

The Legislature.

March 6. The whole of the afternoon sitting was occupied in discussing the motion for the third reading of the Bill to facilitate the incorporation of Benevolent and Charitable Societies.

The Attorney-General pointed out that the Bill before the House gave really greater advantages to the Orange Societies than their own proposed Bills.

Mr. Robinson had worked as hard as anybody for the Orange Association, but would not, like the dog in the manger, begrudge to others the privileges that he claimed for himself and his friends.

The amendment was lost, by yeas 24, nays 36, and the Bill read a third time on the same division.

The House then went into Committee on the Bill, and after passing several clauses read a second time.

Mr. McEwen moved the second reading of the Bill, and briefly explained its leading provisions.

Hon. Mr. Mowat then moved the second reading of the Bill, and explained its provisions.

After a few words from Mr. Cameron, this Bill was also read a second time.

A Bill to provide for the remission of sums due by settlers in several Free Grant Districts was also read a second time, and the House adjourned at midnight.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE.

Table with 2 columns: Train Name and Time. Includes Grand Trunk Railway and Great Western-Guelph Branch.

Commercial.

Guelph Markets.

Table listing market prices for various commodities like Flour, Wheat, Oats, etc.

Toronto Markets.

Table listing market prices for Toronto, including Wheat, Oats, and various goods.

Special Notices.

AS NUMEROUS CASES OF POISONING Have occurred from the sale to the public of Hypophosphites...

EXHAUSTED VITALITY.—THE "SCIENCE OF LIFE, OR SELF-PRESERVATION," a Medical Treatise on the Cause and Cure of Exhausted Vitality...

JAMES CORMACK, TAILOR and CLOTHIER, No. 1, WYNDHAM STREET.

Has now on hand a superior stock of FRENCH, SCOTCH, ENGLISH, and CANADIAN WOOLENS.

FRENCH COATINGS. A speciality this season. A magnificent display.

Of Gents' Furnishing Goods; Also a large and well selected stock of Ready made Clothing at very low prices.

FALL AND WINTER, 1873-4.

POWELL'S Boot and Shoe Store. Call and examine my new stock of Ladies', Gents' & Children's BOOTS & SHOES.

Which for moderate prices, style and workmanship, cannot be surpassed in the town.

Particular attention paid to Custom Work and Repairing.

West side 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 finish, all at low prices.

SUPERIOR LOT OF MACHINERY AND OTHER OILS AT JOHN HORSMAN'S.

CONSISTING OF Elephant Oil, Seal Oil, Lard Oil, Cod Oil, Sperm Oil, Boiled and Raw Oils.

Particular attention paid to the Quality of Oils. Our Machine Oils are now in large demand, and give the greatest satisfaction.

JOHN HORSMAN, Hardware Merchant. GUELPH, Feb. 12th, 1874.

The Oldest Hardware Business in the County.

J. M. BOND & CO., DIRECT HARDWARE IMPORTERS, OFFER FOR SALE.

CATTLE CHAINS of over fifty different kinds, and made specially to our order. GRAIN SHOVELS—Polished steel and iron. HALF BUSHEL MEASURES—Stamped and warranted correct.

JOHN M. BOND & Co., Guelph, Ont.

GUELPH TEA DEPOT.

E. O'DONNELL & Co. Are making a noise among the Grocers.

100 boxes new Valencia Raisins, first of the season, 75 splendid Ingorsol Cheese, 10 hhds of Good Sugar at 13lb. for \$1.

TEAS FINE AND SWEET. 600 Caddies of the Best Dollar Green Tea for 80c., in any quantity.

A few Packages of very fine Black and Japan Tea for 75 cents per lb. 500 Barrels of the Best Salt at \$1.20 per barrel.

E. O'DONNELL & CO. It will pay anybody to look in and see the large variety of fine Teas and General Groceries at

JAMES HAZELTON'S CABINET & CHAIR ESTABLISHMENT.



Warehouses 210 feet long. The largest, cheapest, and best stock of superior and custom Furniture, Mattresses, Grasses, &c., now on hand ever before held by any one person in British North America.

COSSITT'S Agricultural IMPLEMENT WORKS, a Door, Sash, and Blind Factory, and Planing Mill.

Manufactures all kinds of Agricultural Implements and Building Requisites: Canadian Sifter Fanning Mills, Paris Straw Cutters, Little Giant Straw Cutters, Horse and Hand Seed Drills, Ploughs and Turnip Cutters.

LEVI COSSITT, Nelson Crescent, Guelph.

FARM FOR SALE. 100 acres, being lot 26, con. 8, P. 125 in a good state of cultivation...

MAN LINE STEAMERS BETWEEN New York and Liverpool.

Consisting of sixteen of the Best Equipped and fastest steamships in the world, Sailing from New York every Thursday and Saturday.

Rates of passage as low as any first-class Line. Tickets for Liverpool, Londonderry, Cork and Glasgow, and prepaid Certificates good for 12 months to bring out passengers, issued by H. D. MORRHOUSE, Exchange Office.

ALSO, Agent for the Michigan Central and Erie Railroad.

MARKET SQUARE, GUELPH.

ALLAN Steamship Line.

GUELPH AGENCY. Prepaid passage certificates issued.

G. A. OXNARD, G. T. R. Agent.

HART & SPIERS, Conveyancers, Land, Loan, Insurance, and General Agents, 4 Day's Block, Guelph.

