The Port Hope *Canadian* gives the following frightful picture of the results of intemperance at that place: A party of tour, named respectively Brooks and Bew, with their wives, left town on Wednesday evening, 14th inst., in a drunken state, taking two quarts of whiskey with them. On arriving at Bew's house, in the neighborhood of Welcome, they commenced drinking and dancing until they could no longer stand. Brooks, with Bew and his wife rolled into one bed, while Mrs. Brooks lay on the floor beside the stove. About two or three o'clock in the morning, a stick fell out of the stove and ignited her dress. The fire woke her up from her stupor, and she cried for help, but the other three were too drunk to render proper assistance; as the result, the unfortunate woman was left by the fire a blackened, scorched, lifeless victim of intemperance.

BIGAMY.—A man named Johnson, aged fifty years, who followed the profession of dentist, settled down in Ainleyville about a year ago, with a woman he said was his wife. But a few days since a lady appeared who claimed to be Johnson's lawful wife, and said that he had deserted her at Newmarket. Mrs. Johnson the second bolted instantly, Johnson followed in the evening, and the chattels which he left behind him were disposed of at auction by No. 1, who pocketed the proceeds and departed.

RUNAWAY — WAGGONS SMASHED. — This forenoon a team belonging to Mr. Durance, of Waterloo, took fright and started from the residence of Mr. Bater, Glasgow street, and on reaching Paisley street they dashed towards the town at a furious rate. When near Renton's black smith shop they ran against a tree smashing the waggon to pieces and seriously injuring one of the horses. In their mad career they ran against another waggon the axle of which was also broken.

JUDICIOUS ADVERTISING. — Mr. Effingham Wilson, the well known publisher of the Royal *Exchange*, London, England, in a work on authorship, publishing, advertising, &c., makes the following pointed remarks; —"Of this you may be sure, that any journal that inserts advertisements cheap, is, in fact, a worthless medium. If it were really a good one, it would have no need to lower its prices, for its sheet would be filled without that sacrifice. You may lay it down as a rule, that every journal knows its value, and that if it adopts low prices, it is because it is conscious that it has a low circulation, either in number or respectability."

FOR SALE.

RAISINS—Boxes Layer Raisins
do Bunch do
do Valentia do
Kegs Seedless do
Drums Sultanas
PEELS—Cases Orange Peel
do Lemon "
do Citron "
SUGARS—Bbls. Redpath's, 2, 2½ and 3.
Ground, Crushed A
Dry Crushed, Loaves.
SYRUPS—Standard
Golden.
SOAPS—Brown Windsor
Magnum Honey
Castile and Liverpool
HERRINGS—Car loads Labrador
do Round.
PICKLED CODFISH in half barrels, DRY COD in quintals.

☞ To the trade only.

JOHN L. LEWIS.

Guelph, Nov. 3. daw tf

COMMERCIAL.

Guelph Markets

MERCURY OFFICE, GUELPH.
November 14, 1868.

Flour ℔ 100 lbs	$ 2 75	@	$ 0 00
Fall Wheat, ℔ bush	1 20	@	1 25
Spring Wheat ℔ bush	1 00	@	1 04
Oats ℔ bush	0 52	@	0 55
Peas do	0 80	@	0 83
Barley do	1 10	@	1 15
Hay ℔ ton	10 00	@	12 00
Straw	3 00	@	0 00
Shingles, ℔ squar	1 00	@	1 50
Wood, ℔ cord	3 00	@	4 00
Wool	0 24	@	0 25
Eggs, ℔ dozen	0 15	@	0 16
Butter, (store packed) ℔ lb	0 18	@	0 20
do (dairy packed) ℔ lb	0 20	@	0 22
Geese, each	0 37½	@	0 00
Turkeys each	0 30	@	0 50
Chickens, ℔ pair	0 10	@	0 25
Ducks, do	0 15	@	0 20
Potatoes, per bag	1 00	@	1 25
Apples, ℔ bag	0 75	@	1 00
Lamb, ℔ lb	0 06	@	0 07
Beef	5 00	@	6 00
Beef, ℔ lb	0 05	@	0 12
Pork, ℔ 100 lbs.	5 50	@	7 50
Sheep Pelts each	0 20	@	0 40
Lambskins	0 35	@	0 50
Hides	6 00	@	6 50

Money Market.

