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GUELPH, ON., CANADA, TUESDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 29, 1867.

PRICE ONE PENNY

TROTTER & GRAHAM,

DENTISTS!
GUELPH and BRAMPTON,
Members of the Dental Association of the Province of Ontario.
(Successors in Guelph to T. Trotter.)
OFFICE:
Over Mr. Higginbotham's Drug Store

REFERENCES.—Rev. Archdeacon Palmer, Drs. Clarke, Parker and Herold, 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. Hanlyon, resident Surgeon Toronto Hospital.
The new anæsthetic agents used for extracting teeth without pain.
R. TROTTER. W. K. GRAHAM.
Guelph, 2nd August, 1867. (dw-ly)

H. HOGG'S
FLOUR AND FEED STORE
Opposite the Market Shed.

CONSTANTLY ON HAND, all kinds of Mill Feed, Chopped Peas, Middlings, Shorts, Bran,
Corneal, Oatmeal, Flour!
Bacon, Sugar-cured Hams, and Potatoes.
Guelph, 28th August, 1867. dw-1f

CARD.
MUSICAL INSTRUCTION.
W. VALE, Pianist-Master of the Wellington Battalion, and late Band Sergeant of the 17th Regiment, begs to inform the inhabitants of Guelph, that he is prepared to receive pupils for instruction in Music in the following branches:—Violin, Flute, Cornet, and all Brass Instruments through Bass and Harmony.
Terms—\$10 per quarter, payable in advance. For particulars apply at residence, Nottingham Street.
Guelph, Oct. 11, 1867. d-1m

Military Tailor
J. JONES,
Late Master Tailor in the 17th Regiment.

IS READY to receive orders for making all kinds of
Military and Civilian's Clothing,
the latest and most fashionable styles. Having had long experience, he guarantees to give satisfaction to all who may favor him with their patronage.
Residence—Nottingham-st., near Gordon-st.
Guelph, 16th Oct., 1867. d-1m

Eating House.
C. H. DAVIS
RESPECTFULLY informs the people of Guelph and neighborhood, that he has opened a public

Eating House and Refreshment Rooms,
A few doors above the Wellington Hotel, Wyndham Street, where will be provided Meals at all reasonable hours, at moderate prices.
Oysters, Sardines, &c.
TO ORDER ON SHORT NOTICE.
An opening for a couple of Boarders.
CHAS. H. DAVIS.
October 22, 1867. S1d do tf

New Groceries.
Keiller's Dundee Marmalade,
Wotherspoon's (Scottish) Sweets,
Hay's Glasgow Whiskey,
Bernard's Ginger Wine,
Farrance Old Tom Gin,
New Lobsters and Sardines,
Ingersoll Factory Cheese,
New Crop Eng. Black Tea,
Genuine Mocha & Java Coffee

THE above Goods are all newly imported and warranted to give satisfaction, both as to price and quality.
JOHN A. WOOD,
Guelph, Oct. 14, 1867. d 93 w 730 tf

NEW FANCY GOODS
MRS. HUNTER,
No. 7, - - - Day's Block,
HAS pleasure in informing the ladies of Guelph and surrounding country that she has received a large and choice assortment of

BERLIN WOOL
FINGERING WOOL,
FLEECY (Single and Double) WOOL,
ZEPHYR WOOL.
New Slipper Patterns and Worked Ottomans.—Also, a large variety of other Fancy Goods and Toys.
All orders for fancy work promptly executed.—Stamping and Braiding done to order.
Guelph, 25th Sept., 1867. dw-4in

FRESH LOBSTERS!
At E. CARROLL & Co's
Guelph, Oct. 7, 1867. No. 2 Day's Block

TEACHER WANTED.
TEACHER wanted for school in Section No. 6, Township of Eramosa. He must hold a first-class certificate. His engagement must commence on the first day of January, 1868. The Trustees will appoint the Teacher on Saturday 9th November. Applicants must bring certificates of character and qualifications.
SUTHERLAND, Sec., Ostin P O

FOR SALE,
A VALUABLE
Farm in Eramosa.

