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GUELPH, ONT., CANADA, TURSDAY EVENING, AUGUST 13, 1873.

PRICE ONE PENNY

## Business Cards.

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THOS. AUCHMULY KEATING,
M. D., M. B. C. S., Bugiand
A. A. MACDONALD,
B. J.L.B.C.P. Bidn., and L.B.C. S., Bdin elph, July 1st, 1873.

MOVAL OF SURGERY

DR. HEROD yed his Surgery to t Guelph Drug Store, who om 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. eet, After 6 p.m. at his

B. BROUK.

OFFIGH AND RESIDENCE

Quebec street, Guelph. Brock having returned from the Sout

TEPHEN BOULT, Architect, Con-tractor and Builder. Planing Mill, and work kind of Joiner's Work prepared for the rede and the public. The Factory is of buebec street, Guelph.

REDERICK BASCOE, Barrister and Attorney at Law, Soliditorin Chaucery, Couvey ander, &c. Guelph. Office, corner of wyndinan and Chaboo Streets. OLIVER & MACDONALD,
Barristers and Attorneys-at-Law, Solicrare, Notaries Public, &c. Office—Corner of
Wyndham and Quebec Streets, up stairs,
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GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN,

THRIE, J. WATT, W. H. CUTTEN Tpb, March 1, 1871. W. H. CUTTEN EMON & PETERSON

Barristors and Attorneys at Law, Solicitors in Chancery, Conveyancers and Notaries Public. Offices Brownlow's New Buildings, near

the Registry Offices. A. LEMON, H. W. PETERSON, CHAS. LEMON. | County Crown Attorne ROPERT CRAWFORD,

PRACTICAL Watch and Clock Maker; Jeweller. Wyndham Street, Guelph.

Gold and Silver Watches, Chains, Brooch , Bings, &c., Hair Plait and Device Work locks and Time pieces, Jewelry repaired and ade to order. Plated Goods in variety. Guelph, Peb. 12, 1878.

made to order. Plated Guelph, Feb. 12, 1873.

NEW CAB,—The subscriber begs to announce to the citizens of Guelph that he has just purchased a carriage and is propared to early persons to and from any place in toward to such the sual charges. He has also a large pleasure wagon for pio-nics, excursions, &c. He hopes by settled attention to recent share of public patronage. Orders and the left at Dr. Herod's Drug Store or tany residence, next door to the Primitive Methodiat parsonage. JOHN EWING. thodist parsonage. Juelph, July 12, 1872.

NEW COAL YARD.

The undersigned having opened a Coa Yard in Guelph is prepared to furnish all kinds of Hard and Soft Coal

Hard and Sour Hard and Sour Hard and Street of John A. Wood, Upper Wyndham Street will be prompt' attended to.

(JEO MURTON, dy Guelph 'nv

STURDY. Touse, Sign, & Ornamental Painter GRAINER AND PAPER-HANGER. Shop next to the Wellington Hotel, Wynd

WILLIAM J. PATERSON. Official Assignee for the County of Wellington.

Otace-Opposite Town Hall, Guelph. dw RON CASTINGS Of all kinds, made to order at

OWE'S IRON WORKS,

Norfolk Street, Guelph. JOHN CROWE, Proprieto

Veterinary Surgeon

Graduate Ontario Veterinary College OFFICE-No. 6, DAY'S BLOCK, UPSTAIRS. All calls at night will be attended to by calling at the office.

N.B.—Horses bought and sold on commission. May 17, 73,-d&wly. PARKER'S HOTEL,

OPPOSITE the MARKET, GUELPH MONEY TO LEND, -DIRECTLY-

First-class accommodation for travellers Commodious stabling and an attentive Commonway.

The best Liquers and Cigars at the bar.

He has just fitted up a room where Oysters ill be served up at all hours, in the favorite will be sorved up wettless, and sardines. Pickled Salmen, Lobsters, and Sardines. Guelph, Feb 1, 1873

PRIZE DENTISTRY.

DR. ROBERT CAMPBELL

Established 1864.
Office next door to the "Advertiser" Office, Wyndham - t., Guelph.
Residence opposite Mr., Boult's Factory streated without pairs.

W. M. FOSTER, L. D. S., SURGEON DENTIST, GUELPH.



## Cuelph Evening Mercury

WANTED - TWO SMART BOYS to WEDNESDAY EVEN'G, AUG. 18, 187 Town and County News

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—By a young man in a respectable family. One with room suitable for a plano prefered. Address, with particulars, J. L., box 62, Gualph.

