

The Whelan Case.

The Globe of Wednesday says that Mr. John Hillyard Cameron, counsel for the prisoner Whelan, has returned to Toronto from Montreal, whither he went last week to confer as to the position of the condemned. While there he made application to the authorities at Ottawa for an extension of time, in order to allow an appeal to England. He has not yet received an answer to this application, nor does he expect any until the meeting of the Privy Council, after Sir John Young's return to Ottawa. He anticipates, however, that a meeting of the Cabinet will take place on Friday or Saturday next, when the decision in reference to the case will be given. Mr. Cameron did not, as stated by our Montreal correspondent, apply by telegraph to England for leave to bring the case before the Privy Council there, nor does he intend to do so until the case is determined at Ottawa. Further, he cannot make the application except with the prisoner's signature, and as that cannot be sent by telegraph, Mr. Cameron has refrained to make any application to England until the matter is determined at Ottawa.

Whelan is being visited by the Rev. Mr. O'Connor. It is reported that petitions are being got up in Montreal and Quebec. It is thought quite probable that he will be granted a short respite, in order to fully realize his position, which now apparently and inevitably awaits him.

The Settlement with Nova Scotia.

The following is a copy of the report of the committee of the Privy Council, approved by his Excellency the Governor-General in Council, on the 25th January, 1859.—The Committee have given their attentive consideration to the annexed report of the Honourable the Minister of Finance, having reference to submitting certain correspondence that has taken place between him and Messrs. Howe and McLellan, together with certain reports on the subject of the re-adjustment of the financial condition attending the admission of Nova Scotia into the Union, and concurring in the suggestions of the Minister of Finance, they respectfully advise that a measure be submitted to Parliament at its next session, providing:—1st. That the debt of Nova Scotia, on entering the Union, be placed at \$9,186,756, and that that Province be relieved from any charge of interest unless her debt exceed that sum. 2nd. That for 10 years after the 1st of July, 1867, an annual subsidy of \$2,600 be paid to that Province. The Committee further report their concurrence in the recommendation of the Finance Minister, that Nova Scotia be debited, after the completion of the Province building, with interest on the cost of that building until it shall have been placed at the disposal of the Dominion.

Altogether the most bewildering piece of news we have lately had, is the solemn announcement that the lower House of the Illinois Legislature has voted to cede the City of Chicago to Indiana. Thunder out of a clear sky is an every day occurrence, compared with a performance of that sort. Is some wag in the telegraph office, or some graver wag in the Legislature, playing a sorry joke on the modest Sucker metropolis? Or has Illinois reached the condition of the

HOTEL ARRIVALS, COULSON HOUSE,

GUELPH, Feb. 3rd, 1869. C. Baillie, Montreal; C. W. Meakin, Hamilton; Joseph Armstrong, Sheffield; M. Leishman, Montreal; John B. Vest, Hamilton; Joseph Paisley, Sarina; M. Danche, Buffalo; Thos. Smith, St. Mary's; James Watson, Darlington; J. R. Hains, Rockwood; H. Michie, J. Perry, A. Armstrong, Thomas A. W. Gordon, Jas. Munro, Fergus; R. Clement, Dundas; F. T. Whittham, Thos. Moore, Brantford; D. L. Manning, Jarvis; F. Wilson, Glasgow, Scotland; F. E. Boswell, Toronto; Wm. McClellan & Son, Toronto; A. Menzie, High Hamilton, Fergus, Geo. W. McIntyre, B. Taylor, C. M. Simmons, Robert, Jas. B. Boyd, Toronto; John Davis; Peter King; Wm. Hamilton; John Watt; Jas. Wilson; Charles Young; Andrew Forrester; Peter Grieves, Fergus; Wm. Knowles, Toronto; Thos. Spears, Owen Sound; R. Cooper, St. Mary's; J. Frolock, Toronto; Thos. Harris, Rockwood; Joseph Bowerman, Whitby.

MARRIAGES.

MCCARTER—SUTHER—At Eramosa on the 2nd inst, by the Rev. Mr. Barrie, Mr. William R. McCarter, printer, to Miss Bessie Suther, of Erin Township.

DIED.

AMOS—In Guelph Township, on the 28th ult., Mary Ann, eldest daughter of Mr. Gilbert Amos, aged 12 years.

New Advertisements.

