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GUELPH, ONT., CANADA, MONDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 7, 1874.

PRICE TWO CENTS

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

MY IMMENSE STOCK

DRY GOODS

Open for Inspection.

On account of being delayed in opening
mutil the season is so far advanced, I
flud that my stock is much too
large in all kinds of seasonsble goods, consequently I
will commence selling
at once all such

WHOLESALE COST.

Call and judge for yourselves.

G. A. SMITH,

McQUILLAN'S BLOCK,

Guelph, Nov. 10th, 1874

Business Cards.

GUTHRIE, WATT & OUTTEN,

Barristers, Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitor in Chancery, Guelph, Ontario. D. GUTHRIE, j. WATT, Guelph, March 1,1871.

A. H. MACDONALD, BARRISTER AT LAW.

OFFICE-Corner of Wyndham and Quebec Guelph, June 3, 1874.

EMON, PETERSON & McLEAN, Barristers and Attorneys at Law, Solicitors in Chancery; Conveyancers and Notaries Public.

Offices—Brownlow's New Buildings, near the Registry Offices.

H. W. PETERSON, DUNBAR, MERRITT & BISCOE Barristers and Attorneys at Lav PREDERICK BISCOE,

BARRISTER, &c.

N.B.—Money to loan in sums to suit bor ol-dwtf OLIVER & MOKINNON,

rristers, Attorneys at Law, Solicitors in Chancery, Conveyancers, Notaries Public, etc. Office—Corner of Wyndham and Quebe reets, Guelph, Ont. ... OLIVEB. dw A. M. MCKINNON.

STEPHEN BOULT, Architect, Con tractor and Builder. Planing Mill and every kind of Joiner's Work prepared for he trade and the public. The Factory is on Quebec Street, duelph TOHN MCCREA,

Produce Commission Merchant,

and Insurance Agency.

Office—Bank of Commerce Buildings. Guelph, July 28th, 1874. dem

BILLIARD HALL,

In the Queen's Hotel, Guelph, opposite the Market. Theroom has just been refitted in splendid style, the tables reduced in size, and everything done to make it a first-class Billiard Hall.

Guelph, Nov. 3rd, 1873.

NDERSON'S DOMINION SALOON.

The undersigned begs to inform the Public that he has leased the above Saloon, opposite the Market House.

From his long experience in business be hopes to merit a share of the trade.

Meals at all hours. Oyster and game suppers got up on short notice.
deadtf.

WIRE WORKER.

Pearl street, off King street. Every description of wire work made to order at the owest tormake to the the street of the street

WALROND'S

CONFECTIONERY STORE,

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

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

HOTEL CAB.

The subscriber begs to intimate to the public that his new oab 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
Greelph, July 2, 1874

Grelph, July2, 1874 \$500 PER MONTH TO LIVE
cormoney refun d. which will sell for \$10,

or money refun d. New Advertisements.

NEW HOUSE FOR SALE, OR TO ENT, situated on Ontario Streeng 5 rooms, well and cellar.—Appl ERCURY Office. dc4d3t

TOT AIR FURNACE. — For sale, Mill's \$900 Wood Furnace, as good as new—acoal furnace having been substituted. This muy be had on reasonable terms. A.

ph, Sept. 8, 1874. ROARDERS WANTED.-Two or

TOUSE TO LET.—On the corner of first-class stone dwelling, containing nine rooms, with pantries, wood shed, well, cistorn, and all other conveniences.—For particulars, apply to E. W. McGuire, M.D. Nortok Street, Guelph.

The undersigned has over \$50,000 to lend on good farm security
TERMS MODERATE.
Apply direct to

FREDERICK BISCOE,
Barrister, &c., Guelph
Guelph, Oct.10, 1874

MOR SALE.—Lot 17, corner of Wool wich and McTague streets, West Ward Guelph. The house containing six rooms is new and commodium, a good brick work wich and McTague streets, west warn Guelph. The house containing six rooms is now and commodious, a good brick work shop, hard and soft water, stables and wood shed complete. THOMPSON & JACK SON

FOR SALE — Several valuable and well improved FARMS, varying in size from 50 to 200 acres, all in the neighborhood of Guelph, where there is a market not surpassed in Canada. These lands will be of lered at moderate prices, and on easy terms of payment. THOMP SON & JACKSON

or money refun d.
A. D. CABLE, 5 Craig Street, Montreal. 27dww Guelph, Nov. 9, 1874

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MONDAY EV'G, DEC. 7, 1874.