TO LET — A large two-storey Storey Storey Storey Building in the centre of the Town mitable for manufacturing purposes.

Apply to Robert Melvin, Guelph. jlyike ALL the School and Text Books used in Guelph and its neighborhood will be found at Anderson's cheap bookstore. Hemoval.—As will be seen by adver OTTAGE OR HOUSE WANTED To rent on or before Sept. 1, containing six or eight rooms; ten minutes' wa

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The High and Public Schools, Guelph, wil

W H. TAYLOR,

CARRIAGE SILVER PLATER,

WALLET LOST—In Parker's Hotel

logs head, and the first the same and the same material. It contained a not of hand for \$18, given by William an George Woods in favor of John Brown. Alparties are hereby cautioned against put hasing said note as payment has been stoped. Any person returning the above the rewarded.

Grocery No. 1.

ROBERT S. KING

Central Exhibition.

Tenders will be received by the under igned for the privilege of

SPLENDID CHANCE FOR INVEST-

Residence for Sale.

That very desirable property situated on Paisley street, near the Western Station consisting of White Brick two story dwell with the property of the property

April 4 '73.-dwtf. MONEY TO LEND,

LIMESTONE

Quarry and Kilns for Sale.

DAISLEY STREET

GUELPH

GUELPH. The only one this side of Toronto.
All work warranted the best. Please sen

New Advertisements.

ent on or before Sept. 1, con eight rooms; ten minutes' market; West Ward prefe George Murton, junn. at Sh af-di tisement Messrs. Thompson A have remeved their office to Br Block north of the Post Office. CAMADIANS IN LONDON.—Among the list of Canadians registered at the London office of the Toronto Globe up to Sist July are:—James Hnes, C. F. Leonard and Wm. Stewart, from Guelph.

WANTE D-Unfurnished — By a single man in a central part of the town, with or without board. Apply at this office. EXPORTS.—The Winnipeg Nov. Wester says.—Large quantities of sewing machines of Osborne (Guelph) make arrow offered for sale by Me. Hargrave in the old drug store under this office. DUCATIONAL. — The Misses Mc
Donald will open a school for Your
Ladies in Mr. Hatch's Block Woolwich street
on Monday, lat of September. Terms an
particulars given on application. Resi
dence, Queen st.
Gueiph, Aug. 12, 1873

Sons or TEMPERANCE.—It will be seen from our advertisement that an open meeting of this body will be held in the Good Templars Hall, Madednell street, on Eriday svening next. The programme includes music, and addresses by Rev'd Mr. Wood, Mr. Farrow, lecturer for the League, and Mr. J. M. Dunn.

Crvic Hollder.—Know all men and women, especially all young men and women, that whoseever shall do any work in Guelph on Friday, the twenty-second day of August, inst, shall be delated guilty of neglecting the mandates of the Mayor of this corporation, provided of course, that the Mayor issues his mandate.

date.

PUSLINCH SHOW.—A CHALLENGE.—As no.prize has been offered this year by the Puslinch Agricultural Society for the best herd of Devons, Mr. Geo. Rudd is willing to exhibit his herd of Devons against that of any herd of Durhams or any other breed in that township for \$100—two cows of each herd to be miked as a test of their qualities. Details may be learned on application to Mr. Rudd.

Social in Peri. On Wednesday of last Scota in Peri.—On Wednesday or last week a social came off at the residence of Mr. John Cross, on the sixth Concession. About 140 persons took part in the proceedings, and everything passed off very successfully. The refreshments were good and so was the music, which was supplied by Mr. Bristow, Miss Cornish, and some other ladies. Rev. Messre. Henderson and Mills were the principal messages and short sneeches were also speakers, and short speeches were also made by Messra. Jell, Shaw and Jas. Cross. A substantial sum was realized towards the liquidation of the debt in-curred in furnishing the manse connected with the Glenallan Wesleyan Church.

