

NOTICE ABOUT ACCOUNTS.

All accounts for Printing or Advertising rendered to the 1st of January must be paid by the 1st of March, otherwise costs will be incurred.

Subscribers in arrears will have to the 1st of March to pay up. After that they will be charged the credit price.

Guelph Evening Mercury

SATURDAY EVENING, FEB. 21, 1874

North Riding Election.

The election on Friday in North Wellington resulted in the return of Mr. McGowan by a majority of 60. We regret very much the defeat of Mr. O'Callaghan, who entered into the canvass, and carried it on to the end, with great spirit, and who has at least the satisfaction of knowing that he spared no legitimate effort in retaining the Riding for the Government.

North Wellington.

The following are the returns, as full as we can get this day:—

Table with 2 columns: Name and Votes. Includes Amarant, Arthur Village, Arthur Township, Maryboro, Mt. Forest, Minto & Harriston, Luther, Peel, and Total.

Dr. Burr claims that in the new Parliament there will be 83 supporters of Home Rule.

LETTERS received by parties in Quebec confirm the report that three regiments of British troops are to be sent to Canada.

The Reformers of Monck have decided to protest Mr. McCallum's election for that County.

A CORRESPONDENT in the Ottawa Times points out that the rumor of a military force being established in British Columbia arose from the desire expressed by the Local Government of that Province that the Dominion Government should maintain a force at Kamloops to protect outlying settlements from threatened Indian invasions.

Victoria Railway Company.

A short time ago the prospectus of this new Railway Company was published, along with a petition asking the Ontario Government for aid towards its construction. We copy from the Reporter the following abstract of the prospectus:—

The line proposed is first of all to connect with the Toronto & Nipissing in the Township of Beach, then with the Whitby & Port Perry Railway in the same Township, next with the Midland Railway now building there, with the Grand Junction should it be built at Lindsay, thence northward through the Township of Fenelon to Fenelon Falls, thence nor-easterly along the valley of Barot River through the iron regions in the Township of Deseronto, and thence to a point at or near the confluence of the Des Moines with the Ottawa river.

The petition, after laying down the route, goes on to show the advantages of the proposed scheme to the Province of Ontario, and also draws pertinent attention to the fact that at present all products raised in Western Ontario, brought for use in the lumbering trade of Ottawa, can only reach that section by means of the Quebec Railway or rail and steamer routes, the cost of which may be briefly shown by giving the price of a barrel of pork in Ontario as being \$25, while at its destination on the Ottawa it is worth \$50.

The King of the Sandwich Islands is said.

The Struggle in Cuba.

Fresh and extraordinary exertions are being made by the Spanish authorities to crush the insurrection which, after the lapse of five years of sullen relentless warfare, seems as far from extinction as ever. Moreover, the "Virginius" affair admonished the Spaniards of the danger of foreign intervention connected with this continued rebellion.

A remarkable rose bush adorns the cottage of S. A. Rendall, of Santa Rosa, California. It was planted in 1858, and is of the Lamarque variety, the most beautiful of the white roses.

ALEX. F. PIRIE, Issuer of Marriage Licenses, Herald Office, Guelph, Guelph, Dec. 18, 1872.

BIRTHS.

HUTCHINSON—In Garafraxa, on the 12th inst., the wife of Mr. John Hutchinson, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

DONNELLY—HACKING—At the residence of the bride's father, on the 17th inst., by the Rev. John Scott, B.A., T. Donnelly, Esq., minister, to Maggie, youngest daughter of W. H. Hacking, Esq., all of Listowel.

DIED.

WILKIE—In Fergus, on the 12th inst., Alexander Wilkie, Esq., aged 88 years.

NEW GOODS.

Electro-plated Cruet Stands, elegant patterns. Ivory-handled Tails and Dessert Knives. Nickel Silver and Electro-plated Forks to suit.

JOHN HORSMAN'S, HARDWARE MERCHANT, GUELPH.

FOR SALE.

To Blacksmiths and Waggon Makers. The subscriber offers for sale a Blacksmith shop, Waggon shop, and Dwelling House in the village of Eden Mills, seven miles from Guelph.

