ALL IN THE FAMILY.—The Cornwall *Freeholder* says:—Few public men are guilty of the indecency, we believe few have the disposition, to push their own relations into office not only as fast as vacancies occur but as readily as they can be made. Of these few, however, the Secretary of State for Canada deserves to take high rank. We do not believe there is a Department at Ottawa or Quebec that is not blessed with the services of one or more of the name of Langevin. The Quebec corporation offices too, we believe, bear similar testimony to the scrupulous care with which the present Secretary of State provided for his relations when Mayor of the Ancient Capital. In the Church, too, his extraordinary family are equally well attended to. The latest filial demonstration on the part of Mr, Langevin was to appoint his brother, who is already a well paid sinecurist at Ottawa, to the additional office of Deputy Provincial Registrar. This latter movement, too, after rightly or wrongly dismissing the former incumbent of the Registrarship. Having thus disposed of all his own relations, he will, doubtless, like Artemus Ward, be willing to sacrifice all his wife's relations for the good of the country.

H. W. BEECHER ON GRANT AND CHASE.—Henry Ward Beecher has published a letter denying the statement of the New York *World*, that he said in a political sermon, come out for Chase for the Presidency, and against Grant. He declares that there was not a word of truth in it. The sermon was not political, and contained no allusion to either Grant or Chase. The application of some of the paragraphs was the work of the reporter of the *World*. Mr. Beecher thus expresses his views of the two men:—"I have never been a Chase man. I have for years, as a leader in public affairs, deemed him, like his greenbacks, as promising more on the face than they are worth in gold. While the New York *Independent* was holding him as a demigod, and the New York *Tribune* was using his name to obscure the prospectus of Grant, I heartily and openly disagreed with both of them, for I thoroughly trusted Grant and thoroughly distrusted Chase. He is a splendid man to look upon, but a poor man to lean upon. Ambition lifts some men toward things noble and good; makes them large and generous. Other men's ambition blurs the sharp lines and distinctions between right and wrong, and leaves them in the eagerness of their selfish desires, to become a prey to bad men. I have for years felt that Mr. Chase's ambition was consuming the better elements of his nature.

Gen. Von Moltke, the author of the great Prussian campaign of 1866, says the only way in which peace can be permanently secured for Europe would be the establishment in its midst of a non-aggressive power which would be strong enough to prevent all its neighbours from making war; and this power must be Germany.

CASE OF PATRICK BOYLE.—The prisoner Boyle lying in Toronto jail for Fenianism was brought into Court on Tuesday under a writ of *Habeas Corpus*. He was accompanied by his counsel, Mr. O'Donohoe, who pressed for his discharge on the ground that Mr. D'Arcy Boulton, one of the committing Magistrates, had not been duly qualified as required by the 1st Statute of Ontario, 31 Vic, Cap. 30, Sec. 5, and therefore that Boyle was illegally committed under the *Habeas Corpus* Suspension Act, 31 Vic, Cap. 16. The agent for the Attorney-General then asked, and obtained an enlargement. The case will be disposed of in Chambers this morning.

COMMERCIAL.

Guelph Markets.

MERCURY OFFICE, GUELPH.
July 22, 1868.

The market is dull. Scarcely any fall wheat is offering, and the prices we quote are merely nominal. Spring wheat is sparingly supplied, and stands at the same figure as it did last week, although there have been some variations in the interim. There have been no oats offered for the last two or three days, and but very little barley. Altogether the market during the week has been very inactive.

Flour, ℔ 100 lbs	$3 50	@	$3 75
Fall Wheat, ℔ bush	1 40	@	1 50
Spring Wheat ℔ bush	1 40	@	1 46
Oats ℔ bush	0 56	@	0 00
Peas do	0 65	@	0 70
Barley do	0 75	@	0 80
Hay ℔ ton	7 00	@	8 00
Straw	4 00	@	5 00
Shingles, ℔ square	1 00	@	1 50
Wood, ℔ cord	3 00	@	3 50
Wool,	0 26	@	0 27
Eggs, ℔ dozen	0 11	@	0 12
Butter, (store packed) ℔ lb	0 13	@	0 14
do (dairy packed) ℔ lb	0 41	@	0 15
Cheese, each	0 25	@	0 30
Turkeys each	0 50	@	0 60
Chickens, ℔ pair	0 20	@	0 28
Ducks, do	0 20	@	0 25
Geese	1 00	@	1 10
Apples, ℔ barrel	2 00	@	2 00
Lamb, ℔ lb	0 06	@	0 07
Beef	7 00	@	8 00
Veal, ℔ lb	0 07	@	0 15
Pork, ℔ 100 lbs.	5 00	@	5 50
Sheep Pelts each	0 50	@	0 75
Lambskins	0 20	@	0 25
Hides	6 00	@	6 00

Money Market.

