

Legislature of Ontario.

TORONTO, Nov. 4.

After a number of petitions had been presented, and a committee appointed to draft Standing Committees, Mr. Lount rose to move that a humble address be presented to His Excellency, the Lieutenant-Governor, thanking him for his speech at the opening of the session. In so doing this he felt a great degree of diffidence. Yet he had every confidence that the House would give him a gracious hearing. He felt excessively gratified at having the honour of moving the address, more especially as he found in looking over it, that it fully accorded with his own views. He would beg to assure His Excellency that in the matter alluded to in the first paragraph, where he expresses his gratification at meeting the House for the first time, that the feeling was fully reciprocated by the House. It was gratifying to find that, in the person of His Excellency, the Province had a gentleman of high attainments, and one who in the past had occupied a foremost position; and it was an assurance on all hands that those who struggled for the attainment of the high positions, might hope to accomplish that end. As to the period of their assembly here he thought it the fittest time. He then proceeded to review the Speech, touching on most of the measures recommended in it and dwelling on the importance of the passing of such measures to the Province. In closing he said it was gratifying to find it stated that the new constitution of the Province had been working to the best advantage. In the spirit of enterprise and progress he felt they must advance under the laws they at present had; it was the hope of all, as expressed by His Excellency, that the hand of Providence would guide them in their deliberations.

Mr. D. D. Calvin, the newly elected member for Frontenac, seconded the address, and spoke in favour of some change being made in the election law. He said that though just elected professedly by the Conservative party, he had many Liberal supporters. He was not bound by his party so as to sacrifice his duty to his country. He would support the Government, but would endeavour at the same time to bring that Government as close as possible to his own views.

Court of Chancery.

NOVEMBER 4th.  
The Guelph sittings of the Court of Chancery opened to-day before Hon. Vice-Chancellor Sprague.  
MC SWEENEY vs. KAY.—This was a suit by John McSweeney against Charles Kay of Fergus, to redeem the Wellington Hotel property, Fergus. Plaintiff alleged that Kay really only held a mortgage against the property. Kay denied this and asserted that he owned the property subject to an agreement for its sale to Sweeney dated 16th July, 1895, and that Sweeney had failed to comply with the terms of the agreement. A number of witnesses were called on both sides. His Lordship held that the only rights Sweeney had were under the agreement—but reserved judgment on the question as to whether Sweeney had broken the agreement. Mr. Blake, Q. C., and Mr. Peterson for plaintiff; Mr. Roof, Q. C., and Mr. Guthrie for defendant.  
LOWES vs. PHILLIPS—A redemption suit. Decree for plaintiff. Mr. Cross for plaintiff; Mr. Drew for defendant.

Rifle Tournament.

The Annual Rifle Tournament, under the auspices of the Guelph Rifle Association began at the Ranges this morning. A large number of competitors presented themselves. The tournament will be continued to-morrow, two matches being arranged for each day. The Association Match, open to members of the Guelph Rifle Association, was concluded about noon. The distances were 300 and 400 yards; Wimbledon targets. The highest number of points made by any of the winners of prizes was 29, the tenth man making 22. Scores to-morrow.

"THE WOMAN'S KINGDOM."

This story has been running through successive numbers of Harper's Magazine, and is now published in book form. A distinguished French *littérateur* has said of a contemporary writer that "she has written novels that excite the deepest interest in men of the world, and which every girl will be the better for reading." The remark applies with equal force to the distinguished authoress of "The Woman's Kingdom," (Miss Mulock) a copy of which is now before us. The story is at once intensely interesting and instructive, a strong moral feeling pervading it throughout. It will undoubtedly obtain a large sale. Copies may be had at Day's bookstore.

We have also received from Messrs. Tunis & Co., two volumes of Henry Ward Beecher's Sermons, which will be noticed in a few days.

At a meeting held to-day for the nomination of candidates for the office of Deputy Reeve for Guelph township, two candidates were proposed, namely Mr. George Darby and Mr. Mathew Sweetman, jr. The polls will be opened on Saturday morning next at nine o'clock and closed at five p. m.

NEW STAGE.—We observe that Mr. Gerrie, of Fergus, has put another stage on the road between that village and Guelph. It does not make the circuit of Elora, but runs direct, its time being as follows. Leave Fergus at 9 a. m., arrive in Guelph at 11.30; leave Guelph at 1 p. m.; arrive in Fergus at 4 p. m.