Fell from a Barn.—Mr. Simon Grieves, a respectable framer, was employed at a raising of Mr. George Quarry's barn, on the farm, in Paisley Block about 6 o'clock one evening of last week, in company with a number of others, when he accidently slipped and fell to the ground, breaking his wrist and his instep, and sustaining a concussion of the spine. He was immediately taken care of, and Dr. Herod administered to his injuries next morning, when he found his patient in a low state. It is supposed, as Mr. Grieves is a temperate man, that he had become overpowered by the heat of the sun, and thus lost his balance upon the building. If the spine is not seriously injured, the case will be less dangerous, and Mr. Grieves will, soon be himself again. In the meantime he has the sympathy of a large number of friends, He has been removed to his home near Hespeler. FELL FROM A BARN. -Mr. Simon Grieves

RUNAWAT.—We regret to considerable damage was done by a rune sawy which occurred at the residence of Mr. Alexander Campbell, Paslinch Gore, this (Wednesday) morning. Mr. Campbell had just hiched up his team and loaded his wagon to atter for duelph, the horses I sing tied at the door. Mrs. Grampbell came to the door to shake a quilt, and this appeared to have frightened broke the tongue of the waggon, these broke the tongue of the waggon, the wagon behind them. Before going far the wagon truck a stone and upset, liberating the horses, who galloped on until they were brought up by a gate. Liberating the horses, who galloped on until they were brought up by a gate was badly cut, and the wagon will need which they smashed. One of the horses was badly cut, and the wagon will need which they smashed. One of the horses was badly cut, and the wagon will need the same that the pay.

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Scranton, Pa., Aug.

Scranton, Pa., A RUNAWAY.—We regret to hear that considerable damage was done by a run-away which occurred at the residence of Mr. Alexander Campbell, Puslinch Gore, this (Wadnesday) morning, Mr. Camp-Erecting Refreshment Booths ing Show.

The Directors do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

No pass tickets will be allowed except for the teamster bringing in supplies.

Tenders received up to 2 o'clock on Wednesday, the 20th.

For further particulars apply to the Sec-GEO. MURTON, Sec. G.C.E. Guelph, Aug. 7, 1873.

I farm security, at eight per cent. No mmission charged. Apply to FRED. BISCOE, Barrister, &c. April 4 '73.-dwtf. Guelph. and costs.

ABUSIVE LANGUAGE.

Peter Healey, labourer, was charged with using abusive language to Elizabeth butter off Saturday last. The parties live in Northumberland street, and this is not the first time they have brought their little differences before the Bench. Fined \$4 and cests. In sums to suit borrowers. No solicitor's ses or commission charged.

Apply direct to the undersigned,
GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN,

April 24, 1873. dwtf Guelph

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REMARKABLE YIELD.—Mr. John Jamieson, of Clear Spring Settlement, took ten bushels of wheat, raised on new land, to Pritchard & Peers' mill, St. Paul's Parish, from which he received 545 lbs. flour, 25 lbs. pollard, 100 lbs. bran; total, 670 lbs.—Manitoba Free Press.

ON Monday an employee of the Metropolitan Bank in St. James.street, Montreal, lost 514,000. He was on his way to make a deposit at another bank, when he lost the above amount. There were over \$10,000 in cheques, payment of which have been stopped. The balance was in bills.

Surgence.—Mr. McMillen, a resident of 

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MaGuire, Keating, Cowan and Machine was in bills.

Surgical.—Mr. McMillen, a resident of Goderich, has for some time somplianed of what he for a long time believed to be an attack of Rhematism in the hip. This opinion he entertained until a few days ago, when he felt the point of something sharp sticking through his Seeh. An operation was performed, which resulted in removing a darning needle 4½ inches in length. How the needle entered his dealer.

Guelph, 1st August, 1873.

Credit Valley Railway.

to the Credit Valley Railway. More than a hundred gentlemen were present from all parts of the Riding, Erin being strongly represented. We have not exceed for an extended report, and must content ourselves with a bare outline of the proceedings. The meeting, which was held in the Drill Shed, was called to order about 8 p. m., when Hugh Hamilton, Esq., Reeve of Elora, was appointed Chairman, and E. Briras, Esq., Secretary, J. Laidlaw, Esq., President of the C. V. R. R., was present, but did not appear until nearly the close of the meeting, Several good addresses were delivered, Mr. Hugh Roberts, Reeve of Pilkington, acting as spokesman for the opposition. The following teaolutions were carried almost unanimously, only three or four dissentients being present. There is little doubt that mother By-Law will be placed before the electors of the proposed new group at an early date, and that there will be a keen contest between the supporters and opponents of the By-Law.

