

### Business Cards.

**DUNBAR, MERRITT & DISCOE,**  
Barristers and Attorneys at Law  
Solicitors in Chancery, &c.  
Office—Over Harvey's Drug Store.  
A. DUNBAR, W. M. MERRITT, F. DISCOE,  
Guelph, Oct. 7, 1873 dw

**OLIVER & MACDONALD,**  
Barristers and Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitors,  
Notaries Public, &c. Office—Corner of  
Wynham and Quebec Streets, up stairs  
Guelph, Ont. dw

**GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN,**  
Barristers, Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitors  
in Chancery, Guelph, Ontario.

**LEMON, PETERSON & McLEAN,**  
Barristers and Attorneys at Law, Solicitors  
in Chancery,  
Conveyancers and Notaries Public.

Office—Brownlow's New Buildings, near  
the Registry Office.

**A. LEMON, H. W. PETERSON,**  
**K. MACLEAN, County Crown Atty**

**WILLIAM J. PATERSON,**  
Official Assignee for the County  
of Wellington.

**STEPHEN BOULT, Architect, Contractor and Builder, Planning Mill, and  
every kind of Joiner's Work prepared for the  
trade and the public. The Factory is on  
Quebec street, Guelph. dw**

**MONEY TO LEND.**  
In sum to suit borrowers. No solicitors  
fees or commission charged.  
Apply direct to the undersigned.  
**GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN,**  
April 16, 1874 dw Guelph

**F. STURDY,**  
**House, Sign, & Ornamental Painter**

GRAINER AND PAPER-HANGER.

Shop next to the Wellington Hotel, Wyndham  
Street, Guelph. 127 dw

**DOMINION SALOON  
AND  
RESTAURANT.**

Opposite the Market, Guelph.  
The subscriber begs to notify his friends  
and the public that he is now proprietor of  
the above saloon, and hopes by keeping none  
but first-class liquors and cigars to receive a  
share of public patronage.  
Oysters in their season. First-class  
accommodation for supper parties.  
**M. DEADY, Proprietor.**  
Guelph, April 7, 1874 dw

**W. M. NELSON,**

**Clothes Cleaner and Renovator**

All clothing entrusted to his care will be  
cleaned and renovated to the satisfaction  
of his customers. He also has a Laundry  
in connection. He returns thanks for past  
patronage, and trusts he will continue to  
receive the support of the public generally.  
Residence Devonshire street, Guelph. 43m  
April 20, 1874.

**CASH FOR WOOL, HIDES, SHEEP  
SKINS, CALF SKINS, AND WOOL  
PICKINGS.**

The highest market price paid for the  
above at No. 4, Gordon Street, Day's old  
Block. Guelph. Plasterers' hair constantly on hand  
and for sale.  
**MOULTON & BISH, dw**  
Guelph, Jan. 1, 1874.

**RICE'S  
BILLIARD HALL,**

In the Queen's Hotel, Guelph, opposite  
the Market.

The room has just been refitted in splen-  
did style, the tables reduced in size, and  
everything done to make it a first-class  
Billiard Hall.  
Guelph, Nov. 3rd, 1873.

**PARKER'S HOTEL,**

DIRECTLY—  
OPPOSITE THE MARKET, GUELPH.

First-class accommodation for travellers.  
Commodious stabling and an attentive  
hostler.  
The best Liquors and Cigars at the bar.  
He has just fitted up a room where Oysters  
will be served up at all hours, in the  
favorite style.  
Pickled Salmon Lobsters and Sardines.

**HOTEL CARD.**

The Right Man in the Right Place.

Thomas Ward, late of the Crown Hotel,  
begs to inform the travelling public that he  
has acquired possession of the Victoria  
Hotel, next door to the post office, where  
he hopes by courtesy, attention and good  
accommodation to merit a fair share of  
public patronage, both from old and new  
friends. The best of Liquors, Wines, Cigars,  
&c., constantly on hand. A good hostler  
always in attendance. Remember the spot—  
next door to the post office.  
**THOMAS WARD, Proprietor.**  
Guelph, Dec. 11, 1872.

**THORP'S HOTEL, GUELPH**—Re  
modelled and newly furnished. Good  
accommodation for commercial travellers.  
Free omnibus to and from all trains. First-  
class Livery in connection.  
144 dw JAS. A. THORP Proprietor

**W. M. FOSTER, D.D.S.,**  
Surgeon Dentist, Guelph.

Office—Over E. Harvey & Co's Drug  
Store, Corner of  
Wynham & Mac-  
donnell-st, Guelph.  
E. M. Nitrous Oxide  
(laughing gas) ad-  
ministered for the  
extraction of teeth without pain, which is  
perfectly safe and desirable.  
References kindly permitted to Dr.  
Herod, McGuire, Keating, Cowan, and Mc-  
Gregor, Guelph.

**IRON CASTINGS**

Of all kinds, made to order at  
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### New Advertisements.

**WANTED**—To rent, by Sept. 1st, a  
new Cottage, 5 rooms, West Ward  
preferred. