

Guelph Evening Mercury

OFFICE.....MACDONNELL STREET
WEDNESDAY EVENING, NOV. 25, 1868.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.—We again repeat what we have so often said before, that no notice will be taken of any communication or contribution sent to this office unless accompanied with the real name of the writer, not for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith.

NOT A MISREPRESENTATION.

Mr. Ferrier through the Herald denies having ever said (as the Mercury had it last week) that a deputation had requested him to be a candidate for the Commons for the Centre Riding. The Herald says his statement was that some friends wanted him to be a candidate, and that he declined. All we can say is that the misrepresentation—if any—is not on our side.

One hundred and twelve thousand three hundred and eight bushels of Canada barley reached Cleveland during October, and brought the United States \$16,846.20 revenue in gold; and 5,476 tons of Canada ore gave a revenue of \$2,245.20.

A NOVEL SUIT.—A novel suit is going on in Toronto—that of a gentleman named Hosken against a lady named Graham for breach of promise of marriage. The lady pleads that she never promised, and that if she did, the time within which she promised to marry had not expired before the suit was brought.

FROM OTTAWA.—Sir John Young, the new Governor General, arrived at New York on Tuesday, and is expected in Ottawa on Thursday. He is to have an enthusiastic reception on his arrival. At the call of the Mayor, representatives of the different Societies have met and resolved to present an address and turn out en masse.

MR. DISRAELI AT CHURCH.—An amusing incident is related in the Montreal Review in connection with the Premier's recent visit to Montreal in attendance upon Her Majesty. In the Scotch church the collection is still made with the "ladle," a system which is, perhaps opposed to voluntary contributions, and gives rather a practical turn to benevolence.

ST. ANDREW'S DAY CELEBRATION. GUELPH ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY will celebrate the day by a grand PROMENADE CONCERT, IN THE TOWN HALL, On Monday Ev'g, November 30, To be followed by Parlor Entertainments and a Ball.

DOMINION HOTEL, GUELPH. JOHN BUNYAN begs to inform his friends and the public that he has leased the above Hotel, in the BRICK HOUSE, MACDONNELL ST., a few doors above Higginbotham's Drug Store, and immediately opposite Messrs. Sharpe's Seedstore.

A NEW VOLUME OF MUSIC FOR THE YOUNG FOLKS, ENTITLED THE GOLDEN ROBIN, Containing: I. Musical Notation, II. Romances and Exercises adapted to Physical Action, III. Songs for all occasions, IV. Sacred Pieces.

By W. O. PERKINS, Author of "The Nightingale," "Sabbath School Trumpet," &c. The whole forming a most attractive Music Book for Juvenile Classes, Schools and Seminaries, and one that cannot fail to be admired by Teachers and Scholars. Price 50c. Sent post-paid.

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Trouble in the Camp.

The Globe of to-day (Tuesday) says that Mr. Sandfield Macdonald's Conservative supporters are not well pleased with the Premier in firmly refusing to yield to the clamour for sectarian grants, and think it a good stroke of Conservative policy to come out on their old cry of Government support for denominational institutions.

CURIOS TO SEE WHALEN.—The number of people that are led by a morbid curiosity to see Whalen in Toronto gool at the present time, has led Sheriff Jarvis to issue an order prohibiting any one to see the condemned except his spiritual adviser. He is now constantly in the company of one of the officials of the Toronto jail, these having relieved the Ottawa officials in that duty.

We hear that Mr. McBride, who was injured by a fall at the Alma Block, on Monday evening, was thought to be somewhat better this morning.

The following from the Rev. Mr. Carroll, is another evidence that Dr. Briggs is skilful in his profession. Read and consider whether you would be relieved, or suffer for years with needless pain.

JOHN CARROLL, Wesleyan Minister. Dr. Briggs can be consulted at Coulson's Hotel on Friday and Saturday the 27th and 28th Nov. Those who suffer from Corns, Bunions, Bad Nails, Chilblains, and other foot diseases may shortly find relief without pain.

THE GEORGETOWN ABORTION CASE.—An effort has been made to procure Dr. McConnell's release on bail, but the judges have refused to grant the applications. McConnell and Vance will be tried at the next assizes.

HOTEL ARRIVALS. COULSON HOUSE, GUELPH, NOV. 25. Rev Mr Helena, Clifford; A R Wardell, J F Wood, Dundas; J Bain, Miss Bain, A Chalmers, Miss Chalmers, Mr Bain, Winterbourne; J F Lyon, R Mac Murray, Toronto; T A Hoffman, Ferguson; H B Tull, I McCall, Peterboro; D Ross, A Smith, Elora; Miss A Taylor, Balaklava; T Robinson, Fountain Valley; J McKay, Arthur; J Phillips, Belfast; David Gray, Philadelphia, Pa; J Scott, Inverhuron, Co. Bruce.

WANTED at this office, a number of boys to sell The Evening Mercury. Active lads can make good wages after school hours. Apply at the counting room at once. Guelph, 23rd November.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE. ALL parties having claims against the estate of the late Dr. Thomas S. Parker, of Guelph, are required to present the same forthwith for adjustment; and all parties indebted to said estate to make payment to the undersigned.