GOVERNOR GENERAL.—Private information from Ottawa states that Lord Monck will leave Quebec for England on the 14th inst. As it is not likely Sir John Young will leave England until Lord Monck arrives there, General Wyndham will be sworn in as Administrator in the meantime.

An unknown man was shot and fatally injured by one Shirky, in Chatham, on Friday night.

THE DESERTERS FROM THE REFORM RANKS, says the Galt Reformer, at last General Election were many, but the folly of their course has since been fully proved to a very great proportion of those who temporarily leagued themselves with the Conservative Party, by the shameful conduct of Gov. Howland, and the vacillating course of the Coalition Cabinet. All, however, have not seen the error of their ways, and among the few Liberal journals who saw fit to champion the Union of Parties, the Guelph Advertiser alone remains to glorify John A. & Co. We have always held fast to the belief that the change of principle on the part of the Advertiser was due to its fading fortunes, caused by the withdrawal of Reform support, and it is now becoming more clear than ever that the Ministerial "leaves and fishes" are what our friend is hankering after. That he has gone over "body and bones" as is said in electioneering language, there can now be no doubt, for we see in a late number that the editor favors the nomination of Mr. Thomas White of the Hamilton Spectator as a candidate for the representation of Centre Wellington in the Dominion Legislature, in the room of the late Dr. Parker. Mr. White is himself a deserter from the Reform Party, but his defection dates back many years, since which time he has become the most fossilized Tory journalist in Ontario. He was defeated by Mr. Sexton in South Westworth at last Election of members for the Local Legislature, and for a young man who can conceive nothing in the way of antiquated old fogyism which could at all compare with the ideas expressed in his writings and his speeches, Centre Wellington deserves a better fate than to be represented by such a politician.

CENTRE RIDING PLOUGHING MATCH.—The ploughing match in connection with the Centre Riding of Wellington Agricultural Society took place on Friday last, in a field of sward, on the farm of Mr. Jas. Richardson, Garafraxa. There were only fourteen ploughs on the ground—nine in the men's class, and five in the boys'. No doubt the paucity of the number of competitors was owing to the fact that the match was open only to residents of the Riding, and partly to the weather being so favourable for the taking up of turnips. The field was all that any ploughman could desire, and the ground in most excellent condition. The work was all well done, and that performed by Edwin Day, with a Miller plough, although he received no prize, was much admired by the spectators. Directors, Judges, ploughmen and spectators had their physical wants minutely administered to in the course of the day by Mr. Richardson. The Judges were Messrs. Bilby, Beattie and Johnson. Prizes were awarded as follows:—Men's Class—1st, Thos. Pritchard, Nichol, (McInnes plough); 2nd, Alfred Day, (Ramona, Younger plough); 3rd, Watson Day, Ermosa, (Younger plough); 4th, John Nelson, Garafraxa, (McInnes plough); 5th, George Wilson, Garafraxa, (McInnes plough); 6th, Colin Campbell, Erin, (Miller plough). Boys' Class—1st, J. Tindall, Nichol, (McInnes plough); 2nd, J. Corder, Nichol, (McInnes plough); 3rd, Jas. Matric, Ermosa, (Younger plough); 4th, Wm. Shand, Nichol, (Johnson plough); 5th, Geo. Shand, Nichol, (Johnson plough).

THE ROCHESTER MURDER CASE.—Chas. Lamb was tried at the Wentworth Assizes in Hamilton last week for the murder of his son. The sad affair was proved to have arisen from an unfortunate misunderstanding which had existed between the father and son. The father in self-defence threw his hand behind him to defend himself against the attacks of his son, and in doing so cut his son from the effects of which he died. The prisoner was found guilty, but recommended to mercy, when he was sentenced to nine months imprisonment in the common gaol.

SOCIAL.—A social gathering of the Presbyterian Congregation in Acton was held at the residence of Mr. Peter McGregor on Thursday evening next, 12th inst. The public are cordially invited.