In reference to the above, Wm. Hart begs to inform his friends and the public that he has entered into partnership with Mr. Jas. S. Spiers in the above business...

VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY FOR SALE OR TO EXCHANGE.

The undersigned offers for sale, or to rent the undermentioned property, viz: First.—A valuable improved Farm North of the Durham Road...

Also—Lot 42, in the 3rd Concession of Bentinck, West of the Garafraxa Road, 100 acres...

Also—Lot 25, in the 1st Concession, South of the Durham Road, one mile from Fleeterton Station, in the Township of Artemesia...

JOHN KAY, Brass Founder and Fitter, Upper Wyndham Street Guelph.

John M. Bond & Co. OFFER FOR SALE.

Cut Nails, Wrought Nails, Window Glass, Boiled Linseed Oil, Raw Linseed Oil, Putty in Bladders, White Lead, Dry, White Lead, Paint, Colours of all kinds, and their usual assortment of HARDWARE.

GUELPH Marble Works.

The undersigned will furnish Grave Stones, Monuments, Tablets or Posts, Granite Monuments or Headstones.

RAYMOND'S SEWING MACHINES.

Family Sewing Machine (single thread) Hand Lock Stitch (double thread) No. 1, Foot Power, No. 2, for heavy work.

CHARLES RAYMOND, ELPE, ONTARIO.

MILL PRIVILEGE FOR SALE. CHEAP.—The undersigned offers for sale a first-class mill privilege, capable of driving any ordinary machinery.

GIFT ENTERPRISE.

The only reliable Gift Distribution in the country.

\$1,000,000.00 In Valuable Gifts: to be distributed in L. D. SINEY'S.

43rd Semi-Annual GIFT ENTERPRISE.

To be drawn MONDAY, MARCH 30th, 1874.

ONE GRAND CAPITAL PRIZE \$10,000 IN GOLD.

One Prize, \$5,000 in Silver. Five prizes \$1,000 each in greenbacks. Five prizes \$500 each in greenbacks.

AGENTS WANTED to sell Tickets, to whom liberal premiums will be paid.

THE Guelph Bakery, Two doors above the Wellington Hotel.

W. J. LITTLE. While thanking the public generally for the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed upon him, would respectfully inform them that he is still prepared to supply them with all kinds of Biscuits, Pastry, Bride's Cakes, and Confectionery of every description.

GREAT SALE OF Short-Horn Cattle, Cotswold Sheep, and Berkshire Wine.

On Wednesday, April 8, 1874, The executors of the late JOHN SNELL will sell at public auction, without reserve, at Willow Lodge farm, Edmonston, Ont., four miles from Brampton G. T. R.

COTSWOLDS. Which have taken the Flock Prize at the Guelph Central Fair for three years in succession, including all the yearling sheep on the farm, 30 ewes and 20 rams, an extra good lot, sired by first-class imported rams, and from ewes imported or bred from imported stock...

Also the entire herd of BERKSHIRES, including a number of imported sows, a premium imported boar, and a few young boars and sows.

TERMS:—All sales under \$100, cash; over that amount seven months credit on approved notes, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable at the Merchants' Bank, Brampton, discount at the rate of 5 per cent per annum allowed on all sums over \$100.

Free conveyances from Brampton on the morning of the sale. Sale to commence at 12 o'clock sharp. Catalogues sent on application.

JOHN SNELL & SONS, Edmonston, Ont.

THE GUELPH Mercury and Advertiser.

The EVENING MERCURY and ADVERTISER is published every afternoon. Terms: 4 per annum in advance; credit \$5. Delivered in a week by the week 10 cents.

Rates of advertising: 6 cents per nonpareil line first insertion, 4 cents for each subsequent insertion 2 cents.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths charged at the rate of 25 cents for each insertion; funeral notices 25 cents additional.

Paragraph advertisements, special notices or advertisements inserted as locals, inserted after the reading matter, but not among it, 25 cents for 5 lines, first insertion; for 10 lines 50 cents first insertion, and so on in proportion.

THE WEEKLY MERCURY and ADVERTISER is published every Thursday morning. It has now a GUARANTEED CIRCULATION FIVE TIMES MORE THAN THAT OF ANY OTHER PAPER PUBLISHED IN THIS COUNTY, AND EQUAL TO THAT OF ANY WEEKLY IN CANADA, OUTSIDE OF TORONTO.

RATES OF ADVERTISING:—For transient advertisements 8 cents per nonpareil line first insertion, and 3 cents per line for each subsequent insertion.

Paragraph advertisements, special notices or advertisements inserted as locals, inserted after the reading matter, but not among it, 50 cents for 5 lines, first insertion; for 10 lines, first insertion, and so on in proportion.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths charged at the rate of 25 cents for each insertion; funeral notices 25 cents additional. Contract advertisements changed often than once a month charged extra.

SPECIAL NOTICE. All contracts expiring on the 31st Dec. if renewed are subject to our revised rates.

FOR SALE.—A stallion rising three years old, got by Mr. Buckland's imported draught horse Brion, owned by the undersigned, on Lot 9, Concession 5, in the township of Nichol, near Ennoscoville, Barnet Post Office, Ont.

ALEX. MC CONACHIE, DSI, wt.