FACTORY FOR SALE OR LEASE. A good factory for sale or to let. Apply to S. TRULL, Quebec-St., Guelph, November 19. daw tf

CLOTHES CLEANED. ANY person wishing their coats, pants or vests, or hats, &c., cleaned, should send them to well to give the subscriber a call. Washing also done. Can be found at Coulson's Hotel, Guelph, Nov. 18. JOHN LEWIS BOWLLEN. do tf

SERVANTS WANTED. A First-Class Cook and a Chamber Maid wanted to do to Detroit. Highest wages given. Expenses paid to Detroit. Satisfactory testimonials required. Apply at the Mercury Office, Guelph.

NOTICE. SILVER CREEK BREWERY. Farmers and others having empty barrels in their possession belonging to the Silver Creek Brewery will please return them at once, as any kept an unnecessary time after being emptied will be charged.

NEW FLOUR AND FEED STORE. East Market Square, Guelph.

A. GRAHAM & CO. Have to intimate to the public of Guelph and vicinity that they have opened a NEW FLOUR AND FEED STORE in the premises lately occupied by Mr. Hugh Hogg.

POTATOES. On hand, a large consignment of capital potatoes, which we will sell at the lowest possible price. Give us a call.

STRAW AND FELT HATS. The subscriber begs to announce to the ladies of Guelph and surrounding country that in addition to the Straw Bonnet and Hat making she is prepared to do all kinds of Felt work.

AT PETRIE'S. Drug Store, Wyndham Street, Guelph. Nov. 19. daw tf

SALT AND CORN.

Just Received by the subscribers and arriving 1000 Barrels Coderich Salt, 5000 Bushels No. 1 Corn, Which they are prepared to sell at LOW RATES to the Trade.

TAILOR WANTED. Wanted, a tailor for a country store. Must be a good cutter, and be able to conduct the custom business. Apply on Wednesday the 25th from 11 till 2 p. m., to Thomas Whitehead, at Hogg's Dry Goods store.

PORTER WANTED. Wanted, a good stout lad between 17 and 18 years of age, to act as porter. Apply personally at the store of E. CARROLL & CO. do tf

CAUTION TO THE PUBLIC. Notice is hereby given that from and after this date the subscriber will not be responsible for any debts contracted in his name, without his written order and signature attached.

PREPARE FOR THE Auction Sale of Books At M. Shewan's Old Stand, WYNDHAM STREET, Guelph, Nov. 23. do tf

CARTER'S (LATE WEBSTER'S) FLOUR & FEED STORE. The subscriber having purchased the entire business of Mr. William Webster, begs to notify the public that he is prepared to sell Flour, Feed & all kinds of Grain, CHOPPED STUFFS, POTATOES, &c., Cheaper than the Cheapest in Town.

BOYS, LOOK HERE! WANTED at this office, a number of boys to sell The Evening Mercury. Active lads can make good wages after school hours. Apply at the counting room at once. Guelph, 23rd November.

JOB PRINTING. Every description of Plain and Ornamental Job Printing—from the Mammoth Poster, to the finest Wedding Card—executed on the shortest possible notice, at very low rates, at the MERCURY PRINTING HOUSE, Macdonnell Street, Guelph.

CARDS, CARDS. Cards for Business and Professional Gentlemen printed in first-class Style at THE MERCURY OFFICE East Macdonnell Street, Guelph.

HOUSE TO RENT. House to Rent, containing 5 rooms, back kitchen, pantries and cellar, with stabling, out-houses, &c., &c., to let to GEO. A. BRUCE, Guelph Carriage Works. Guelph, Nov. 20. do w1

Irish Satin Finish Table Linen, The Finest in Ontario. Scotch Table Hollands Very heavy and very cheap. HUCKABACK AND DIAPER BED-ROOM TOWELS, GLASS TOWELS, KITCHEN TOWELS, &c. 500 Prs Canadian Tw'd Blanhets

HEFFERNAN BROS. Britannia House, Guelph. Guelph, Nov. 19. daw tf

PETRIE'S DRUG STORE. OLD POST OFFICE BLOCK. (Established 1804.) HEAD OFFICES.—1 Old Broad Street, and 10 Pall Mall, London. GENERAL AGENCY FOR CANADA—24 St. Sacrament Street, Montreal.

INSURANCE against loss by fire effected on the most favorable terms, and losses paid without reference to the Board in London. No charge made for policies or endorsements.

RISTOU, Brog, General Agents, 24 St. Sacrament Street. JOHN DORNSWORTH, Inspector. JOHN M. BOND, Agent, Guelph. Guelph, 14th Nov. dw

Wrapping Paper for Sale. FOR SALE at the EVENING MERCURY OFFICE, a large lot of old Newspapers, in good condition for wrapping paper. Apply at the office. Guelph, October 23.

