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Superior stabiling; and a careful and estemitive hostler always on hand.

Guelph, April 2, "2"

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Having had long experience in the trade
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All orders for new pumps or repairs
fromptly attended to. member the factory, on the banks of the ed, near the Eramosa Bridge, and direct-posite the new English Church. E. STOV alla, telph.Aug. 12th, 1872. dwsm

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four lots in Jackson's Survey, near Mr.

Parties tendering to state price per ton,
and number of tons they can supply.

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CENTRAL EXHIBITION.— Renders for Booths No. 2 and No. 4, will be received on the control of the control of the undersigned until SAUTHALAY. The Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Guelph, Sept 3, 1872. ds. Harald acopy

Of the undersigned on the first that, a bottletch of the undersigned on the first time, a white dog, part bull, spot over his left eye, ellipped ears, and answers to the name of "Spot." The finder, on returning him to the undersigned, or giving such information as will lead to his receivery will be suitably years warded.

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TWO COWS STOLEN OF STRAYED.

Stolen or strayed from the subscribers premises, on the night of Tuesday, 37th, one than the other, the second a war and should be than the other, the second a war and should be the second as well as the other than the other, the second as well as the other than the other than

Guelph, Aug. 27, DEACH FESTIVAL.

Thursday Evening, 12th Sept.,

The fine VENTIL HORN BAND will be resent, and a plentiful supply of superior PEACHES AND GRAPES.

Doors will be or ened trance 10 cents. Guelph, Sept. 3, 1872.

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Guelph, Aug. 31, 1872 P. C. ALTAN, d6t

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Mustard's Vegetable Pills should also be used in comnection with the Special for Sick Headacite and Catarrh; and those who are afflicted with Rheumatism should try Mustaful and Catarrh and those who are the companies. The companies of the Catarrh and the companies of the Catarrh and the Ca

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Elgin Watches, Waltham Watches, English Levers, Detached Levers, Clocks in every style.

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WEDNESDAY EVEN'G, SEPT. 4, 1872

Local and Other Items.

place till the Assembly elect another Professor.

Willful, Murder.—An inquest was held at Penetanguishene, on Monday, on the body of Peter Desjardin, who was waylaid and killed in Tiny. It seems that there had been a bee of some kind, and after indulging in liquor, two parties had a slight quarrel during the forencon, and stright one of the parties was waylaid and struck upon the side of the head, causing death. On post mortem examination, the skull was found fractured, and the brains badly injured. The jury found a werdiet of wilful murder against Alex. Tedoucier. This is the first murder committed in Tiny.

Stock.—We regret to learn that the valuable Clydesdale Stallion, "Chancellor," purchased by Mr. R. Kemp, of Weston, at the recent Highland Agricultural Society's Show, in Scotland,—mention of which was made, in the Maccurs of few days ago—died on the passage, after being three days out at see. We are sure the stock raisers of Canada will heartily sympathize with Mr. Kemp in the great loss of so valuable an animal as the "Chancellor" would doubtless have proved himself to be, had he reached these shores in safety.

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A FINE OIL PAINTIMO.—We were shown the other day a large portrait, in oil, of little Charley Davidson, son of Mr. Chas. Davidson, whose melancholy death by drowning, a year ago last August, is still fresh in the recollection of our readers. The painting was executed by Mr. John Davidson, brother of the deceased, and for an amsteur, who never received any instruction in the art, it is a most creditable piece of work. The likeness is very good, the posilion is easy, the coloring is admirable, and the finish quite artistic. This souvenir of a beloved son and brother is no doubt highly prized by the family, and it shows besides what Mr. Davidson is capable of accomplishing as a painter, if he only continues to persever in his studies.

