

**MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS.**

Bayard Taylor is one of the editors of Putman's.

Detroit is the great market in the States for onions.

Good specimens of cannel coal have been received from Alaska.

Mississippi has, in some parts, raised three crops of hay this year.

Coral, especially the pale pink variety, is becoming fashionable again.

In Detroit all the Police Court fines are devoted to the public library.

There are likely to be ten Quakers in the reformed English Parliament.

Fashionable ladies are like aristocratic houses—they both have high stoops.

The commission, appointing Mr. James E. Smith to the Collectorship of Toronto, arrived on Saturday.

Kangaroos have increased to such an extent in the southeast of South Australia as to become a serious injury to the colony, as they starve out the sheep. The increase of the kangaroo has arisen from the destruction of the native dog and the decrease of the aborigines.

**CAR BURNED.**—While the Grand Trunk accommodation train coming west on Saturday evening was nearing Shakespeare, one of the passenger cars took fire from some cause and was badly damaged as to necessitate its being uncoupled and left at that station. None of the passengers were injured although badly scared. The train was delayed an hour.

**FOR SALE.**

- RAISINS**—Boxes Layer Raisins do Bunch do do Valencia do Kegs Seedless do Drums Sultanas
- PEELS**—Cases Orange Peel do Lemon do do Citron do
- SUGARS**—Bbls. Redpath's, 2, 2 1/2 and 3. Ground, Crushed A Dry Crushed, Leaves.
- 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.

**JOHN L. LEWIS.**  
Guelph, Nov. 3. daw 1/2

**COMMERCIAL.**

**Guelph Markets**

MERCURY OFFICE, GUELPH, November 9, 1868.

Flour #100 lbs	2 75	@	0 00
Flour #50 lbs	1 20	@	1 25
Spring Wheat # bush	1 00	@	1 00
Oats # bush	0 50	@	0 50
Peas do	0 30	@	0 30
Barley do	1 10	@	1 10
Hay # ton	12 00	@	15 00
Straw	3 00	@	0 00
Shingles, # square	1 00	@	1 50
Wood, # cord	3 00	@	0 00
Wool	0 24	@	0 25
Eggs, # dozen	0 14	@	0 15
Butter, (store packed) # lb	0 18	@	0 20
do (dairy packed) # lb	0 30	@	0 30
Geese, each	0 37 1/2	@	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, # lb	0 05	@	0 05
Pork, # 100 lbs	5 50	@	7 00
Sheep # each	0 90	@	0 40
Lambkins	0 35	@	0 50
Hides	6 00	@	6 50

**Money Market.**

JACKSON'S EXCHANGE OFFICE, Guelph, Nov. 9, 1868.  
Gold, 134.  
Greenbacks but at 73 to 73 1/2; sold at 74 to 74 1/2.  
Silver bought at 4 1/2; sold at 5.  
Upper Canada Bank Bills bought at 55c. to 60c.

**MONTREAL MARKETS.**

Kirkwood, Livingstone & Co's. report by special Telegraph to 'Evening Mercury', Montreal, November 9, 1868.  
Flour—Extra, \$6 00 to \$6 25; Fancy, \$5 00 to \$5 50; Welland Canal Superfine, \$5 20 to \$5 25; Superfine No. 1 Canada wheat, \$5 20 to \$5 45; Superfine No. 1 Western wheat, \$5 20 to \$5 25; No. 2 do., \$4 75 to \$5 00; Bag Flour, \$2 50 to \$2 55; Wheat—Canada Fall, \$1 25 to \$1 25 1/2; spring, \$1 19 to \$1 20; Western, \$1 19 to \$1 19 1/2; Oats, per 32 lbs, 47c to 48c; Barley, per 48 lbs, \$1 10 to \$1 20; Butter—dairy 22c to 24c; store packed 22c to 24c; Ashes—Pots \$5 80 to \$5 85; peats \$6 45 to \$6 50; Pork—Mess, \$7 00; Prime Mess, \$17 50; Prime, \$16 50; Peas, 95c to 96c.  
Flour—Receipts very heavy, market dull and lower. Peas neglected, sales of car loads from store at \$1 05 to \$1 06 per 60 lbs.

**TORONTO MARKETS.**

Toronto, Nov. 7.  
Fall wheat, \$1 25 to \$1 25 1/2; spring wheat 1 10 to 1 13; Flour, No 1 super, 5 00 to 5 05; extra, 6 25 to 6 00; barley 1 34 to 1 34 1/2; peas, 85c to 86c; oats, 51c to 51c.