THE undersigned will sell by Public Auction, at the Market House, in the Town of Guelph
On WEDNESDAY, 6th NOV Next,
At two o'clock, p. m., the West-half of Lot Number Twenty-eight, in the Third Concession of the Township of Eramosa, containing 100 acres more or less, 70 acres of which are cleared, well fenced, and in a good state of cultivation. The soil is of excellent quality. The river Speers runs through a corner of the Lot, and it is also well supplied with excellent well water. There is a new stone dwelling House, containing eight rooms, and a frame barn 54 x 26, together with good stables and other out buildings, on the Lot. There is also a thriving young Orchard on it. The title is indisputable.
Full particulars, as to terms and conditions of sale, will be made a clear day at the time of sale, or on application to Messrs. BLAIR & GIBBES, Vendor's Solicitors, Guelph.
W. S. G. KNOWLES,
Auctioneer.
October 24, 1867. dw2

AUCTION SALE
OF
Farm Property
THERE will be offered for sale by Public Auction, at the Market House, in the Town of Guelph, at Twelve o'clock, noon, on
Fair Day, Wednesday, 6th Nov.
1867, the North-East half of Lot Number 26, in the 10th Concession of the

TOWNSHIP OF ERAMOSA.
Containing one hundred acres of land. The soil is good, and immediate possession given.
Further particulars, as to terms and conditions may be had on application to Messrs. LYMAN and PATERSON, Solicitors, Guelph.
F. J. B. FORBES, Auctioneer.
Guelph, Oct. 22, 1867. d81 dw2

FARM TO RENT.
TO rent the farm belonging to the estate of the late Robert Trouton, comprising Lot 19, in the 4th Concession, Garafraxa, containing 190 acres, 180 acres of which are cleared and in an excellent state of cultivation. The land is well fenced, and well laid off. There is a good comfortable log dwelling house on the place, with a large and commodious barn and stable. There is a good pump well on the premises, and the river Speers flows through the back part of the lot. It is desirable, a lease for ten years or more. The rent can be had immediately.
For terms and other particulars apply, by letter or post-paid, to the following executors of the estate:
ALEX. DYCE,
JOHN FOX,
WM. EVELINGH. Galt exa P. O.
Guelph, Oct. 16, 1867. w 4t

READY-MADE CLOTHING.
We have Reduced all our Ready-made Clothing
20 PER CENT!
GREAT BARGAINS. CALL.
HOGG & CHANCELLOR.

Horse and Mare Stolen.
STOLEN out of a field adjoining Mr. Henry Roberts' Tavern, York Road, near Guelph, on Sunday night, the 6th inst., a grey mare, mostly white, and a black horse. The mare has a ring in her right hind foot; she is about 12 years old. The horse is about 10 years old, and has a round eye, bare of hair on the right fore leg at the knee; his off hind foot was white. Any information which will lead to the arrest of the thief or the recovery of the horses will be handsomely rewarded by the owner at Mr. Roberts' Tavern, York Road.
ALEX. McLENNAN.
Guelph, Oct. 14, 1867. d89w730 11

FARM FOR SALE.
FOR sale, in the Township of Culross, County of Erice, 101 acres of splendid land, about 35 acres cleared, with log house and stables, being lot No. 24, 4th Concession of the Township of Culross, 2 1/2 miles from Teeswater, and near the gravel road. There is a fine spring creek running through the lot, and the timber is unsurpassed. It is in one of the finest wheat growing sections of Canada. The soil is limestone and clay loam. This eligible farm is now offered for the low price of \$1,700, for which a clear title from the Crown will be given. Address (post-paid),
SAMUEL SOFTLEY,
Guelph, 29th July, 1867. (4m) Guelph P O

TEACHER WANTED.
A MALE TEACHER of experience, holding a first-class Normal School certificate, for School Section No. 8, Postville. Salary not less than \$100 per annum, and an eligible person. Duties to commence on the 1st of January, 1868. Application to be made on or before 1st November, to
DONALD McPHERSON,
ROBERT WATSON, Trustees.
HARLES COLPASS, Secy.
Postville, N. O., Oct. 10th. 11