Mr. Wm. Hood being about to retire from business, has instructed W. S. G. Knowles to sell by public auction, on the premises, on FRIDAY, the 27th of FEBRUARY next, the whole of the valuable furniture and effects belonging to the establishment, comprising Bar Room, Sitting Room, and Kitchen Furniture, beds and bedding.

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PAY UP.

All parties indebted to W. D. HEPBURN & CO. are requested to call at the old stand, and pay their accounts before the 15th of March, or they will be placed in the hands of A. A. Baker, Esq., for collection.

W. D. HEPBURN & Co. GUELPH, Feb. 17, 1874.

POULTRY SHOW.

OPEN TO THE WORLD.

POULTRY BOOKS

The Illustrated Book of Poultry, by Wright. The Poultry Book, by Tegetmeier. Eggs and Poultry as a Source of Wealth. Domestic Poultry, how to rear and keep them. The Poultry Magazine. Poultry Books from 15c to \$10.

ANDERSON'S

Cheap Bookstore, East Side Wyndham-st., Guelph, Ont.

DAY'S

5c. COPY BOOK

MADE OF THE BEST PAPER

Will last a copy a day for seven weeks and one day.

As good as any 10c. Book in the Market.

FOR SALE AT Day's Bookstore, Guelph

DAY SELLS CHEAP.

1874 Fresh Arrival. 1874

NEW GOODS

ARRIVED

AT J. HUNTER'S

Wholesale and Retail.

CALL AND SEE

The Largest Stock, The Greatest Variety, The Best and the Cheapest Goods for the Season Ever exhibited in Guelph.

AT J. HUNTER'S, Berlin Wool, Fancy Goods and Toy Store, Wyndham Street Guelph.

FURNITURE AT RETAIL.

BURR & SKINNER

Take pleasure in announcing that in addition to their wholesale trade they are now selling at retail at their new warehouses.

At the Factory, Oxford st.,

ALL KINDS OF

FURNITURE

Spring Beds, Mattresses, &c.

Having large facilities for making Furniture, they are in a position to offer every inducement in the way of fresh new goods, new designs, and best of English, all at low prices.

Also, all kinds of ordered Work, Upholstering, &c., done at the shortest notice.

BURR & SKINNER, Guelph, Jan. 27, 1874.

THOS. WORSWICK

MANUFACTURER OF

MACHINISTS' TOOLS

Complete, with best modern attachments.

STEAM ENGINES

Of a superior class, with variable cut off. Also cheap Portable and Stationary Engines, the smaller sizes of which are designed for Plating Offices, and others requiring small power.

Jobbing will Receive Careful Attention.

THOS. WORSWICK, Guelph, Ont. d.w.v.

Dec. 17, 1873.

New Advertisements.

THE FASHIONABLE WEST END

STILL BUSY!

Notwithstanding General Complaints, Business continues very good at The Fashionable West End.

We are now actively engaged taking stock and expect to finish on or about Wednesday next, the 25th inst., after which we will be prepared to enter with great energy upon the

SPRING CAMPAIGN

Remnants, Remnants, Remnants.

The balance of our Remnants must be sold off at once.

Extraordinary Bargains will be given during the Next Ten Days.

A. O. BUCHAM,

Fashionable West End Dress, Mantle, and Millinery Establishment.

Change of Business.

We beg leave to intimate that with the intention of devoting our time exclusively to the Wholesale Manufacturing, we have disposed of our Retail and Custom Business to Messrs. R. MACGREGOR & CO., who will carry on the business, and for whom we bespeak the patronage of all old customers, and the public generally. From an acquaintance of some years we can confidently recommend them as worthy of a liberal support.

W. D. HEPBURN & Co.

WITH reference to the above we have the pleasure to state that we have purchased the stock of Messrs. W. D. HEPBURN & Co., on favorable terms, and are making large additions to the same, which will be complete in a few days.

In respectfully asking for the patronage of all the old customers and the public generally, we hope to secure the same by keeping first-class goods, selling at the most reasonable prices, and offering the largest and best assortment in town to choose from, keeping it, as it has been in the past, the leading Boot and Shoe business in Guelph.

Custom Work will receive special attention, and satisfaction guaranteed. Repairing promptly attended to as usual.

