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## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

**JACOB HESPELER & SON**

And now and in future selling their

**TWEEDS**

TO THE

**RETAIL DEALERS**

**DIRECT from the MILL**

—AT—

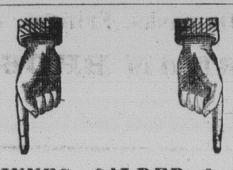
**MANUFACTURERS'**

**Wholesale Prices and Terms**

THEREBY SAVING THE TRADE

**ONE PROFIT.**

Hespeler, 28th March, 1868. 3d&w



**McINNES, CALDER & CO.**

*Have Now Open their*

**SPRING**

**IMPORTATIONS.**

Hamilton, March 19, 1868 daw 2w

**TOILET SOAPS!**

JUST received, a large consignment of English and other Toilet Soaps;

**At Apothecaries' Hall.**

Market Square, Guelph

Yardley's, Lenbow's Taylor's Glycerine, Rose and White Windsor Glycerine. Honey and Rose Curd Soap, [illegible] Soap.

**A. B. PETRIE.**

Guelph, 27th March, 1868 dw

**DR. JAMES' NEW DISCOVERY,**

**GREEN MOUNTAIN OIL.**

WARRANTED TO CURE

**Rheumatic Pains of all kinds.**
**Diptheria**
**Croup and Burns**
**Deafness and Sore Eyes**
**Rheumatic Pains**
**Stiff Joints**
**Pains in the Back.**
**Dyspepsia**
**Asthma**
**Sore Throat**

SPRAINS, Wounds and Bruises
NEURALGIA, Toothache and Headache
EARACHE and Stiff Neck
SALT RHEUM
ERYSIPELAS
FROSTED FEET AND CHILBLAINS.

This Oil is mild and pleasant, and is a GREAT FAMILY MEDICINE for children teething. It will relieve Nervous Complaints. **Ladies should Use it,** as it always leaves you better than it finds you, and one bottle often effects a cure.

Druggists, merchants and others supplied at the lowest price. For sale in Guelph by Messrs. N. Higinbotham, A. B. Petrie and E. Harvey.

Prepared by

J. H. LEMON,

Woolwich Street, in rear of the Old Alma Block, Guelph, to whom all orders must be addressed.

Guelph, March 23, 1868. dw

**WALL PAPER!**

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**FOR Extra BARGAINS**

In WALL PAPER

**SHEWAN'S BOOKSTORE!**

Next door to H. Walker's Grocery.

Guelph, 27th March, 1868 dw

**NOTICE.**

THE subscriber having purchased from the Executors of the late Geo. Henderson, his share of the business, begs to notify debtors and the public that he will continue to carry on the business in all its branches at the old stand, Wyndham Street, Guelph, and would solicit a continuance of that patronage so liberally bestowed on the late Firm.

G. L. FRASER.

ALL outstanding accounts to be paid in marketable currency to G. B. FRASER up to the 12th of April, any remaining unpaid then will be put into Court for collection, as the books of the late firm must be closed within 30 days thereafter.

Guelph, 27th March, 1868. d

**DOMINION SALOON,**

(LATE GRAND'S SHADES SALOON,

**OPPOSITE THE MARKET,**

**GUELPH.**

CHOICE LIQUORS, Cigars, Oysters, &c., &c., always on hand. **Meals furnished at all Hours.**

**DENIS BUNYAN.**

Guelph, December 4, 1867. dawly


## THE SPRING TRADE.

*Advertisers will reach a large class of readers by inserting their business announcements in this paper. Our daily and weekly editions are double those of our contemporaries.*


## Evening Mercury.

OFFICE:.....MACDONNELL STREET.

MONDAY EV'NG, MARCH 30, 1868.


## NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

*Advertisers having contracts with the office are notified that unless their changes for the* EVENING MERCURY *are handed in before 12 o'clock, their advertisements cannot be altered until the following day. Advertisements for the* WEEKLY MERCURY *should be handed in as early as possible on Wednesday morning in order to secure insertion.*

BRICK YARD FOR GUELPH.—Mr. Wm. Day is about to begin the manufacture of bricks about two miles from Guelph, and he expects to be able to deliver them in Town for $6 or $7 per thousand.