Wool, Hide and Leather DEPOT.
No. 4, Day's Old Block, Gordon Street.
Guelph, July 31, 1867 (dw) D. MOLTON

New Livery Stable.
HORSES FOR HIRE.
PARTIES wishing to hire Saddle-horses, or Horses and Buggies, can do so at moderate rates, by applying to the undersigned, at the Wellington Hotel.
HUGH STRAHAN.
Guelph, Oct. 24, 1867. d1111a

Evening Mercury.
TUESDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 29

The Guelph Mercury
DAILY AND WEEKLY.
OFFICE: - - - EAST MACDONNELL STREET.
McLAGAN AND INNES,
PUBLISHERS AND PROPRIETORS.

The EVENING MERCURY
CONTAINING the latest News by Telegraph up to the hour of going to press, is published at 6 o'clock every afternoon (Sunday excepted), and mailed to all parts of the country by the evening mails on the following

TERMS:
Single copy, one year, \$4. Single copy, 3 mo's \$1 1/2
6 months, 2. Single do. 1 week 10c.
Copies may also be had of the News boys on the Streets, price one PENNY. Town Subscribers are supplied at their residences by our own carriers.
In addition to the Telegraphic News given in the Evening Mercury will be found a vast amount of Local News, interesting articles on all the leading topics of the day. Special care will be taken to give CORRECT MARKET REPORTS. Every Business Man should read it.

"The Weekly Mercury"
PUBLISHED EVERY THURSDAY.
IT IS THE LARGEST COUNTRY NEWSPAPER in the DOMINION, containing 40 columns of reading matter. Special care is devoted to THE WEEKLY MERCURY, and care is taken that none but the best and most select reading appears in its columns. It is the Great Family Paper of Ontario; and the unprecedented additions to its subscriptions list within the last two years, and the demand still increasing, is a certain guarantee that our assertion is correct. Our facilities for getting up a First-Class WEEKLY are unrivalled by even the metropolitan press, and we are determined not to relax our energies.

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Single copy, one year, strictly in advance, \$1.50
Six Months, do do do \$0.75
Three Months, do do do \$0.38
Credit, do do do do \$0.59
A Liberal Commission will be allowed to parties acting as agents in getting subscribers.
Letters containing money, properly registered, will be at our risk.

TO ADVERTISERS.
Business men will find THE EVENING and WEEKLY MERCURY to be the most valuable advertising medium, as their respective circulation are far in advance of any others in North Western Canada, and is the only means by which extensive settlements can be reached by the judicious advertiser.
Advertising rates are very moderate, and may be learned on application at the Office.

Book and Job Printing,
Executed on short notice, at reasonable rates, and in the best style of the Art. Having every facility at our command, in this department, we defy competition as to style, quality and price.
McLAGAN & INNES, Publishers.
Office—Macdonnell Street, East of the Golden Lion, Guelph, Ontario.
October 29, 1867. daw-1f

Local News.
* ADVERTISEMENTS for the WEEKLY MERCURY should reach the office of publication, Macdonnell street, not later than noon on Wednesday.

Hogs.—Forty-seven car loads of hogs, nineteen of them double-decked, passed eastward on Sunday night, over the Grand Trunk Railway, all from the Western States.

NASSAGAWEE PLOUGHING MATCH.—The third prize in the second class at this match was given to G. Harwood, not to Chas. Ingle as we gave it in last week's paper.

ACCIDENT IN MINTO.—The Listowel Banner says that a serious accident befel Mr. P. Stewart of the 2nd con. Minto, on Wednesday evening last. It appears they were engaged in thrashing at Mr. Stewart's place, when by some means the machinery got damaged, and the tumbling shaft breaking, one end of it struck Mr. Stewart above the ankle, fracturing the bone and causing a very bad break.

