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

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Guelph, March 1, 1871.

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BARRISTER AT LAW.
OFFICE—Corner of Wyndham and Quebec
Streets, Guelph, June 8, 1873.

LEMON, PETERSON & McLEAN,
Barristers and Attorneys at Law,
Solicitors in Chancery,
Conveyancers and Notaries Public.
Offices—Brownlow's New Buildings, near
the Registry Office.

A. LEMON, H. W. PETERSON,
K. MACLEAN, County Crown Atty.

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

DUNBAR, MERRITT & BISCOE,
Barristers and Attorneys at Law
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Guelph, Oct. 7, 1873.

WILLIAM J. PATERSON,
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Wellington.
Office—Opposite Town Hall, Guelph.

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Office—Quebec street, opposite Bank of
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**N.B.—Money to loan in sums to suit bor-
rowers.**

OLIVER & MCKINNON,
Barristers, Attorneys at Law, Solicitors
in Chancery, Conveyancers, Notaries
Public, &c.
Office—Corner of Wyndham and Quebec
Streets, Guelph, Ont.
N. OLIVER, A. M. MCKINNON.

STURDY,
House, Sign, & Ornamental Painter
Grainer and Paper Hanger.
Shop next to the Wellington Hotel, Wynd-
ham street, Guelph.

JOHN KIRKHAM,
GUNSMITH,
Quebec street, Guelph, opposite the
Churches.

Guns, Pistols, and Sporting Materials al-
ways on hand. Repairing as usual.

RAY, AD'S
SEWING MACHINES
Family Sewing Machine (single thread)
" Hand Lock St. (double thread)
" No. 1, Foot power.
" No. 2, for heavy work.
Furnished with plain tables, half, or Cab-
net Cases, as required.

CHARLES RAYMOND,
GUELPH, ONTARIO.

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

WALROND'S
CONFECTIONERY STORE.
Next to Petrie's Drug Store.

Choice Confectionery,
Hot Tea, Coffee, and Lunch
At all hours.

CAKES of all kinds constantly on hand.
Weddings supplied on short notice.
Guelph, July 29, 1871.

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
terms by applying at the Hotel.
THOMAS ELLIS,
Proprietor
Guelph, July 1874.

DANIELS & BUCHAN,
(Successors to James Barclay.)
Carpenters and Builders,
South of the Drill Shed, Guelph.
Jobbing a specialty. Lumber and Cedar
Jointing always on hand.
Guelph, July 27, 1874.

JOHN McCREA,
Produce Commission Merchant,
and Insurance Agency.
Office—Bank of Commerce Buildings,
Guelph, July 28th, 1874.

OIL, OIL, OIL.
Guelph Oil Works
Just received at the warehouse of the
above another lot of that superior water
white Export Oil—the burning qualities of
which cannot be excelled. Orders promptly
filled.

O. CLARK,
Guelph Oil Works,
Guelph, Oct. 15, 1874.

**CASH FOR WOOL, HIDES, SHEEP
SKINS, CATS, AND WOOD
BURNINGS.**
The highest market price paid for the
above at No. 4, Gordon Street Day's old
Block, Guelph, their constantly on hand for
sale.

MOUTLTON & BISH,
Guelph, January 1, 1874.

PAKKE'S HOTEL,
—DIRECTLY—
OPPOSITE THE MARKET, GUELPH.
First-class accommodation for travellers.
Commodious stabling and an attentive
host.
The best Liquors and Cigars at the bar.
He has just fitted up a room where Oye-
sters will be served on all hours.

New Advertisements.

WANTED, SERVANT GENERAL.
—Apply to Mrs. Victor Stewart, Elora
Road, between 1 and 3 p.m.

**WANTED, A GOOD GENERAL
SERVANT.** Liberal wages to a suit-
able person. Apply to Mrs. D. Kennedy, 101
Elora Road.

**WANTED at Mitchell's Hotel, a good
cook.** Wages \$10 per month to a suit-
able person. OZ3-dtf

SERVANT WANTED.
Wanted, a Servant. Liberal wages will
be given to a suitable person.
Apply to Mrs. Horsman,
Prospect Place, Guelph.

