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Barristers, Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitors
in Chancery, Guelph, Ontario.

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BARRISTER AT LAW.
Office—Corner of Wyndham and Quebec
Streets, Guelph, June 3, 1874.

LEMON, PETERSON & McLEAN,
Barristers and Attorneys at Law,
Solicitors in Chancery,
Conveyancers and Notaries Public.
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K. MACLEAN, County Crown Attorney

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Barristers and Attorneys at Law
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Office—Over Harvey's Drug Store,
Guelph, Oct. 7, 1874.

**STEPHEN BOULT, Architect, Con-
tractor and Builder, Planning Mill, and
very kind of Joiner's Work prepared for
the trade and the public. The Factory is on
Quebec Street, Guelph.**

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House, Sign, & Ornamental Painter
GRAINER AND PAPER-HANGER.
Shop next to the Wellington Hotel, Wynd-
ham Street, Guelph.

DR. COLLINGE,
(M.D., Edinburgh, and M.R.C.S., England
having assisted Dr. Clarke in his Practice
during the last twelve months, has now
commenced Practice on his own account at
the house formerly occupied by Dr. Herold,
Quebec Street East, Guelph.

IRON CASTINGS
Of all kinds, made to order at
CROWE'S IRON WORKS,
Norfolk Street, Guelph.

W. M. FOSTER, M.D.,
Surgeon Dentist, Guelph.
Office—F. Harvey & Co's Drug
Store, Corner of
Wyndham & Mac-
donald Sts., Guelph.
Nitrous Oxide
administered for the
extraction of teeth without pain, which is
perfectly safe and reliable.
References kindly sent to Dr.
Herold, McGuire, Keating, Cowan, and Mc-
Gregor, Guelph.

R. Campbell, L.D.S.
Having recovered from his recent illness, is
again prepared to attend to the wants of all
who may require his services.
Office at the old stand, Wyndham street,
Guelph.

M. P. DELOUCHE
WIRE WORKER,
Pearl street, off King street. Every de-
scription of wire work made to order at the
lowest terms. Any orders left at W. H. Mar-
con's seed store, Market Square, or at R.
Murray's fruit depot, Wyndham street, will
be thankfully received and promptly at-
tended to. Terms strictly cash.

R. BELLARD HALL,
In the Queen's Hotel, Guelph, opposite
the Market.

The room has just been refitted in splen-
did style, the tables reduced in size, and
everything done to make it a first-class
Billiard Hall.

W. M. NELSON,
Clothes Cleaner and Renovator
All clothing entrusted to his care will be
cleaned and renovated to the satisfaction
of his customers. He also has a Laundry
in connection. He returns thanks for past
patronage, and trusts he will continue to
receive the support of the public generally.
Residence Devonshire street, Guelph.

**DOMINION SALOON
AND
RESTAURANT.**
Opposite the Market, Guelph.
The subscriber begs to notify his friends
and the public that he is now proprietor of
the above saloon and hopes by keeping none
but first-class liquors and cigars to receive a
share of public patronage.
Operators in this saloon. First-class ac-
commodation for supper parties.
M. DEADY, Proprietor,
Guelph, April 7, 1874.

"MONEY TO BE MADE."
The subscriber is authorized to let the
store and premises, in the village of Eden
Mills, lately occupied by Samuel Meadows,
but first-class liquors and cigars to receive a
share of public patronage.
Operators in this saloon. First-class ac-
commodation for supper parties.
M. DEADY, Proprietor,
Guelph, April 7, 1874.

**MONEY TO LOAN
ON FARM SECURITY.**
This undersigned has \$25,000 for invest-
ment in Mortgages on Farms. In sums to
suit borrowers, with interest at 8 percent,
for periods from 5 to 15 years.
Early applications requested.
JAMES PETERSON & MACLEAN,
Guelph, March 15, 1874.

MONEY TO LEND.
In sums to suit borrowers. No solicitor
fees or commission charged.
APPLY direct to the undersigned,
GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN,
April 16, 1874.

New Advertisements.

