mr. Bethune then addressed the Court.

He contended that Campbell's case was a proof of corrupt practice on the part of Dr. Orton. Generally there is a certain amount of doubt in such cases, but if Campbell's evidence is to be depended on there was no doubt in this one. Money was paid to Campbell. The Respondent in cautioning Kelly not to pay out money, showed that he was apprehensive he might bribe Campbell, and yet he did not look back to see if Kelly followed him, although that was the latter's intention. The only reason why we can conceive they should have remembered that they did not look back was that they, thought Kelly would go and bribe Campbell. There can searcely be a stronger chain of circumstantial evidence than we have here. Dr. Orton finds Campbell ready for the market, he tells his over zealous friend Kelly, and he could not take a more direct way of telling him what was required of him while he was to remain meanneeted with it. What Campbell did was discreditable, but his evidence was clearly given, and that given by his wife strongly supported it and was unshaken. If their evidence was reliable, then the respondent must be guilty. He must either have been very indiscreet, or he thought that Campbell could be bribed, and desired it to be done.

Mr. Guthrie, in addressing the Court, twett strongly on the evidence, that there were two cutters actually on the road when Campbell looked out after Kelly left his house. This was substantiated by Kelly's evidence as to another cutter being near at the time. In commenting on the evidence he argued that Campbell in his evidence as to the second cutter, had gone too far, and in trying to clinch the nail had broken the head off. The question of Dr. Orton's diequalification was a serious one, and his wife. It is not ilkely Dr. Orton would be such a fool as to act as Campbell and his wife. It is not ilkely Dr. Orton what there were not two cutters together when Kelly came out, and moreover Campbell's statements show that he had no good feeling to Dr. Orton.

After an adjournment of two hours, his Lordship gave in his written judgment. He considered it was properly conceded that the election should be set aside for bribery by agents. The only question that remained was as to the evidence of Campbell and his wife as to Campbell's evidence and that of the respondent, he would have held, as in the London case, that the respondent was not guilty. He had the gravest doubts as to Campbell's evidence and that of the respondent was not guilty. He had the gravest doubts as to Campbell's evidence. If he erred, it was better that he should do so on the safe side. His Lordship concluded by saying: "I have come to the conclusion that I best discharge the duty cast upon me by evidence such as is now before me by declining to find the respondent personal charge, and the evidence of the contrary. He reviewed the evidence to the contrary. He reviewed the evidence of Campbell such as to impress any one favorably. It was possible that the wife, though speaking in good faith, might have been mistaken. If it had depended solely on that George Turner Orton, the respondent, was not duly elected, as returned, and that his election was void; that no corrupt practices have not extensively prevailed at the said election; and I order that the respondent to a pay the petitioner's costs, save and except such costs are yet or the seat as claimed by and stated in the petition, which allegations as to a scratiny of votes or the polling of illegal votes, and the prayer for the seat as claimed by and stated in the petition, which allegations and claims were abandoned by petitioners at the opening of the trial, which costs are to be paid to the respondent as an offset against petitioner's costs. I also find that J. M. Fraser, A. Forester, James Smith, Michael Kirby, Aaron Baker, James Kirby, J. Hallett, David B. Kelly, Bernard Campbell, and Edw. Gaynor, have been found in my ju

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Thanksgiving Day was observed here as a holiday. The Y. M. C. A. held a Prayer Meeting at 9:30 a.m. The Union Thanksgiving Service, held in St. Andrew's Church, was largely attended and an excellent sermon preached from 2nd Chronicles XXXII. 25th verse. The collection, which amounted to \$28.00, was sent to the Outario Sabbath School Missionary Usion. In the aftennoon a Christian Conference was held in the Y. M. C. A. recent, which was failly attended and very interesting. The Y. M. C. A. in the evening held a meeting in St. Andrew's Church which was largely attended. A brief report of the Sabbath School Convention, held in Brantford, was given, and addresses were delivered be Delegates from Guelph and Elora. A collection taken up at the close amounted to \$8.