YOUNG BOAR FOR SALE.  
For sale a boar, drooped on the 1st of April. Same breed.  
ALLAN SIMPSON,  
Bucksouth, Guelph.  
Guelph, Nov. 4. dtw wtf

Still in the War Path  
THE subscriber begs to inform his old friends and the public that he is still hale and hearty, and as able as ever to attend to all orders that may be left with him at the well known old stand.  
ON CORK STREET,  
Opposite Dealy's Hotel,  
Where he is prepared, as formerly to make up  
CLOTHING  
of every description at short notice, and in a superior style.  
TO FARMERS.  
Having had 30 years experience, and devoting all his time to the business, he can make up HOME-MADE CLOTH and trim it cheaper than can be done at any other establishment in Guelph.  
Zeal and care carefully finished, and at moderate rates.  
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Piano For Sale  
AT AUCTION.  
BELL, WOOD & CO., wishing to retire from the Piano business, now offer by auction the only one on hand—a splendid seven Octave Instrument, manufactured by the celebrated Union Piano Company of New York, whose instruments are considered by Philip Phillips, and other well-known dealers and musicians to be in every respect equal and in some respects superior to those of Steingway and Chickering.  
This instrument is elegantly finished, having carved legs, serpent acoustical, four round corners and finished behind the same as in front. Retail price, \$450. It will be started at an upset price of \$225. The sale will take place in the  
TOWN HALL,  
ON SATURDAY NEXT, NOV. 7th,  
AT 2 O'CLOCK P. M.  
Terms—One-fourth of the purchase money down and the balance in approved notes at three and six months, or a liberal discount for cash in full.  
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GEORGE ANSLEY, Patent Agent and Practical Mechanic will prepare Small Models, Drawings, Specifications, and prepare all papers of application for Patents of Invention, Residence, near Robertson's Foundry, Mitchell Street, Guelph, Ont.  
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ARTHUR McCORINKALE,  
WILLIAM C. BAINE,  
Executors  
Guelph, Oct. 27. dtw

MONTREAL BOOT AND SHOE STORE.  
Wholesale and Retail.  
Just received:  
GENTS' DRESS GAITERS,  
GENTS' DRESS BALMORALS,  
GENTS' FELT GAITERS,  
GENTS' FELT OVERSHOES,  
LADIES' WALKING BOOTS,  
LADIES' FELT CONGRESS & Balmorals,  
LADIES' FELT OVERSHOES,  
Misses and Children's Shoes of all kinds, Also, a large stock of Boots and Shoes made by HAND, for Fall and Winter wear. Cheap for CASH only. Trade supplied at Montreal Prices.  
JOHN McNEIL,  
Montreal Boot and Shoe Store, Wyndham-St.  
Guelph, November 4. dtw

County Right for Sale.  
TAKE NOTICE.  
THE Subscriber having purchased the right of sale of Weer's Patent Lamp Burner, which does away with the use of Glasses with perfect safety, whereby the great saving of glasses for street and parlour lamps, and other places is effected, an active man can make \$4 a day by selling the burner. All parties selling without my consent will be prosecuted.  
JAS. O'NEIL, Anglo-American Hotel,  
Guelph, October 24th. dtw

FURS, FURS.  
WE have opened our stock of Furs, of our own manufacture, which we will sell at LOW PRICES, viz:  
EXTRA DARK MINK  
ROYAL ERMINE  
SIBERIAN SQUIRREL  
RIVER MINK  
LADIES' HOODS  
And a full assortment of CHILDREN'S FURS, GENTS' TRIPPLERS and GLOVES, SLEIGH ROBES, &c.  
The highest price paid for Raw Furs.  
F. CARLAND,  
Market Square,  
Guelph, 3rd Nov. dtw

FRESH ARRIVALS.  
500 dozen Turnip Baskets.  
50 dozen Corn Brooms.  
12 " Fancy Corn Wines.  
12 " Spruce Pails.  
5 " Stable Pails.  
12 " Toy Pails.  
10 Cases Telegraph Matches.  
5 Cases Parlor Matches.  
12 dozen Butter Spoons, Cards, &c.  
JOHN A. WOODS,  
Wyndham Street,  
Guelph, October 21st. dtw

First Prize Boar  
THE splendid largest-sized Berkshire Boar belonging to the undersigned, which took the First Prize at the late South Riding Fall show will serve sows for the season. Terms, \$1, cash at time of service.  
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SPEEDVALE MILLS.  
NOTICE.  
THE Undersigned having purchased the Speedvale Mills from Mr. James Goldie, will always give the highest Market price for Wheat at his Mills. BEANS, SPORTS, MIDDINGS and SCALANINGS constantly on hand and will be sold at a reduction on Guelph Prices.  
Speedvale Mills, Oct. 14. JOHN PIPE,  
d.w. 1m

LAMPS,  
LAMPS!  
JUST OPENED OUT AT  
PETRIE'S  
DRUG STORE  
Old Post Office Building, Wyndham-St.