JACKSON'S EXCHANGE OFFICE.
Guelph, July 22 1868,

Gold, 143½.
Greenbacks bo't at 69 to 69½; Sold at 70 to 70½.
Large Silver bought at 6 dis.; sold at 4 5.
Small silver bought at 9 dis.; sold at 5 to 7.
Upper Canada Bank Bills bought at 60c. to 60c.

MONTREAL MARKETS.

Corkwood, Livingstone & Co's. report by Special Telegraph to 'Evening Mercury.'

MONTREAL, July 21, 1868.

Flour—Fancy, $6 60 to $7 00; Superfine No. 1 $6 50 to $7 00; Welland Canal, $6 60. Bag flour, $3 20 to $3 40. Oats 42c to 43c. Barley $1 05 to $1 15 Butter—dairy 16c to 18c; store packed 14 to 16c. Ashes—Pots $5 75 to $5 85. pearls $5 45 to $5 50

HAMILTON, July 21, 1868.

Fall wheat,—$1 40 @ $1 47. spring do—$1 38 @ $1 40 per bushel. Barley—$1 10 @ $1 20. Oats 60c @ 62c. Peas—80c to 85c. Pork—$7 00 @ $8 00.

TORONTO, July 21, 1868.

Flour—Market is very dull; No. 1, at $6 50 @ $6 60. Fall Wheat—$1 50. Spring Wheat—$1 47 to $1 48. Oats—50c. Barley—$0 75 @ $0 75. Peas—85c to 86c.

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DOUGLAS GOUCK,

House, Sign and Decorative Painter,

And Paper Hanger,

At the Old Established Stand,

No. 1, Douglas-St.,

Sign of the man on the Roof.

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A. THOMSON & CO.

Guelph, 9th May 1868 d a w y

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Gents' and Ladies' RUBBER GUARDS, all Styles—Cheap. Also,

Collar & Cuff Buttons, Shirt Studs,

AT SAVAGE'S.

Guelph, June 22nd. dw

No. 1, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

JUST ARRIVED AT

JAMES CORMACK'S

A LOT OF

Military Waterproof Overcoats

Also, a Large Stock of CHEAP SUMMER SUITS FOR VOLUNTEERS.

JAMES CORMACK,

Guelph, 24th June, 1868. dw Wyndham-st., Guelph.

To R. Cuthbert

Watchmaker, &c.,

Wyndham-St., Guelph.

We are determined to buy our Watches from you, and none but RUSSEL WATCHES will suit us.

THE PUBLIC.

New Catechism

FOR THE PEOPLE.

WHO do the Largest Boot and Shoe Business in Guelph?
PREST & HEPBURN.

Who have the largest and best assorted stock of Boots and Shoes in Guelph?
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The subscribers being the only Manufacturers in Guelph, are in a position to offer inducements to the public which no other House in the Trade can do. CALL AND SEE, and you will be convinced that large and varied as has always been our Stock the one now on hand far exceeds anything ever shown by us in the past.

Support Home Manufacture

And keep your money in the County.

Remember our Goods are all Warranted.

TERMS Cash, and no Second Price.

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Guelph, June 18. dwtf

Cunard Ocean Steamers.

LEAVING New York every Thursday for Queenstown or Liverpool.

FARE FROM HAMILTON

First Cabin, - - $87, gold value
Steerage - - - - 29, "

Berths not secured until paid for. For further particulars apply to

CHARLES T. JONES & CO.,
Exchange Brokers, Hamilton.

Agents for the Erie and New York Railway.
Fare from Hamilton to New York $7, gold value
Hamilton, 1st June, 1868. dw

W. H. JACOMB

HOUSE AND SIGN

PAINTER,

Paper Hanger,

Glazier, &c.

Shop on QUEBEC STREET, near Mr. Howard's Stove and Tin Depot

All orders from the Town and Country will receive prompt attention.