AN OLD SETTLER GONE.—Mr John Ross, one of the oldest settlers of the Province, died at Mount Forest on the 13th, at the advanced age of 81 years. The deceased came from Glasgow, Scotland, and settled in the county of Lanark in the year 1820.

WELLINGTON HUNT.—The spring meeting of the Wellington Hunt Club was held at O'Neil's Hotel on Friday evening. There was a good attendance of members. The following officers were elected for the ensuing season:—Sheriff Grange, President; J. C. Chadwick, Esq., Vice do.; Thos. Y. Greet, Secretary; Chas. Sharpe, M. H.; Frank Grange, Huntsman; C. Wilson, 1st whip; John West, 2nd whip. A considerable number of new members were admitted, and the prospects of a good season are excellent.

THE CANADA PRESBYTERIAN.—This is the name of a new paper, the first number of which we have received. It is published in the office of the *Post*, St. Catharines. Its avowed object is the advocacy of the cause of Presbyterianism, and as the Presbyterian Church has no newspaper published in its interest, we trust that the enterprise under consideration may meet with the approval of members of that body, and receive from them warm encouragement and hearty support. The paper will be issued weekly. The editorials are ably written, and the selections made with the utmost care and good taste. The *Presbyterian* has our best wishes; may success attend it.

THOROLD PROSPERING.—A correspondent writing to the *Patriot* adduces proof of the increasing prosperity of Thorold as follows:—Below the mountain, and just bordering on our corporation, we have one of the finest paper mills in the Province—mismamed "The St. Catharines Paper Mill," and a little further down, and near the Thorold Station, stands the "Lybster Cotton Mills," which have, or soon will, set in motion 200 looms and 10,000 spindles. These two establishments, when in full operation, will give employment to at least 500 hands, most of whom will draw their supplies from this place, at least for some time to come. The best proof that Thorold is looking up is the demand just now for houses to rent. Two years ago a number of good houses stood idle for want of tenants, but now they are all occupied. I would therefore recommend some of our money lenders and brokers to get to work and put up some convenient houses for small families, the rent of which would pay them a better interest than they are now getting for their money, besides it would be benefitting the place, and increasing the value of their own property.

THE EDITOR AND THE MOULDERS.—In common with others we published a paragraph a few days ago, setting forth how the editor of the Oshawa *Vindicator* had been waited upon by some of the moulders of that town, and reparation demanded for attempts made by him to injure their reputation. The editor escaped punishment by cunning and subtlety. The Whitby *Chronicle* tells why the moulders felt aggrieved and took the steps they did. It says they are a respectable body of men, a credit to the locality, but they have one fault—at least it would appear to be such in the eyes of the *Vindicator*—they are sturdy Reformers, and this is an offence—in the sight of our Oshawa contemporary—which makes them 'Rowdies,' consequently he never loses an opportunity of 'pitching in' to the moulders, and he will go ten miles out of his way to find, or invent, an excuse for maligning them. Especially since the last election has this been the case. The moulders then, almost to a man, voted for the Liberal candidates, and for this free exercise of their right of suffrage, our friend of the *Vindicator*, who we believe was also at one time a bit of a school master, keeps a rod in constant pickle for the moulders, and never misses a chance to 'lay it on.' The moulders have complained over and over again of this unfair treatment; but all their remonstrances have remained unheeded, or only serve to provoke the editor of the *Vindicator* to greater outrages upon their reputation as a body.