HOUSE TO LET.
To let, the house on George street op-
posite North Ward school, contains 7 rooms
and summer kitchen, cellar, etc. Has a
good garden. Apply at this office. OZ4-dtf

HOT AIR FURNACE.—For sale,
Mill's 500 Wood Furnace, as good as
new—a coal furnace having been substituted.
This may be had on reasonable terms. A.
Lemon, Guelph, Sept 8, 1874.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY,
a good cook who can wash and iron.
Also a housemaid. Must have references.
MRS. WATT.

WANTED, a steady, careful man—
Apply to Archdeacon Palmer, Guelph,
Oct. 27, 1874.

MISS SHAW,
DRESS MAKER,
Kent Street, (rear of Mr. Petrie's resi-
dence) next door to Miss Evans, music
teacher.
Little boys' suits made to order. Appren-
tices wanted. OZ7-df

**AUCTION SALE OF PROPERTY IN
EVERTON.**—The store and dwelling
situated in the village of Everton, will be sold by
auction on Wednesday the 4th November, 1874,
(fair day) at one o'clock p.m., at the Market
House, Guelph. For further particulars apply
to—

HENRY HATCH,
Land and Loan Agent,
Guelph.

ZION CHAPEL
Sabbath School Anniversary.
A TEA MEETING
will be held in the above place on Tuesday
evening. Tea will be served from 7 to
8 o'clock, after which there will be singing,
readings and recitations. Addresses will
also be given by the Rev. Messrs. Lanerley
and Middleton. Tickets 25 cents each. dtf

D. R. W. H. LOWRY,
Graduate of University of Trinity College,
Member of College of Physicians and
Surgeons, Ontario. Office—Next to Mr.
Jas. Hazelton, Upper Wyndham Street,
Guelph, August 3rd, 1874. d&wlm.

AUCTION SALE
OF AN EXCELLENT
Span of Team Horses.
W. S. G. Knowles will offer for sale by
Public Auction, at the Market, on WED-
NESDAY, the 4th NOVEMBER, at twelve
o'clock noon, a span of farm horses, in good
condition, the property of Daniel A. Lan-
erley and Middleton. Tickets 25 cents each at any
time previous to sale.
dtf W. S. G. KNOWLES, Auctioneer.

**EXCELLENT
CHANCE FOR BUSINESS**
The undersigned is instructed by Mr.
James Henderson to sell that excellent two
story Stone Store and Dwelling House, sit-
uate on Paisley street, near the Great West-
ern Railway Station, Guelph. The building
is new and substantially built. There is a
large lot of land attached to the property.
Also, 3 well situated Building Lots in
the same neighborhood for sale.
For terms and particulars apply to
HENRY HATCH,
Land Agent, Guelph.

MONEY TO LEND.
In sums to suit borrowers. No solicitor's
fee or commission charged.
Apply direct to the undersigned.
GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN,
April 16, 1874. dwtft Guelph.

CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.
OTTAWA, October 3, 1874.
Authorized Discount on American Invoices
until further notice, 5 per cent.
B. M. M. GUYETTE,
Commissioner of Customs.

HOMESTEADS!
MR. ANDREW LEMON
WILL ON
Wednesday, 11th day of November,
Auction Sale
20 Building Lots
Of excellent soil, nicely situated on Palmer
street, below Metcalfe street, and about 10
minutes walk from the Erasmus Bridge.
Sizes averaging about one quarter acre
each, per plan of E. W. Cooper, E.L.S.

TERMS OF SALE.—One reserve bid on each
lot. One fourth cash, and balance in three
equal annual instalments at 7 per cent. in-
terest half-yearly, from day of sale, on un-
paid principle.
Title perfect, and immediate possession
given. Further terms and particulars stated
at sale, and may in meantime be obtained
from
LEMON, PETERSON & MACLEAN, Solicitors,
and
W. S. G. KNOWLES, Auctioneer.
Guelph, 31st Oct., 1874. dtf

AUCTION SALE
Carriages, Buggies,
Double and Single Waggon, etc.
Wm. S. G. Knowles begs to announce to
the inhabitants of Guelph and vicinity, that
he has a consignment of new and second
hand carriages, buggies and waggon, all of
the best material and workmanship, which
he will offer for sale at the Market in Guelph
on Wednesday, the 4th of November, at the
hour of 11 o'clock a.m., comprising six new
democrat or light buggies, three new democrat
waggon, two new farmer's waggon, four
second hand buggies, two second hand farm
waggon, three second hand light waggon,
a splendid sulky, two carts, one new, with
pile and shafts, the other second hand, all
in first class condition. Terms cash, or 3
months credit on W. S. G. KNOWLES.