The EX-EMPRESS OF THE FREXCH IN SCOLAND.—The Dundes Advertiser gives an amusing account of the sojourn of the Empress Eugenie and the Prince Imperial na village inn at a place called Boat of Garten at one o'clock on Sunday morning. As soon as the train had left the station the ex-Empre's and the Prince, with the Count Clary and the attendants, crossed

Garten at one o'clock on Sunday morning. As soon as the train had left the station the ex-Empres and the Prince, with Count Clary and the attendants, crossed the platform to the hostelry of Mr. Alexander MacGregor. The night was pitchy dark and threatening rain. There were no lights save those from the lamps held by the station officials, and from seven candles placed in the three attic windows of Mr. MacGregor's hotel by the way of illumination. The Empress seemed—so far as could be seen by the light of the flickering lamps—to be quite dumbfounded at being landed in so outlandish a place—where Gaolic was better understood than French—at such an hour in the morning, but her ladylike manners and gentle speech quite captivated the hearts of all who heard her ask in firm yet almost heart-despairing tones if this was Droumoulie Hotel, and if the name of the matter d'hotet was MacGregor, or The MacGregor as she called him. Mr. MacGregor was from home, and the distinguished ladv at one time appeared reluctant, if not alraid, to cuter the house. At last she did so, and the duties of entertained and accommodated as the circumstances would permit. It was nearly three o'clock in the morning, and beveloped upon Miss MacGregor and upon the two active handmaidens of the house. There are only three bedrooms in the house; but the whole party, numbering nine individuals, were as suitable entertained and accommodated as the circumstances would permit. It was nearly the services of the memory of the late Prince were up in the morning, and because of the control of the manners and the Prince were up in the morning, and because of the memory of the late of the memory of the

A serious accident happened at Dun-das on Morday night, by which a young man of the name of Wm. Dodd was seri-ously injured. It appears that while driv-ing up the street, the horse got frighten-ed at something, and ran into a waggor, throwing the young man into the middle of the read on his back and nearly killing

Guelph Evening Mercury THIS MORNING'S DESPATCHES TELEGRAPH The Arbitration.

> Collision Among Authorities Sentries Assaulted.

Movements of Royalty.

United States and of Great Britain have prepared and put into printed form new reports to be laid before the Board of Arbitration at the sitting next Friday, Great preparations are being made for a banquet to the Arbitrators to-morrow night, which is given by Charles Bowles, of the banking firm of Bowles Brothers, and not by Samuel Bowles.

Parls, Sept. 3.—A collision of authority occurred at Lyons between the municipal and national authorities which causes much excitement in the city. The Council had removed certain ecclesiastical teachors from the schools and the national Government had interfered and reinstated them. The citizens several times collected in large numbers in the streets to protest against the restoration of the teachers. The Government was at last obliged to call on the military to disperse the gatherings and prevent their recurrence.

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A mob at Marbonne to day assaulted the sentries, peting them with stones. The assailants were quickly dispersed by the troops and ten arrests were made. Rigorous measures are expected.

M. De Remusat declared to day before the permanent Committee of the Assembly, at Versalles, that the military party in Germany are dissatisfied with the Treaty of Peace and with Bismarck, because France was permitted to retain the fosters of Belfort.

The publishers of Napoleon's Life of

lowing centuries, on the site of the first Christian church built in Saxon England.

Later.—The flames now have a perfect hold on the eastern end of the roof of the cathedral, over the altar and shrine of Thomas-a-Becket. The utmost excitement prevails. A supply of water has fortunately been obtained, and the firemen, assisted by the entire garrison of Canterbury, are making every effort to save the building from total destruction. The fire originated from the accidental up-setting of a charcoal furnace which was being used by workmen who were repairing the lead roof of the editice.

2 r. m.—The fire in the cathedral has been extinguished. The firemen obtained control of the flames shortly before noon, and at 12.80 c'clock they were suppressed. About 150 feet of the roof has been completely destroyed. Everything that could possibly be moved was got out of the cathedral before the firemen commenced to pour water on it. It is hoped that when a thorough examination of the building has been made it will be found that the damage is not nearly so serious as now appears. Additional despatches state that the firemen have ceased playing on the building. The shrine of St Thomas-a-Becket has not been at all injured. The Mosaic pavement of the Cathedral is covered with melted lead which dropped from the burning roof. The altar was deluged with water. The fire companies which were summoned from the neighboring towns when the total destruction of the building was imminent, are now arriving towns when the total destruction of the building was imminent, are now arriving towns when the total destruction of the building was imminent, are now arriving towns when the total destruction of the building was imminent, are now arriving towns when the total destruction of the building was imminent, are now arriving towns when the total destruction of the building was imminent, are now arriving towns when the total destruction of the building was imminent, are now arriving towns when the total destruction of the building was imminent, ar

Garafraxa Correspondence.