A Large Assortment of COAL OIL LAMPS, all sizes and kinds, will be sold CHEAP.

No. 1 COAL OIL.  
A supply of No. 1 COAL OIL KEPT CONSTANTLY ON HAND.  
A. B. PETRIE, Druggist.  
Guelph, September 25th. dtw

EUREKA!  
Money Saved is Money Gained  
SAVE YOUR MONEY by purchasing at the GREAT CLOSING SALE of  
MISCELLANEOUS & SCHOOL BOOKS,  
STATIONERY  
and FANCY GOODS,  
WALL PAPERS  
and Berlin Woods, now going on at  
Shewan's Old Stand  
Wyndham Street, Guelph.

Books are being sold at wonderfully Low Prices. The subscriber has just returned to town with a large assortment of NEW BOOKS, purchased at Auction, and other cheap sources, which he will sell at low prices. Every person is respectfully requested to call and examine the stock. Trouble and attention never considered, as long as customers are accommodated and satisfied. These sales afford a great opportunity to purchase reading for Winter, at low prices.  
J. B. THORNTON,  
Guelph, Nov. 2, 1898. dtw tf

GREAT POWERS  
Are always neutral in small squabbles.  
SO IT IS WITH  
PREST & HEPBURN  
In the leather war now going on between their opponents on the north side of Wyndham-st.

WE do not believe in hush and crankum, but deal with facts, and leave the verdict in the hands of the intelligent people of Wellington. We are prepared to prove, and we positively affirm, notwithstanding all the puffing and blowing which has become the order of the day, that PREST & HEPBURN, Wyndham Street, Guelph, manufacture more  
BOOTS AND SHOES  
And employ double the number of Workmen of any other establishment in the County of Wellington. We invite the public to call and look through our Factory, and they will be convinced that we are telling the truth, and nothing but the truth. A great deal has been said for and against machine-made Boots and Shoes. Now we believe, and we are confident that every well-balanced mind in Wellington will agree with us, that the less machinery used in the intelligent people of Wellington, the better. All our staple Boots and Shoes are made by hand, which must be admitted is far superior to any machine-made Goods. We have now on hand the largest and best assortment of Boots and Shoes ever offered to the people of Wellington, which we will sell as cheap as the cheapest.  
Remember that all our work is warranted, and no second price. Repairs done as usual.  
PREST & HEPBURN,  
Guelph, 2nd November. dtw

RUTHERFORD HOUSE  
All the remaining Stock of  
DRY GOODS  
AT COST PRICES,  
And under cost prices, as the whole stock must be SOLD WITHOUT RESERVE before the  
First of January,  
As I am going out of that branch of the business and would particularly invite all to come and get a share of the GREAT BARGAINS, as they will get  
As much for a Dollar as they can get elsewhere for a Dollar and a Half.  
My Stock of GROCERIES is complete as I intend to carry on that part of the business. LIQUORS of the very best Quality of a kinds for Tavern-keepers.  
Some very Cheap CROCKERY arrived.  
Robert Rutherford,  
Guelph, September 19th. dtw

Wools, FANCY GOODS  
TOYS, &c.  
JUST Arrived, an Immense Stock of Berlin, Zephyr, Saxony, Andalusian, Lady Betty, and Fancy Wools. English, Scotland American  
FINGERING YARNS.  
A Splendid assortment of Brains, Frillings, Ruffles, and General Fancy Goods.  
A great variety of Slippers and Slipper Patterns, Ottomans, &c.  
JET and RUBBER GOODS.  
Juvenile Clothing always on hand and made to order.  
Stamping for Braiding and Embroidery from the Latest Designs.  
J. HUNTER,  
Opposite the English Church, Wyndham-St  
Guelph, September 12th. dtw

IMMENSE RUSH  
CROWDED, CROWDED, CROWDED.

A. O. BUCHAM desires to record his thanks for a very large increase of business this fall. Our store presents an animated appearance.  
WE ARE BUSY, BUSY, BUSY.

