

American Despatches.

Canton, N. Y., Aug. 21.—John Kennedy was executed here yesterday for the murder of Thomas Hand in Feb. last.

New York, Aug. 21.—Budd Doble gave Dexter another trial the other morning, and on this occasion excelled himself. He was started from the three-quarters pole with a running horse behind him. He trotted to the stand in 33 1/2 seconds; made the next quarter around the turn in 33 1/2 sec.; the quarter of the back stretch to the half-mile pole in 33 seconds; and from there to the three-quarter pole in 34 seconds, making the mile in 2.14. He was not stopped, but trotted up the home stretch, and crossed the score without a break, the last quarter being done in 37 seconds.

The Tribune says Gen. Reynolds, commanding the sub-military district of Texas, has ordered a military commission for the purpose of preventing future acts of lawlessness and murder and of punishing the offenders. Mail advices from Hayti state that Cape Haytien was surrendered by the revolutionists, and communication with the interior was cut off. Gen. John Lynch had taken supreme command of the revolutionary forces.

Advices from Havana by steamer state that the exodus during the summer amounted to 60,000 persons, many of whom fled through fears of cholera—in July and August there were 1580 deaths from that disease.

There is no reasonable prospect at present of a meeting of Congress in September. Its only advocates are a few over-zealous southern men who imagine it would tend to ameliorate the condition of that section.

STONEWALL JACKSON'S COAT.—The widow of Stonewall Jackson has presented to Mr. David Macrae, of Glasgow, the coat worn by the great soldier when he fell in the arms of victory, on the battlefield of Chancellorsville. It was preserved and sent by General Lee to the widow, bearing the marks of the fatal bullet. The relic is accompanied by a beautiful and touching letter, in which Mrs. Jackson, referring to the country from which Mr. Macrae had come to see the South and its people, speaks of it as "the dear old land beyond the sea—that land which of all beyond the sea I admire and love the most—good, honest-hearted, Presbyterian Scotland!" We understand it is Mr. Macrae's intention to place this and the other relics he has brought from America, in some public museum, should there be a prospect of securing other private collections, and forming a historical museum of the late war, accessible to the public.—Glasgow Herald.

NEW SPRING WHEAT.—The first load of new spring wheat which has been offered in the Guelph market this year was brought in to day (Friday) by Mr. Wm. Swales, of Eramosa, and sold to Mr. Geo. Murton for \$1.43. It was of the variety known as Glasgow wheat, and a very fair sample, though not equal to some of last year's crop.

BIRTHS.

BOYLE—In Pilkington, on Monday, 17th inst., the wife of Mr. David Boyle, teacher, of a daughter.

DEED.

Crowe—In Elora, on the 20th inst., at the residence of Mr. Charles Cheesman, Mrs. John Crowe, aged 41 years. For the past 8 months her sufferings have been intense, and death to her was indeed a happy release. Her end was peace.

COMMERCIAL.

Guelph Markets.

Table with market prices for various goods like Flour, Wheat, Oats, Peas, Barley, etc.

Money Market.

JACKSON'S EXCHANGE OFFICE. Guelph, August 21, 1868. Gold, 144 1/2. Greenbacks not at 68 to 69; sold at 69 to 70. Large silver bought at 4 1/2; sold at 5. Small silver bought at 10 1/2; sold at 11. Upper Canada Bank Bills bought at 60c. to 60c.

MONTREAL MARKETS.

Kirkwood, Livingstone & Co's report by Special Telegraph to 'Evening Mercury'. MONTREAL, August 21, 1868. Flour—Fancy, \$5 90 to \$7 00; Superfine No. 1, \$5 75 to \$7 75; Welland Canal, \$6 60. Bag Flour, \$5 40 to \$5 60. Oats 40c to 50c. Barley \$1 00 to \$1 15. Butter—dairy 18c to 20c; store packed 17 to 18c. Ashes—Fins \$5 70 to \$5 80; pearls \$5 52 to \$5 55. Flour, market extensively dull, prices of strong super still tending lower, little business reported in any description. Grain, no transactions, rates nominal. Provisions unchanged.

TORONTO, August 20, 1868.

Flour—Market is very dull; No. 1, at \$6 60 to \$7 25. Fall Wheat—\$1 50. Spring Wheat—\$1 40 to \$1 45. Oats—40c. Barley—\$1 04 to \$1 05. Peas—85c to 90c.