Town and County News

AGNES WALLACE TROUPE. -This tro will make their first appearance in the Town Hall to-night. They are highly spoken of wherever they have been, and we trust that they may have a full

first number of The Conservator, a new paper published in Brampton. As the name would indicate it is Conservative

CROWDED OUT. - Letters in reference to Model Farm affairs, from Hon. A. McKellar, Rev. W. F. Clarke and James Stirton are published in to-day's Globe. Owing to want of space, we are unable to give any of them to-day, but they will appear to-morrow.

who met with such a severe accident in Crowe's Iron Works on the 20th ult., and which caused him such excruciating pain, is, we are happy to say, progressing as well as could be hoped. It will be some time yet before he can rely upon his leg and foot for support.

South Ward .- We mentioned on Satur day that Mr. J. P. McMillan was a can-didate for Councillor for this Ward, and

Who is the Hypocrite ?

To the Editor of the Mercury.
SIR,—Fahey of the Herald don't like appoorites, especially temperance hypo-rites. Fahey agrees with about overy-ody else in this respect. Not many people like hypocrites. Now, where are some of the hypocrites in Guelph? The temperance meeting in the Town Hall shewed up some. Amongst the speakers, Revs. Lanceley, Ball, Wardrope and Davidson, and Ryan spoke consistently

Revs. Lanceley, Ball, Wardrope and Davidson, and Ryan spoke consistently enough. No false pretences peeped out and showed their deceitfulness, no hypocrisy was found there. But look at the opposing speakers. Fahey admits and deplores the evils of strong drinks, condemns their indiscriminate sale, but opposes any movement to check this general sale. Is this hypocrisy? Fahey believes in tetal prohibition, will oppose any other step short of that, but asserts that total prohibition is impossible. If Fahey honest in this, or is the hypocrisy? Fahey professes himself in favor of sobriety, and the putting down of drunks enness, yet proclaims that he takes a glass whenever he wents one, and thus by his example of moderate drinking, keeps open the door to all drunkequeess and excess, which door he professes to wish to see closed. Does not this prove Mr. Fahey a hypocrite in act, as the two former positions show him to be such in profession? a double hypocrite!

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Dean Sis.—In Saturday's Herald there was a local under the heading "Flight of Fraud," is attaing that a young man had left town under peculiar circumstances, a member of the Y. M. C. A." Now, sir, I find he was not a member of the s. Two, with the tradity of the same peculiar circumstances, a member of the Y. M. C. A." Now, sir, I find he was not a member of the y. M. C. A." Now, sir, I find he was not a member of the y. M. C. A." Now, sir, I find he was not a member of the y. M. C. A." Now, sir, I find he was not believes in tetal prohibition, will oppose any other step short of that, but asserts that total prohibition is impossible. Is Fahey honest in this, or is the hyprocisy? Fahey professes himself in favor of sobriety, and the putting down of drunkenness, yet proclaims that he takes a glass whenever he wents one, and thus by his example of moderate drinking, keeps open the door to all drunkenness and excess, which door he professes to wish to see closed. Does not this prove Mr. Fahey a hypocrite in act, as the two former positions show him to be such in profession? a double hypocrite!

Mr. John Allan asserts that he is as much opposed to drunkenness as any-body else, yet he from Monday morning to Saturday night makes it his business to distil the compound, which not only makes his neighbor drunk, but destroys him soul and body. Is not his profession, therefore, hypocrisy?

He admits the terrible curse strong drink entails upon society, but there are other great sins that also curse society, and some great men have fallen thereby; therefore, because of these other creating, he will oppose any attempt to check the ravages of strong drink! Does he really deplore the ravages of drunkenness, or is it hypocrisy?

Dr. Clarke's position was the most extraordinary of all. He evidently prided himself upon having been, many years ago, the chairman of the largest temper-

Guelph, Dec. 5th, 1874.

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BY TELEGRAPH TO THE MERCURY Prince Bismarck.

The Results of the Franco-

The River Tiber.

Secretary Brestow's Report.

Specie Payments.

BERLIN, Dec. 6. - Prince Bismark in the Reichstag said, "I am in possession of conclusive evidence that the Ecumenical Council was cut short on account of
the Franco-German war. The Council's
vote would have been very different had
the French been victorious. I know from
the very best sources that Napoleon was
dragged into the war very much against
his will by Jesuitical influences. He
strove hard to resist these influences; at
the eleventh hour he determined on
peace, and kept his resolution half and
ultimately he was overpowered by persons representing the Vatican."

Rome, Dec. 6.—The waters of the Tiher are rising and an overflow is feared.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7 .- Secretary Bres-

Cub.	Won	Lost	Won	Lost
Boston	43	17	43	17
Mutual		22	35	25
Athletic		21	35	25
Philadelphia		28	31	29
Chicago		30	30	30
Atlantic		33	22	38
Hartford		30	18	42