JACKSON'S EXCHANGE OFFICE.
Guelph, Nov. 14, 1868.

Gold, 133¾.
Greenbacks bo't at 73 to 73½; sold at 74c to 74½c.
Silver bought at 4 to 4½ dis.; sold at 3 to 3½.
Upper Canada Bank Bills bought at 55c. to 00

MONTREAL MARKETS.

Kirkwood, Livingstone & Co's. report by special Telegraph to 'Evening Mercury.'
MONTREAL, November 13, 1868.

Flour—Extra, $6 00 to $6 25; Fancy, $5 60 to $5 70; Welland Canal Superfine, $5 20 to $5 20; Superfine No. 1 Canada wheat, $5 20 to $5 45; Superfine No. 1 Western wheat, $5 20 to $5 20; No. 2 do., $4 80 to $4 90; Bag flour, $2 50 to $2 65. Wheat—Canada Fall, $1 20 to $1 20; Spring, $1 18 to $1 19; Western, $1 14 to $1 15. Oats, per 32 lbs, 48c to 49c Barley, per 48 lbs, $1 10 to $1 15. Butter—dairy 22c to 24c. store packed 20c to 22c. Ashes—Pots $5 60 to $5 70; pearls $5 50 to $5 55. Pork—Mess, $24 00; Prime Mess, $18 00; Prime, $18 00. Peas, 95c to 96c.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, Nov. 13.

Fall wheat, $1 10 to $1 20; spring wheat, $1 09 to $1 10; flour, No. 1 super, $4 80; fancy $5 25; barley $1 25; peas, 82c to 85c; oats, 50c to 51c.

HAMILTON MARKETS.

Hamilton, Nov. 13.

Barley, 1 25 to 1 25; peas, 75c to 80c; oats, 55c to 55c; spring wheat, 1 04 to 1 05; white wheat, 1 20 to 1 20; red winter, 1 09 to 1 10

REMOVAL.

LEMON & PETERSON

BARRISTERS and Attorneys at Law, Solicitors in Chancery, and Notaries Public.
☞ OFFICE: over the Bank of Commerce, opposite the Market, Guelph. dw
Guelp, 27th Jan, 1868 wtd

R. J. JEANNERET.

From England,

Established in London, Ont. 1842 and in Guelph 1863,)

WORKING WATCHMAKER

AND JEWELER

DAY'S BLOCK,

Opposite the Marke Guelph.

A GOOD Assortment of the Best English and Swiss Lever Watches. Reference can be made to respectable persons who have carried his Watches from one to twenty-five years each.
Guelph, September 9th. dw

JOHN R. PORTE,

From the Sheffield House, Toronto,

WOULD intimate to the nhabitants of GUELPH and SURROUNDING COUNTRY, that he has opened a store

Next door to Mr. Berry's Confectionery Store, Wyndham Street,

Where he will keep on hand a large assortment of

WATCHES, CLOCKS AND JEWELLERY,

FANCY GOODS, &c.

Repairing done in all its branches. Satisfaction Warranted

Wyndham Street, Guelph, October 29, 1868. dawtf

OYSTERS. OYSTERS.

Receiving Daily from Head Quarters, Baltimore.

☞ Platt & Co's World-Renowned Baltimore Oysters

ARE THE LARGEST, FATTEST AND BEST FLAVORED IN THE WHOLE WORLD.

Finnan Haddies in fine order,
Lobsters, Sardines, Fresh Salmon,
Potted Meats, Ham, Tongue & Bloater Paste
Wholesale and Retail.

☞ Orders Solicited and promptly executed. All goods warranted as represented.

GEORGE WILKINSON.

Guelph, November 2, 1868. daw tf

SILVER TAKEN AT PAR

PREMIUM ON PAPER MONEY.

BUSINESS LIVELY

AT THE

BRADFORD HOUSE

OPENING OF SHOW ROOMS.

