MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS. h Fai before Guelph. MATCON-Baturday before Gueiph. CoRA-The day before Gueiph. JUGLAS - Monday hofore Elfors Fair. GUELNE-First Wodnesday in each month. LIFFORD-Thursday before the Gueiph fai EW HANGUNG-First Tuesday such month. LMINA-First Thursday in each month. LMINA-Second Monday in each month. MATCH.

Invoint. JUNHAM-Tuesday before Durham. JUNHAM-Tuesday before Mount Forest. BEOUS-Thursday following Mount Forest. NANGEVILLS-Second Thursday in Janu-ary, March, May, July, September and November.

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ERIN-First Monday in January April, July and October. MasonvirLie - First Tuesday in February May, August and November. BRAMPTON-First Fildsji n each month: LISTOWEL-First Fildsji n each month. HILLSBURG-Second Tuesday in January, March, May, July, Soptember and Nov. MonkerieLD-monday before Guelph. HAMILTON-Crystal Palace Grounds, theday after Guelph

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The Reception of the Governor-General.

A special meeting of the Council will be held this evening, when the final arrrangements will doubtless be made for the reception of the Governor-General. We understand that the programme so far as arranged, is, that after the reception of His Excellency at the railway station on Saturday, he and his party will be entertained at a lunch in the Town Hall at 3 o'clock. He is ex gramme, will hold a full dress reception in the Council Chamber in the evening about 8 o'clock, when those who were present at the Lunch, and others who may be desirous of atten. ding, will be presented. The tickets to the Lunch will be ready by two o'clock to-morrow, and may be had at the Town Clerk's office from and after that hour. As there are only a limited number issued, early applica-tion should be made. The full programme will be made up to night at the meeting of the Council.

The Council of Public Instruc-tion Elections.

The following is the state of the polls for members of the Council of Public Instruction :

High School Masters-Dr. Wilson 122; J. H. Hunter, 53. Majority for Wilson, 69.

Inspectors : Wood, 32; Judge McDonald, 19; Mills, 12. Wood is elected.

elected. Public School Masters, as far as scrutneers have gone: Carleton County-Sangster, 42; Smith, 6. Dundas and Kent-Sangster, 34; Smith, 70. Huron-Sangster, 41; Smith, 65. Peel-Sangster, 12; Smith, 36. Wellington-Sangster, 46; Smith, 46. Grey-Sangster, 23; Smith, 22. Perth-Sangster, 29; Smith, 35.

THE PACIFIC SCANDAL COMMISSION .-A return to an address of the House of Commons, dated the 4th May 1874, has just been printed and dis containing the following tributed, statements of all the expenses connected with the issuing of the Royal Commission entrusted with the ex amination of charges made by Mr. Huntington against the late Administration, showing the amount paid and persons to whom paid. Mr.

paid and persons to whom paid. Mr. Justice Day for services, \$1,625; do. expenses, \$383; Mr. Justice Polette, expenses, \$306; Jt/dge Gowan, §1,625; do. expanses, \$393; S. J. Vankough. net, for service as clerk, \$1,400; do. expenses, \$440; T. & R. White, for printing 2000 copies of the report, \$724.50; Duvernay & Co., printing a French edition of the report, \$736.-25; stationery supplies, \$83.72; advanced to Hon. C. D. Day,on account of disbursements, \$1000; less refunded \$1299.81; total \$10,918.61.
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of the Palisades " is massive and so' id in THE SCHOOLS RE-OPEN ON MON-DAY, Aug. 17th. appearance, and will give the ', and new idea of these great towers' of a Two large pictures, contribu'sed by proper ance, and whit per actions and the mew idea of these great lowers of stone, Two large pictures, contribuined by Peter Moran, called "The Shad y Lane" and "The Sunny Slope," are sure to arrest the attention and please the eye, since they represent pastoral scenes with which all Americans are familiar. A picture, remarkable for its light and shade, its rich foliage, and deep, clear waters, is from the peopli of Kruseman van Elien, and is a view on Esopus Creek, near Kingston, N. Y. The poems and numer-ons editorial articles in the August Aldine are of the usual merit and in-terest. Subscription price, \$5, including chro'nos "The East" and "The West." Jar, are Sutton & Co., publishers, 58 Maid-en, hane, New York City. SCHOOL BOOKS

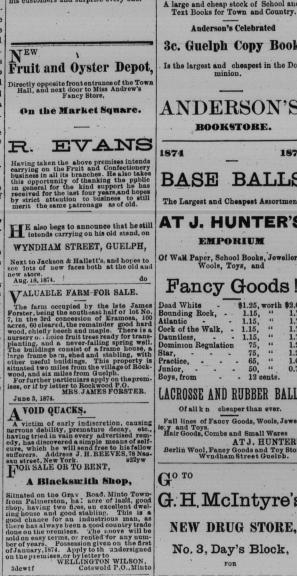
MARRIED.