What has become of your Douglas correspondent? He must have left the place, or is lying in a state of lethargy, for I have not seen any of his spicy articles in your columns for some time. I hope he will wake up and let us know what is going on. Since we have heard from him we notice quite a change in the village. Mr. D. McDonald has erected a neat and substantial frame dwelling house for himself. Mr. John McDonald has the walls of a brick house ready for roofing. Mr. Bell has the frame of a dwelling house up. Mr. W. Brown has commenced to build a dwelling house. The walls of the new stone C. P. Church will soon be up. The tender for the erection of a Drill Shed in the Village has been let, and the building commenced.

Mr. H. Smith has ordered an engine and boiler for his flour mill, and expects it soon, when he will be able to grind steady. We wish him every success, as he is an enterprising, go-ahead, man. The saw mill is running again, and every thing in the Village seems properous, but the merchants complain of it being dull, which is chiefly owing to farmers being busy with their harvests. The farmers are finishing their harvest here. The grain is rather light, but the sample is good.

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I am glad to learn that the Good Templars of Douglas have notified the liquor sellers of that place to stop selling liquor on Saturday night and on the Sabbath, according to law, for I believe the law has been trampled on in this respect. The Good Templars, I understand, are going to prosecute all infringers on said law. They also invite all others that are interested, though not members of the Society, to assist them in bringing to justice those that violate the law in this respect.

The I.O. Good Templars of this County intend holding their next County meeting in the Village of Douglas, on the 12th September. All members of the order are invited to attend, and in the evening there will be a public meeting free to all. There are several speakers from a distance expected to address the meeting, and it will be enlivened with some choice music. A good time is expected. A collection will be taken up at the close.

Mr. R. H. Couse has left the Union Exchange Hotel. We have not learned who is taking his place.

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Douglas, Sept. 2nd, 1872.

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South Renfrew.

(From the Ottawa Free Press.)

Our telegraph despatches from this Riding announce the defeat of Mr. J. L. McDougall by a majority of 232 in favor of Mr. O'Reilly. From information to hand, however, we believe that Mr. McDougall should have been elected by a majority of over one hundred. In the upper townships, we understand no votes were allowed to be polled for MoDougall, and notwithstanding that there is no proper assessment roll for those townships, they are reported as giving a majority of 384 votes for Mr. O'Reilly. If we deduct this from the total vote polled and allow Mr. O'Reilly 100 majority for these townships, which is certainly more than could be legally polled, we would then have a majority of 164 for Mr. McDougall. We believe the legal fraud of personation was largely resorted to by Mr. O'Reilly's friends, and overy improper influence used to defeat Mr. McDougall. For reasons expressed before, we regret that Mr. O'Reilly should have been returned under any circumstances. He is not a fit person to represent the Ottawa Valley in Parkiament, and we believe a fair expression of the feeling of South Renfrew will enduras this statement. It is probable that Mr. McDougall; will appeal to the proper tribunal for dress, and Mr. O'Reilly will be unseated to the proper tribunal for dress, and Mr. O'Reilly will be unseated to the proper tribunal for dress, and Mr. O'Reilly will be unseated.

Presbytery of Guelph.

The Presbytery of Guelph in connection with the Canada Presbyterian Church met on Tuesday, in Chalmers' Church. There was a large attendance of the control of the to him by the congregation at Arthur. The call was accordingly set aside, and cute their studies. A plan was submitted and adopted for raising the Ordinary Fund by a certain rate per family in the different congregations in the bounds. A conference on the State of Religion was held for a brief period, after which it was agreed that the subject be resumed at the next ordinary meeting, and that Dr. Barrie be requested to introduce it to the Presbytery. Mr. Wardrope gave notice that at next meeting he would move, when the subject of a Mission Agent should come up, that this Presbytery resonmend Mr. Torrance to the General Assembly as a suitable person to fill that office. Some other matters were allowed to stand over till next ordinary meeting, which was appointed to be held in Chalmers' Church, Guelph, on the second Tuesday of November, at one o'clock p.m.

ssenver. to Mr. Geo. Scroggie, was burned down.
The fire was caused by children playing
with powder. The loss is stated at aboutlate for in.
\$150 or \$200