ALL of which will be offered at Montreal and Toronto prices. D. SAVAGE. Guelph, 14th Nov. dw

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CARPETS! CARPETS! CARPETS! In Wool, Tapestry, Brussels, Hemp, &c.

Lace and Muslin Curtains, The Choicest Patterns. Union and All-Wool Curtain Damasks, Scarlet, Green, Crimson and Fancy Colours.

White and Coloured Marseilles Counterpanes, Newest Designs. The New Victoria & Alexandria Quilt, Just Imported.

House and Lot for Sale. SITUATED on Delhi Street, Mitchell's Hill, Guelph, being Lot 23, in Division A, containing one-third of an acre. House is built of stone, and contains four comfortable rooms, besides a kitchen; also, clothes press, and good cellar, all well finished and in good condition.

FRESH ARRIVALS. 500 dozen Turnip Baskets. 50 dozen Corn Brooms. 12 " Fancy Corn Whisks. 20 " Spruce Pails. 5 " Stable Pails. " Toy Pails. Cases Telegraph Matches. 5 Cases Parlor Matches. 12 dozen Butter Spoons, Cards, &c.

JOHN A. WOOD'S, Wyndham Street, Guelph. Guelph October 31st. dw

IMPERIAL Fire Insurance Company OF LONDON. (Established 1804.) Subscribed and Invested Capital and Reserved Fund £1,965,000 STERLING. Funds invested in Canada—\$106,000.

COAL OIL! NOW ON HAND. AT PETRIE'S Drug Store, Wyndham Street, Guelph. Nov. 19. daw tf

BUSINESS STILL GOOD

AT THE BRADFORD HOUSE DRESS GOODS!

JACKETS! JACKETS! JACKETS! Jackets at Panic Prices. Astrachan Jackets, Sealskin Jackets, Whitney, Black and Coloured. Petersham, Black and Coloured, and an immense variety of

FANCY JACKETS, COMMENCING AT \$1.00. Table Linen and Sheetings. The BRADFORD HOUSE is still a Household Word amongst Housekeepers, for cheap Furnishings of every description. CALL AND EXAMINE.

MILLINERY! For stylish BONNETS go to the BRADFORD HOUSE. For CHEAP HATS go to the BRADFORD HOUSE. The best assortment of FEATHERS, FLOWERS, MILLINERY TRIMMINGS, &c., is to be found at the BRADFORD HOUSE.

PHILIP BISH Wyndham Street, Guelph, November 23. daw tf

FISH, FISH. Finnan Haddie, Smoked Salmon, Yarmouth Bloaters, Fresh Lobsters. AT GEO. WILKINSON'S. LABRADOR HERRINGS, Lake Huron Herring, New Scaled Herrings, Codfish and Haddock

AT GEO. WILKINSON'S. PLATT & CO'S Chesapeake Bay. BALTIMORE OYSTERS, At Geo. Wilkinson's.

Portrait and Landscape Painter, D. C. BELL, Has taken rooms in DAY'S BLOCK, where he will be happy to execute Likenesses of all who may favor him with their commands.

CLARK'S EXCELSIOR Washing Composition! The best and rarest Discovery of the Age, for Washing Purposes, Worth Twenty Dollars a Year In a family of eight or ten persons.

IT will wash in hard or soft water. Clothes require no rubbing. The dirt is boiled out in ten minutes, and the washing may be on the line before breakfast. It is warranted not to injure or discolor the clothes, and will also remove paint, grease, or stains of all kinds. Give it a fair trial and you will never be without it. "Family Rights" containing full directions for making and using the Composition, \$1 each. Sold at the Patentee's Music Store, and at A. B. PETRIE'S Drug Store. July 16th Patentee Guelph, Ont.

SAVE YOUR MONEY by purchasing at the GREAT CLOSING SALE of MISCELLANEOUS & SCHOOL BOOKS, STATIONERY and FANCY GOODS, WALL PAPERS and Berlin Woods, now going on at Shewan's Old Stand Wyndham Street, Guelph.

Goods are being sold at wonderfully low prices. The subscriber has just returned to town with a large assortment of NEW BOOKS, purchased at Auction, and other cheap sources, which he will sell at low prices. Every person is respectfully requested to call and examine the stock. Trouble and attention never considered, as long as customers are accommodated and satisfied. These sales afford a good opportunity to purchase reading for Winter, at low prices.

J. B. THORNTON, paw tf Guelph, Nov. 2, 1868.

NEW GOODS. IS now opening his Fall Stock, which is unusual in large and attractive.

CAKE BASKETS, CRUETS BUTTER COOLERS, SUGAR BOWLS CREAM JUGS, CARD BASKETS, FLOWER VASES. PURE SILVER SPOONS ELECTRO-PLATED SPOONS. Gold and Silver Watches FINE GOLD SETS BROOCHES, EAR-RINGS, GLASSES, ALBERTS, NECKLETS, RINGS, LOCKETS, &c.

REAL JET SETS SOMETHING NEW. All of which will be offered at Montreal and Toronto prices. D. SAVAGE. Guelph, 14th Nov. dw