Dress Goods! Dress Goods!  
Dress Goods selling rapidly. The demand continues. We present in this Department the most Attractive and Cheapest Lines to be found in the Trade. Our Stock is assorted weekly, and customers can rely on having a splendid choice of the latest productions to choose from.

Our Millinery, Mantle and Jacket Departments have been a decided success this season. Ladies invited to examine.  
SATINETTES, FULL CLOTHS, TWEEDS—on hand an immense Stock of CANADIAN GOODS of every description, including a full supply of ROSAMUND'S CELEBRATED BLANKETS, from \$3 a pair up. Satisfactory at 62 cents. Astonishing Goods.

Ready-Made Clothing!  
Frock Overcoats, Sack Overcoats, Pique Jackets, Sack and Shooting Coats, Superfine Frock Coats. Pants in Super Black Dressing, Fancy Dressing—silk mixed, Fancy and Canadian Tweeds, Woolen Coats, Filled Coats and Sateenets. VESTS—Single and Double Breasted in splendid variety. BOY'S CLOTHING, Overcoats, Body Coats, Pants and Vests.

HATS AND CAPS FOR MEN AND BOYS.  
Collars, Neckties and Underclothing, Dress Shirts, Fancy Flannel, and Winesy Shirts. The Cheapest and most Complete Stock in the Trade. At  
A. O. BUCHAM'S,  
Guelph, 5th November. dtw

FRESH IMPORTATIONS.  
FRESH IMPORTATIONS DAILY AT  
THE FRUIT DEPOT  
SWEET POTATOES,  
HAVANA ORANGES,  
MALAGA LEMONS,  
FINNAN HADDIES,  
FRESH LOBSTERS,  
FRESH OYSTERS.  
HUGH WALKER,  
Nov. 6. dtw  
Fruit Depot, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

WELLINGTON BOOT and SHOE MANUFACTORY.  
Wyndham Street, Guelph, the old Post Office Block.  
JOHN A. McMILLAN is now turning out over six hundred pairs of Boots and Shoes per week at the Wellington Boot and Shoe Manufactory, Wyndham Street, Guelph. An immense Stock of Ladies', Gents', Misses', Boys' and Children's

RUBBER OVER-SHOES AND BOOTS  
At the Wellington Boot and Shoe Manufactory, Wyndham Street, Guelph. The cheapest and best Boots in the County of Wellington, without exception, are got at the Wellington Boot and Shoe Manufactory. Ten thousand people can testify to the fact.  
Observe, you lose money if you do not get your Boots and Shoes from John A. McMILLAN, Boot Maker for the million, Guelph, Fergus and Elora.  
J. A. McMILLAN, Proprietor.  
Guelph, 31 Oct. dtw  
Wellington Boot and Shoe Manufactory, Wyndham-st, Guelph.

MOURNING GOODS  
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ARE this day opening out the largest, most desirable, and CHEAPEST ASSORTMENT of Mourning Goods ever shown in Guelph.  
New Sicilian Cloths, French Merinoes, New Henrietta Cloths, French Cobourgs, New Empress Cloths, French Lustres, Silk warp New Say Cloths, French Delaines,  
Paramatta-Crape Cloths, Banettes, &c., Groat & Co's Superior Silk Crapes. SILVER taken at PAR.  
BRITANIA HOUSE,  
Guelph, November 4, 1898. dtw  
Wyndham Street, Guelph.

SILVER TAKEN at PAR  
PREMIUM FOR BILLS.  
JACKSON & HALLET.  
WE BEG to draw the attention of our friends, both in Town and country, to the EXTENSIVE STOCK OF  
Groceries and Liquors,  
Which we have now to hand, and we beg to assure them that we can and will sell as cheap, if not cheaper, either wholesale or Retail, than parties who pretend more largely.  
Our TEAS Consisting of:  
Hysons, Gunpowder, Congous and Japans, will be sold at such prices that will clear them out rapidly, our determination being to make small profits and quick returns. Our Fruits consists of:  
NEW LONDAY LAYERS, NEW CURRANTS, NEW VALENCIA RAISINS, NEW FIGS, Cases LEMONS.  
Hotel-keepers will find it to their advantage to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere, as we are determined to put down the wholesale prices of Brandy, Rum, Gins and Cased liquors.  
D. JACKSON, J. HALLETT,  
Guelph, November 4th, 1898. dtw