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MONDAY EVG. NOV. 2, 1874.

Town and County News

CORRECTION.—Zion Church Tea Meet-
ing will be held on Tuesday evening, not
Monday, as erroneously stated in Satur-
day's issue.

DIPHTHERIA.—In School Section No. 12,
Puelnich, diphtheria is prevalent, and in
several recent instances has proved fatal
to children.

CENTRE WELLINGTON ELECTION TRIAL.
The election trial for this Riding, in
which Dr. Orton is the respondent, begins
to-morrow at the Court House here, at
ten o'clock.

PERSONAL.—The new manager of the
Grand Trunk Railway, accompanied by
Mr. Hannaford, Chief Engineer, and
other officials passed through town to-
day on a tour of inspection along the
line.

NOT THE BONUS.—East Garafrax last
week got the amount coming to the
municipality from the municipal fund.
The Council has devoted it to the pay-
ment of the C. V. Railway tax, so that
the township has to pay no larger tax
this year than last.

Miss Stevenson, of Orangeville, was
lately presented by the members of the
Canada Presbyterian Church, in that
place with a purse containing \$75, as a
recognition of the valuable services ren-
dered by her, in connection with the
choir of the congregation, as well as the
training of the Sabbath School children
to sing.

RETURNED.—Mr. David Stinton and
his daughter, Mrs. Barclay, returned to
Guelph on Saturday from Scotland. We
are glad to learn that Mrs. Barclay has
quite recovered from her late serious
illness, which called her father away
so suddenly. Mrs. Alex. Mackenzie and
son came out in the same steamer with
Mr. Stinton, but remained in New
York a few days with their friends. Her
son John, whose illness we mentioned
some time ago, has not sufficiently re-
covered to be able to return this winter.

New Lodge of I. O. G. T.—On Friday
evening last a new Lodge of Good Tem-
plars' Independent Order was organized at
Forrest's School house, Paisley Block by
Mr. D. Moulton, Deputy G. W. C. I.,
assisted by the officers and members of
Beaver and Star Temples. The following
are the officers for the ensuing quarter:
Bro. Alex. McIntosh, W. C. T.; Sister
Agnes Fife, W. V. T.; Bro. John Fife,
W. S. I. Bro. Geo. Whitelaw, W. E. S.;
Bro. Gibson, W. Chaplain; Sister Jeanie
McIntosh, W. T.; Bro. Wm. Hinds, W. M.;
Sister Osborn, L. G.; Bro. Caleb
Reeves, O. G.; Bro. Bolton, F. W. C. T.;
Bro. Coleman, Temple Deputy. The
Temple opened with the most encour-
aging prospects, thirty-nine members
having enrolled their names. These
meetings will be held on Friday evening
of each week.

HALLOWEEN IN HAMILTON.—The Caledo-
nian Society in Hamilton had a grand
Halloween entertainment on Friday
night. At eight o'clock, the curtain arose
upon the dancers and pipers of the So-
ciety drawn up on the stage to execute
an introductory dance. The dancers,
four in number, dressed in highland
costume, performed their part with grace
and precision movements. The chief,
Adam Brown, in full highland costume,
then delivered an eloquent patriotic ad-
dress. The musical part of the enter-
tainment then followed, and prominent
among the singers were Miss Jeanie Wat-
son and Mr. Hardy. Speaking of the
former, the *Spectator* says:—"The star of
the concert was next announced, Miss
Jeanie Watson, known to the communi-
ty as the 'Scottish Nightingale,' and
one of the best lady singers now before
the public. Very unfortunately the lady
had met with a severe accident lately
while in a western town by being thrown
out of a buggy, from the effects of which
she is now suffering, and the fact that
this was not a concert of her own was
what induced her to sing last night. Her
first song, 'McGregor's Gathering,' was
rendered in a spirit that completely
took the house by storm, and a second
appearance being demanded, she sang
'Melville Castle.' Her other favorite
songs were also given with fine effect.
Mr. Hardy is noticed in equally complimen-
tary terms. He made a splendid hit
with his comic songs, and especially in
'We're a John Tamson's Bairs,' some
of the verses of which he had composed
expressly for the occasion. The enter-
tainment, in attendance and in the excel-
lence and variety of the programme, was
the best ever given in Hamilton.