DOCTOR DAVIS

Physician and Surgeon. OFFICE—Merrick-st., directly opposite the Market, and in rear of the Royal Hotel. Can be consulted at all hours day and evening, on all Chronic Diseases, Diseases of Women and Children. Midwifery, &c., together with those of a private nature. He has devoted over 30 years to the treatment of the above-named diseases, and the success so far has been without a parallel, as may be seen from the numerous testimonials in his possession. No Mercury Used.—Patients at a distance can be treated by corresponding with the Doctor, stating the symptoms of the disease, age, length of time afflicted, &c., and receive his celebrated remedies, by express, or as otherwise directed, securely packed from observation. A reasonable remittance on all such applications will be required. Female Pills.—Dr. Davis' celebrated Female Pills for Irregularities, Suppression of the Menstrue, Leucorrhoea or Whites, and all female Affections, have been before the public for the last ten years, and are universally admitted to be the best remedy for which they are recommended of any now in use. The doctor can be consulted at all times with the utmost secrecy, as his office is so arranged that it is impossible to see each other, unless by consent. No charge for advice when obtained at the office, if by letter, \$1. All letters must be addressed (postpaid) to Dr. Davis, M. D., Hamilton, and to contain a postage stamp when an answer is required. Hamilton, 1st July, 1868.

BRITANNIA HOUSE, WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH.

GREAT CLEARING SALE FOR THIRTY DAYS,

Commencing on Wednesday, 5th of August.

THE GOODS WILL POSITIVELY BE SOLD AT AND BELOW COST FOR CASH ONLY.

The Stock consists of a very Superior Assortment of Canadian Goods,

Tweeds, Blaudcloths, Satinettes, Blankets, Yarns, Underclothing, Millinery, Mantles, Dress Goods, Muslins, Prints, Grey and White Cottons, Ready-made Clothing, &c., &c.

Parties desirous of laying in a choice assortment for Fall and Winter wear will do well by calling early, as the most desirable Goods will soon be picked up when reduced to our cost price. This is no blow, but a bona fide clearing sale at cost.

Any Goods booked during Sale will be charged at regular prices.

HEFFERNAN BROTHERS.

Wyndham Street, Guelph, 29th July.

NEW GROCERY STORE!

E. O'DONNELL & CO.

Are now opening out a large and well selected stock of GROCERIES,

China, Crockery and Glassware!

(In the Store lately occupied by C. & T. Meredith, Wyndham Street.)

ALSO, A CHOICE STOCK OF

Wines, Liquors and Whiskies

Which they are determined to sell cheaper than any house in the trade. Parties wishing to purchase anything in their line will find it to their advantage to give them a call. As they are determined to

SELL FOR CASH ONLY!

GREAT BARGAINS MAY BE EXPECTED.

E. O'DONNELL & CO.

Wyndham Street, Guelph, 7th August, 1868.

Commercial Union Assurance Company,

CHIEF OFFICES—19 AND 20 CORNHILL, LONDON, ENGLAND.

CAPITAL £2,500,000.

Fire Department.

THE success which has attended the Company's operations has been such as fully to realize the most sanguine expectations of the Directors, who have resolved to extend the business more widely, and now offer to the Canadian Public PERFECT SECURITY guaranteed by large subscribed capital and Invested Funds.

PROMPT SETTLEMENT OF CLAIMS.

The Directors and General Agents, being gentlemen largely engaged in commerce, will take a liberal and business like view of all questions coming before them.

Life Department.

Volunteers assured in this Company, are permitted, without extra charge, to do duty on the Frontier, and to engage in repelling marauding attacks.

Eighty per cent of the Profits of the Whole Life and Annuity business are divided among participating Policy Holders.

Claims are paid one month after Proof of Death.

By a recent Act of Parliament a Wife can now hold a Policy on the life of her Husband free from all other claims.

MORLAND, WATSON & CO., General Agents for Canada

Office—385 and 387 St. Paul St., Montreal.

FREDERICK COLE, Secretary, 1 Inspector of Agencies—T. C. LIVINGSTON, P. L. S., Upper Canada

TROTTER & GRAHAM Agents for Guelph

Guelph April 1st 1868

STEWART'S PLANING MILL

ERAMOSA BRIDGE.

THE subscribers beg to thank their numerous friends and customers for past favors, and beg to inform them that they will continue the business in all its branches. Having re-fitted their machinery, which is the best in the Dominion, they are prepared to do work better and cheaper than any other establishment in the Province. They keep constantly on hand all kinds of

Sashes, Doors, Blinds, Window Frames!

Mouldings, Dressed Flooring, Sheeting and Shelving.

ALL KINDS OF LUMBER

DRESSED AND UNDRESSED.

constantly on hand. Parties furnishing their own lumber can have it prepared on shorter notice and in better style than at any other establishment in Guelph.