Moved by Mr. McDowell, of Erin, seconded by Mr. C. Ferguson of Erin, That in the opinion of this meeting the advantages to be derived from Railway competition are of such a character as to whereat's liberal outlay for the purpose of securing them, massinuctras they lessen tharges for freight and in the same proportion increase the price of farm and other products.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. McMillan, Reeve of Erin, and seconded by Charles Allan, Esq., Filkington, Whereas the Credit Valley Railway Company have secured their charter to construct their railway from the City of Toronto to Elora and Salem, and the construction of the same is of immense importance to the various municipalities of the County through and to which it runs, it is therefore the opinion of this meeting that if the said company will construct the road they should be assisted by a grant in aid of the construction of the same, and that the necessary steps be taken to secure the submission of the County through and to which it runs, it is therefore the opinion of this meeting that if th an a hundred gentlemen were om all parts of the Riding, Erin congly represented. We have no

the necessary steps be taken to secure the submission of a By-Law for that purpose.

—Carried.

Moved in amendment by Hugh Roberts, Esq., Pilkington, and seconded by David Black, Esq., Pilkington, That it is not advisable to vote any sum of money by the Centre Riding of this county to the Credit Valley Railway till the main line is completed.—Lost.

Moved by C. Allan, Esq., Pilkington, and seconded by Mr. McKinaon, of Erin, Whereas some portions of the Municipalities through which the proposed line is the Credit Valley Railway Company for the Credit Valley Railway Company for the Credit Valley Railway Company for the construction of the said Railway than other portions which are contiguous to the said Road, it is deemed advisable that those portions of said Munipalitiesless directly benefitted should not be assessed for its construction.—Carried.

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Moved by A. Dyce, Esq., Garafraxa, and seconded by R. Black, Esq., Garafraxa, and seconded by R. Black, Esq., Garafraxa, That that the territory to be assessed shall consist of the following Municipalities, viz:—East and West Garafraxa, Orangeville, Fergus, and Elora, all that portion of the Township of Nichol northwest of the line between the Third and Fourth concessions of the said Town ships; all that portion of the Township of Pilkington North West of the line between lots seven and eight in all the concessions of said Township South-east of the Grand River, and all that portion of the Township of Erin North-west of the line between Lots Five and Six in concessions Seven to Eleven of said Township inclusive.—Garried.

Moved by David Boyle, Esq., Elora, seconded by J. Godfrey, Esq., Elora, seconded by J. Godfrey, Esq., Elora, seconded by One Hundred and Thirty-five Thousand Dollers, and this meeting deems it advisable that the payment of this bonus should extend over twenty years in equal annual instalments.—Carried.

Moved by R. Dalby, Esq., Elora, seconded by D. Boyle, Esq., Elora, That in the condense of t

Fearful Thunder Storm in Erin.

From our Frin Correspondent.

One of the most fearful and destructive storms that has been witnessed for many years passed over this village and section of the country about noon to-day. The direction which it took was from east to west. Before the storm came on, the thunder rolled terrificly around from north to east, drawing nearer and nearer until drops of rain began to fall, and in an instant, as it were, it turned into hail, when it fell with tremendous violence for fifteen or twenty mnutes, until the ground was literally covered; breaking windows, destroying fruit and fruit-trees, thrashing out and taugling up the uncut crops in a foarful manner. The turning crop is completely riddled and battered into the ground. The rain fell in torrents for upwards of an hour after the hail ceased. The extent of land covered by this storm has not yet been learned, but we trust that it has not covered a very wide area, as the loss at this season would be very great. The crops in this section looked beautiful, and better prospects have not presented themselves for some years past.

Erin, Aug. 11, 1873.

BY TELEGRAPH. MEMORIAL TO HIS EXCELLENCY NINETY MEMBERS SIGN.

A large meeting of the members was neld in the Railway Committee room this

Associated Press Despatch.
OTTAWA, Aug. 18.—The Governor General arrived early this morning. Th House will meet at three o'clock, and it is understood the Governor will be ready to proceed with the prorogation immediately afterwards. It is probable that an announcement will be made that the Commission will proceed to investigate liament are in town. Among the arrivals yesterday were Drs. Schultz and Bown from Manitoba, Hon. J. H. Pope, Prince Edward Island, and a strong representa-tion of the Press. There is considerable excitement in town, and many rumor

OTTAWA, August 13, noon.—The Pacific Railway Investigation Committee have just held a meeting with all members

covered that the crew had stowed a large lot of cigars and cigarettes in the sails, on the fore-topmast. The seizure of goods thus concealed were made on the steamers Cleopatra and Morro Castle.

New York, Aug. 12.—Vienna advices

away. It will take ten days to repair the break in the canal at Berlin.