A STRANGE BUSINESS.—Mr Andrew McFarlane, of Montreal, says the *Witness*, an insolvent, publishes as the cause of his failure, an extraordinary statement to the following effect: that he lent to the manager of the Mercantile Agency in that city $800 in January, 1867, payment of which sum was deferred from time to time with Mr McFarlane's consent. According to his statement, no motive appears for making this advance, so entirely out of the ordinary course of a merchant's business, but he says the manager told him in July last, when he intimated a wish for payment, that many a one paid them more than $800 or $1,000 to have their standing marked up in the books of the Mercantile Agency. This suggestion, Mr. McFarlane says he repudiated, but was astonished to find in the annual book of the agency, published about the same time, his firm instead of being rated at 2—1½ as before, had a blank put opposite to it, which destroyed their credit everywhere, and caused them to fail. In reply, Messrs Dunn, Wiman & Co., proprietors of the Mercantile Agency, admit that the manager, Mr Jay Lugsden, very improperly borrowed the money, but state that he denies making any proposition to Mr McFarlane about marking him up. It seems, however that he did suppress unfavorable information concerning A. McFarlane & Co., which Dun, Wiman & Co. had to obtain from other sources, so as to correct their books, and they have, in consequence of these irregularities, dismissed the said said manager. What was Mr McFarlane's object in making the loan to the manager of the Mercantile Agency, and of Mr Jay Lugsden's engagement expressed or understood in obtaining the money, we are left to infer; but we must say the whole story offers to the public the most repulsive phase of a business which is repulsive enough at best. It is always disagreeable to tell to third parties the unfavorable points of a business man's character or circumstances, although the interests of commerce and of morality require that they should be told. If, for instance, a merchant is a gambler or a drunkard or a speculator beyond his depth, or is careless and inactive, or is making away with or mortgaging his property, it is well that those from whom he has procured credit, or seeks to procure it, should know the facts; and hence the value of mercantile agencies. But if unfavorable facts may be suppressed, and a falsely favorable rating given for a consideration—not, of course, to the agency itself, but to some local manager or local correspondent—the report becomes not only a delusion and a snare, but a very serious blow to mercantile morality.

LACROSSE.—The Ottawa *Times* is endeavoring to incite the young men of that city to renewed exertions to popularize the game of Lacrosse. It says 'There are some who claim for Ottawa the proud distinction of having revived the practice of this inheritance from the aborigines, but of late Montreal and Toronto have been going far ahead of Ottawa in their devotion to the game. It is to be hoped, however, that Ottawa will bestir itself and prepare for a creditable appearance on the 24th May, when our players are expected at Montreal to play the return match, and, if possible, wipe out the stigma of last year's defeat." There was an attempt made last year to organize a lacrosse club in Guelph, but for some cause not explained (probably it was apathy on the part of the young men), the effort proved abortive. Better success might attend a fresh essay, and it will be seen by Mr. McNeil's advertisement that he has all the necessary equipments on hand.

AGRICULTURAL.—The papers are already discussing the prospect of crops for the year. Fall wheat is all that they can yet speak of, and the reports concerning it are of a very satisfactory nature. The Stratford *Beacon* says: "We are informed by farmers from townships in this county where fall wheat is mostly grown that the crop never at this season looked more promising. There was not much frost in the ground, and the great falls of snow afforded unusual protection. We learn from a contemporary that the cheering news regarding the crops in Perth applies to the Province generally. Throughout all the counties of Ontario, it is stated, the crops look exceedingly well. Farmers are of the opinion that, in the absence of any considerable frost, the yield of wheat will be far more abundant than was anticipated."

"THE CANADA SCOTSMAN."—This is the title of a new and handsome weekly journal shortly to appear in Montreal in quarto form of 16 pages. THE CANADA SCOTSMAN will be an International Journal, devoted to select literature and Scottish news. The *American Highlander and Scottish News*, which was to appear at this time, has been consolidated with the *Canada Scotsman*, and the Gaelic department announced in connection with that publication, will be continued in the *Canada Scotsman*. Subscription price $2 per annum.

ENGAGED.—The Hamilton *Times* says O. Pooley, the absconding produce merchant from Guelph, has obtained an appointment in the police force of New York.

DIVORCE.—Margaret Elliott, of Ingersoll, gives notice in the *Gazette* of application to be made, after the expiration of six months from 27th inst., for divorce from Noah Elliott, on the grounds of adultery, cruelty and [illegible]

## Police Court.

Before T. W. Saunders, Esq., Police Magistrate

MONDAY 30th.—*Jno. Kees*, a little boy about ten years of age, was this morning charged by the Chief Constable with stealing a pair of gaiter boots from Mr. Smith of the Gore Bank. His mother was present, and when asked whether she would wish the case to be disposed of summarily, replied that she did not know anything about the law. His Worship entered into an explanation, and at length the boy chose to have the matter disposed of at the Police Court. He pleaded guilty without hesitation, and said that he saw the boots outside the house and took them, thinking they would fit him. "Can he write his name said the magistrate?" to dame Kees, "No, sir; he was not good enough to stay at school to learn;" and then when his Worship had sentenced the boy to one month's imprisonment and retired, the old woman cracked her son on the head with her knuckles, and told him he deserved fifteen times as much. How much more did she deserve for encouraging him to go round the streets begging and pilfering, and beginning a career which if it does not terminate in the Penitentary or a worse place will be no fault of hers?