New Pattern Bonnets,
New Pattern Hats.

Mantles and Jackets!

New Pattern Mantles.
New Pattern Jackets.

☞ Another Lot of those Cheap Jackets, from $1.00 to $3.00—Less than Half-price.

THE GREAT RUSH FOR DRESS GOODS STILL CONTINUES. Real Irish Poplins, in all the New Colours. The only House in Guelph that keep the same Goods.

PHILIP BISH

Wyndham Street, Guelph, October 24. daw tf

FALL STOCK.

JAMES CORMACK,

MERCHANT TAILOR, No. 1, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

HAS now the pleasure to announce the arrival of his Fall Stock, which you will find one of the Largest and Best Assorted in the Province, comprising the CHOICEST GOODS OF THE SEASON, in **Overcoatings, Undercoatings, Trouserings and Fancy Vestings.**

I would call special attention to the very Large and Superior Stock of **Ready-Made Clothing.** *This Department, which is so well-known to the public as being Better Cut and Better Made than the most of such Goods. Besides having an Immense Stock to choose from, you can get better served at the very lowest prices to be found.*

In the **Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods** *it is unusually large and attractive, embracing everything NEW, NOVEL, PLAIN and COMFORTABLE, and would invite the attention of the public to* **No. 1, WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH.**

Guelph, September 24th. dw

Fresh Teas

CROP '67 AND '68.

REFORD & DILLON

ARE now receiving **direct from London, Eng'd,** their FALL SUPPLIES of **New Season Teas,** comprising—

TWANKAYS,
YOUNG HYSONS,
IMPERIALS,
GUNPOWDERS,

Colr'd & Uncol'red JAPANS
CONGOUS,
SOUCHONGS,
PEKOES.

ALSO,

100 Hhd's Choice Barbadoes and Cuba Sugars,

With a well selected assortment of GENERAL GROCERIES, all of which they offer to the trade LOW.

REFORD & DILLON,

Toronto, September 1, 1868. 12 and 14, Wellington Street, Toronto.

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK,

GENERAL AGENTS,

TOWN HALL BUILDINGS, } GUELPH,

Agents for investing Money for the

TRUST and LOAN COMPANY

OF UPPER CANADA, AND

THE CANADA PERMANENT BUILDING and SAVINGS SOCIETIES

OF TORONTO.

THESE Companies afford every facility to the borrower, and give him the privilege of either retaining the principal for a term of years or of paying it off by instalments extending over any term of years up to 15.

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK,

Have also a large amount of

PRIVATE FUNDS

On hand for Investment.

Money Invested and interest collected Mortgages bought subject to examination of title. nd valuation of property offered.

Debentures, Stocks and Securities of all kinds negociated.

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK

Are Agents for the

Royal Insurance Co'y

OF ENGLAND,

CAPITA - - $10,000,000.

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK

are Agents for the

STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY,

Established - - - - in 1825.

The STANDARD takes risks at very reasonable rates, and Policy holders are secured by the very large sum of accumulated and invested Funds, viz: $18,000,000, and the Company have made the deposit with the Government of the Dominion of Canada required by the new Act.

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK

Have a number of **FARMS** for sale in the Co. of Wellington and adjoining Counties.

Also, Town Lots and Houses

In Guelph, Berlin, Fergus, &c.

AMARANTH.

Lot 22, n the 10th Concession. 200 acres.
Lots 17, 18 and 19, 8th Con., 600 acres.

ARTHUR.

South-half of Lot 15, 3rd Con., 100 acres, 60 of which are in a high state of cultivation, and well fenced, watered by a creek crossing the centre of the farm; a two story house and good barn on the lot.

ERAMOSA.

Par of West-half of 2, in the 3rd Con., four acres with a good stone house and log stable.
West-half of Lot 30, in the 5th Con., 100 acres, 25 acres cleared.
Part of 5, in 1st Con., 90 acres, 70 cleared, good building
East half 9, in 4th Con., 100 acres, 40 cleared.

ERIN.