WANTED—A good general servant.
Apply at this office. j10dtf

TO LET—THREE ROOMS.
Apply at
DAY'S BOOKSTORE.

**WANTED IMMEDIATELY—A good
Blacksmith. Apply at Patmore
Bros., Harrison. j9dtf**

**FOR SALE OR TO RENT—A com-
modious Stone Workshop, with or
without two acres of land. Apply to James
Barclay, builder, Guelph. j9dtf**

**FOUR EXPERIENCED DRESS-
MAKERS wanted immediately at the
Fashionable West End. Apply to Miss
Morrison. A. O. BUGHAM, 30-dtf**

**WANTED—A respectable, honest
good girl, able and willing to assist
in house work. Will be treated as one of
the family. Address Mrs. Forbes, 86 Adams
Avenue West, Detroit. 8-6d**

WATER-TANKS.
The subscriber is prepared to make
and put in Water Tanks to hold any num-
ber of barrels. All work is warranted water
tight, and to last. Apply at his shop, Ar-
thur street, near Erasmus Bridge.
THOS. FITZSIMMONS, 3-d

**STONE SHOP TO RENT—In the
kind of manufacturing business. Apply at
the Mercury office. j17-dtf**

**DERRY WALLS AND NO SURREN-
DER!**
Prince Arthur L. O. L. No. 1331, Guelph,
intend celebrating the anniversary of the
Battle of the Boyne by an EXCURSION to
Hamilton on
Monday, July 13th,
for which all brethren will obtain their
tickets at a single fare. Brethren from ad-
joining Counties are respectfully invited.
T. SMITH,
3-t d w 1 Secretary.

PAINTERS AND GLAZIERS.
HUMPHRIES & REYNOLDS
Beg to announce to the people of Guelph
and surrounding country that they have
entered into partnership, and intend to
carry on the Painting Business in all its
branches in their shop a few doors west of
the Guelph Sewing Machine Factory. Being
practical painters, they are confident that
they can give entire satisfaction to all who
may favor them with a call. House and
sign painting, graining, paper hanging, etc.
done on short notice. Ceilings calcimined
in the best manner.
HUMPHRIES & REYNOLDS,
Guelph, June 9, 1874. d4wm

NOTICE
All parties having claims against the late
firm of Hearn & Kennedy are requested to
present the same for payment to William
Hearn, who is authorized to receive pay-
ment of all accounts and debts due to the
late firm.
**WILLIAM HEARN,
ALBERT KENNEDY,**
Guelph, July 3, 1874. j14dwim

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP
Notice is hereby given that the part-
nership heretofore subsisting between the
undersigned, under the name of Wright,
Armstrong & Co., as Carpet Manufacturers,
has been this day dissolved by mutual con-
sent. All debts owing to the said part-
nership are to be paid to Andrew Armstrong,
and all claims against the said partnership
are to be presented to the said Andrew
Armstrong, at Guelph, by whom the same
will be settled, if found correct.
**W. WRIGHT,
A. W. WRIGHT,
J. W. WRIGHT,
JOHN ARMSTRONG,
ANDREW ARMSTRONG,**
Guelph, 7th July, 1874. dwt

**THE business will be conducted by
John and Andrew Armstrong.**

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SATURDAY EVENING, JULY 11, 1874

Local and Other Items.

The Ladies Aid Society at Harrison
made over \$80 at their tent on Dominion
Day.

A CONSTRUCTION train is busy at work
ballasting the railroad between Harrison
and Mount Forest.

A cow owned by John Webb, was killed
by the engine of 9.30 express on Friday
night last, near the Harrison station.

PIC-NIC.—The Committee of the W. M.
Sabbath School have decided to hold their
annual pic-nic on Thursday, the
23rd inst.

A son of Mr. Patrick Mullen, of Eras-
mos, whilst working among some logs
was struck by one of them and had his
right leg broken.

The water in the Grand River has
fallen rapidly of late, and the prospects
of manufacturers along its banks are not
very good for their fall supply.

OPPOSITION STAGE.—Two stages now
run between Harrison and Wroxeter,
both leaving upon the arrival of the 2
p.m. express west on the W. G. & B.
railway at the former place.