Guelph, April daw m

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—AND—

FANCY GOODS.

At W. J. McCURRY'S

OFFICE LAW STATIONERY and Fancy Goods Store, opposite the English Church,

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Will be found a good assortment of Standard Theological Works, Biographies, Travels, Works on Arts and Sciences, Architecture, Engraving and Agriculture, Works on the Horse, Cattle, Sheep and Dog. A large stock of all the SCHOOL BOOKS in general use always on hand, and sold cheap.—The Trade supplied at Publishers' Prices.

In Classical Works, the stock will be found equal to any in Ontario. A great variety of Music Books and Sheet Music. A large stock of Family Sohool Pocket BIBLES, School and Pocket Testaments, Wesleyan and other Hymn Books. All the Standard Works of the British Poets.

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Great variety of Gilt and other Moulding for Picture Frames, &c. Looking Glass plate made, and pictures promptly mounted, at the smallest advance on price of moulding.

A very large stock of FANCY GOODS. Over 2,000 Berlin Wool Patterns, at less than half the usual selling price. A very large stock of Italian and other Violin Strings, Bows, Accordeons and Concertinas.

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Guelph, June 24. daw tf

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The subscriber intimates that he is prepared to attend

FUNERALS

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WM. BROWNLOW.

Guelph March 20 1868. daw y

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Physician and Surgeon.

OFFICE—Merrick-st, directly opposite the Market, and in rear of the Royal Hotel.

Can be consulted at all hours day and evening, on all Chronic Diseases. Diseases of Women and Children, Midwifery, &c., together with those of a private nature. He has devoted over 30 years to the treatment of the above-named diseases, and the success so far has been without a parallel, as may be seen from the numerous testimonials in his possession.

No Mercury Used—Patients at a distance can be treated by corresponding with the Doctor, stating the symptoms of the disease, age, length of time afflicted, &c., and receive his celebrated remedies by express, or as otherwise directed, securely packed from observation. A reasonable remittance on all such applications will be required.

Female Pills.—Dr. Davis' celebrated Female Pills for Irregularities, Suppression of the Menses, Leucorrhœa or Whites, and all female difficulties, have been before the public for the last ten years, and are universally admitted to be best remedy for which they are recommended of any now in use.

The doctor can be consulted at all times with the utmost secrecy, as his office is so arranged that it is impossible to see each other, unless by consent. No charge for advice when obtained at the office, if by letter, $1.

All letters must be addressed (prepaid) to Dr. Davis, M. D., Hamilton, and to contain a postage stamp when an answer is required.

Hamilton, 1st July, 1868. dw

Funerals, Funerals!

NATHAN TOVELL has to intimate that he is prepared to attend funerals as usual. Coffins always on hand. Hearse to hire.

His Steam Planing Mill is in constant operation. All kinds of lumber, sashes, doors, blinds, mouldings, &c. He solicits a share of public patronage

NATHAN TOVELL,

Guelph, 27th Aug, 1867. Nelson Crescent

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CHARLES HEATH

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Where Lumber of all kinds can be had in lots to suit purchasers.

CORDWOOD

For sale by the cord, half-cord and quarter-cord, and delivered in any part of the Town.

FLOUR & FEED

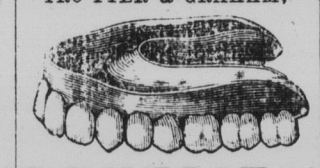
Also for sale, Flour and Feed, delivered in any part of the Town according to order.

All orders from Town or Country will be promptly attended to.

CHARLES HEATH.

Guelph, May 14, 1868 daw tf

TROTTER & GRAHAM,



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OFFICE:

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REFERENCES.—Rev. Archdeacon Palmer, Drs Clarke, Parker and Herod, Guelph; A. F. Scott Esq., County Judge; George Green, County Attorney; Dr. Pattullo, M. M. C.; Rev. Mr. Arnold—Brampton. Dr. Barnhart, Warden of Peel; Dr. Hampton, resident Surgeon Toronto Hospital.

The new anæsthetic agents used for extracting teeth without pain.

R. TROTTER. W K. GRAHAM

Guelph, 2nd August, 1867. (dw-1y)

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BEGS leave to inform his friends and the public of Guelph and surrounding country that having received a large lot of FRAMES suitable for

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he will through the HOLIDAYS furnish all kinds of Photographs at greatly

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MARTIN GILL,

Upper Wyndham Street, nearly opposite the Wellington Hotel.