PIGS STRAYED.

Strayed from the subscriber, Guelph, two large white pigs, one a barrow, with part of both ears off, the other white, with one ear by a dog. Any person finding them will be suitably rewarded. GEORGE PATTERSON. Guelph, 3rd February, 1869.

TOWN OF GUELPH.

Traders will be received at this office until SATURDAY EVENING the 13th inst, for supplying the Corporation with

Coal Oil for the current year.

TERMS—Price at per gallon, to be measured on delivery. JAMES HUGH, Town Clerk. Town Clerk's Office, Guelph, 3rd February, 1869.

NEW METHOD FOR THE PIANO.

Ahead of all competitors is RICHARDSON'S NEW METHOD FOR THE PIANO, being the only book the teacher requires, and the book every pupil is attracted to. 150,000 copies already sold and the demand greater than ever. 50,000 copies now selling every year. Its lessons are adapted to pupils of all ages, and its exercises attractive and useful in every stage of advancement. This book has on account of its actual merit, become the standard work of piano instruction, and the only one which every well-informed teacher and scholar uses. Price, \$3.75. Sent post-paid on receipt of price. O. WILSON & CO., Publishers, 277 Washington Street, Boston. C. H. DITSON & CO., 711 Broadway, New York.

AT WILKINSON'S. OYSTER PANIC. XXX. PLATT & CO'S BALTIMORE OYSTERS! XXX. AT WILKINSON'S. Wholesale at reduced prices. Wholesale at reduced prices. GEORGE WILKINSON, Sole Agent.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1864 & 1865.

In the matter of George Leslie, late of the village of Acton, an insolvent. The creditors of the insolvent are notified to meet at my office, No. 8 Front Street, Toronto, on the 17th day of February instant, at one o'clock p.m., for the public examination of the insolvent, and for the ordering of his estate generally. And the said insolvent is hereby notified to attend the said meeting. Dated at Toronto this second day of February, 1869. THOMAS CLARKSON, Official Assignee.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1864.

In the Matter of JOHN McLEAN, AN INSOLVENT. A meeting of the creditors of John McLean, under his assignee sent to the undersigned, will be held on SATURDAY the 13th day of February next, at 10 a. m., at the office of D. Guthrie, Esq., Guelph.

FOR THE BEST CLOTHING

MADE TO ORDER. READY-MADE CLOTHING. HATS, CAPS, AND Gent's Furnishing Goods. JAMES CORMACK'S, No. 1, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

NOTICE.—OUSTIC STORE.

The undersigned gives notice that all parties owing him, either by note or book account, may pay by the 1st of March next. If not settled by that date the accounts will be put into Court for collection. THOMAS WHITEHEAD, Merchant. Guelph, 4th Feb.

THE GUELPH POLICE COURT.

Before T. W. Saunders, Esq., Police Magistrate. Wednesday, Feb. 3.—Wm. H. Smith was charged with committing an assault upon Samuel H. Bush. Case dismissed with costs.

MEDICAL HALL, GUELPH,



Higginbotham's Pulmonic Syrup! In the safest and most efficacious remedy for Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, &c., so prevalent during the present season. Prepared only by E. HARVEY & CO. In bottles at 25c.

MILK of ROSES

This preparation is the best for removing all roughness of the skin and complexion. Prepared only by E. HARVEY & CO. In bottles at 25c.

PATENT MEDICINES I

Ayer's, Railway's, King's, Kennedy's, and all Patent Medicines of repute.

A complete assortment of Surgical Appliances, Nursery and Toilet articles and Perfumery.

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TOWN HALL, GUELPH.

Wholesale and Retail Chemists and Druggists. Guelph, 3rd February, 1869.

Fashionable Entertainment!

For Two Nights only. ENTHUSIASTIC RECEPTION OF THE Townsend Family

THE Merchant of Venice.

Terminating with the Great Trial Scene. Shylock..... By John Townsend. Portia..... By Miss Florence Townsend. Supported by the whole Company.

On Wednesday Ev'g, Feb. 3.

Will be presented Shakespeare's Celebrated Play, in three acts, of

MY NEIGHBOR'S WIFE.

To conclude with the Boasting Faze of Mrs. Brown..... Miss Constance Townsend. Mrs. Brown..... Miss Florence Townsend. Mrs. Smith..... Mrs. Harry Townsend. Supported by the Company.