Quebec, Aug.—News has been received of the wreck of the ship Oregon, owned by Messrs. Ross & Co., Quebec, at Point Ritchie in the straits of Belleisle, with a valuable cargo. The captain and crew were obliged to adandon the ship in consequence of the people on the coast plundering her. A Dominion steamer has been ordered to the spot to protect the property.

Sap Accorders a Coast of the proceedings by hanging himself.

held in the Railway Committee room this afternoon. A memorial to the Governor General was adopted, asking him not to proregue Parliament until the House had time to have a thorough and speedy in-vestigation of the Pacife Railway scan-dal. Ninety members signed the mem-orial, afteen of whom have hitherto suported the Government.

Pacific Railway matters immediately, and ly Parliament will be called together for the fall session. About 120 members of Parena and the control of

years. Rain fell in torrents, accompanied by thunder and lightning, doing much corn, fences, culverts, roads, brigdes, &c. Cheseplake and Ohio Canal also suffered, several breaks reported and bars washed

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People who have been sending after the "queer," or counterfeit money, will not doubt be pleased to learn that full lists of names are being made for publication.

SAD ACCIDENT.—One day last week a son of Mr. Brett's, whe is employed at Works Company is to be heard before the young fellow was working at the pump, and a pin that was attached the end of a shaft near by caught his, pants, tearing the flesh from the hip to the knee in a shocking manner.—Reformer.

A young man named flind, of Hamilton, had his left hand shattered to pieces by the bursting of his gun, on Monday.

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just held a meeting with all members present except MaDonald of Pieton and have adjourned till to-morrow at 11. The proceedings were private but it is understood that no report will be presented by the Committee to the House this afternoon.

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THIS MORNING'S DESPATCHES

Ingenious Smuggling Dodge.

Wreck.

Lightning, Hail, and Rain.

Fire Damp.

The Mastership of the Rolls.

For Spain.

London, Aug. 12.—Upon the declination of the office of Master of the Rolls by Sir John Duke Coleridge, it was offered to Sir Geo. Jessel, who accepted.

Vienna, Aug. 12.—A squadron of Austrian war vessels have been ordered to the coasts of Spain.

New York, Aug. 12.—A squadron of Austrian war vessels have been ordered to the coasts of Spain.

New York, Aug. 12.—A new and ingenious plan of concealing smuggled goods was discovered on Havana steamers y esterday. The custom officer discovered that the crew had stowed a large lot of cigars and cigarettes in the sais, on the following each other. Lydell's train was standing at the passenger station, and he had been instructed to core at the freight sheds the passenger station, and he had been instructed to the real than the passenger station, and he had been instructed the colorly that there were three special freight trains going deat, and closely following each other. Lydell's train was standing at the passenger station, and he had been instructed to core at the freight sheds the passenger station, and he had been instructed the conductor of the emigrant trains going dest, and closely following each other. Lydell's train was standing at the passenger station, and the house proved do cross at the freight sheds the passenger trains when there are the received to core at the freight sheds the passenger trains which Lydell had to pass at the fre

The Crops in Woolwich.—Reports from Woolwich are in every respect encouraging. Oats, peas barley are unusually large crops. Spring wheat is all that could be desired, while Fall wheat, although in a few spots winter killed, is plump in the grain and above the average in quantity. One farmer says he expecting and other fruit promise well.—Chronicle.

THE MIDLAND FATALITY.—The inquest at Orillia before Dr. Elliott, coroner, on the bodies of James Stephens and T. Lyke, who were killed at the disaster on the Midland rallroad on Saturday last, was concluded on Monday night, and the Jury returned a verdiet of Accidental Death, at the same time exculpating the almost immediately afterwards the building was struck by lightning. Two women were instantly killed, and seven others injured.

A fearful explosion of fire-damp occurred in the Central Coal Mines here this morning. Three men were severly injured.

A furious hail and rain storm passed over portions of this country this afternoon doing great damage. The Lehigh

also progressing toward recovery.

An attempt was made on Monday night to rob the establishment of H. J. Shaw, auctioneer, Montreal. The burglar turned his attention to the safe, one of Herring's make; he had knocked off the knobs of its hinges, and was directing his hammer to the hinges themselves when his actions were noticed by a policeman through the front windows of the building. The policeman obtained assistance, and ontering the back door, which was open, nabbed the would-be burglar. He proved to be a discharged soldier named Walsh, from Hallfax. He was committed for trial.

William Heatherington of the village.