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GUELPH TOWN COUNCIL.

The Council met last evening in the Court House, present, the Rev. Dr. Clarke, and Messrs. Upde and Stinson.

The Clerk reported the receipt of £123 8s 4d, from the Township Council towards the erection of a new bridge, also a Map of the Milwaukee and Mississippi Railway.

A Report from the Tavern Inspectors was presented. Some discussion took place upon it, and it was referred back to the Inspectors for further consideration.

The Inspectors of Taverns for this Municipality have to report: That during the past year, they have visited the Hotels and Licensed Houses in the Municipality according to the provisions of the Act.

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An offer was received from Col. Hewitt, to pay a sum of money annually, for the occupation of the old barracks ground, and to give it up at the end of any year it might be required.

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as ever appeared in the annuals of newspaper publishing. I call upon him either to admit the truth of my assertions, without his usual equivocation, or to publish the names you will forward to him, and then allow those gentlemen to decide between us, and if they deny my assertions I will make an ample apology as will be necessary to the Editor of the "Herald."

I HATE CHISELLING, I DO.

I have received the following communication by post from Hamilton, with a request that I give it insertion.

You will remember the enlargement of the Methodist Chapel in Guelph. I am sorry to say, I was the Contractor for that job; it was a loss to me of about £10.

Now, Sir, I am not going to dispute either the honour or honesty of the Building Committee; that Job was taken for about £90; I think it was something less; there was extra work done to the amount of £7 10s, for which they would not pay one cent, and deducted £25 from the job, which would leave about £60, for the whole of that work.

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INDIAN CONCERT AND LECTURE.

A Musical Entertainment and Lecture will be given by a company of Native Canadians, Indians, this evening, in the Temperance Hall, Guelph.

GUELPH MARKETS.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Fall Wheat, Spring Wheat, Flour, etc.

TOWN OF GUELPH.

KEEPERS of Houses of Entertainment Licenses to keep Inns, Saloons, &c., are requested to meet the Inspectors at 6 o'clock on MONDAY Evening, the 20th inst., at the Town Clerk's Office, for the purpose of furnishing their securities and obtaining Certificates preparatory to the issuing of Licenses for the ensuing year.

NOTICE.

IN consequence of certain alterations in one of the Town By-Laws, Certificates, as above mentioned, will be granted on Friday, the 24th instant, at the Court House, at 4 o'clock p.m., instead of the 20th inst., above named.

Wesleyan Missions.

THE ANNIVERSARY SERVICES OF the Guelph Wesleyan Methodist Missionary Society, will be held on the 20th, 21st and 23rd FEBRUARY.

MISSIONARY MEETING.

Will be held on TUESDAY, at half past 6 p.m., in the Wesleyan Church, Guelph, on SUNDAY, at half past 4 o'clock a.m., by the Rev. ISAAC BARBER, Rev. Peter Jones, The Indian Missionary, on MONDAY, at half past 6 o'clock p.m., in the Wesleyan Church, Guelph.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

ON SUNDAY, at half past 2 p.m., a sermon will be preached in the Wesleyan Church, by the Rev. L. WALKER, at half past 2 p.m., in Kirkland Church, by the Rev. ISAAC BARBER.

MONARCH Fire and Life Assurance.

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In this town, on the 9th inst., Mrs. Alexander MacKenzie, of a son.

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At Belleville, on the 27th, by the Rev. Wm. Barrie, Mr. George Dryden, farmer, to Miss Jane Englaw, both of Erin.

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber begs to inform those of his customers who have not yet received their accounts, that they are now ready, and will expect an early call, this month with the usual; and those who have been furnished, are also respectfully requested to call and settle this month.

TO DEBTORS.

THE undersigned hereby informs all parties indebted to him that he has placed his Books and Accounts in the hands of Mr. Baker for collection, and will be obliged by an early settlement.

WELLINGTON COUNTY COUNCIL.

THE CLERK'S OFFICE WILL be open on WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY in each week.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

THE undersigned, having been appointed Assignee of the Estate of JOHN O'BRIEN, of Guelph, hereby notifies all creditors of the said John O'Brien, who wish to receive a dividend, that they are required to sign and execute the Deed of Assignment lately made to us, on or before the sixth day of March next.