GROWTH OF WINNIPEG.—For a place of
three thousand inhabitants, the Town of
Winnipeg, Manitoba, is pretty well pro-
vided with tradesmen and merchants, as
witness the list given below. In 1870,
the only store besides that of the
Hudson Bay Company, was a log shanty,
and there was but one hotel. Now there
are 10 grocery stores, 4 dry goods stores,
4 hardware stores, 2 watchmaker's shops,
5 book stores, 19 general stores, 3 drug
stores, 4 furniture stores, 2 tobacconist
shops, 3 boot and shoe stores, 2 fur stores,
2 bakeries and confectioner's shops, 2 mil-
liner's shops. But it must be borne in
mind that these various concerns find
customers from amongst a much larger
constituency than the town alone. The
population of the Province is some seven
hundred thousand, and the most of it is
tributary to Winnipeg, as there are no
other settlements (Portage la Prairie ex-
cepted) where much shopping can be
done.

The Waterloo Engine Works Co., of
Brantford, have taken action to enforce
their patent right for Water Works, by
entering a suit against Messrs. Haggart
Bros. and the corporation of St. Thomas.
A writ of summons out of the Queen's
Bench Court was served on Tuesday,
damages being laid at \$10,000.

The first snow of the season fell to the
depth of an inch in Aberfoyle on Satur-
day morning.

The Rev. J. H. Johnson, M.A., of To-
ronto, has now raised \$9,500 in Cullurg
for Victoria College, and no doubt will

By TELEGRAPH TO THE MERCURY

The China-Japan War Avoided

Annuity Tendered to Garibaldi

Typhoid Fever in England.

Every Sixteenth Person Ill.

Commercial Difficulties in Europe.

Diphtheria Ravages in New York

London, Oct. 31.—A despatch from
Hong Kong says it is the general belief at
Yeddo and Peking that war will be avoid-
ed. The Japanese Government has intimat-
ed that Chinese residents in Japan
will not be molested if war is declared.

London, Oct. 31.—It is reported that
there 1,500 persons sick with typhoid
fever in the town of Over Darwen, county
of Lancashire, being more than one-
sixteenth part of the entire population.

London, Nov. 2.—Prussian authorities
are investigating the circumstances of
the publication of the official correspond-
ence between Bulow and Arnim.

The *Times'* correspondent at Constan-
tinople telegraphs that there are difficul-
ties in the way of foreign powers, which
seek to make Commercial Treaties
with Roumania, independently of Porte
Cortina. Turkish Ambassadors at St.
Petersburg, Berlin, and Vienna, have
been instructed that the treaty of Paris
must be maintained. Should it be violated
in this case signatory powers will be
applied to. If however, Roumania
will submit the question to the Porte, a
satisfactory compromise is possible.

NAPLES, Oct. 31.—The municipality of
Naples proposes to tender Garibaldi an
annuity of \$6,000.

New York, Nov. 2.—Diphtheria is
alarmingly prevalent in this city, and ap-
pears to ravage in crowded districts. The
victims for the most part have been chil-
dren, residents of close confined tenement
houses and public schools. The deaths
from diphtheria last week number-
ed fifty.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 1.—Fires in the forests
in Ohio are abating, but the town of
Summit, Indiana is reported to be in
danger.

BOSTON, Nov. 1.—Catharine Harris, 50
years of age, was found early this morn-
ing dead in her bed, which was saturated
with blood, in a house at South Boston.
Her husband is under arrest.

ELMIRA, N.Y., Nov. 1.—A young man
named Daniel Haight, was shot late last
night, two miles from this city while
stealing turkeys from the premises of Hon.
Edmund Miller—the shooting was done
by Miller's son. Haight died this even-
ing.

To Teachers and Inspectors.
To the Editor of the Mercury.
Sir,—In view of presenting to the
Council of Public Instruction the opin-
ions of teachers in reference to Text-
Books, and a programme for our High
and Public Schools, would it not be ad-
visable to at once convene local County
meetings, for the purpose of consolidat-
ing and putting into some presentable
shape the opinions of the above named
officers? Surely a matter of such im-
port merits prompt attention.
Yours, etc.,
TEACHER.
Oct. 31st, 1874.

POLICE COURT.
(Before the Police Magistrate.)
Nov. 2.

John Ford, charged by George Lees,
with breach of highway Act in not turn-
ing out and giving half the road, was dis-
missed, defendant paying cost.

John Ford, charged by George Lees,
with assault and battery, was fined \$10
and costs.