MARAW-TATLOR-On the 39th ult, by Rev T. S. Wilkinson, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. David Ramshaw, Intrues: maker, Rockwood, to Miss Lizzle Taylor, of Nassagaweya. ARK-COTREL-IN Greak weya. Clark, of Puslinch, to Miss Annie Cotre, of Puslinch, to Miss Annie Cotrell, of Nassagaweya.

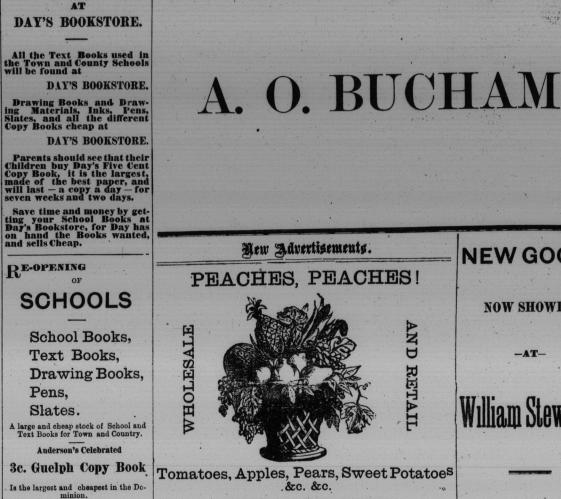
DEATHS.

WATERS-In Guelph, on the 27th inst., Edith Florence, daughter of Abram Waters, aged three months and a hall. Funcrait to-morrow at 2 p. m., from the re-sidence of her father, Cardigan Street. CAULFIELD-In Puslinch, on the 29th inst., Heien, beloved wite of Mr. James Caul-neld, aged 34 years. The funcral will take place on Saturday, at 11 o'clock, a. m. Friends and acquaint-ances will please accept this intimation.

Mr. John Horsman has just returned pected to arrive in Guelph at half-past two. After the Lunch the Vice-regal party will be conducted in carriages through the town, a large and varied stock of Hardware, when the different places of in Party and Stock of Hardware, when the different places of in-terest will be visited. It is un-derstood that Lady Dufferm, in ac-cordance with the Council's pro-ins cordance with the Council's pro-his customers and surprise every one.



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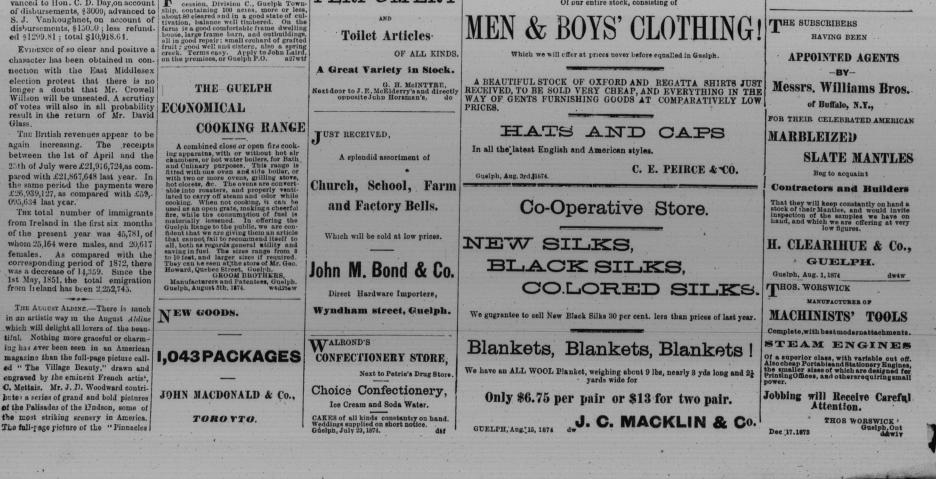


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