West-half of Lot 8, in the 1st Con., 100 acres, 80 cleared, good frame barn and shed, and part log and frame dwelling house; well watered & fenced.
East-half of Lot 32, 5th Con., 100 acres, 75 are cleared; new frame house and barn; spring creek.
West-half of Lot 32, 8th Con., 100 acres; 75 are cleared; 25 excellent bush.

ELORA.

Valuable Tavern Stand for sale in the Village of Elora, at present leased to Robert Cook being lots 5 and 6, corner of Victoria and Walnut Streets, with stabling for 40 horses.

GARAFRAXA.

Lot 11, in 13th Con., 100 acres; 60 acres cleared, all dry land; farm buildings.

GUELPH TOWNSHIP.

Lots 3 and 4, in 3rd Con., Div. D., 140 acres: 90 acres improved; frame dwelling house, and frame bank barn and sheds, well fenced. There is an excellent orchard on the farm; and being so near the Town, and on the Gravel Road, makes this a very Valuable Property.

TOWN OF GUELPH.

Large storey stone house with verandah, stabling and garden, and ¾ of an acre of land, on Dublin Street, at present occupied by Joseph Hobson, Esq.

River Lots on Queen Street, well adapted for Private residences, valuable quarries being on the lots.

Water Privilege and Mill Site, containing 13 acres, composed of the north parts of Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 and Lots 5 and 6, in Oliver's Survey, on the Waterloo road.

Lots 4, 15, 16, 22, 23, 25, 30, 31, 35, 36, 40, 41, 49, 50, 51, in Webster's Survey, lying between Strange Street and the river Speed.

Lot 4, on the north side of Pearl Street, with a double frame house.

Lot 155, corner of Gordon and Wellington-Sts.

Lots 1043 and 1044, Cambridge Street, on which is erected a frame plastered dwelling house.

Four Quarry Lots, being Nos. 21, 22, 42 and 43 on the Waterloo Road.

70 feet of double frontage on Market Square and Macdonnell Street—just the spot for grain ware houses or stores.

East-half of Lot No. 383, on which a frame house is erected.

Two storey brick house on Queen Street, with stable and sheds, at present occupied by Mr. J.P. Martin.

Park Lots in St. Andrew's Church Glebe, containing from ¾ to 5 acres each.

Nos. 23, 24, 25, 28, 29, 30, 36, 37, 38 and 39, fronting on the Woolwich Road, and 26, 27, 28, 29 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 40, 41, 42 and 43 in rear, acre lots each, in one block.

Also, lot 15, five acres, a beautiful lot, we fenced, and in a high state of cultivation.

These lots are admirably adapted for Market Gardens, and the terms of credit are extremely liberal

Lot 388, Market Street, next to Mr. Heffernan's residence.

PILKINGTON.

Lot 8, Concession B, 150 acres, 105 cleared, wel watered close to Elora.

LUTHER.

Lots 4 and 5 in the 10th Con., 402 acres, 100 of which are improved; house, barn, stabling and shedding; 9 miles from Arthur, 12 miles from Mount Forest

North-half Lot 18, in the	4th	Con.	100	acres.
South-half Lot 19,	4th	"	100	"
Lot 26,	4th	"	200	"
East-half Lot 26,	5th	"	100	"
Lot 2,	7th	"	200	"
Lot 18,	5th	"	200	"
Lot 25,	5th	"	200	"
Lot 14,	11th	"	200	"
Lot 15,	11th	"	200	"
Lot 16,	12th	"	174	"
N ½ Lot 17,	12th	"	100	"
Lot 18,	12th	"	200	"
Lot 19,	12th	"	200	"
Lot 11,	13th	"	200	"
Lot 19,	13th	"	200	"
Lot 4,	8th	"	200	"
Lot 5,	9th	"	200	"
N ½ Lot 13,	9th	"	100	"
Lot 11,	12th	"	200	"

County of Halton.

ESQUESING.

W ½ Lot 30, 3rd Concession, 95 acres, 65 cleared. Good buildings.

County of Kent.

CHATHAM.