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THURSDAY EV'NG, NOV. 5, 1874 Centre Wellington Election Trial.

Dr. Orton has escaped disqualifica-on by the skin of his teeth. The evidence of Bernard Campbell his wife, as to personal bribery, was very strong against him, and it was only on the positive statements of the Doctor himself and of Kelly and Snyder, that the Judge gave him the benefit of the doubt, and freed him. We leave the case as it stands, to the consideration of our readers, who sion from the evidence given. Dr. Orton has had a narrow escape, and being together on the road, after the Doctor left Campbell's house, been more conclusive, the probability is that he would have been disqualified.

At the South Nortolk election trial the counsel for Mr. Stuart, the Reform member, admitted certain acts by agents which were sufficient to render the election void, but that Mr. Stuart had no share personally in these. The seat was therefore declared vacant.

At the North Renfrew election, Mr. Murray, the Reform candidate, was elected by 48 of a majority over Mr. Peter White, the Conservative candidate, who was lately unseated.

Mr. CUSHING, a supporter of the Government, has been returned for Argenteuil.

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The basis of Union between the Presbyterian Churches in Canada has been adopted by the general Assembly of the Canada Presbyterian Church, by an almost unanimous vote, only two voting nay. In the Kirk Synod the question of Union has not yet came to a vote.

Tacts worth R. membering. —Paties purcussing goods always wish to buy them at the cheapest rate. Now the mearer you can get to the Manufacturer, the cheaper are the goods. Mr. Horsman, the popular Hardware merchant of this town, last summer visited the manufacturing districts of Europe, and purchased very largely from the manufacturers there. He has also made special arrangements with manufacturers in the United States and Canada to have their goods at the lowest Cash prices. In consequence of the extraordinary bargains Mr. Horsman offers, his sales this season are largely increased; in fact, there has been a perfect roals at his mammoth establishment during the last two months. Remember, by purchasing Hardware from John Horsman the profits of the wholesale dealer, or middleman, are saved to the customers. Stoves and Tinware have been added this season, and on account of the very low prices at which these goods are offered by Mr. Horsman this branch of the business has exceeded his most sanguine expectations.

Hood—In Nichol, on the 4th instant, Harriet Napper, wife of Mr. Gideon Hool, aged 23 years, 11 months and 20 days. Deeply regretted.

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Jawelry Store, next the Post Office, you can get great Bargains in Watches, Clocks and Jewelry, such as Gold Watches, formerly \$150 now \$130 do do \$100 , \$80 do do \$75 , \$65 do do \$40 , \$35 do do \$30 , \$25 do do \$40 \$30 , \$25 do do \$40 \$30 , \$25 do do \$40 , \$25 do do \$40 \$35 , \$30 do do \$30 , \$25 do do \$40 \$35 , \$30 do do \$20 , \$25 do do \$20 , \$25 do do \$25 , \$20 do do \$25 , \$20 do do \$25 , \$20 do do \$18 , \$16 do do \$12 , \$10 R. C. finds that his time is too much divi

R. C. finds that his time is too much divided between his Factory and Store, and he has resolved to go out of the store by the new year. He has determined to sell his valuable stock at such prices as will effect, an entire clearance.

Call and examine for yourselves, Money saved is money ge inch.

Clocks at lower prices than ever offered in Gueloh.

Mr. Hugh McQueen has sold his farm four Fergus, and has bought out Simper Fergus, and has bought out five weeks ago, a 2-year old house colt, small white spot on nose, and white hind foot four five first takes place in Fergus on the spot on nose, and white hind foot four fiversday lefore Julge Macdonald.

Fergus Nov. 3rd, 1874.

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Wax Moons for Carriage Lamps,
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Mango Relish, Pickled Onions,
Kippered Herrings,
English Yarmouth Bloaters,
Smoked Cods, Roes,
Anchovy and Bloater Paste,
Strasburg Meats, Potted Ham,
Chicken and Game,
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Lea & Perrin's Worcestershire
Sauce,

Sauce, English Malt Vinegar, and Anchovy Sauce.

