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GUELPH, ONT., CANADA, WEDNESDAY EVENING, APRIL 29, 1874.

PRICE TWO CENTS

Business Cards.

TEPHEN BOULT, Architect, Con-

OLIVER & MACDONALD, Barristers and Attorneys-at-Law, Soli-

GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN,

Guelph, March 1, 1871. W. H. CUTTE dw. WILLIAM J. PATERSON,

Official Assignee for the County of Wellington. -Opposite Town Hall, Guelph. dw

STURDY. House, Sign, & Ornamental Painter

GRAINER AND PAPER-HANGER. Shop next to the Wellington Hotel, Wynd ham Street. Guelph. f27 dw

RICE'S BILLIARD HALL,

The room has just been refitted in splendid style, the tables reduced in size, and everything done to make it a first-class Billiard Hall.
Guelph, Nov. 3rd, 1878.

TIME.

New Advertisements.

WANTED—A Cook.
Apply to Mrs. Len SERVANT WANTED — Wanted, first-class servant. Apply at Anderson

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—By
young lady in town, a private Board
ng House. Address M.P.P., Guelph P.O.

ORGAN OR PIANO WANTED — To rent for a few months. In a private house. Good care taken. Inquire at Anderson's Bookstore.

WANTED — AN ACTIVE GIRL
as Nurse. References required.
Good wages given. Apply to Mrs. Watt,
near Great Western Station. ap25-dtf BAKER WANTED — One who is competent to take charge. Must be teady and reliable. Apply to Andrew Armstrong, Macdonnell street, Guelpa. Guelpa, April 27, 1874.

SEED BARLEY and SPRING WHEAT FOR SALE — At the Guelph Packing House, opposite the Grand Trunk Passenger Station.

Guelph, Apr. 24, 1874.

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PONY FOR SALE. — Pony for sale.
Four years old, quiet to ride or drive.
constomed to children. Apply at this face.

Two Soft Water Tanks For sale, lined with lead. Size, 5 ft. x 3 ft. 61ft. Apply, 4 ft. 6 in; and 6 ft. x 3 ft. 4 ft. Apply to Next Post Office, Guelph. Guelph, April 16, 1874.

HOUSE TO RENT — Situated on Queen Street, (York Road). Good garden, well filled with fruit trees, and barn, House contains 6 rooms, good cellar, and every convenience. The party renting the house can also have two or six acres of land dijoining, at a moderate rent. Apply to Mrs. H. Oilver, in house adjoining the above. Guelph, April 22nd, 1874 dtf



WEDNESDAY EV'NG, APRIL 29, 1874 Town and County News

Lotta B., the property of Mr. W. A. Bookless, of the Welland House, St. Catharines, has gone into training for the coming campaign, and will receive her fitting at the hand of Mr. Boyle, at Woodstock.

The Galt Reformer says that about thirty factory girls from Hespeler passed through Galt last Thursday morning on their way to Holyoke, to re-commence operations in the factory of Mesers, Randal & Farr.

POCKET BOOK LOST OR STOLEN.—We call attention to the advertisement of Mr. Alex. Gerrie in another column. On Saturday he left Fergus for Guelph, and, when in the court room, giving evidence in the McLean case, he first missed his book, which was gone. The book contained \$317 in bills and \$350 in pages.

THE FAVORITE HERSDON ROOFS HAVE returned for a season of four nights and open this evening with the drama of "Out of the Fire." Mrs. Herndon takes the part of Mrs. Wilder and Alice, and Mr. T. J. Herndon will appear in his favorite roles. The enfertainment will conclude with "Solon Shingle".

Guelph Evening Mercury The Desperado Sullivan - Dunn !

He Tries to Travel on his Muscle.

How Sullivan Would Have Escaped from Jail and How the Officials Prevente 1.

When Sullivan atias Jack Dunn committed the outrage with which all our readers are but too familiar, the community were so incensed that nothing would have prevented his being dealt with in a very summary and unceremonious manner. Fortunately or unfortunately, however, he escaped the fury of the mob, and the seeming impracticability of his capture tended to abate the excitement. But his re-appearance here as a prisoner of justice was the occasion of another outburst of public sentiment in the immense crowds that attended his examination; and ever since he was committed for trial our citizens have been eagerly looking for his appearance in the dock. The interest in Sullivan-Dunn will be intensified by the announcement of his most daring attempt at escape from the gaol in broad day-light on Tuesday. It is somewhat doubtful whether the vigorous endeavors of this prisoner would have resulted in his being once more a free commoner; but Sullivan is possessed of an extraordinary amount of strength and daring, and it is gratifying to know that his uncommon diligence was met by prompt action on the part of the gaol officials.

Sullivan was incareerated in the fourth seall from the door in the south, west cortelled.

after this last "desperate venture," the prisoner was lying on the bed in his ceil quietly reading what appeared to be alterary volume somewhat after the style of "Good Words," He is now preyented from troubling, as his bedstead was taken away, and he was shaekled and manacled last night, and locked up in i. is cell, from which he will not have access even to the corridor.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE MEROURY

The Epsom Races.

Prussian Finances.

Fire and Murder in New York.

A very Queer Suicide.

Local and Other Items. On and after the 1st May the nar peedie Post Office, in the Townsh ydenham, will be changed to "Ann

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Mr. Samuel Capper, well known in Guelph as a temperance lecturer, is still acting in Manchester as a Canadian Emigration Agent.

A man numed McConville, who for some time acted as Atty. Gen. and public prosecutor prior to the formation of Governor Archibald's first Cabinet in Manitoba, lately committed suicide.

PRESENTATION. — The Rev. John Potts, of the Metrope littan Church, Toronto, was waited upon on Saturday by a deputation from his congregation, and was presented with a purse containing \$400, as a mark of esteem.

but when they lie down they can't rise.

A doctor returned a coat to a tailor because it did not fit him. The tailor esceing the doctor at the funeral of one of his patients, said, "Ah, doctor you are a happy man!"—"Why so?" asked they doctor.—"Because," replied the tailor, t"you never have any of your bad work returned on your hands."

Mr. Alfred Perry, the well-known insurance agent of Montreal, says that one of the commonest causes of fire is the use of a wooden fire board covered only with sheet iron over an unused fireplace, on the top of which soot gathers, and under which it is common to have an accumulation of wooden utensils, kindling wood, &c.

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Lordon, April 27.—Three buildings in Newgate street fell to-day; several persons were crushed in the ruins.

Concord, N. H., April 28th.—An engine on the Wells River Road plunged 20 feet down an enbankment during the night, seriously injuring the engineer, named Lyon. No other person on the train was hurt.

New York, April 28.—James Purvis pleaded guilty to shooting a negro named lease Henderson, in Broome street, and was sentenced for life to-day.

London, April 28.—The Epsom Spring

was sentenced for life to-day.

London, April 28.—The Epsom Spring meeting commenced to-day. The race for the City and Suburban handicap was won by Aldrish; Minister, secoud; and Oxford Mixture, third. The final betting was 33 to 1 against Aldrich; 14 to 1 against Minister, and 10 to 1 against Oxford Mixture. Nineteen started.

Berlin, April 29.—The Prussian Minister of Fin ance reports a surplus of 21, -000,000 thalers for 1873.

New York, April 29.—There were heavy rain storms all night which continue this morning.

time this morning.

The contesting Governors, Baxter and Brooks, make detailed statements in a morning paper over their own signatures, presenting their respective sides of the Arkansas story. They both sign themselves Governor and charge fraud, corruption, &c., upon each other. Their manifestos are dated at Little Rock, yestories.