N. E. ½ Lot 21, in 5th Concession, 100 acres, well timbered.

Prompt attention will be given to all prepaid letters addressed to

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK,

General Agents, Town Hall Buildings, Guelph.

Guelph 8th August, 1868

A CARD to THE PUBLIC.

THE GOLDEN LION

IT IS certainly marvellous that any community should be so excited over the great success that has attended the efforts of **MR. HOGG** to obtain in the first Manufacturing Districts of the World the very excellent, novel and substantial fabrics in all of the various classes of

Fancy and Staple Dry Goods & Millinery,

Shawls, Bonnets and Mantles,

READY-MADE CLOTHING,

Buffalo Skins, Grain Bags, &c.

Indeed everything in the Mercantile line usually kept in a first-class establishment. That MR. HOGG'S efforts have been crowned with unprecedented success is beyond a doubt. The great Bargains that he is daily giving causes his immense establishment to be crowded from early morning until night. His stock to select from is so large and varied that parties get suited without loss of time, let their taste be ever so difficult; and in addition, by being able to import all of his goods direct from the Manufacturers, to offer a saving of 12½ per cent (**12½ cents on every dollar,**) over any establishment in Town.

All classes and descriptions of Clothing made to order by a first-class cutter, and sent free of charge to any part of Canada.

JOHN HOGG,

Guelph, October 31st, 1868. dw Golden Lion, Guelph.

E. O'DONNELL & CO.

GUELPH, ONT.

TEAS. E. O'D. & CO **TEAS.**

Ping Suey Tea, BEST	$1.00	Best Oolong,	75c.
Best Moyune,	87½	Best Japan,	65
Choice Young Hyson,	80	Best Black,	68

Young Hyson Teas, 50c.

Good Plug Chewing Tobacco at 20c per lb.

SILVER TAKEN AT PAR.

At E. O'DONNELL & CO'S.

Wyndham Street, Guelph, October 20th. dw

SILVER TAKEN at PAR

PREMIUM FOR BILLS.

JACKSON & HALLET.

WE BEG to draw the attention of our friends, both in Town and country, to the EXTENSIVE STOCK OF

Groceries and Liquors,

Which we have now to hand, and we beg to assure them that we can and will sell as cheap, if not cheaper, either wholesale or Retail, than parties who pretend more largely.

Our TEAS Consisting of:

Hysons, Gunpowder, Congous and Japans, will be sold at such prices that will clear them out rapidly, our determination being to make small profits and quick returns. Our Fruits consists of:

NEW LONDAY LAYERS,
NEW VALENCIA RAISINS.

NEW CURRANTS,
NEW FIGS, Cases LEMONS.

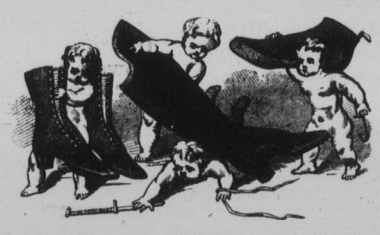
Hotel-keepers will find it to their advantage to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere, as we are determined to put down the wholesale price of Brandies, Rums, Gins and Cased liquors.

D. JACKSON. **J. HALLETT.**

Guelph, November 4th, 1868. dw

WANTED,

Keep the Feet Dry, and the Head Cool.



Keep the Feet dry, and the Head Cool.

Customers to buy out one of the Largest and Cheapest stocks of

BOOTS AND SHOES

TO BE FOUND IN GUELPH.

JOHN CRIDIFORD

INVITES inspection to his stock of **NEW FALL GOODS,** which have been purchased from the best makers, and can be warranted as equal to any in the market for Style, Durability or Cheapness.

☞ Remember that the spot for Cheap Boots and Shoes is the **Kingston Penitentiary Boot and Shoe Store, No. 41,** Wyndham-st., Guelph. FOR CASH ONLY.

JOHN CRIDIFORD.

elph, September 26th dw

A. R. McMASTER & BRO.,

Are Now Opening their FALL

IMPORTATIONS

And will be glad to see their friends and customers at

32 Yonge Street, TORONTO.

Toronto, September 1, 1868. tf