Guelph, 14th May, 1868 dw-3m

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IMPORTERS OF

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AND

Manufacturers & Dealers in Canada Fabrics

32 Yonge Street, TORONTO.

102 Cross-St., Albert Square, MANCHESTER.

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Toronto, May 5, 1868. daw tf

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CAPITAL - - - - £2,500,000.

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THE success which has attended the Company's operations has been such as fully to realize the most sanguine expectations of the Directors, who have resolved to extend the business more widely, and now offer to the Canadian Public PERFECT SECURITY guaranteed by large subscribed capital and Invested Funds.

PROMPT SETTLEMENT OF CLAIMS.—The Directors and General Agents, being gentlemen largely engaged in commerce, will take a liberal and business like view of all questions coming before them.

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Volunteers assured in this Company, are permitted, without extra charge, to do duty on the Frontier, and to engage in repelling marauding attacks.

Eighty per cent of the Profits of the Whole Life and Annuity business are divided among participating Policy Holders.

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By a recent Act of Parliament a Wife can now hold a Policy on the life of her Husband free from all other claims.

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OF A LARGE AND WELL ASSORTED STOCK OF

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AT THE

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Wyndham Street, GUELPH,

COMMENCING on SATURDAY, 27th INSTANT,

AND CONTINUE FOR ONE MONTH.

TO MAKE A CLEARANCE OF LIGHT SUMMER STOCK THE WHOLE WILL BE

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1,000 pairs Ladies' Prunella, Congress and Balmoral Gaiters, very cheap.

CALL EARLY AND SECURE BARGAINS.

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RICHARD AINLEY,

HAVING purchased the entire Stock in Trade, and Book Accounts of Mr. N. CROFT, known as the

CANADA CLOTHING STORE

At a great reduction for Cash, will, without Reserve, sell off the whole stock, consisting of

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At such prices as were never before offered in Canada. As the whole stock will be disposed of within Two Months, let those who want goods of the best quality, at a nominal price, call immediately.

The Stock will be offered in Bulk, or in Lots to Suit Purchasers.

To parties wishing to purchase the whole stock, liberal terms will be given.

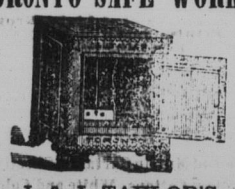
All persons indebted to Mr. N. Croft, either by Note or Book Account,

Are requested to settle with Alfred A. Baker, Esq, Division Court Clerk, who is authorised to collect the same.

RICHARD AINLEY.

Guelph, June 25, 1868. daw tf

TORONTO SAFE WORKS.



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Remember the best is the cheapest. We also manufacture every description of Fire and Burglar Proof Securities, such as Vault Doors, Locks, &c., &c.

Please send for a Price List.

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Toronto, April 11, 1868. daw tf

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St. Paul-st., MONTREAL.

MR. DECKER would say that having resumed the management of the Albion, he hopes by personal attention to merit a continuance of the patronage so liberally bestowed upon him during the last 12 years.

L. W. DECKER.

Montreal, 30th March, 1868. d

SUMMER DRINKS.

JAMES McCULLOCH,

IN thanking his customers and the public for the liberal patronage bestowed on him in past years, begs to inform them that he has made extensive preparations for the coming season, and is now manufacturing at the

Spring Brewery Depot

GORDON STREET, GUELPH,

All kinds of Summer Drinks, such as Soda Water, Lemonade, Sarsaparilla, Ginger Ale and Ginger Beer.

Also a superior quality of Champagne Clarified BOTTLED CIDER in pints or quarts, which has been tested and highly recommended for years.

All orders left at the Depot, or addressed to the undersigned will be promptly attended to.

JAMES McCULLOCH.

Guelph, 22nd May, 1868. w4 dtf

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TAILOR,

ST. GEORGE'S SQUARE, GUELPH,

In rear of the English Church,

BEGS to inform the inhabitants of Guelph and vicinity that he has rented the premises lately occupied by Mr. Jeanneret, Watchmaker, where

Parties Furnishing their Own Goods

Will always find him on hand ready to attend to their orders. All work carefully executed and on reasonable terms.

Garments Altered, Repaired and Cut with Neatness and Despatch.

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