John Ray, charged by Lewis Bolles,
with assault and battery, was fined \$2
and costs.

A sheepskin tannery has been com-
menced in Elora.

COMMODORE VANDERBILT, now seventy-
six years of age, intends retiring from
active life immediately.

SEIZURE.—The Walkerton Brewery,
recently erected by Messrs. Haas &
Keough, has been seized by Mr. C. W.
Walker, Inland Revenue Officer of that
town, for brewing in contravention of the
Inland Revenue Laws.

THE ASSIZES.—The Fall Assizes opened
at Walkerton on Monday, 25th ult., be-
fore Mr. Justice Strong. Both civil and
criminal calendars are exceedingly heavy,
there being no less than eighteen civil
suits, and about twelve criminal cases.

WROXETER.—The *Wingham Times* says
that business is becoming lively in Wrox-
eter, and the trains are almost daily tak-
ing away large shipments of produce.
Mr. Sanderson sent away several thou-
sand pounds of butter last week, and
Messrs. Clark, several hundred barrels
of flour.

**COMPLIMENTARY SUPPER AND PRESENTA-
TION.**—On Friday evening the people of
Paisley and vicinity entertained Mr. Jas.
Laidlaw, proprietor of the Paisley Agri-
cultural Works, at an oyster supper, a-
bout 300 being present. After the supper,
Mr. Laidlaw was presented with a very
handsome gold watch and chain, as a
token of the regard in which he is held
by the residents of the village and sur-
rounding country.

THE COLD BROOK ROLLING MILLS.—The
Montreal Witness says:—"It may not be
generally known that what are said to be
the largest rolling mills in the Dominion,
are situated at St. John, New Brunswick,
and are owned by the Cold Brook Rolling
Mills Company, with a capital of \$1,000,000
of which \$350,000 is paid up. Sir
Francis Hincks is President, and the
leading men in the enterprise are Messrs.
James Donville, M.P., and E. and J.
Scoville. An account of the enterprise
says that the mills use annually between
twenty and thirty thousand tons of iron,
and manufacture nails, tacks, bolts, ship
lucers, iron plates, and merchantable bars,
twenty-four tons of coal are consumed
every day in the furnaces, and 160 men

Presentation to Ven. Archdeacon Palmer.

On Saturday afternoon many of the
members of St. George's Church met in
the basement of that edifice, to take part
in a very pleasing and interesting cere-
mony—the presentation of an address
and token of esteem from the congrega-
tion to the Ven. Archdeacon Palmer, pre-
vious to his departure for Europe. The
Archdeacon has for some three years
been troubled more or less severely with
bronchitis, and the complaint has
lately become more chronic in its char-
acter, he has resolved to act on the advice
of his medical attendant, and if a more
congenial climate seek for the rest and
mild air which will conduce to his re-
covery. The meeting on Saturday,
therefore, was in a sense a re-union of the
congregation with their old pastor pre-
vious to his departure, and the opportu-
nity was embraced of presenting to him
the address and token already referred to.

Mr. Thos. W. Saunders was called to
the chair, and in opening the proceed-
ings gave expression to the regret they
felt at the anticipated removal from their
midst, for a time, of their old and
much esteemed pastor, whose long ser-
vices in connection with St. George's
Church had endeared him to them in
many ways. He was sure their earnest
prayer would be that his health might be
restored, and that he might in due time
be enabled to return and resume his re-
sponsible duties. He then called on Mr.
George Elliott, Senior Church Warden.

Mr. Elliott, on coming forward, said
the occasion which had brought them to-
gether was of a pleasing character, and
yet in one respect it was not pleasing.
They regretted the temporary separa-
tion about to take place between the
Archdeacon and the congregation, of
which he had had the oversight for so
many years, and for whose ministrations
they all felt grateful. He then read
the following address, and handed the Arch-
deacon a sterling draft for 100 guineas:

To the Venerable Arthur Palmer, Arch-
deacon of Toronto, and Rector of
Guelph.

VENERABLE AND DEAR SIR:
On the occasion of your approaching
departure to a more favorable climate for
the benefit of your health, we, your af-
fectionate parishioners take the opportu-
nity of expressing our best wishes for
your safe journey, our attachment to
yourself, and our gratitude for your many
years of pastoral care over us.

For over forty years you have cast
your lot in this place and have seen the
Church grow from its smallest beginnings
to the present flourishing state here.
Before even the first wooden Church was
built you conducted the services of the
Church in a small School House—many
of us have been baptised—many of us
have married, and most of our beloved
dead you have committed to the grave.