GRAND CONCERT!

Town Hall, Guelph, On FRIDAY Ev'g, 5th of February Under the Patronage of the Venerable Archdeacon (Palmer); also, the Worshipful Master and Masonic Fraternity of Speed Lodge.

MISS L. RHEMMIE

Respectfully announces that her First ANNUAL CONCERT will be given at the place above, assisted by the best Local Talent, Vocal and Instrumental.

NEW AUCTION ROOMS.

Geo. LESLIE, Auctioneer and Commission Merchant, No. 3 Day's Block, Guelph, (Next door to Carroll's Grocery Store).

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OYSTERS!

Of the most approved brands, received by Express from day to day, at WALKER'S Oyster Depot, on Wyndham Street. Although the delicious livalvas are not exactly

Given Away!

The price is made to conform to the times, and First PRIZE OYSTERS may be purchased on the most moderate terms, either in bulk, cases or individual lots.

By PAILFULLS

All Oyster-eaters are well aware that H. WALKER is the Sole Agent in Wellington for the great fishing firm of France, Amphibite & Co., and that they employ their most sagacious and experienced Tritons in keeping up the supply of Prime Oysters.

At H. Walker's

It is a well-known fact, that at Walker's, and there only, can the choice quality of Oysters be purchased. Bring your bowls, bring your basins, bring your pails and get them filled at Walker's.

On WYNDHAM STREET

The never was such a season for OYSTERS, and never such Oysters as Walker is now serving out, sound, sappy and savory.

PROSPECTUS OF CUTHBERT'S Circulating Library.

The Subscriber has pleasure in announcing the establishment of a Library for public circulation. This is a want that is very much needed in Guelph, and from the conviction that it will be an advantage to the public—one which will be felt and appreciated—its institution is undertaken. The best incentive to profitable reading and research is some object or prize apart from the object of developing the mental faculties. Study pursued simply with the latter object in view is difficult and tiresome, and not a few are frightened to undertake the task, when they consider the time, patience and labour involved in the acquisition of extensive knowledge. To lessen the influence of such an idea, the subscriber proposes:— 1st.—To give free access to his Library for the small sum of \$1.00 per year, payable in advance. 2nd.—At the end of the year, prizes shall be awarded for the best essays on three distinct subjects—said subjects to be submitted by the subscribers. 3rd.—The information necessary to the essayists to enable them to write on any of the subjects that shall be submitted, shall be fully within the scope of the Library. 4th.—The essays shall be referred to a committee of gentlemen, thoroughly competent to examine them and decide upon their merit. 5th.—According to the decision of the Committee, so shall the prizes be awarded. 6th.—The prize essays shall remain the property of the subscriber, who alone shall possess the right of publishing them. 7th.—Every one, upon payment of one dollar, has the right to compete for any of the prizes, or for all of them. 8th.—As this enterprise is being established for the purpose of giving rise to a healthy mental competition amongst those who may choose to subscribe to the Library, it is thought advisable not to receive less than ten written papers on any of the subjects that shall be submitted, while it is desirable that every member should compete for one or more of the prizes offered. 9th.—The value of the prizes shall not be less than \$35.00 in cash, which shall be awarded in cash or otherwise at the option of the successful competitor. 10th.—Any person in any part of the country may become a member, provided he or she can conform to the rule of not retaining a book longer than one month. To those residing in Guelph and vicinity the time allowed shall be two weeks. 11th.—The Subscriber having made arrangements with some of the largest publishing houses both in England and the United States, to be constantly in the receipt of every new work that comes out, he is confident that nothing shall be wanting on his part to make the enterprise a perfect success.

SUBJECTS:

The best exposition of "Kant's Critique of Pure Reason." Price, \$50. The best Essay on Political Economy, and that system of it most adapted to the interests of the Dominion of Canada. Price, \$25. The best Essay on Education. Price, \$50. His books of reference now are the newest and of the most expensive kind, consisting of the Popular Encyclopedia—in itself a complete Library—a Biographical Dictionary, a Chronological Dictionary, and Webster's Unabridged Dictionary. One thousand subscribers are anticipated. The number already obtained, previous to any public announcement, is exceedingly encouraging.

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B. Cuthbert's Library is not intended to conflict with any public institution, but on the contrary will have a tendency to promote the usefulness of all existing libraries.