OBITUARY.—We deeply regret to announce the death of Mr. Thomas Sellars, publisher of the Globe, and for many years the correspondent of the Globe in Montreal. Mr. Sellars was an able contributor to the press, an upright politician, and much beloved for his kindly and social qualities. Mr. Sellars was President of the Press Association last year.
LET OF TOLL GATES.—The Toll Gates on the Owen Sound and Elora and Sauguen Roads were let on the 12th to the following parties, at the figures given after each name. The gates are numbered from Guelph north, No. 2 being the first north of "the junction."
FERGUS ROAD—No. 2, Bye, \$920. No. 3, Jamieson, \$827. No. 4, Root, \$950. No. 5, Moore, \$1106. No. 6, Martin Carroll, \$856. No. 7, Sydney Smith, \$937. No. 8, do \$917. No. 9, Matthew Carroll, \$1010. Total, \$7523.
ELORA AND SAUGUEN ROAD—No. 2, Bye, 1186. No. 3, Armitage, \$1011. No. 4, Land, \$1490. No. 5, McCloskey, \$715. No. 6, Finnerly, \$468. No. 7, Crocker, \$575. No. 8, Rennie, \$550. No. 9, Nelson, \$470. No. 10, Young, \$416. Total, \$6881.50.

LAMPS! LAMPS! LAMPS!
A new lot of Lamps, Lamp Glasses, Lamp Globes, Lamp Shades and Wicks; also Pure Coal Oil, for Family use, at
JOHN HORSMAN'S,
Guelph, Oct. 24, 1867. d1111a

SPEED LODGE A. F. & A. M.—An Emergency Meeting of this Lodge will be held this (Tuesday) evening in the Lodge Room, old Post office block, at half past seven o'clock.

Mr. Kenneth McKenzie, of the township of Culross, has recently lost two cows by hydrophobia. They are supposed to have been bitten by a rabid dog or fox—most probably by the latter.

John Graham, eldest son of Mr. Alex. Graham, of Culross, whilst feeding a threshing machine, near Teeswater, on Thursday last, had one of his arms drawn out of the socket at the shoulder, and the other one torn off at the wrist, by being accidentally caught in the machine.

The Bruce Review talks of a very violent storm of wind and rain which they had in that neighborhood a week ago, accompanied with vivid and almost incessant flashes of lightning and deafening peals of thunder. It lasted half an hour.

The Snider-Enfield Rifles for the whole Wellington Battalion have arrived and will be distributed this week. Considerable time will thus be afforded for intending competitors at the District Rifle Match, which takes place on the 5th proximo, to practice with the new arm.

DIPHTHERIA.—The fatal disease which goes by the name of diphtheria, but which is more properly called putrid sore throat is very prevalent about the village of Teeswater. There have been eleven or twelve deaths in one school section, and the school was closed by the trustees for three weeks.

ARTS EXHIBITION.—As stated in a previous issue of the Mercury the Arts Exhibition in connection with the Mechanics' Institute will commence on Monday evening, Nov. 4th, and continue open during certain hours both evening and night. An opportunity will thus be afforded our country friends of seeing the exhibition, and the opportunity should be embraced by them. In the evening it is proposed to have revueons, and such other entertainments as will afford general amusement. The price of admission is put down at the low figure of 10c. The Drill Shed is to be fitted up in a handsome style and to be brilliantly lighted at night. Parties who have not been waited upon are kindly requested to leave a list of whatever they may wish to contribute with Mr. S. Hooken, the Librarian, at once, as those collecting the articles are already at work, and request the intended articles to be ready for them. The Directors will superintend the fixing up and arrangement of the hall.

COURT OF CHANCERY.
The Court re-opened on Monday morning before Vice-Chancellor Mowat. The following case occupied the whole day.
MCINTYRE vs THE ATTORNEY GENERAL.—Bill filed to set aside Patent. The plaintiff claimed as having made first improvements, and therefore was entitled to the land. The lot was originally taken up by one Campbell, who afterwards sold to the defendant Walker. Campbell made no improvements. Walker claimed that he had purchased from plaintiff another piece of land in Brant, and for this land paid part in cash and gave Plaintiff 60 acres of the land in question, but that afterwards Plaintiff had sold back to Walker the 60 acres for which he gave \$300 in three notes. The land in question is now worth \$1000. The case was argued, and stands for judgement. Mr. Moss and Mr. A. Hoskin for plaintiff; Mr. Crooks for Attorney General; and Mr. Hamilton for Jackson and Walker.