Some of us remember how amid hard-
ships and privations (of which those ac-
customed to the greater luxuries and
conveniences that time has brought us
have but little idea), with bad roads and
no facilities for travel, you labored among
us.

We feel that you must look with
thankfulness and pride on the noble edifice
which your exertions have so largely
contributed to give us, and which will
always be associated in our minds with
our grateful thoughts of yourself.

Much as we shall regret your absence
from among us, as well as the necessity
for it, we feel that we cannot wish you to
undergo the severity of the approaching
winter here.

We trust that you will accept the ac-
companying small token of our regard,
and pray that through God's blessing you
may shortly be restored to your family
and to us in renewed health and vigor.

Signed on behalf of the Parishioners,
GEORGE ELLIOTT,
FREDERICK BISCOE,
Churchwardens.

Dated this 31st October, 1874.

The Archdeacon, who was deeply af-
fected when he rose to reply, and all
through his speech, asked their kind in-
dulgence, for his feelings overpowered
him. His nature was impulsive and
emotional, and having heard this address
read for the first time he could but reply
emotionally than with the giving of that
alarm by the sinking man. No sooner
did his comrades become aware of the
dangerous nature of his predicament
than they made all haste to the scene,
and throwing him the end of a rope, he
passed it round his waist and was dragged
ashore. He's not going to try basking in
that river again.

In the mountain streams is an endless
variety of fish, among which is a kind of
speckled trout, very much resembling our
Canadian trout, but about twice as large,
with black spots on the sides instead of
red, and possessing an exquisite flavor.
Wild sheep and mountain goats are
numerous. The sheep have immense
horns, by which they are enabled to cling
and drop from crag to crag along the
mountain sides. In hunting these ani-
mals, the hunters are generally obliged
to ascend into lofty and precipitous
heights. Amongst other animals in this
region is a kind of mountain lion, said to
be very fierce.

North of the Bear Paw Mountain, they
came upon the dead bodies of twenty-
eight of the Blackfoot Indians, who it ap-
pears had been on a horse-stealing ex-
pedition, but were overtaken, killed, and
scalped by another hostile tribe. This,
they think, occurred early last spring.

We now expect that Sergeant Ellis
will be home to winter with us in On-
tario, and anticipate some pleasant and
interesting chats with him during his stay.

A Mechanics' Institute is to be formed
in Paisley.

Lacknow is going to have a fire en-
gine.

Mr. Thomas Conron, of Tiverton, re-
ceived severe injuries in the back, last
week, by being thrown out of his buggy.

The Rev. Phillips Brooks has refused
a salary of \$20,000 a year from Philadel-
phia, said to be the highest salary ever
offered to an Episcopal clergyman in this
country, and one of \$15,000 from New
York. He loves Boston.

ANOTHER THRESHING MACHINE ACCI-
DENT.—A young man named Sinclair, a
resident of the township of Proton, on
Thursday last, while sitting on the horse
power of a threshing machine got his foot
caught between the wheels, and was so
much lacerated that amputation above
the ankle was necessary.

Preparations are being made for the
erection of a number of large store-houses
near the Station, at Tresswater.

would not go to the opposite extreme,
and ignore other bodies which really be-
longed to the Church of Christ, but
hoped they would regard their members
with love and charity, believing that
though they differed from them on many
points, there were among those whom
they were wont to call Dissenters the ex-
cellent of the earth, and from whom
they might well take a lesson in charity,
in self-denial and in all the Christian
virtues. He hoped they would follow
such examples, still be blessed with
with his dying breath to close their ranks,
to value the church of Christ planted
among them, and never to compromise
their attachment to their own beloved
Church. He was about to leave them for
a short period, and whether or not he
would be able to shake off his complaint
was in the hands of God. He had labored
among them forty-two years, and
previous to that, three years in the north-
east country, and at his age he could not
expect to be able to continue in active
service much longer. But his interest in
the people and families of St. George's
Church, and in their spiritual condition,
would ever cling to him. His prayer was
that the officers and people belonging to
it would be enriched with every blessing,
temporal and spiritual, and that at last
they all might be gathered into the
heavenly garner, and dwell for ever and
ever with the Lord. He thanked them
again for their too kind and flattering
address, which was far beyond his deserts,
and he thanked them again for their
kindness in coming together on this
occasion.