BY-LAW.

WHEREAS it is expedient and necessary to pass a By-Law for the purpose of Licensing Taverns, and Stores selling Spirituous Liquors, in this Township, and to therefore enacted by the Municipal Council of the Township of Erin, in Council assembled, under and by virtue of the Municipal Acts of Upper Canada, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the Council that any person or persons obtaining Certificates from the Tavern Inspectors, to keep a Tavern for the sale of Spirituous Liquors in any part of said Township, shall pay to the Municipal Officer appointed to grant such License as aforesaid, the sum of Three Pounds Ten Shillings.

MARKET SQUARE, GUELPH.

He will be happy to undertake the purchase or sale of Real Estate and public or other securities, on the lowest terms; the adjustment of Accounts, the Collection of Debts, and generally the transaction of such business as may be confided to his care, to which he will attend with PUNCTUALITY and DISPATCH.

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Important to the Public!!

Hostilities commenced: FRESH ARRIVALS

BY C. A. M'ELDERRY & CO., WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS in Dry Goods, Groceries, Liquors, &c.;

WHO beg to announce to the inhabitants of GUELPH, and the public generally, that they have taken those premises formerly occupied by the late THOS. HOFFERMAN, Esq., near the Wellington Hotel, WYNDHAM STREET; and that they have now on hand one of the Largest, Cheapest, and Best-selected Stocks of Goods ever exhibited in this Western country.

Table listing various goods and prices: Grand Cloths, Cassimeres, Tweeds, etc.

Ready-made Clothing for the Million!

General assortment of GROCERIES, LIQUORS, CROCKERY, STOVES, OILS, DYE STUFFS, &c. they are DETERMINED to dispose of all such prices as will defy competition.

Remember the place near the Wellington Hotel, Wyndham St.

Guelph, December 19th, 1853.

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GUELPH HOTEL.

THE Subscriber begs to inform his friends and the public that he has taken the House and Premises lately occupied by Mr. James Gay, near the Post Office, and heretofore known as the "Guelph Hotel."

R. GREET, Land, Commission, and GENERAL AGENT, NOTARY PUBLIC, &c.

Days of attendance in the Office: Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Saturdays. Days of Travelling: Wednesdays and Fridays.

GALT AND GUELPH RAILWAY.

NOTICE is hereby given that the annual meeting of the shareholders in the Galt and Guelph Railway Company, will be held at the Town Hall, in the Village of Preston, on Monday the 6th day of March, at 12 o'clock, noon.

TAKE NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the Subscribers are requested to settle the same, before the 15th of February next, otherwise they will be put in the hands of Alfred Baker, Esq., for collection.

JARVIS & LEMON, Barristers and Attorneys-at-Law.

MARKET SQUARE, GUELPH.

NEW SERIES OF "Edinburgh Journal."

OF POPULAR LITERATURE, SCIENCE AND ART.

FINE JEWELLERY.

Importing Fine Gold Wedding and other Rings; Bouquet Brooches; Bouquet Rings &c. &c. Also a case of Hall, Shop & Parour.

SOLAR LAMPS.

CALL AND SEE! J. LEGGETT.

FUNERALS.

THE SUBSCRIBER has purchased a handsome New HEARSE, which may be had, by parties requiring the use of the same, on reasonable terms.

TAKE NOTICE!

THE Subscriber intimates that all parties whose accounts to him were due at last term, that if not paid forthwith, they will be handed to the Clerk of the Division Court for collection.

NOTICE.

THE Subscriber, having determined to devote himself wholly to his profession, will remain at home on every Tuesday and Saturday, until one o'clock p.m., for the purpose of seeing those patients who may wish to consult him at his own residence.

IMPORTANT NEWS!

FRESH ARRIVALS

AT THE GUELPH EMPORIUM, SIGN OF THE "LARGE BOOK," WYNDHAM STREET.

J. LEGGETT

BEGS to inform his customers and the public generally, that he has just completed his fall purchases, and having made large additions to his Stock, can offer the same facilities to customers as can be had in any city of Canada.

A general assortment of the following articles always on hand: MISCELLANEOUS, CLASSICAL, & COMMON SCHOOL BOOKS, Bibles, Testaments, Prayer & Hymn Books, BLANK BOOKS & PLAIN AND FANCY STATIONERY!