Board of School Trustees.
The Board met last night. Present Mr. Jones, Chairman pro tem. Messrs. Pirie, Newton, Harvey, McNeil, Howard, Watson and Fraser.
The Secretary read a communication from the Canada Company in reference to the lease rent of a lot in town, and he was instructed to ascertain the amount due the Company at the next term of payment.
A memorial, signed by Messrs. Grafty, Ferguson and Martin, teachers in the primary schools, was presented, asking the Board to change the school hours during the winter months from 9 a. m. to 3 or 3:15 p. m., with an interval of half an hour at mid day, as such an arrangement would tend more to the comfort of teachers and pupils.—Referred to the School Management Committee.
An account from Mrs. Foley for \$6.00 for cleaning the schools was presented, and referred to the School Property Committee.

A communication was read from Miss Grafty in reference to her salary, whether she should be paid for the whole term of three months, or from the date she began to teach.
Moved by Mr. McNeil, seconded by Mr. Fraser, that Miss Grafty's engagement be accounted to have commenced immediately after the close of the midsummer holidays, and that her salary be paid from that date.—Carried.

Mr. Newton presented the report of the Finance Committee recommending the following accounts to be paid—Harold office \$5.42, Mr. D. Savage \$5.50, Mr. Hart \$2.75. The report was adopted.
Mr. Pirie presented the report of the School Management Committee, recommending that \$6 be granted for purchasing sheet lessons for the North and West Ward Primary Schools. The report was adopted.

The Board then adjourned.

Mr. E. Meriam of Sherbrooke, has raised a superb specimen 100 lbs. of

Police Court.
Before T. W. Saunders Esq., Police Magistrate.
TUESDAY 29th.—Wm. Hoover was brought before the magistrat this morning for non-payment of wages, to Arthur R. Perkins. Ordered to pay \$10.75 and costs. In common phrasology, this was the business of the court.

Garafraxa Ploughing Match.
The annual ploughing match in connection with the Township Agricultural Society was held on Wednesday the 23rd on the farm of Mr. Andrew Richardson. There were 15 entries, five in each of the three classes. A large number of spectators were present, and manifested much interest in the proceedings. The field was suitable for the purpose, and though the ground was dry, the ploughmen did good work. During the day the judges, ploughmen—in fact everybody—were hospitably entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Richardson. The judges were—Messrs. John Cunningham, Forbes, Mair and G. S. Shaw. The prizes were awarded as follows:—

MEN'S CLASS.—1st, Thos. Prichard, (McInnes Plough); 2nd, Geo. Wilson, (McInnes do); 3rd, John Wilson, (McInnes do); 4th, Edward Buckland, (McInnes do); 5th, Jas. Dick, (extra) (McInnes do).

SECOND CLASS.—1st, William Price, (Milloy Plough); 2nd, Andrew Burr, (McInnes do); 3rd, F. Anderson, (McInnes do); 4th, Jno. Strang, (McInnes do); 5th, Jas. Bayne, (extra) (McInnes do).

BOYS' CLASS.—1st, W. Richardson, (McInnes do); 2nd, Neil McGill, (Milloy Plough); 3rd, David Wilson, (McInnes do); 4th, Jas. Dyer, (McInnes do); 5th, Wm. Calder, (extra) (McInnes do).

