

Business Cards.

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A. H. MACDONALD, BARRISTER AT LAW, Office-Corner of Wyndham and Quebec Streets, Guelph, June 3, 1874.

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

A. LEMON, H. W. PETERSON, E. MACLEAN, Barristers and Attorneys at Law, Solicitors in Chancery, etc.

DUNBAR, MERRITT & BISCOM, Barristers and Attorneys at Law, Solicitors in Chancery, etc.

STEPHEN BOULT, Architect, Contractor and Builder, Planning Mill, and every kind of Joiner's Work prepared for the trade and the public.

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

OLIVER & McKINNON, Barristers, Attorneys at Law, Solicitors in Chancery, Conveyancers, Notaries Public, etc.

F. STURDY, House, Sign, & Ornamental Painter.

GRAINER AND PAPER-HANGER, Shop next to the Wellington Hotel, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

D. R. COLLINGE, (M.D., Edinburgh, and M.R.C.S., England) having assisted Dr. Clark in his practice during the last twelve months, has now commenced practice on his own account.

IRON CASTINGS, Of all kinds, made to order at Guelph, July 29, 1874.

CROWE'S IRON WORKS, Norfolk Street, Guelph.

M. P. DELOUCHE, WIRE WORKER, Pearl Street, off King Street. Every description of wire work made to order.

RIE'S BILLIARD HALL, in the Queen's Hotel, Guelph, opposite the Market.

DOMINION SALOON AND RESTAURANT, Opposite the Market, Guelph.

W. M. FOSTER, D.D.S., Surgeon Dentist, Guelph.

R. CAMPBELL, L.D.S., Having recovered from his recent illness, is again prepared to attend to the wants of all who may require his services.

PARKER'S HOTEL, DIRECTLY OPPOSITE THE MARKET, GUELPH.

THORP'S HOTEL, GUELPH - No better and newly furnished. Good accommodation for commercial travellers.

HART & SPIERS, Conveyancers, Land, Loan, Insurance, and General Agents, 4 Day's Block, Guelph.

MONEY TO LEND, In sums to suit borrowers. No solicitor fees or commission charged.

STONE SHOP TO RENT - In the Town of Guelph, well adapted for any kind of manufacturing business.

New Advertisements.

HOUSE FOR LET - On Norwich-st., Guelph, containing 5 or 6 rooms, soft and hard water, woodshed and stable.

BRICK FOR SALE, Apply to ELIAS SHANTZ, BRESLAU.

WANTED - By a young man (married) a situation as Porter, or as Town or County Traveller.

LOST - On Tuesday, between Guelph and the Model Farm, Morton's Design Book of Monuments and Headstones.

JOHN McCREA, Produce Commission Merchant, and Insurance Agency.

FORM FOR SALE IN GLENELG - Lot 12 in the 14th, and lot 13 in the 15th Con. Glasgow, Co. Grey, 14 acres, 50 cleared.

TO BUILDERS, Parties desirous of tendering for the work to be done in making certain alterations and additions to Messrs. Hoffman Brothers' store on Wyndham street.

G. T. R. PROPERTY - The prospects of this road appear to be brightening, an average increase of £4,000 a week for the past six weeks.

THE Miniature Steamer, Will, on and after Wednesday, July 29th, leave the wharf at 7 p.m.

WALROND'S CONFECTIONERY STORE, Choice Confectionery, Ice Cream and Soda Water.

JUST RECEIVED, A VERY FINE LOT OF Brass Preserving Kettles.

ENAMELLED " " These are of better quality and cheaper than any brought to Guelph before.

CALL AND SEE THEM, John M. Bond & Co., Direct Hardware Importers, Wyndham street, Guelph.

FOR SALE - A very excellent Building lot fronting on Paisley Street.

10 acres of Land wanted, suitable for Strawberries, near the town.

AUCTION SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

Mr. James Armstrong has instructed W. S. G. Knowles to sell by public auction at his residence, Macdonnell street.

TO BORROWERS, Having invested the \$28,000 recently advertised, we again have the following sums, besides others, to lend on farm security.

THE 3-CYLINDER ENGINE, Low-priced, serviceable, quality unsurpassed.

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Guelph Evening Mercury

FRIDAY EVENING, JULY 31, 1874.

Town and County News

Big Owl - We saw in town to-day a very large owl caught by Levi Allen, of Erie, in his barn, yesterday.