English, Scotch, and Italian Music; Violins, Flutes, Fifes, Flageolles, Flutinas, Accordeons, Concertinas, Guitars, Banjos, Drums, Tuning Forks, Music Books, Music Paper, Violin Bows, Strings, &c.; Clocks, Watches, Racclets, Rings, Brooches, Shawl Pins, &c.; Electro-Plate, Papier Machie, Gutta Serena and Cabinet goods; Parour, Toilet Bottles, Perfumery, Oils, Soap, &c.; Berlin Wool and Patterns, and a large Stock of Toys and Fancy goods, suitable for gifts for the season.

NOVELS, MAGAZINES, COPYING PRESSES, MAPS, &c. &c.

J. LEGGETT, Guelph, Dec. 1, 1853.

MIMMACK'S CONFECTIONARY.

ADJOINING THE "ADVERTISER" OFFICE, MARKET SQUARE, GUELPH.

PUBLIC and Private Balls, Pie-Nics, Soirees, and Wedding Entertainments, supplied with every delicacy. An entirely new style of ORNAMENTAL PYRAMIDS, Cottages, Rattic and Chantilly Baskets, for table decorations, furnished at short notice.

JELLIES, MARMALADES, COMPOTES, COFFEE, TEA, CHOCOLATE.

And other refreshments, served up clean and good. THE PASTRY made at this Establishment defies competition in the County. Guelph, Dec. 1, 1853.

PROFITABLE INVESTMENT.

EXTENSIVE ARRIVALS OF FALL AND WINTER GOODS. WATERLOO HOUSE, GUELPH.

THE SUBSCRIBER begs to call the attention of his customers, and the public, to his LARGE AND COMPLETE STOCK OF DRY GOODS, Groceries, Crockery, Glasware, and Liquors, WHICH HE OFFERS WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

At a very small advance on the original Invoice Prices. The present extensive and elegant STOCK OF FALL AND WINTER GOODS now to be seen at the Subscriber's Establishment, has been brought for Cash, in the English, French, Belgian, and American Markets, by one of the best judges of Goods, who makes a semi-annual visit to those places in order to obtain suitable Goods for our Canadian Trade.

The Subscriber feels he would wear out the public patience were he to particularly describe or even to give an outline of the immense variety of Goods he has for the inspection of the public. The fact is, one of our Guelph Newspapers would hardly contain all he might say in connection with the extent, variety, elegance, and cheapness of his goods.

Particular attention invited to his superior STOCK OF TEAS, Carefully selected by himself from one of the best Importing Houses in New York, for which he paid Cash, and can therefore offer them Retail in Guelph, at the Hamilton Wholesale Prices.

G. WARREN.

N. B.—MRS. WARREN, begs to inform the Ladies of GUELPH and surrounding country, that she has lately returned from New York, with the latest and most appropriate styles of MANTELLAS, CLOAKS, & BONNETS, And would invite her customers and the public to make an early call at her SHOW ROOM.

WELLINGTON CHAIR AND CABINET FACTORY,

BEAR OF THE ENGLISH CHURCH. GEORGE SMITH, CABINET MAKER, &c.

BEGS to announce to the Inhabitants of GUELPH and adjoining Townships, that he has now on hand a good assortment of FURNITURE, COMPRISING HANDSOME ROSEWOOD AND BLACK WALNUT CANE SEATED CHAIRS, OF DIFFERENT PATTERNS; ROCKING CHAIRS, CANE SEATS AND BACKS; a variety of COMMON CHAIRS; TABLES of different sizes, quality, and patterns; BUREAUS, BEDSTEADS, and a quantity of other sorts of Furniture. The Subscriber also manufactures a new kind of FRENCH BEDSTEADS, Of very handsome patterns; Spring Seated and other SOFAS, OF THE NEWEST STYLES; And also different sorts of MATTRESSES, HAIR AND COTTON. He has also on hand a quantity of very Handsome Bird Cages, Various Sorts, And qualities, which he recommends to the notice of those who may require such articles TRAVELLING TRUNKS of various sizes, and qualities, for Sale at very reasonable prices.

GEORGE SMITH.