MISSIONARY MEETING.—The annual missionary meeting in connection with the Congregational Church of this town will be held this evening. Rev. Mr. Stephenson, the Eloquent, of Toronto, and other eminent speakers will be present.—Music by the efficient church choir.

THE MISSING MCINTYRE.—The body of the man named McIntyre, who was missed from Brantford about New Year, and who, it was believed, was murdered has been found in the Grand River at Cainsville. His neck is broken.

HOUSES SCARCE.—The Mitchell *Advocate* is complaining of the scarcity of dwelling houses in that town, and says those now let pay a fabulous rent. It says, that comfortable cottages which would bring $5 a month might be erected for $300.

ATTEMPTED SUICIDE.—A highly respected resident of the township of Kincardine who has long been suffering severe agony by a malignant disease, last Friday, attempted suicide in a fit of despondency, brought on by long continued suffering. The wounds were found not very dangerous, and he is in a fair way of recovery.

A DRIVING PARK.—There is a project on foot to construct a driving park for Guelph. The place spoken of is on the commons beyond the Grammar School. It is proposed, we believe, among a few gentlemen of the Town to build the drive themselves. The length is to be half a mile, and will represent the circumference of an ellipse. The roadway will be ploughed and harrowed, scraped and rolled until it be hard and perfectly level. No gravel will be used, nor will any be needed. A good mud road is preferable to gravel both for easy riding, and as not being so injurious to horses' feet.

GRAND DOMINION PLOUGHING MATCH.—A match of the above kind is to come off in the middle of May under the auspices of the Whitby and East Whitby Union Agricultural Societies. The match is to be open to all comers throughout the Dominion, and even to the United States, and so liberal are the contributions that the committee expect to be able to offer as much as five hundred dollars in prizes. Already equal to $300 of the amount have been secured.

NEW FRUIT.—Attention is directed to an advertisement of A. Milligan & Co., City Hall buildings, Toronto, announcing that this firm has just received a very large assortment of fresh fruit, consisting of oranges, lemons, figs, dates, cocoa nuts, pea nuts, prunes, &c. Mr. Milligan has been for many years in the wholesale fruit business, and by a strict attention to the requirements of his numerous customers, has succeeded in building up an extensive trade. As he sells only by wholesale, retailers may find it to their advantage to call and examine his stock before going elsewhere.

JAIL DELIVERY.—The Port Huron *Press* of 25th inst., says that six prisoners escaped from St. Clair Jail on Thursday afternoon of last week, among them Allan Macdonald, about whose arrest on this side of the river there was last summer some difficulty. It appears that Mr. J. E. Kitton went to the jail on Thursday afternoon to see Macdonald relative to bailing him out. The latter was accordingly brought out of his cell by the Jailor, to speak with Mr. K. After the interview while the Jailor was putting the prisoner in his room, five other prisoners rushed on him as he opened the door, and overpowered him, dragging him inside the cell and locking him in, after taking his revolver. Having accomplished this feat, they made their escape to the woods, and, so far as we have heard, have not yet been caught. The Sheriff (Dunphy, who figured in Macdonald's abduction), has offered a reward of $300 for their apprehension. The names of the other five are Geo, Hortwick, Robert Barcliff, Jas Lovely

## Wellington Grey and Bruce Railway.

THE WORK TO BE BEGUN IMMEDIATELY.

(From the Hamilton Spectator.)

The directors of this company held a meeting on Thursday, and we are gratified to learn from the President that there is every prospect of a speedy commencement of this important work. George Lowe Reid, Esq., has been appointed engineer of the company, and the final and complete survey of the first section will be commenced next week, so that no time may be lost in the work of construction when all arrangements are fully perfected, which we have reason to believe will be in a very few weeks. This will indeed be cheering news to our friends in the north. We hope to hear that the people of Bruce are moving in the matter of cordial co-operation with this line, the only one of the projects for affording facilities to the northern counties entitled to confidence.

While the narrow gauge men have been trying it on the country the Directors of the Wellington, Grey and Bruce have been quietly negociating for the actual construction of their line.