R. MACGREGOR & CO. Successors to W. D. Hepburn & Co.

1874 1874

NEW

HATS AND CAPS

-AT-

SHAW & MURTON'S,

GUELPH.

FRESH FISH

RECEIVED DAILY PER EXPRESS.

Fresh Cod, Fresh Haddock, Fresh Flounders,

" Lobsters, " Herrings, " Salmon Trout,

" Speckled Trout, Fresh Oysters, cans full.

HUGH WALKER,

Wyndham-st., Guelph.

Guelph, Feb. 10, 1874.

Elephant Clothing Store.

C. E. PEIRCE & CO.

We are now selling our stock of Ready-made Clothing and Furnishing Goods at COST in order to make room for Spring Stock.

THOSE IN WANT OF CLOTHING SHOULD CALL, FOR THEY WILL SAVE MONEY BY DOING SO.

C. E. PEIRCE & CO.,

Hepburn's Old Stand, Wyndham-st., Guelph.

Guelph, Feb. 17, 1874.

ALL READY

FOR THE

COLD WEATHER

In every Department

AN

Immense Stock

OF

NEW GOODS

AT

WILLIAM STEWART'S,

Who is now offering some of

The Cheapest Lines

of Goods ever Offered

in this Town.

A fair comparison asked with any House as he feels satisfied that the Goods and prices will well repay the Purchaser, as from

10 to 15 Cents can be Saved

On every dollar's worth of Goods bought, a all were bought in the Cheapest Markets, and will be sold at the very closest prices.

DRESS GOODS

A SPECIALTY

New Flannels, all qualities.

2500 yards Union Shirting Flannels: 25c, worth 35c.

475 Ladies Beaver and Cloth Jackets cheap.

In the Cloth Department

THE NEWEST

Coatings, Trouserings, and Vestings and made up to order in the most fashionable styles.

WM. STEWART.

Guelph, Oct. 15, 1872.

JUST RECEIVED

AT

G. B. McCullough's

NEW

DRUG STORE

A LARGE SUPPLY OF

"Handy Package Dyes"

In all shades, comprising

Scarlet, Bismarck, Salmon, Rose, Slate, Blue, Magenta, Brown, Fonceau, Maroon, Black, Violet, Garnet, Green, etc.

Each package warranted to color one or more pounds of goods. See sample card in price list. Price 15 cents per dozen, 10 cents per package.

ALSO, THE

Depilatory Powder

Warranted to remove false hair without injuring the skin.

G. B. McCULLOUGH, Dispensing Chemist

No. 3, Day's Block,

Next door to J. E. McElderry's and directly opposite John Horsman's.

HOTEL CARD.

The Right Man in the Right Place.

Thomas Ward, late of the Crown Hotel, begs to inform the travelling public that he has acquired possession of the Victoria Hotel, next door to the post office, where he hopes by courtesy, attention and good accommodation to merit a fair share of public patronage, both from old and new friends. The best of Liquors, Wines, Cigars, &c., constantly on hand. A good hostler always in attendance. Remember the apartment door to the post office.

THOMAS WARD, Proprietor. Guelph, Dec. 11, 1872.

NOTICE

To Carriage Makers.

The proprietors of the GUELPH WHEEL WORKS are pleased to inform their customers and trade generally that, owing to the increase of business they have been compelled to move their Works to the large and commodious shops lately known as the Agricultural Works of Thain, Elliott & Co., and with their increased facilities they can do a very large trade in the manufacture of

Carriage and Buggy Wood Works

Or parts thereof, of every description or style at very low rates, and studying the interests of

BLACKSMITHS

We can supply them with the best and far-famed oil tempered.

WARNOCK SPRINGS

(the best springs manufactured) already fitted to the gear (at no extra charge). Bodies made to any style to suit the customers.

All orders for Wheels, Gears, Bodies, Spokes, Hubs, Rims, or SPRINGS promptly attended to, and shipped to any part. Call and see our stock before you purchase elsewhere.

All work warranted in every respect. Send for price list.

Respectfully yours, ROBERT DALGLEISH & CO., Guelph, Feb. 15, 1874.