When thou art obliged to speak, be sure to speak the truth; for equivocation is half way to lying, and lying is the whole way to hell.

A COMPLIMENT TO BARNUM - The Elora papers announce that next Thursday will be observed as a public holiday in order that that village can move down to Barnum's show.

CORRECTION - In class 3, section 16, Central Exhibition Prize List, the prizes should be \$20, \$12 and \$8, instead of \$10, \$8 and \$5, as printed.

GOOD WORK - We notice that the walls of the General Hospital building are ready for the roof, the brick work having been performed in twenty days.

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A Pic-Nic - To-day the employees of Mr. F. J. Chubb, Builder, start for Puslinch Lake, with the object of a good day's sport.

SUSPICIOUS - We are creditably informed that on Thursday morning about twenty large spikes were found lying across the G. T. R. track between the two crossings, west of the oil refinery.

SOMETHING HANDSOME - Messrs. H. Clearidge & Co. have on exhibition at their warehouse in the Alma Block, some elegant mantel-pieces from the manufactory of Conover, Woolley & Co., New York.

THE SOCIAL - The social in the Wesleyan Church last evening was a most enjoyable affair.

Need of a Cab Tariff, To the Editor of the Mercury.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE MERCURY

The Beecher-Tilton Scandal.

Monilton not to be Found.

What Susan B. Anthony Says.

Distinguished Visit to Iceland.

Suffering Among the Miners.

Tilton not to be Tried.

New York July, 30. - Mrs. Woodhull says she has the power to force Beecher to his defence, and she believes he will come out all right.

The Sun, speaking of the Beecher-Tilton Scandal, says the Court proceedings, which are looked forward to with interest, are expected to end as far as the young man who is the complainant is concerned.

A despatch from Leavenworth, Kansas, states that Susan B. Anthony was told by Mrs. Tilton, while stopping at the latter's house, of a guilty intrigue between her and Beecher.

A reporter of the Brooklyn Union called upon Mr. Beecher yesterday. Mr. Beecher while seated at his desk, talked glibly and laughed heartily at times.

For the present he was prepared to admit his sky was not as clear as it ought to be, but the sun of truth would, in its own good time, burst forth and dissipate the clouds.

New York, July 31. - The Times says from a most reliable source it is ascertained that every effort is being made on the part of the Investigating Committee to obtain the testimony of Mr. Frank Monilton.

A letter from Leswick, Shetland Islands, states that the steamer Albion arrived there on July 24, and sailed the same afternoon for Iceland.

Payne, the pedestrian, gave up his attempted walk of 115 miles in 24 hours, he having accomplished but 67 1/2 miles last night.

A Plymouth, Pa., despatch reports the greatest suffering in the coal regions, the larger portion of the colliers having either stopped, or are working on reduced time.

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Local and Other Items.

ENCOURAGING - The North Waterloo M. F. I. Co. is meeting with liberal support from the public.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT - On Thursday a young man named Davis, while removing the scaffolding from the roof of the Presbyterian Church in Palmerston, missed his footing and fell to the ground.

GAB WORKS FOR GALT - Some gentlemen from Pittsburg, Pa., have been visiting Galt with a view to establish gas works.

BURGALAR SHOT - On Wednesday night, a young man giving his name as Burwell Stephenson, hailing from Elmbrook, while attempting to burglarize the house of Alderman Whipple, of Hamilton, was shot through the left arm by one of Mr. Whipple's men.

CARELESS USE OF FIREARMS - On Tuesday, a girl named Josie Sheehan, servant at the Robson House, Hamilton, found a pistol lying in a room, and while handling it carelessly, not knowing it was loaded, it went off.

FATAL ACCIDENT - A German (name unknown) died on Tuesday night at Mr. Palmer's, 8th con. Peel. It appears that he with a number of others was going to Palmer's the day previous to limit a stone wall under Palmer's barn.

NEW GALT FIRE BRIGADE - Owing to the resignation of the former fire brigade in Galt, a new one is being formed, and it is now certain that it will contain as many members as far larger number of property holders in the town than did the old one.

FORBES' JUBILEE - The second day's proceedings in connection with A. O. Forbes, in Toronto, were carried out on Thursday with great success.

