

FACTS for ADVERTISERS.

The circulation of the DAILY and WEEKLY MERCURY is DOUBLE that of any Paper in Guelph, and larger than that of any paper published west of Toronto.

Guelph Evening Mercury

OFFICE:.....MACDONNELL STREET WEDNESDAY EV'G. SEPT. 9, 1868.

Called to Account.

The Attorney-General of Nova Scotia, Mr. Martin J. Wilkins, the other evening delivered a very violent and which was considered a sedition speech for which Lieut.-Governor-General Doyle, doubtless acting on instructions called on him to say whether the disloyal sentiments attributed to him by unofficial reports in the Halifax papers, were really uttered by him as alleged or not.

General Doyle acted with promptitude. His letter of inquiry is dated the 4th inst., and it was answered next day by the Attorney-General.

The Week's Work in Normanby.

The Hamilton Spectator thus sums up the week's work of the Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railway delegates in Normanby:—Looking back at the week's work, nothing can be more gratifying to the friends of the Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railway, than the magnificent triumph which the goodness of their case, and the sound sense of the people of the Township has given them.

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The best 30c Satin Paper, now selling for 20, 18, 16 and 14 cents a Roll.

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THAYER & NOYES' GREAT CIRCUS,—We would call attention to the advertisement of Thayer & Noyes' great Circus and Menagerie, which will exhibit here on Tuesday first.

A GOOD Assortment of the Best English and Swiss Lever Watches can be made to respectable persons who have carried his Watches from one to twenty-five years each.

FROM OTTAWA.

It is thought that Whelan's trial will not be finished till Friday night. The cross-examination of nearly every witness so far is lengthy and searching. One reason for this is no doubt that the principal witnesses are being placed before the Court first. The evidence of Starr; a messenger of the House, was a very telling one for the prosecution, and produced considerable effect. Starr's memorandum shows that he had noted Whelan's appearance in the gallery before he knew of the murder. Buckley's evidence in some respects was contradictory of what he gave at the inquest. The points of difference seemed so marked that Counsel questioned him again and again on them, but he adhered to the version he started with, that he had only seen Whelan some three or four times before the murder—that he had no suspicion of him as intending to be, or as being the murderer—and even went so far as to say that slight as his knowledge of Whelan had been, he would be the last man to suspect of such an atrocity.

It is stated that Mr Sandford Fleming is to be made Chief Engineer of the Intercolonial Railroad, and Mr. A. Light, Assistant Engineer. Mr Brydges has had an interview with members of the Government on the subject of the cattle disease, and the prohibiting order in Council. It appears the Great Western and Grand Trunk are losing about \$10,000, from decrease in freight, in consequence of the order. It is said the railway people think that if the Government made a close inspection of cattle when entering the country at Windsor and Seattle, any difficulty or danger would be avoided, and there is no contact on the cars with cattle in Canada to communicate the disease.—It is expected the original Order in Council will be relaxed, if not repealed.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.—We have received a letter from "Vigil" in regard to the Nassagaweya post office, but on account of the length of the Whelan trial and other matter it is crowded out this week.

EXPULSION OF NEGROES FROM THE GEORGIA LEGISLATURE.—A short time since, the Georgia Legislature expelled the negro members of that body. The white members have since supplemented that act by declaring that those who had the next highest number of votes to those who were expelled, are members of the House.

BIRTHS.

SHEPPARD.—In Elora, on the 29th ult., the wife of Mr. Sheppard of a daughter. FINLAY.—At Salem, on the 25th ult., the wife of Mr. Robt. Finlay of a son. SHEEN.—At Salem, on the 24th ult., the wife of Mr. John Sheen of a daughter. FORBES.—On the 22nd ult the wife of Mr. A. Forbes of a son. MORRISON.—At Minto, on the 1st inst., the wife of Mr. James Morrison, of a son.

DIED.