ALSO,

White Clover Honey, in Comb, Cranberries from Lake Superior, AT JOHN A.WOODS,

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GUELPH

will conductor to meet the views of purchasens. A stone cottage, containing six rooms, on Surrey street rented at \$5.00 per month. Price—\$700.00.

NO. 2. A new frame cottage, four rooms, wood Shed, etc., on Suffolk street. Price—\$900.00.

NO. 3.—A frame house, 1½ stories, seven rooms, on Preston street, rented at \$5.00 per nooms. A 'zme cottage, five rooms, on Preston street, for \$900.00, rented at \$7.00 per month.

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NO 5.—A two story roughcast house, 11
rooms, 2 large cellars and wood shed, on Green street, rented at \$176.00 per year.

NO, 6.—A frame house, 12 stories, 6 rooms, stone cellar, on Southampton street. Price.

stone cellar, on Soutnampson street. Free--5900.00. NO. 7.—Frame cottage on Essex street, three rooms. Price-\$390.00. NO. 8.—A block of three dwelling houses, on Cork street, adjoining the Wesleyan Me-thod to thirth, and producing a rental of \$250.00 per year. Price-\$4,000.00.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

NO. 9.—A dwelling, containing 5 rooms, with a workshop adjoining, situate on a good corner lot in Paisley Block, suitable for a country store or a wagon maker. Price—\$600.00.

NO. 10.—A store and dwelling, 2 story, stone, in Everton, in which the Post Office and Telegraph Office are kept. A rare opering for a person wishing to commence business. Price—\$140.00

FARM PROPERTY.

109 acres in Guelph Township, two mi from town, with excellent stone dwelling; 2 stories, excellent barn 100 feet long, sheds, stables, &c. large orchard, bearing, 200 acres, duelph Township, 5 miles from Guelph, an excellent farm, log house, barn, and large orchard, 200 acres, in Puslinch, excellent frame dwelling, wood shed, barn, and large orchard, 50 scres, in Pikington, on Elora gravel road, excellent land.

Building Lots in Guelph.

About 200 lots in various parts of the town.
Lots in every Ward in fown. Plenty of choice at low prices and on reasonable terms. Now is the time to buy, times are good, the town is prosperous, and prices will advance very materially.

The subscriber has been in the Real Estate business in Guelph for many years, and has sold an immense amount of property, and his record will bear lim out in saying that tations as to the nature of property and title may be relied on.

HENRY HATCH,

Land and Loan Agent, Guelph. Guelph, Oct. 14, 1874.

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The Venerable Archdeacon Palmer has placed in my hands for saie the Lots in his new survey, immediately in rear of his resistence and lying on the north side of Grange street. The situation cannot be surpassed in the town—convenient to Market, Post Office, Church and Schools, commanding a magnificent view of the town and convenient and provided and provided will be surved by the first-class soil for gardening.

Those lots on Tyrcathelm Terrace are well adapted for genteel residences, (and will only be sold to those who will bargain to put up good buildings).

Plans of the Lots can be seen at my office and particulars learned.

Terms very liberal. Purchases made this fall, interest on balance of purchase money will not commence until let April.

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Also, if other lots lying to the north of Palmer street, in Madonnial's survey, and on Queen and Arthur streets.

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CHARLES DAVIDSON, Land and General Agent, Town Hall Building, Guelph.

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New Advertisements.

Opening of Premises.

The undersigned beg to inform their friends that on account of the contractors failing to complete their premises according to agreement, they were unsible to open their store on the day previously advertised.

They will, however, POSITIVELY OPEN

On Saturday, the 21st November, with a full stock of Fresh Groceries, Wines, Liquors, Crockery, Glassware, &c. when they respectfully solicit a share of public patronage.

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Central Grocery and Confectionery Store,

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October 21, 1874.

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