ACCIDENT.—On Tuesday last a youth
named George Baames, of Fergus, was
carelessly handling a pistol, it went off
the charge striking his left thumb, carry-
ing away the flesh and exposing the
bone for almost its entire length.

IMPROVEMENTS IN ORANGEVILLE.—By-
laws have been introduced into the
Orangeville Council for the establish-
ment of town weigh scales; for taking
cognizance of slaughter houses; and for
the prevention of fires.

ORANGEVILLE TEMPERANCE HOTEL.—
This house is fast becoming a resort for
the young men of the town who are un-
willing to frequent the other taverns, as
well as for the farming community. We
understand it is in contemplation to
establish a reading room on the
premises.

FIRST SHIPMENT OF CHEESE.—Mr. H.
Gordon of Harrison, has completed a
shipment of 24,000 lbs. of cheese to a London
buyer. He expects to export a quantity
about ten tons this season. And yet the
merchants hold more butter now than
they ever did before at this time of the
year.

RECOVERY.—Mr. Jacob Scott, of Luther,
who was reported in our last issue to
have been dangerously injured by his
team running away in Fergus, had so far
recovered under Dr. Groves' treatment that
he was able to be taken home on
Wednesday, with every prospect of a
speedy recovery.

On Saturday afternoon, 4th inst., a
son of Hiram Smith, 12 years old, while
working at the "Duster" in Wilson's
Woolen Factory, Fergus, got his fingers
entangled in the wool, and his hand and
forearm were drawn into the machine
and considerably mangled, the same
bones of the hand being crushed into
small pieces.

FERGUS PRODUCE MARKET.—At this
weekly market on Thursday last week,
butter sold at from 15c to 20c. Prizes
were offered for the best samples, the
judges being Mr. John Watt, of Fergus,
and Mr. Robert Wylie, of Ayr, and the
following were the prize takers:—Mr.
James Cook, Pilkington; 2nd Miss
Brookie, Nichol; 3rd Mr. Peter McBain,
Nichol.

WELCOME PRESENTATION.—The Con-
gregationalists at Masson's Corners in
Garafra, have resolved to present their
esteemed pastor, Rev. E. Barker, with
\$50 to assist in paying for a horse and
buggy. For five years Mr. Barker has
had charge of the congregation at the
little church in the town, and the ad-
dition of Douglas congregation to his
charge has made this new proposed ac-
quisition indispensable.

WELLINGTON BATTERY.—The following
members of the Battery were awarded
prizes for the cleaning harness at the in-
termediate meeting of the camp.
The prizes were given by the officers:—
2nd Division—1st, Alex. McPhail, \$2;
2nd, Jas. McIntyre, \$1; 3rd, John Gib-
son, 50 cents. Left Division—1st, An-
drew Elliott, \$2; 2nd, P. McQuillan, \$1;
3rd, C. Cockburn, 50 cents. Sweepstakes
for best in harness, driver Andrew
Elliott, Puslinch, \$1.

BUILDING ACCIDENT.—On Monday
last week Mr. John Near, of Garafra,
was engaged in building a new barn for
Mr. Chalmers, Upper Nichol, and while
descending from the roof, as he was
raising up shingles, the rope broke
and he fell about twenty feet. He sus-
tained several severe bruises but no
bones were broken. Fortunately a few
boards had been placed on the joists, or
the accident might have been fatal.

CORRECTION.—Rev. J. E. Croly, min-
ister of the C. P. Church at Millbank,
denies the assertion made by the Fergus
News Record and copied by us, with re-
gard to the absconding of Mr. Robert
Reid, of the former place. Mr. Reid
could not carry off any of the minister's
helic church and in Fergus, the minister
of the Church, but on the other hand there
is an amount due him for his services as
precentor. It is further asserted that
no one will be the loser by Mr. Reid's
departure except himself.

