale Prices.

CREDIT SALE. TO be sold by Public Auction, on the premises of Mr. Michael Carrher, Lot 8, 8th Con., Div. C, Guelph Township, near Strickland's bridge, ON SATURDAY, 2nd Nov., 1867

TEACHER WANTED. A MALE TEACHER of experience, holding a first-class Normal School certificate, for School Section No. 8, Puslinch. Salary not attached to an object with an eligible person. Duties to commence on the 1st of January, 1868.

ESTRAY COW. CAME on the premises of the subscriber, Lot 4, Division B, Paisley Block, about the 25th of September, a red cow about 8 years old. The owner can have her by proving property and paying expenses.

A Lot of New Strained Honey. At E. CARROLL & Co's, Guelph, Oct. 7, 1867. No. 2, Day's Block.

New Advertisements. D. SAVAGE, WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH. BEGS to call attention to his very large stock of

ELECTRO-PLATED WARE! JUST RECEIVED, CONSISTING OF Electro-Plated Tea Sets. Cruet Frames, Cake Baskets, Card Baskets, Butter Coolers, Egg Stands, Fruit Stands, Pickle Frames.

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MAGAZINES! Now on hand at DAY'S BOOKSTORE, Opposite the Market.

English Magazines, FOR OCTOBER. Bow Bells, London Journal, Family Herald, English Woman's Argosy, Temple Bar, British Workman, Children's Friend, Infant's Magazine, Band of Hope, Boys' Magazine.

Breakfast Cruets, Sugar Baskets, Cream Jugs, Call Bells, Waiters, Childrens' Cups, Sugar Spoons, Butter Knives, &c.

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Teacher Wanted. A School Teacher for School Section No. 5, Township of Puslinch, County of Wellington. Good references required. One having a First-class Certificate for Common Schools. To commence teaching on the first day of November next. Apply personally to School Trustees.