In view of the statement being made by the advocates of the narrow gauge or "Wheelbarrow line," as it has not been inappropriately called, we publish below a letter addressed by the President of the Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railway, to Wm. Collins, Esq., of Walkerton, previous to the Walkerton meeting. We cannot find any report published of the proceedings of that meeting, but we are informed that this letter was read at that meeting; as also at the meeting at Belmore. It is so clear an exposition of the position of matters that we are sure it will be read with much pleasure by the ratepayers of the north west counties, who are so keenly alive to the importance of substantial Railway facilties:

WELLINGTON, GREY & BRUCE RAILWAY,
HAMILTON. 17th March, 1868.

W. COLLINS, ESQ., Walkerton.

*Dear Sir.*—Your letter of the 12th instant transmitting a poster announcing a meeting to be held at Walkerton on Saturday next by the Provisional Directors of the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway, in the interest of that undertaking, at which Mr. Fox is to be present, has just been received by me, and I beg to thank you most sincerely for the interest which prompted you to send it.

I very deeply regret that owing to circumstances beyond our control, it will be impossible for a deputation from Hamilton to visit you on that day, as we should most earnestly have desired to do in order again to meet the good people of Bruce, and explain to them frankly the position of the Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railway enterprise, and the utterly unwarranted character of the rumours which are being so industriously circulated, that we have abandoned that enterprise as impracticable.

I am aware that the assertion has been very generally made that the Hamilton people have had a charter for this road for ten years, and have done nothing towards its construction. It is just possible that such a statement may be made at your meeting, and it is as well therefore that the facts should be known.

It is quite true that a charter was obtained for the construction of a railway from Guelph through the Counties of Wellington, Grey and Bruce about ten years ago, but it was obtained by gentlemen in Toronto, the people of Hamilton having had nothing to do with it. So soon, however, as the branch of the Great Western from Harrisburgh to Guelph was constructed, a branch which would have made the road doubly valuable to the people of your neighbourhood, as giving them a choice of markets, the Toronto people abandoned the enterprise.

It was revived in 1864 by Mr. Frank Shanley, who during that year obtained a new charter, that under which the Company has now been formally organized, but even in this charter the people of Hamilton were not in any way conected, no single gentleman from this city appearing either as petitioner or Provisional Director. It was not until the year 1866 that the people of Hamilton were invited to lend their assistance to forwarding the scheme, and that they have taken an interest in the project since that time, I think we may fairly claim that we have given every evidence of earnestness and good faith.

It must be remembered that certain amendments to the charter were absolutely necessary, in order to put the scheme on the market, and proceed with the construction of the road. Owing to the delay in the consummation of Confederation, there was no meeting of Parliament at which these amendments could be applied for, more than a year. In the meantime, however, the Company proceeded to procure the votes of municipalities granting bonuses for the Wellington section of the road, preferring that the people of Bruce should see that section under contract, as they will shortly see it, and be thus furnished with the evidence of our *bona fides*, before being asked to contribute anything.

We have already obtained passage of By-laws granting an aggregate sum of $240,000 by way of bonus to the road, and the moment the necessary legislation was obtained, during the recent session of the Legislature of Ontario, we entered into correspondence with capitalists in England, who had previously intimated their willingness to undertake the scheme. Correspondence at this moment is going on with them, and with gentlemen on this side of the Atlantic, looking to the immediate commencement of the work, and we hope so soon as spring opens to be in a position to have the first part under actual course of construction and to be able to ask the good people of Bruce to assist in carrying the road forward to Lake Huron.

These facts will satisfy you that there has been no lack of interest on the part of this Company; that everything that could be done has been to secure railway facilities from Guelph through the fine Counties of Wellington, Grey and Bruce; and we earnestly hope that your good people will at least give us reasonable time after the passage of our amended Act to put the road under contract before committing themselves to another scheme especially one involving so serious an experiment in so far as this country is concerned, as that of the narrow gauge Railway, a system condemned by every single railway man in Canada of practical experience.

I remain, Dear Sir,
Yours faithfully,
ADAM BROWN.

# BY TELEGRAPH

**Despatches to the Evening Mercury.**

**BY ATLANTIC CABLE.**

Madrid, March 28—The Government is seizing and suppressing the circulation of all American newspapers. Even those addressed to Mr Hale, the American Minister, have been seized, and he has protested.