MCDONNELL.—At Elora, on the 31st ult., Elizabeth, wife of Mr. William McDonnell, aged 83 years. SMART.—At Alma, on the 20th ult., Agnes, daughter of Mr. Peter Smart, aged 2 years and 9 months. CULLEN.—On the 26th ult., at Orangeville, of congestion of the brain, Christopher Spencer, aged 10 years, only son of Christopher and Charlotte Cullen, aged nine months. REED.—At Minto, in the Township of Erin, on the 7th inst., Janet, the beloved wife of Mr. H. Reed, and daughter of Mr. Archibald McDonnell, aged 26 years and 1 month. MCMURRAY.—At Minto on the 4th inst., Robert, son of Mr. Archibald McMurray, aged 7 years and 1 month. BLACKLEY.—In Erinosa, on the 9th inst., of typhoid fever, Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. John Blackley, aged 19 years.

New Advertisements.

TO RENT.

THE undersigned, having removed to his farm, is prepared to let or lease his late residence. The house contains ten rooms, besides kitchen, cellar and milk-house, with the necessary out-buildings and garden. There is a never-failing spring of water runs through the cellar. Situated about ten minutes walk from the Market House. The premises can be leased for one or more years, with more or less land, as may be agreed upon.

Apply to PETER GOW, N. B.—The buildings could easily be arranged for two tenements. Guelph, September 9th. dtf

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Tickets, 25c. Reserved Seats, 50 cts.

Tickets may be procured at Cuthbert's, Day's and McCurry's Bookstores, and at Clark's and Sisco's. The Piano intended to be used on this occasion will be supplied by Mr. Warner Clark, free of charge.

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FRIEND,

WHERE can I get good, pound first-class Bacon, Hams and Shoulders?

AT WILKINSON'S

He has the best in town. The nearest, cheapest and best assortment of

BRIAR ROOT AND FANCY PIPES

IS AT

GEO. WILKINSON.

Guelph, August 3. daw tf

NEW MARBLE WORKS,

Woolwich-St., GUELPH.

THE Subscriber would intimate to the public of Guelph and surrounding country that he has opened New Marble Works in Guelph, where he will have for sale and manufacture to order

MONUMENTS, TOMBS, TABLETS, HEADSTONES, POSTS, &c.

OF ANY SIZE OR DESIGN.

Being a practical workman, and having had over 17 years' experience in some of the largest Marble Factories in Canada and the Eastern States, he has every confidence in being able to give satisfaction to those who may favor him with their patronage. The shop is on Woolwich St., a short distance north of Geo. A. Bruce's Carriage Factory.

ALFRED S. WEST, Guelph, August 15. d6t-wt

MONOPOLY

PETRIE'S Drug STORE,

Old Post Office, Wyndham Street.

DYE STUFFS!

BEING determined to maintain my reputation for keeping

THE BEST DYE STUFFS IN GUELPH,

Have this year devoted a greater amount of time and care to their selection and preparation than ever. My stock will now be found complete, and all parties buying from me will have no difficulty in making colors required, and of the

Very FINEST SHADE.

A. P. B. would call particular attention to his BRIGHT SCARLET DYE, which has given universal satisfaction during the past two years, and pronounced by all parties superior to any they have ever used before. Remember the Old Post Office Buildings.

A. B. PETRIE, Chemist. Guelph, September 1st. dw

A SURE THING

For Tomatoes, Peaches Plums, &c.

SELF-SEALING JARS

Sold by JOHN A. WOOD are the best ever invented. Buy before they are all sold.

ONE THOUSAND POUNDS OF

PURE HONEY,

Strained or in the Comb,

Only Twenty Cents per lb.,

Cheaper than Butter.

At JOHN A. WOOD'S, Guelph, September 7th.

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 washed 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 Patrone's Music Store, and at A. B. PETRIE'S Drug Store.

W. WARNER CLARK, Patentee, Guelph, Ont. July 10th. dw

SPECIAL NOTICE.

ALL parties indebted to the undersigned are hereby notified that if their accounts are not settled by note or otherwise on or before

The FIRST day of AUGUST NEXT, they will be placed in court for collection. If paid before that time silver will be taken at par in sums not exceeding \$50.

N. HIGINBOTHAM, Guelph, 22nd July. wtf

Gold Ring Found.

FOUND in Guelph, on the 1st of September, a Gold Ring. The owner, on proving property and paying cost of this advertisement, can have it applying to

NOW'S THE TIME!