BOVINE SUBSERV.—A difficult operation
was performed on a cow belonging to
Mr. M. Halley, Elora, by Mr. W.
Anderson and Mr. W. Elliott, V. S.,
which reflects creditably on the surgical
ability of these gentlemen. The animal
had eaten a surfeit of food, which par-
alyzed the action of the stomach, thereby
preventing digestion. An incision was made
in the skin, the paunch was opened and
its contents carefully extracted. The
wound was then sewed, and the animal is
now doing well.

NEW POST OFFICE.—We are pleased
to announce that the Postmaster General,
in compliance with the request of a large
number of residents of Lebonon and sur-
rounding country, has opened a Post
Office in that place, and appointed J. W.
Hough as postmaster. Lebonon, although

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE MERCURY

**The Iron Moulders' Union,
Macahon and the Republic.**

The Indian Raids in Kansas.

The Tilton Beecher Scandal.

Serious Trouble in Prussia.

Richmond, Va., July 10th.—The Iron
Moulders' International Union to-day
elected for the ensuing term, Wm. Laffin,
of Cincinnati, for President, and John
Nolan, of Toronto, as one of the Vice-
Presidents. The Union will be in session
for several days yet.

Paris, July 10th.—The Republican
papers conclude, from Marshal Mac-
Mahon's message to the assembly yester-
day, that he recognizes the Republic.

New York, July 10th.—Despatches re-
ceived here from Topeka, Kansas, say
that there is no longer any doubt that
large bodies of Indians are on the war
path. The raid was begun by the Kiowas,
and now comprises war parties from that
tribe, and the Cheyennes and Arapahoes.
Three men were killed and scalped near
Mozen's Rancho, in the Indian Territory,
on Monday, and another named Patrick
Hennessy, was tied to a wagon and
burned. The panic prevails all along
the border, and settlers are leaving their
homes and hurrying into the towns.

Detroit, July 10.—The Shooting Tour-
nament closed to-day with a sweepstakes.
First squad of eight shooting at fifteen
yards, each squad killed 115 out of 120,
nine only dropped 3 dead within the
bounds. The second squad killed 113.
In shooting double birds Mr. Sherman,
of Beloit, Wis., killed 20 out of 22.

New York, 10.—Two letters of Mr.
Beecher will be published in the next
issue of the "Christian Union." One of
them, dated June 27th, solicits investi-
gation into the charges made against
him, and is addressed to the following
members of Plymouth Church: H. B.
Claffin, Henry W. Sage, August Stowe,
Henry M. Cleveland, John Winslow and
A. T. White; 2nd letter, dated July 6th,
is addressed to the Clerk of Plymouth
Church. With it is enclosed a copy of the
previous letter, and the Clerk of the
Church is asked to give all aid to the in-
vestigating committee.

London, 11.—A special despatch to the
"Daily News" reports that several re-
volts have broken out among the peas-
antry in Northern Prussia on account of
the new laws making changes in methods
of local government. The troops had
been called out, and in one conflict with
the people three are expected. "Daily
Telegraph" has a report that King Lud-
wig of Bavaria will meet the Emperor
William at Munich shortly, when it is
to be hoped that Bavaria will come to a
better understanding with Prussia.

Madrid, 10.—The Carlists shot a cor-
respondent of the "New Free Press" of
Vienna, on June 30, in spite of reprieve
sent by Don Carlos.

New York, 11.—Weather oppressively
warm. Letter of Beecher to the mem-
bers of his Church asking for investiga-
tion, is dated June 27, two days after
publication of Tilton's letter, and says:
In the present state of public feeling I
write to my friends in society and the Church
over which I am pastor, to have some
pious investigation made of the rumors,
insinuations or charges made respecting
my conduct as copyist of the gentlemen
named by him as the investigating
committee. The 2nd letter is dated 6th
July, and addressed to the regular ex-
ecuting committee of the Church, after
reiterating the substance of the first let-
ter says. It seemed wise to me that the
request should proceed from me and not
from your foregoing knowledge, and that
you should give to it authority to
act in your behalf, in so far as a thorough
investigation of the facts should be con-
sidered. Shearman, Clerk of the Ply-
mouth Church, stated to the interviewer
last night, that the investigating Com-
mittee would probably finish their duties
to-day, also that Tilton was invited by
the Committee to appear and did so regu-
larly at their meetings.