London, March 28th—The debt case of George Francis Train came up in a Dublin Court, a day or two since, when the Court rejected his exhibit of assets and liabilities as worth less than so much blank paper.

The miners' riot in Belgium has broken out again and spread to other mining districts. The authorities are making use of troops to suppress it.

The Fenian General Nagle's trial will take place before the Court of Queen's Bench here in May.

New York, March 29—A special telegram dated Antalo, Abyssinia, March 6, states that King Theodorus was in camp in very strong position, difficult of access, with 15,000 warriors, and ready for battle. He was defended by six heavy guns. Gen Napier marched from Antalo. The roads were bad and the Queen's troops suffered from fever and dysentery.

Paris, March 29—It is understood that Napoleon is preparing a manifesto in regard to foreign policy of his government, to appear about 15th proximo. It is estimated by the Minister of War that since new army law has been put into force the Garde Mobile of France has been increased to 500,000 men.

Berlin, March 29—Anti Prussian riots have taken place in the northern part of Bavaria.

New York, March 30—*Herald's* London special says despatches from General Napier state that Theodorus is posted with guns and mortars defending his position on the table land near Talanto, in the neighborhood of Magdala. The British captives were in good health on the 17th February.

## American Despatches.

Richmond, Va., March 28—The U. S. grand jury has found a new indictment against Jeff Davis. It covers fifty pages and details all his offences since opening of the rebellion.

Des Moine, Iowa, March 28—By a fire at Agency city last night, three children of Hon Charles Dudley were burned to death.

Halifax, N.S., March 29—A petition signed by 52 Nova Scotian representatives has been addressed to the British Parliament, asking for repeal of the Canadian Confederation Act.

Troy, N Y., March 29th—A livery stable was destroyed by fire this morning; an unknown lad, from Buffalo, was fatally burned.

A special telegram, via Gulf Cable, gives the following from West Indies. The French Admiral's claims on the Haytier government had been satisfied by contributions from merchants. Baez had been urged to return to St. Domingo, but delayed at Hungria.—Terror and anarchy prevails; dungeons are filled, and the people reject Government currency. Three hundred Coolies arrived at Trinity. An earthquake was felt in St. Kitts on the 28th ult.

Boston, March 29—The Methodist Church and two dwellings were destroyed by fire. Loss $25,000.

Providence, R.I., March 29—From Tunis details of frightful distress there and in Algeria from famine. In the latter place human beings had been killed and eaten by the starving people.

Washington, March 29—News from Crete is to the effect that another battle had been fought and resulted in the death of 200 Turks, although the Sultan's gunboats were in the immediate vicinity of the battle-field. Gen. Coroneos landed at Canea on the 1st with fresh supply of volunteers, and others were to follow. The Provisional government publishes an official bulletin of Turkish massacres and crimes, which discloses the fact that from June 1st, 1867, to January 1st, 1868, no less than 124 married women and 43 other females, from 10 to 20 years of age, and 37 from 20 to 30 yrs. of age: 55 children, and 345 men—mostly aged—were massacred; eighty-four married and 206 unmarried women were ravished by the Turks. 35 corpses were devoured by dogs, 23 victims were burnt alive, and 45 females tortured; 8 churches were desecrated and disgustingly outraged by the Moslem soldiers. The Russian fleet humanely continues to carry non-combatants to Greece.

New York, March 30th—*Tribune's* special denies the report that Chief Justice Chase, in the impeachment case, will insist that he has the right to decide all legal questions that arise on the trial, and will refuse to preside on any other conditions. Some of the President's friends say he is very despondent and gloomy. He feels aggrieved that his counsel were not allowed longer time for preparation, and thinks the Senate need not hurry along so rapidly.

DEFAULTER FROM ST. THOMAS.—The *Dispatch* says: We regret to say that one of our oldest inhabitants, William Lipsy, Esq., J. P., has disappeared and cannot be found, although the most anxious inquiries have been made after him by Mr. Menzies, Manager of the Bank of British North America, London, and others, for two days past. It appears that Mr. Lipsy has been charged with having committed the crime of forgery, and has not deemed it prudent to rebut the charge.

SPORTING.—Mr. J. Ward of Toronto, and Mr. Wilson, of Markham, have signed articles to shoot a match, at fifty single birds each, for the sum of $200 a side, and the championship of the Dominion. The match will take place