To Preserve your Fruit.

Arrivals daily at Fruit Depot,

Crawford Peaches, Bartlett Pears, Plums of every Variety, Apples, Tomatoes, Grapes, &c.,

Also, a Lot of GLASS FRUIT JARS at greatly reduced prices. Quarts, 12 cents, two quarts, 20 cents.

HUGH WALKER, Fruit Depot, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

Guelph, 9th September.

KINGSTON PENITENTIARY

BOOT AND SHOE STORE

Keep the Feet Dry, and the Head Cool.

TO THOSE who don't wear Coats we would say, come in out of the wet or you will catch cold, at the same time we would advise the general public to buy their

BOOTS AND SHOES

At the PENITENTIARY BOOT AND SHOE STORE, where they will find a large Stock of New Fall Goods, manufactured by the best makers in the Dominion, which are equal in quality, and as low in price, as any house in the trade, no matter what amount of puffing you may see to the contrary. Careful comparison invited.

JOHN CRIDFORD, Guelph, September 4th. dw

FALL GOODS. 1868.

New Fall Goods.

An Immense Stock.

ARRIVING DAILY

AT

THE GUELPH CLOTH HALL

A. THOMSON & CO.

Guelph, 4th September 1868. awy

JUST OPENED!

AT BUCHAM'S.

Just opened and selling remarkably Cheap, a nice selection of

New Fall Dress Goods, New French Lustrs, New Empire Cords, New Sultana Cords, New French Merinoes,

NEW FIGURED LUSTRES.

The above Goods are new and decidedly Cheap. See them.

THIRTY-THREE AND THIRTY-SIX INCH GREY COTTONS, THIRTY-TWO AND THIRTY-SIX INCH WHITE COTTONS, SIXTY-FOUR AND SEVENTY-TWO INCH GREY SHEETINGS, 84 AND TEN-QUARTER WHITE COTTON SHEETINGS.

NEW PRINTS. NEW PRINTS.

We will guarantee the Cotton Goods just opened, fully FIFTEEN PER CENT UNDER REGULAR CURRENT PRICES.

A. O. BUCHAM, Wyndham Street, Guelph, September 3, 1868. dtf

FALL IMPORTATIONS!

J. CHARLESWORTH & Co.

44 YONGE-ST., TORONTO.

WE have the pleasure of informing our customers and the Trade generally that we are now in the receipt of our Fall Importations, and are showing a full assortment of NEW GOODS

Having taken advantage of the late depression in the Manufacturing districts, we have been enabled to secure Cheap Lines in almost every Class of Goods.

We would call the especial attention of our friends to several large lots of Plain and Fancy Winceys, which we think particularly good value.

Our Stock of Fancy Dress Goods, Shawls, Hosiery, Gloves, & Fancy Wool Goods, will be unusually complete.

We would also mention as worthy of notice: Plain and Fancy Flannels, Blankets, Mantle Cloths and Trowerings.

We have imported a more Complete Stock of Staple Goods than we have hitherto offered, and feel confident in inviting an early inspection.

Our stock will be kept assorted by weekly arrivals of New Goods during the season.

J. CHARLESWORTH & CO. Toronto, August 31st. dtw

Anglo-American Hotel

FOR SALE.

THIS HOTEL is the only first-class building that lies on the line of the Grand Trunk Railway between Toronto and London. It is 125 feet long by 45 feet in width, 3 stories high, and of cut-stone; 12 and 11 feet high between ceilings; cellar full size of building, 10 feet deep. A kitchen 40 x 24, with a cistern that holds over 1000 barrels of water. It is situated in the best business part of the town, and is directly opposite the proposed site of the new Union Passenger Station of the Great Western and Grand Trunk Railways. It is the only first-class building in the town that is capable of doing a first-class business. The hall runs through the centre of the main building; the rooms are well ventilated and none in the basement. The furniture is nearly new, having been purchased only four years ago, and will be sold at a valuation. There is a stone stable, capable of affording accommodation for 100 horses, well arranged and runs through to back street.