It is reported that Governor Dix will
give his decision on the charges against
Mayor Havemeyer to-day, and that he
will not suspend the Mayor during his
progress.

Washington despatches say that the
increase of postage stamps, stamped
envelopes, and postal cards during the
past year was over three million dollars,
or over 14.40 per cent. over previous
year, and that more than half of the in-
creased revenues of the post-office depart-
ment in the past year is owing to the
abolition of the franking privilege.

A fire occurred at Weehawken, N. J.,
opposite West 30th Street, N. Y., last
night, in Erie Oil Works. The fire was
caused by lightning striking an oil
tank which contained 15,000 bbls. of oil.
At midnight five of the large tanks con-
taining 15,000 bbls. each had been de-
stroyed, and another containing 20,000
bbls. was on fire. There was little hope
of saving any of the oil. On Saturday,
the aggregate loss is variously estimated
at from \$250,000 to \$600,000.

BASE BALL

MAPLE LEAF VS. COBOUT'S TRAVELLERS.

The Cobourg World thus speaks of this
match:—The reputation which the Club
had acquired was well sustained,—their
movements on the field and with the club
being marvellously expert. They made
scarcely a mistake; and though it seem-
ed in some of the innings as though they
were not exerting themselves very much,
yet throughout the game their actions
were those of long practiced and ex-
ceeding expert players. Our boys did
very well; but as they themselves expect-
ed, were no match for the Club which
had, the day before, been pronounced the
Champion Amateurs of the Continent.
The "Maple Leafs" are an active, well-
built, and very gentlemanly body of young
men. Although a long way from home,
and thus, perhaps, under temptation not
to observe their home strictness, their
conduct here was exemplary in all re-
spects, while their action and bearing on
the field were such as become gentlemen
and good players.

On Thursday the Maple Leaf club
played with the Beavers, of Newcastle,
beating them by a score of 93 to 11. The
weather was beautiful, and the game
came off pretty well, although considera-
ble miffing was done. The following is
the score by innings:
Maple Leaf - 7 21 0 3 3 6 2 1-33
Beavers - 7 8 0 0 6 3 0 1-11

Yesterday the game with the Royal
Oaks, of Bowmanville, was a very inter-
esting one, some fine play being exhib-
ited on both sides. The game lasted
nearly three hours, and at the close of
the 9th innings the score stood: Maple
Leaf, 20; Royal Oak, 7.

Our boys play with the Danterless,
of Toronto, at half-past two to-day. The
score can be seen in Petrie's drug store
window, at the conclusion of the game.
Mr. J. T. Nichols, the old captain, has
gone down to meet the nine, and re-
turn home with them this evening, ar-
riving about 8 o'clock. A reception will be
accorded them by the members of the
club here, and they will be escorted to
town by Lawrence's Silver Cornet Band.
Owing to the late hour of their arrival,
no banquet has been arranged for, but
we believe one will be given next week
in honor of the champions.

COMMENTS ON THE TOURNAMENT.—The
Galt Reporter says:—"We take our
hat to the Guelph boys, and congratulate
them on waxing Brother Jonathan at his
own pet game; but if they go on in this
way they'll have to be careful that some
body doesn't act foul with their
cash-box again, as it will be pretty well
filled by the time they return home."
The Watertown Times of Tuesday re-
marks:—"The 'Maple Leafs' richly de-
served their prize which they have won
so handsomely. The men who compose
the Dominion club are gentlemen all,
and have conducted themselves as
gentlemen as such during their stay in
our city. This cannot be said of all the clubs
—many of whom have forfeited the good
opinions they otherwise could have held.
The result was satisfactory. We are glad
to see the first grand prize go to the
club which has so fairly, so honestly, and so
faithfully striven for it."

Address and Presentation.