**HAMILTON MARKETS.**

Hamilton, Nov. 7.  
Barley, 1 25 to 1 35; peas, 80c to 85c; oats, 45c to 50c; spring wheat, 1 03 to 1 05; white wheat, 1 25 to 1 25 1/2; red winter, 1 07 to 1 08.

**FAMILY SCALES.**

- Grocers' Scales, Union Scales,
- Platform Scales, Warehouse Scales,
- Hopper Scales, Hay Scales.

**JOHN HORSMAN, Guelph.**

**NEW BLACKSMITH SHOP**

THE subscriber begs to inform the people of Guelph and surrounding country that he has leased and fitted up the Blacksmith Shop being that old and well-known stand on Carriage Street, near Goldie's, formerly known as the People's Mills, where he intends to carry on the Blacksmith business in all its branches.

**HORSE SHOEING.**—Particular attention paid to Horse Shoeing. As the subscriber intends to keep none but a first-class horse shoe, the public can rely on getting all work in that line done in a satisfactory manner.

**IMPORTANT TO FARMERS.**—The subscriber begs to intimate to farmers that he is now manufacturing, and has for sale first-class Steel Mould Board Ploughs, (Grass pattern.) Floughs of other patterns made to order. Wagons and all kinds of Farm Implements made to order and repaired on the most reasonable terms.

**WOOD WORK.**—A first-class wood worker kept in connection with the shop. The subscriber having had long experience in the above business, hopes by strict attention to the wants of his customers to merit a share of public patronage.

Don't forget the Stand, near Goldie's Mills. **CALEB CHASE,** dim-6m-w Guelph, 24th April, 1868.

**DONALD McNAIR,**

**Licensed Auctioneer** for Nasagawya, in the County of Halton, will be happy to attend all Auction Sales. Having had seven years experience in the business, he feels confident of success.

**JOHN R. PORTE,**

From the Sheffield House, Toronto,

WOULD intimate to the inhabitants 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. daw 1/2

**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 Gopplins, in all the New Colours. The only House in Guelph that keep the same Goods.

**PHILIP BISH**

Wyndham Street, Guelph, October 24. daw 1/2

**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 & Bloat Paste Wholesale and Retail.**

Oysters Solicited and promptly executed. All goods warranted as represented.

**GEORGE WILKINSON.**

Guelph, November 8, 1868. daw 1/2

**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, Trousersings 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,
- Col'd & Uncolored JAPANS, CONGOURS, 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,** 127 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 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 Mortgagee subject to examination of title, and valuation of property offered.

Debentures, Stocks and Securities of all kinds negotiated.

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK

Are Agents for the

Royal Insurance Co'y

OF ENGLAND.

CAPITAL - - \$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, in 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.**

Part of West-half of 2, in the 2nd Con., four acres with a good stone house and log stable. West-half of Lot 30, in the 5th Con., 100 acres, 25 a/c cleared.

Part of 5, in the 1st Con., 90 acres, 70 cleared, good building. East half 9, in the 4th Con., 100 a/c, 40 cleared.

**ERIN.**

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

West-half of Lot 32, 8th Con., 100 acres, 75 a/c 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.

**CARAFRAXA.**

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

**GUELPH TOWNSHIP.**

Lots 3 and 4, in the 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 1/2 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, on tailing 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.

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

Lots 1045 and 1044, Cambridge Street, on which is erected a frame plastered dwelling house.

Four Quarry Lots, lying 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 story 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 1/2 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, in excess, a beautiful lot, well 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, well 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 "

East-half Lot 26, 5th " 100 " Lot 2, 7th " 200 " Lot 18, 3rd " 200 " Lot 25, 3rd " 200 " Lot 14, 11th " 200 " Lot 19, 13th " 200 " Lot 16, 12th " 174 " N 1/2 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 1/2 Lot 13, 9th " 100 " Lot 11, 12th " 200 "

County of Halton.

**ESQUESING.**

W 1/2 Lot 30, 3rd Concession, 95 acres, 65 cleared. Good buildings.

County of Kent. **CHATHAM.**

N. E. 1/4 Lot 21, in 3rd 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 cause 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 12 1/2 per cent (12 1/2 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, 87 1/2 | 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.**