R. & J. S. being practical men of considerable experience, hope by strict attention to business to be able to give the fullest satisfaction to all who may favor them with a call.

Guelph, 19th March, 1868. wem—dW&S

R. & J. STEWART.

TROTTER & GRAHAM.

SALT, SALT

Wholesale and Retail at

A. H. R. KENNEDY'S

FLOUR AND FEED STORE,

UPPER WYNDHAM-ST., GUELPH

Guelph, July 24. dw-1f

EDWARD O'CONNOR,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Solicitor in Chancery, Conveyancer, &c. Guelph, Ont. Office, No. 8, Day's Block. Money to loan at low rates on mortgage security.

Guelph, July 15th, 1868. 1y w

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to Dr. PERKINS, Rockwood, are hereby notified to settle the same immediately, otherwise their account will be put into Court for collection.

Rockwood, Aug. 5th 1868. wif

STATIONERY AND FANCY GOODS.

At W. J. McCURRY'S

OFFICE LAW STATIONERY and Fancy Goods Store, opposite the English Church.

Wyndham Street, GUELPH.

Will be found a good assortment of Standard Theological Works, Biographies, Travels, Works on Arts and Sciences, Architecture, Engraving and Agriculture, Works on the Horse, Cattle, Sheep and Dog. A large stock of all the SCHOOL BOOKS in general use always on hand, and sold cheap.—The Trade supplied at Publishers' Prices.

In Classical Works, the stock will be found equal to any in Ontario. A great variety of Music Books and Sheet Music. A large stock of Family School Pocket BIBLES, School and Pocket Testaments, Wesleyan and other Hymn Books. All the Standard Works of the British Ports.

Law and Office Stationery, a complete assortment of Envelopes and writing materials.

Great variety of Gill and other Moulding for Picture Frames, &c. Looking Glass plate made, and pictures promptly mounted, at the smallest advance on price of moulding.

A very large stock of FANCY GOODS. Over 2,000 Berlin Wool Patterns, at less than half the usual selling price. A very large stock of Italian and other Violin Strings, Bows, Accordions and Concertinas.

English and American hall paper, bordering and decorations, which for variety, low prices and beauty of pattern cannot be excelled in Canada. As the above stock is imported direct from the manufacturing houses of Great Britain, France and the United States.

Bookbinding and Paper Ruling done on the premises at very moderate rates.

Guelph, June 24. daw 1f

Another Lot of those Delicious

Pine Apples

At H. BERRY'S.

SPLENDID DATES

At H. BERRY'S.

FINE

ORANGES & LEMONS

At H. BERRY'S.

REAL

Maple Sugar

At H. BERRY'S.

Guelph, May 30 1868. dw

SPAFFORD'S

NEW UNDERFEED

"BARCLAY" SHUTTLE

Sewing Machine.

PRICE.

No. 1 Machine, \$25.00

No. 2 Machine, with splendid iron stand, \$35.00

Containing the very Latest Improvements and Inventions—Strong, Durable, Beautiful, Well Made and Highly Finishes.

Makes the Genuine Lock Stitch

Which is alike on both sides of the material sewed, and will not rip or ravel; using two threads and adapted to light and heavy goods, coarse and fine threads; very large Shuttle and Hobbin, and so simple that a child can be taught to work it efficiently in a very short time.

Suited to all kinds of Family and General Sewing.

Tailoring, Mantle Making, and the use of Dress makers, Manufacturers of Shirts, Collars, Shirts, Cloaks, Clothing, Hats, Caps, Corsets, Linen Goods, &c. They work equally well upon Silk, Linen, Woolen and Cotton Goods, with silk, cotton or linen thread.

They will seam, quilt, gather, fell, cord, braid, bind, hem, tuck, and perform any species of fine or coarse sewing, making a beautiful and perfect stitch, alike on both sides of the fabric sewed.

Office and Salesroom: 56 King-St. West, Toronto, May 4, 1868. dw

LUMBER & WOOD YARD.

CHARLES HEATH

HAS opened a Lumber and Wood Yard on

Quebec-St. West of English Church,

where Lumber of all kinds can be had in lots to suit purchasers.

CORDWOOD

For sale by the cord, half-cord and quarter cord, and delivered in any part of the Town.

FLOUR & FEED

Also for sale, Flour and Feed, delivered in any part of the Town according to order.

IF All orders from Town or Country will be promptly attended to.

CHARLES HEATH. daw 1f

H. METCALF,

(Late Smith and Metcalf),

WISHES to inform his customers and the public that he has opened a

SHOP NEXT DOOR TO MR. HAZELTON'S,

Nearly opposite the Wellington Hotel, where he will be prepared to attend to the wants of customers and the public. He has on hand a lot of

TRUNKS and SADDLES

Slightly soiled by removal at the late fire, will be sold cheap.