The Papal Zouaves.
The Zouaves in the Papal army are justly looked upon as its elite, and were originally organized, if we remember rightly, by the celebrated General de Lamoriciere. They fought well at the battle of Castle Fidar, but were eventually obliged to lay down their arms and surrender to the overwhelming numbers brought against the Papals by the Italian commanders. They comprise representatives from some of the oldest families in France and Belgium, and some Canadians. We have a letter from one of these dated the very town threatened by the insurgents—Viterbo. The pontifical Zouaves was then 3,000 strong, divided into two battalions, and a depot company, which was stationed at Rome. The Colonel in Chief M. d. Aleth, a Swiss, and the Lieutenants Colonels, chefs de bataillons all French. Our friend speaks in the highest terms of the food provided, and says that it is even better than that furnished by the French army; but on the other hand he is not so enthusiastic about the pay. The Papal Zouaves only receive "nine coppers every five days." [What do you say to that corporal Tim of the British line?] but finds consolation in the fact that wine is only "two coppers a pint." Our Zouave further says that the Canadians and Irish in the corps are "very good soldiers," and that unfortunately there are not enough of them. The Papal army was raised in 1860 to 25,000 men, but this number has since been largely reduced. It may now comprise 12,000 to 15,000 effective men.

DISRESPECT TO THE QUEEN OF SPAIN.—A Madrid correspondent describes the disrespectful treatment which the Queen of Spain continues to receive at the hands of large bodies of her subjects. On Her Majesty's return to Madrid an announcement was made in the Gaceta that she would on a day named, proceed to one of the sacred shrines in that city to pay her devotions to the Virgin, and a hope was expressed that the inhabitants would give her a cordial greeting. The notice, however, produced just the contrary effect, for, with the exception of a few stragglers, the streets were empty; even these turned aside immediately as the royal procession drew near.

THE COMMERCIAL BANK.—The Hamilton Times says:—The Commercial Bank of Canada and the Home District Savings Bank have ceased to pay out their own paper to depositors. The Directors of the Bank will hold a meeting at Kingston on the 6th of November, when the whole affairs of the Commercial will be fully discussed and considered, and the course to be pursued with reference to the creditors of the Bank determined on. As the time is but short, we would advise holders of Commercial bills to keep them until after the meeting of the Board of Directors, as the probability is they will be taken at their discount and in payment of any claims for discounted paper it may hold. The whole community will look with intense interest, and many with profound anxiety, for the action of the Bank Directors on Thursday the 6th of November next.

Mademoiselle Wilson, the celebrated cantatrice, who receives now a salary of one hundred thousand francs, and is the great rival of Adelina Patti, was five years ago a little Swedish girl, wearing a coarse homespun dress and wooden shoes. Her parents employed her to carry milk from their dairy farm to the neighbours. One day in the winter time, her merry warblings, her beautiful voice, and her intelligent face attracted the attention of a distinguished musician from Stockholm, who prevailed on her parents to send her to the Conservatory at Stockholm where her teachers discovered at once her surpassing talents, and stated that that another Jenny Lind had been found.

COMMERCIAL BANK.—An important preliminary meeting of stockholders in the Commercial Bank takes place to-day at Allan's office Montreal to decide on some course to recommend at the public meeting at Kingston on the 6th prox.

THE MEXICAN ELECTION.—Reports from Mexico state that Juarez has been elected President of the Republic by a very large majority, but that this result was brought about mainly, in several of the departments, by military intimidation.

DETROIT VS. HAMILTON.—An interesting game of Base Ball is being played to-day on the grounds of the Hamilton Cricket Club, between nine players from Detroit and the Maple Leaf Base Ball Club of that city.

A genuine Canadian Lynx was shot in Nisour, on Saturday week, by Edwin Scatcherd, and exhibited in the London market. She had six cubs, but none of them were sired. She measured four

Cable News!
The following Despatches appear in the Evening Mercury 16 hours in advance of the Toronto Advertiser, and 24 hours ahead of the Daily.

THE UPRISING IN ITALY.
Two Desperate Battles
NEAR ROME.

The Garibaldians Victorious!
ROME HEMMED IN BY THE GARIBALDIANS.

Great Consternation in the City.
INTENSE EXCITEMENT
THROUGHOUT ITALY.
NO MINISTRY YET FORMED

(To-day's Despatches.)
London, Oct. 26th, midnight.—The following important despatches have been received here: Paris, Oct. 26.—A fleet of war steamers left Toulon this morning under orders to proceed direct to Civita Vecchia. The embarkation of troops on transports at Toulon has been completed, and a despatch announcing their departure for Italy is momentarily expected.
Florence, Oct. 26.—The soldiers of King Victor Emmanuel refuse to fight against Garibaldi. The Councils of the King's government is gaining ground, and it is now considered that a thoroughly radical ministry will be formed, whose policy will be devoted to making Rome the capital of Italy.

