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12 lbs. good sugar for \$1.00
11 " bright " " 1.00
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8 " broken loaf " 1.00
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20 " new raisins " 1.00
20 " good currants " 1.00
20 " good rice " 1.00
8 bars of good washing soap 1.00

No one sells better goods, and no one sells them cheaper than

John A. Wood.

Guelph Evening Mercury

FRIDAY EVENING, JULY 25, 1873

Shall We Petition?

In view of the urgent necessity for an immediate and thorough investigation of the Pacific scandal, the people's right of petition is proposed to be exercised, in order to let the Governor-General clearly understand that it is now the wish of all honest Canadians that this great national ulcer shall be probed to the core.

The "Tribunal."

The Montreal Herald has an article pointing out some very suspicious coincidences in connection with the Ministerial members of the Pacific Scandal Investigating Committee.

When the Central Committee was in this neighborhood, Sir John A. Macdonald in person appears to have been in the West. Now let our readers compare the date of his last earnest appeal, and the date of the polling in Peel, the county for which the Hon. J. H. Cameron sits.

Our contemporary goes on to point out that if Mr. Langevin got the \$25,000 mentioned by Mr. McMullen, to spend in Quebec elections, there is every probability that Mr. Blanchet, another member of the committee, also owed his seat to the corrupt transactions he was subsequently appointed to investigate.

Sir John the Long-headed knows well how to select his agents!

Signs of the Times.

The irresistible strength of the evidence in the Pacific Scandal caused a leading Ministerial paper, the Montreal Gazette, to state explicitly "that a prima facie case had been made out against the Government," and to demand immediate enquiry;

Members of Parliament need not go to Ottawa on the 15th proximo.—Daily Mail.

The above indicates another trick to obtain delay and procrastination. It emanated from Sir John. It is intended to prevent Reformers and honest members of the House from attending the adjourned meeting of Parliament on the 13th August, by conveying the idea that it is merely an informal affair, and that nothing will be done.

The indications at present are that the two wings of the Liberal party in North York are to be again reunited. Meetings preliminary thereto have been held, and this noble constituency will henceforth rid itself of all political trimmers of the Dodge and Boulton stripe.

THE LION! THE LION!

SELLING OFF ALL SUMMER GOODS AT LESS THAN COST PRICE.

The sale will commence on Saturday, July 5th, and will continue for one month in order to clear out all Summer Stock.

TREMENDOUS BARGAINS WILL BE GIVEN!

Our MR. CHANCE leaves for the British and Foreign Markets on Thursday to make purchases for the Fall and Winter Trade. Our Mr. Chance has had great experience in purchasing goods in Foreign Markets, thus making his 20th voyage across the Ocean, thereby giving him that experience which but few have, and certainly none in Guelph.

The Largest and Best Assorted Stock of Dry Goods will be shown at the Golden Lion this Fall and Winter ever seen in Guelph.

Don't Forget the Great Sale commencing on Saturday, July 5th, 1873.

CHANCE & WILLIAMSON.

Consistent Maxims. Don't deceive—Baron Munchausen. Be humble.—T. Tilton. Love your country.—Jefferson Davis. Don't read novels.—Harper & Bros. We concur in the above.—T. B. Peterson & Company.

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Has just returned from New York with a large and well selected stock of American Watches, &c. which the guarantee.

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Guelph, Oct. 15, 1872 W. BELL & Co.

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CARD OF THANKS. I hereby acknowledge receipt from the Beaver and Toronto Mutual Insurance Company, per their agent, Mr. Chas. Cremer, of Fergus, payment of the full amount of my claim against the Beaver & Toronto Mutual Insurance Company, per their Agent, Mr. Chas. Cremer, of Fergus, for loss by death of the horse. WILLIAM DAVID GREEN, August 6th, 1873. WM. IRWIN

DEAD HORSE! My Horse "Bill" died on Saint Patrick's day, and I have to acknowledge with thanks the payment of the full amount of my claim against the Beaver & Toronto Mutual Insurance Company, per their Agent, Mr. Chas. Cremer, of Fergus, for loss by death of the horse. WILLIAM DAVID GREEN, August 6th, 1873. WM. IRWIN

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Our stock is fully assorted in every Department. A. O. BUCHAM, Fashionable West End Dress, Millinery and Mantle Establishment. Guelph, July 21, 1873

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THE CASH STORE

UPPER WYNDHAM STREET.

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To commence on Saturday, the 12th of July.

All the Stock will be offered at and under Cost

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Customers will do well to give an early call to secure some of the great Bargains to be obtained at the

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NEW CAB.—The subscriber begs to announce to the citizens of Guelph that he has just purchased a carriage and is prepared to carry persons to and from any place in town at the usual charges. He has also a large pleasure wagon for picnics, excursions, &c. He hopes by strict attention to receive a share of public patronage. Orders can be left at Dr. Herod's Drug Store or at my residence, next door to the Primitive Methodist parsonage. JOHN EWING, Guelph, July 15, 1873. dm

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The Hotel and Bathrooms have been thoroughly refitted and furnished in first-class style, and everything done to promote the health and ensure the comfort of guests. Omnibus at each train. C. KRESS, DR. MULLOY, Consulting Physician, Proprietor. Guelph, June 11, 1873. dm

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