GIFTS AND PRESENTS FOR NEW YEAR.

The value of the prizes shall not be less than \$35.00 in cash, which shall be awarded in cash or otherwise at the option of the successful competitor.

Notwithstanding the tremendous rush at Christmas, there is still at

J. HUNTER'S,

Wyndham Street, Guelph, not only the largest and most select, but also the cheapest assortment of general

FANCY GOODS AND TOYS.

suitable for this season of the year to be found west of Toronto. Call and see.

Writing Desks, Dressing Cases, Work Boxes, Ladies' Companions

At less than Toronto Prices. Slippers, Ottomans, Wools, Toys and Fancy Goods at infinitum at

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Opposite the English Church, Wyndham, S Guelph December 29th. dw

R. J. JEANNERET.

FROM ENGLAND. Established in London, Ont. 1842 and in Guelph 1863.

WORKING WATCHMAKER AND JEWELER DAY'S BLOCK,

Opposite the Mark Guelph. Just received a choice variety of Cheap Goods suitable for Christmas and New Year's gifts. Particular attention paid to the repairing of Watches, Clocks and jewelry. Guelph, December 17th. dw

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

The subscriber begs to inform his patrons and the public that during his absence in Scotland his business will be carried on as usual. Parties requiring work will please call at his shop, Market Square, where all orders will receive prompt attention. Guelph, 6th Jan. dw JAS. DARCLAY.

BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL FOR YOUNG LADIES. CHURCH-ST. - - - GUELPH

MISS WIGHTMAN begs to announce that her school will reopen (D. V.) on the 4th of Guelph, 26th December. A

PUBLIC NOTICE.

THE AUCTION SALE Of Fancy, Staple and Dress Goods AT THE RUTHERFORD HOUSE CLOSSES THIS WEEK.

The LOW PRICES at which the Stock is being sold attracts large audiences.

French Kid Gloves, "Josephine." Fashionable Bonnet Ribbons Colored Satins, Laces, &c.

At fabulously low prices at private sale, for the accommodation of those ladies who cannot attend the Auction. Milliners can make profitable investments. Hours for private sale from 9 o'clock a. m. to 12 noon. Guelph, February 1. dw R. RUTHERFORD.

NEW CROP TEAS

And BRIGHT SUGARS at J. & D. MARTIN'S.

TOBACCOS

BRIGHT SMOKING AND BEST CHEWING, at J. & D. MARTIN'S. Guelph, 30th January. 606

J. B. THORNTON'S

New Cheap Bookstore, AND BOOKBINDERY, AT SHEWAN'S OLD STAND WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH.

SALLY LUND'S

A DELICIOUS TEA CAKE AT H. BERRY'S.

FRESH MADE BISCUITS & CRACKERS

Picnic Biscuits, Lemon Biscuits, Oyster Crackers, Captain Biscuits, Fancy Biscuits. All well and fresh, made by a splendid new machine. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. Guelph, January 22, 1869. daw H. BERRY.

A. R. McMASTER & BRO.,

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PETRIE'S DRUG STORE.

OLD POST OFFICE BLOCK. INFALLIBLE. Warranted. To Remove all desire for Tobacco. It is entirely Vegetable and harmless.

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WYNDHAM ST., GUELPH. JOHN A. McMILLAN. Has much pleasure in indicating to the Trade that he is now prepared to supply at the Lowest Wholesale Prices Boots and Shoes of every Description, Style, and Variety.

LEATHER WANTED.

Tanners can find a cash market for every description of Leather, any quantity, at any time at the Wellington Boot and Shoe Manufactory.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

The whole of the present stock of Boots and Shoes, Rubbers and Moccasins, will be sold cheaper than any man can sell imported work. This is no humbug. Call and see, and remember the spots. Guelph, Fergus and Elora. JOHN A. McMILLAN, Bootmaker for the Million Guelph, 4th January, 1869. dw

DOMINION HOTEL, GUELPH.

JOHN BURNAN 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. There is a good stable attached to the house, with good and comfortable stabling. Every attention will be paid to customers in order to secure their comfort and convenience. The best of liquors and cigars always kept at the bar. Good accommodations for Boarders by the week at reasonable rates. Guelph, July 13th. dw

BILLARD HALL

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