Paris, Oct. 26, evg.—Bourse better and Renten stronger.
Rome, Oct. 26.—The Pope, in a letter to the Roman Catholic Bishops throughout the world, says that the patrimony of the church has been assailed by revolutionists, and asks them to order prayers in all the churches for the Holy See. The police, on Friday, in searching a house, with resistance, they then attacked the house with bayonets, killed 15 Garibaldians, took 36 prisoners and a quantity of arms.

There has been fighting to-day half a mile from the city. Great excitement prevails within the walls of Rome. The revolutionists are making preparations for a second uprising. A proclamation has been issued for preventing assemblages of over four persons together at the same time. All persons are to retire within their houses, and shops are to be closed when the signal of alarm is given. 1,000 Garibaldians, it is reported attacked Viterbo yesterday, and were repulsed with heavy loss. Citizens of Rome have been armed and patrol the streets nightly.
Florence, Oct. 26.—It is reported a desperate battle was fought near Monte Rotondo on Friday. Garibaldi won the victory with four battalions. He put to flight and pursued the Papal forces, taking one hundred prisoners and three guns. Many were killed and wounded on both sides. Gen. C. Idini has been unable to complete the formation of a new ministry and has abandoned the effort. Both Rattazzi and Gen. D'Adda are trying to reconstruct the Cabinet.

Tunis, Oct. 26.—There was a great popular demonstration in this city yesterday in favour of making Rome the capital of the nation, and an address to the King of Italy to that effect was adopted.
Paris, Oct. 27.—Garibaldi's force is said to be from 10,000 to 12,000 strong. All the Papal troops have been concentrated before Rome, with orders to act upon the defensive. The troops have sailed from Toulon, and it is expected they will reach Civita Vecchia this afternoon.
Florence, Oct. 27th.—Two battles have been fought between the papal troops and Garibaldians. The first was at Monte Rotondo, the second farther south at Loreto. In both of these desperate engagements the invaders were victorious, and Garibaldi has now arrived before Rome with 10,000 men under his command.

Florence, Oct. 27.—The young men of Italy are swarming over the papal frontier to join Garibaldi. It is reported that Garibaldi received a check at Monte Rotondo from the papal troops, who were suddenly reinforced.
Paris, Oct. 27.—The *Moniteur* of to-day says the fleet at Toulon had been kept back at the request of the King of Italy, but it has now sailed for the Italian coast. No Cabinet has been formed at Florence, and Garibaldi is menacing Rome. The action of France is declared not aggressive. Both Italy and France are interested in the preservation of order and the vindication of the law. The *Moniteur* hopes that the cordiality between the two nations will not be disturbed.

A banquet was given yesterday by the Foreign Ministers of the Imperial Commission of the Exposition Universelle to the French Members. Many speeches were made, and a very cordial state of feeling was manifested. Mon. Rouleau, minister of foreign affairs, made an important and interesting speech. He alluded directly to the present crisis in the Italian peninsula, and said he hoped Italy would get under the influence of bad passions, but he would embark in war with France, but that she would emerge from this great national trial purified and a friend to order.

It is expected the first division of the naval expedition for the relief of Rome, which left Toulon on Saturday morning, will reach Civita Vecchia to-night.
Paris, Oct. 28.—The wildest rumours in regard to Italy are circulated here. It is reported that the Italian Crown Prince has put himself at the head of an army to restrict the French. Another rumour is that Victor Emmanuel will abandon his position in Rome.

Berlin, Oct. 27.—The King of Prussia has returned from his tour through the South German States. The second session of the North German Confederation was closed yesterday by the King of Prussia in person, who in a speech congratulated the members on the success of their efforts, and the favourable prospect that had been made towards the completion of the

of the