On the occasion of the departure of Mr.
M. B. Wynn from the Guelph G. T. R.
freight station, to assume a more im-
portant position on the line of the T. G. &
B. Railway, his fellow-laborers met and
presented him with a beautiful case. The
presentation was made on Friday, by Mr.
E. Brathwaite, Freight Agent, and the
following address was read:—
To Mr. M. B. Wynn:
DEAR SIR,—We, the employees of the
G. T. R. Freight Department, embrace
this opportunity of making known to you
our sincere regret that the time has
come that your labours with us should
close, for we can assure you that your
kind and affable manner has endeared
you to us all; and we heartily wish you
every success in your new sphere of
labour. You will please except this case
from us, not on account of its intrinsic
value, but as a slight token of our re-
gard and esteem for you; and when en-
joying your evening promenade far away
from us, this case will bring to your
memory the pleasing reflection that you
have left behind you some warm hearts
anxious for your co-laborers.

ENLARGEMENT.—John B. Helt & Co.
have been awarded the contract for the
erection of the additional buildings re-
quired on the Industrial Farm at Berlin.
The contract price was \$2,327.

VICTORIA COLLEGE.—There is a prospect
approaching a probability that Victoria
College may ere long be removed to
Hamilton. New buildings are wanted,
and Cobourg will hardly undertake to
help very much in supplying them, and
at any rate it is thought to be too far
east to suit the wants of the Western
peninsula. Hamilton is thinking about it,
and so is the Wesleyan Conference.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—On Sunday eve-
ning, 28th ult., Mr. Fighman E. Snyder,
living near Rossville, met with a serious
accident while driving along the Huron
road in Wilmot. When passing Reichert's
saw mill the horse became frightened and
commenced kicking violently. Mr.
Snyder attempted to leap out of the
buggy, but in doing so his feet caught in
the lines and he fell heavily to the
ground, dislocating his left ankle in such
a manner that the bone protruded through
the flesh.

ELMA AND WALLACE AGRICULTURAL SO-
CIETY.—The Directors of this Society in-
tend to publish their prize list this year
in pamphlet form. Besides the prize list,
the book will contain a number of origi-
nal essays on agricultural subjects, and
other interesting reading matter.
MESSRS. J. & J. Livingstone, of Listowel,
have donated the sum of \$25 to be
awarded for the best yield and quality of
flax, from not less than four bushels
sown. The competitors must be mem-
bers of this society.

The Grange movement in the States
was well enough so long as it remained
a protest against fraudulent "protec-
tion," which robs the farmer, and an
inflated irredeemable currency which robs
everybody. But when it degenerated
into a preserve in which the officials
might gather plunder, it became an evil
so apparent as to lead to a disavowal
which is likely to be speedily followed all
over the country.

Sudden Death at Beamsville.

By Telegraph to the Mercury per Dominion
Line.
Beamsville, Ont., July 11th.—Last
evening Philip Leibrick, while chasing
his cow, fell and died in a few minutes.

20 cents
On the Dollar Saved at
Day's Bookstore.

We commence Stock-tak-
ing Aug. 1st. Until then 20
cents on the Dollar will be
allowed on all sales of Wall
Paper at Day's Bookstore.
Now is the time to buy.

FARMERS, ATTENTION.
The subscribers are prepared to do all
kinds of
**REPAIRS TO
Farming Implements.**
Mowers, Reapers, Threshing Machines,
etc., etc., on short notice, and on
reasonable terms.

**PLOUGH kept on hand, PLOUGH
CASTINGS made to order, also
BRASS CASTINGS.**
HARLEY & HEATHER,
ESTON FOUNDRY,
Near J. C. Presant's Mill. dim-w3m
Guelph, July 7th, 1874.

**ICE CREAM
AND
COOL DRINKS**
—AT—
Mrs. WINEFANLEY'S Grocery Store,
south side of the Dundas Bridge, Guelph.
Guelph, June 6th, 1874. d3m

**AMERICAN
HOTEL CAB.**
The subscriber begs to intimate to the
public that his new cab attends all trains at
stations, and will convey passengers to any
part of the town.
Pleasure or other parties hiring the Cab
by the hour can have it at very reasonable
rates by applying at the hotel.
THOMAS ELLIS,
Proprietor,
Guelph, July 2, 1874. d1y