Guelph, July 3, 1868. de wtf

Funerals, Funerals!

NATHAN TOVELL has to intimate that he is prepared to attend funerals as usual Customs always on hand. Hearses to hire. His Steam Planing Mill is in constant operation. All kinds of lumber, sashes, doors, blinds, mouldings, &c. He solicits a share of public patronage.

NATHAN TOVELL, Nelson Green

Guelph, 27th Aug. 1867.

TROTTER'S

Canadian Dentifrice

IS recommended by the following first-class Dentists as the best preparation for cleaning, beautifying and preserving the teeth: R. W. DAY, M. D., L. D. S., Pres. of the Dental Association; W. C. Adams, L. D. S.; Toronto; J. O'Donnell, Secretary, Dental Association; L. Lemon, L. D. S., St. Catharines; D. A. Rogart, L. D. S., Hamilton; J. W. Elliott, Toronto.

Price 25c. per box. For sale by all Druggists.

Guelph, June 22. daw 6m

JAS. MASSIE & CO., IMPORTERS.

OFFER FOR SALE THE FOLLOWING GOODS:

TEAS—Hif Chests Young Hyson, Gunpowder, Twan-kay and Japan. Chests and Hif Chests Souchong and Congou. Caddies Orange Pekoe.

COFFEES—Bags Green and Roasted Java, Jamaica, Maracaba, Laguayra and Rio.

SUGARS—Bbls. Crushed A, Dry Crushed, Ground, Yellow Refined No. 2, 2 1/2 and 3. Hds and Barrels Demerara and Porto Rico.

TOBACCO—Caddies and Boxes of all the standard brands in 10's, 4's and 8's, with a large assortment of Virginia Twists.

RICE—Bags Arracan and Patna.

FRUIT—Boxes Layer, Bunch and Valentia Raisins. Barrels Choice and New Currants. Bags Filberts, Walnuts, Almonds & Brazils. Boxes and Barrels new French and German Prunes. Cartoons new Choice French Prunes.

SPICES—Cases finest Nutmegs and Cloves. Bags and Bbls Black and White Pepper. Jamaica Ginger, Allspice and Cinnamon.

SYRUPS—Bbls Amber, Golden and Standard.

PICKLES & SAUCES—A full assortment of Cross and Blackwell's, Morton's, Flett's, &c.

We would call particular attention to our Stock of the following, which for Purity and Genuineness cannot be surpassed.

WINES—Graham's, Sandemann's and Offley, Cram & Co's Old Ports. Domecq's, Pemartin's, Gordon's, Cozen's and Miza's Old and Pale Sherries. Claret in Wood and Bottle, from \$3 per case and upwards.

BRANDIES—Hennessey, Martell, Otard's and Jules Robin & Co., in Wood and Bottle.

GIN—De Kuyper and Dunlop, in Hds, Red and Green Cases.

RUM—Old Jamaica, Demerara and Cuba.

WHISKIES—Old Rye, Malt, Monongahela, Magnolia, Hespeler's Plain and Toddy.

ALE—Bass, Jeffrey's Pale. Molson's in Wood and Bottle, very fine and highly recommended.

PORTER—Guinness' XX and XXX, bottled by Burke, and Blood, Wolfe & Co.

TO CASH AND PROMPT PAYING BUYERS, we offer special inducements, as we are desirous to clear out the whole of our present Stock before our New Premises are completed, to save the cost of removing.

JAS. MASSIE & CO.

Guelph, July 7th, 1868. daw-1f

FIRST FRUITS

OF THE SEASON.

PEACHES, TOMATOES, Pears, Apples,

AT THE FRUIT DEPOT,

Wholesale and Retail Establishment, Wyndham-St., Guelph.

Guelph, 5th August, 1868. dw

A. R. McMASTER & BRO., IMPORTERS OF

BRITISH AND FOREIGN DRY GOODS,

AND

Manufacturers & Dealers in Canada Fabrics

32 Yonge Street,

TORONTO.

102 Cross-St., Albert Square, MANCHESTER.

Alexandra Building, James-St, LIVERPOOL.

Toronto, May 5, 1868. daw 1f

No. 1, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

JUST ARRIVED AT

JAMES CORMACK'S

A LOT OF

Military, Waterproof Overcoats

Also, a Large Stock of CHEAP SUMMER SUITS FOR VOLUNTEERS.

JAMES CORMACK, Wyndham-st. Guelph

Guelph, 24th June, 1868.