After a few minutes spent in social in-
tercourse the meeting dispersed. We
understand that the Archdeacon intends
to leave Guelph on Thursday, and will
sail from Quebec on Saturday.

From the Western Wilds.
Sergeant Edward Ellis (son of Thos.
Ellis, Esq., Fusinich, who has been for
the two last seasons engaged in the
Boundary Survey Commission Service,
writing from the Rocky Mountains, re-
lates some interesting facts. The great
diversity of natural scenery, and number
of wild animals in this remote region,
renders the life of the Boundary Com-
missioners such as every lover of adven-
ture covets. Mr. Ellis states that on a
part of their route east of the Rocky
Mountains the buffaloes were so numer-
ous that the men could shoot them with-
out leaving their waggon. At Sweet
Grass Mountain these animals predom-
inated to such an alarming extent that
the men were under the necessity of
forming a circle with their waggon, and
placing their horses on the inside, to
protect them from these occasionally en-
raged animals. The company had two
horses killed by them, and one of their
astronomical party came near losing his
life on one occasion. He shot at, and
wounded, a bull, after which the in-
furiated beast charged his horse, goring
him, and throwing the rider a distance of
several feet into the air. He fortunately
held on to his life, but no sooner had he
regained his feet than the man named
monster again attempted to "go for him,"
but now a well aimed shot from the
Astronomer's rifle brought the bull to the
ground, at a distance of only five feet
from his intended victim. As far as the
eye can discern along certain parts of
their route, the prairie could be seen dot-
ted with the dead bodies of buffaloes
which the men had shot for the sake of
their tongues, which it appears are con-
sidered a great delicacy by these prairie
adventurers. In speaking of White Mud
River, he says the company was under
the necessity of travelling some 90 miles
north along its banks before they could
find a crossing place, in consequence of
the quicksands in its bottom. At one
place at which they halted along its bank,
one of their teamsters narrowly escaped
a sub-queous interment. The water
looking nice, he thought he would indulge
in a bath, but on entering he soon found
the quicksand up to his knees. He at-
tempted to extricate himself, but the
harder he tried the more quickly he de-
scended. He immediately concluded that
his only chance was to obtain assist-
ance from those on shore in the camp,
which it appears was some two hundred
yards distant. "You ought to have heard
him shout," said the Sergeant; "he never
knew an act to be performed but more en-
getically than was the giving of that
alarm by the sinking man. No sooner
did his comrades become aware of the
dangerous nature of his predicament
than they made all haste to the scene,
and throwing him the end of a rope, he
passed it round his waist and was dragged
ashore. He's not going to try basking in
that river again.

In the mountain streams is an endless
variety of fish, among which is a kind of
speckled trout, very much resembling our
Canadian trout, but about twice as large,
with black spots on the sides instead of
red, and possessing an exquisite flavor.
Wild sheep and mountain goats are
numerous. The sheep have immense
horns, by which they are enabled to cling
and drop from crag to crag along the
mountain sides. In hunting these ani-
mals, the hunters are generally obliged
to ascend into lofty and precipitous
heights. Amongst other animals in this
region is a kind of mountain lion, said to
be very fierce.

North of the Bear Paw Mountain, they
came upon the dead bodies of twenty-
eight of the Blackfoot Indians, who it ap-
pears had been on a horse-stealing ex-
pedition, but were overtaken, killed, and
scalped by another hostile tribe. This,
they think, occurred early last spring.

We now expect that Sergeant Ellis
will be home to winter with us in On-
tario, and anticipate some pleasant and
interesting chats with him during his stay.

A Mechanics' Institute is to be formed
in Paisley.

Lacknow is going to have a fire en-
gine.

Mr. Thomas Conron, of Tiverton, re-
ceived severe injuries in the back, last
week, by being thrown out of his buggy.

The Rev. Phillips Brooks has refused
a salary of \$20,000 a year from Philadel-
phia, said to be the highest salary ever
offered to an Episcopal clergyman in this
country, and one of \$15,000 from New
York. He loves Boston.

ANOTHER THRESHING MACHINE ACCI-
DENT.—A young man named Sinclair, a
resident of the township of Proton, on
Thursday last, while sitting on the horse
power of a threshing machine got his foot
caught between the wheels, and was so
much lacerated that amputation above
the ankle was necessary.

Preparations are being made for the
erection of a number of large store-houses
near the Station, at Tresswater.