A CAPITAL FARM,

Likewise there is a farm of 90 acres of the best land in the county, and the best cultivated, and will produce more per acre this season than any farm of its size in this county. Three barns and feeding stable and log house on the farm. Also a running spring creek, and other springs that never fail. The fences are of wood and new. The farm is laid out in ten acre fields. All the farm implements are new, and will be sold if desired at valuation.

First-Class LIVERY STABLE.

Also, there is in connection with the hotel a Livery Stable, one of the best in Ontario, of fifteen horses, doing the only first-class business in town and indisputably surpassing all others.

As the proprietor is retiring from business he offers to the public a property, the advantages of which are seldom enjoyed by one man in business. The whole will be sold without reserve within three months, either the business separately, or the whole property as may be agreed upon to suit the purchaser.

Terms.—For the hotel property, half cash down will be required, the remainder to be paid in six yearly instalments, or ten per cent. allowed off the second half, if paid at time of sale.

JAMES O'NEILL, Proprietor. Guelph, Aug. 29. daw tf

MEDICAL HALL!

Ontario, Guelph, Wyndham Street.

Just received, a fresh supply of

MINCASEA

For the successful rearing of Infants.

This article is prepared under medical supervision, and supported by the Scientific and Therapeutical Institutions of Great Britain, France, and is the only preparation manufactured for this purpose.

E. HARVEY & CO., Cor. Wyndham & Macdonnell Sts. Guelph.

Cocoa Nut Oil Soda Soap

For imparting a Beautiful Whiteness and Softness to the Skin.

CAMPBELL'S

Quinine Wine!

A large supply just received.

E. HARVEY & CO., Cor. Wyndham & Macdonnell Sts. Guelph.

AMERICAN HOUSE,

BOSTON, MASS.

The largest first-class Hotel in New England, offers to Tourists, Families and the travelling public, accommodations and conveniences superior to any other hotel in the city. During the past season additions have been made of numerous suits of apartments, with bathing rooms, water closets, &c., attached; one of Tutin's magnificent passenger elevators, the best ever constructed, conveys guests to the upper story of the house in one minute; the entries have been newly and richly carpeted, and the entire house thoroughly replenished and furnished, making it in all its appointments, equal to any hotel in the country.—Telegraph Office, Billiard Rooms and Cafe on the first floor.

Aug 18 do 6m LEWIS RICE & SON, Prop'rs

CHEAP FIREWOOD!

THE Subscriber is prepared to enter into contracts to supply Firewood, consisting of Cedar, Tamarack, Hemlock, Pine and Balsam in quantities of not less than five cords. Price, delivered, \$2 25 per cord. Persons hauling the wood themselves will be supplied at \$1 75 per cord. As the subscriber intends burning off underbrush in the fall, the timber must be removed during this season.

Also for sale about 5,000 good cedar posts, cheap. Apply to H. HATCH, at his office, or to Mr. Wm. Cooper, on the farm adjoining the residence of L. Lewis Esq., Guelph, June 15. d-3m

Change of Business.

THE subscriber begs to notify his customers and the public that he has disposed of his business and interest in the Butcher's Stall No. 2, Guelph Market, to Mr. James Simpson, whom he recommends to their favorable notice as an experienced butcher, in whom they may have every confidence. The subscriber in retiring from the business begs to return his sincere thanks to his friends for the liberal support he has received from them for the past eight years.

JOHN TYSON.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

In reference to the above, the subscriber begs to inform the public that he will always have on hand at Tyson's old stand, meat of the best quality, which he will sell at the lowest possible rates.—He hopes by strict attention to business to continue to receive the patronage so long bestowed on his predecessor.

JAMES SIMPSON, Guelph, 3rd September. 6td

SPECIAL ATTENTION.

THE Highest Market Price paid for Wool, Hides, Sheepskins, Calfskins, and Wool Pickings.

At No. 4, Day's old Block, Gordon Street, Guelph, July 28. dw D. MOLTON.

WANTED.

WANTED, before the 20th September, a house containing Five or Six Rooms, within ten minutes walk of the market. Apply at this office. Address Box 48. Guelph, September 4th. d-3m