AMATEUR BAND COMPETITION, 1st prize \$225 and a piece of plate, Bowmanville Band; the Stratford Town Band taking the second prize of \$150.

MONUMENT TO JOHN BUNYAN - Amid impressive ceremonies, and in presence of thousands of spectators of every rank, from the peer to the peasant, a statue of the Baptist thinker, John Bunyan, author of the "Pilgrim's Progress," was unveiled in his native city of Bedford, England.

DECLARATION OF DIVIDEND - The Dominion Telegraph Company has declared a dividend of seven-and-a-half per cent.

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Visit of Dr. Fraser, C. P. Missionary

A meeting was held in Knox Church on Thursday evening to hear an address from Dr. J. B. Fraser, who is being sent by the Canada Presbyterian Church as medical missionary to the island of Formosa, as fellow-worker with Mr. McKay.

A fair representation of the different bodies of the C. P. denomination attended. Rev. Mr. Ball president, and on the platform beside him were Revs. Messrs. Torrance and Wardrope.

After preliminary exercises, the chairman, in a few appropriate remarks, introduced Dr. Fraser, who gave a very interesting address, speaking principally of the country which is to be the scene of his future labors, its extent and capabilities, and the peculiarities of its people.

He gave an interesting account of the progress which has already been made in the way of spreading the Gospel in that far-off land by Mr. McKay, who, during his three years' residence there, has become master of the Chinese language, and has now six native missionaries who are assisting him in the good work.

The address was listened to with marked attention, and concluded with an earnest appeal to the audience to be more zealous in forwarding the cause of missions throughout the world.

Messrs. Torrance and Wardrope also gave short and appropriate addresses. At the close a liberal collection was taken upwards defraying the expenses of Dr. Fraser's outfit.

Harrison News.

A great many of the farmers in this neighborhood have commenced cutting their fall wheat and peas. The sample is very good.

Huge Gordon, of this place, shipped in one day last week, one car load of cheese, direct for the European market.

Mr. Curragh, of Wroteret, recently brought forty tons loaded with sheep, and shipped them from this station to the United States.

George Nelson gave his leg a fearful gash with an adze, while working at the new Temperance Hall on Monday last, which will lay him up for a month or two.

The same young man lost the fore finger from his right hand last spring while working in J. D. McEachern's factory.

Within the last few weeks Mitchell & Teeple have added largely to their machinery at the Champion works, and are now manufacturing nearly every description of machinery.

R. G. Lambert has extended his business to such an extent that he now employs twice as many hands as he had last year.

Wait & Walker have enlarged their business, and put in a new and powerful boiler, which will enable them to do about double the usual amount of work.

J. D. McEachern is also enlarging his business, and now keeps in steady employment about sixty hands.

Mr. Cadwell has just completed the buildings necessary for carrying on the pottery business on an extensive scale, with good prospects of success.

Gregory & McKenzie are now engaged in erecting suitable buildings for the wholesale manufacture of biscuits, confectionery, cigars, &c.

Other firms have made arrangements to commence profitable businesses. These manufacturing, when started, will place Harrison a little ahead of any village west of Guelph.

The Schooner "Guelph."

On Wednesday afternoon we went up to Port Robinson to inspect a very handsome new schooner. She is named The Guelph, in honor of which inland town she will be proud, her owners, Messrs. Taylor & Lemon, being residents of Guelph.

The vessel is in every respect sound and staunch, and while she will carry 18,000 bushels of grain, she has a fine model and lines for and fast. She has also port holes for timber, and is thus adapted for both grain and timber trade.

Her carrying capacity is about 450 tons, registered tonnage 228, carpenter's measurement 350. The owners have spared no expense in making her complete, and she has now cost them \$22,000.

The contract was first given to Mr. Abbey, and after his failure Mr. Peck, of Wallaceburg, has taken charge of the construction, and made an excellent job. The painting is excellent, and has been executed by Mr. Granville, of Kingsville, Co. Essex.

The cabin is a model of beauty and convenience, and was constructed from special designs by the Captain, J. A. Malott, of Kingsville, Ont., who seems to be a model captain from his boyhood a water dog, and one who by his quiet and determined manner, would inspire the confidence and compel the obedience of his crew.

His first and second mates, A. Pickard and L. Jeffrey, are both good men. We wish The Guelph many prosperous voyages, and profitable to her worthy owners. - St. Catharines News.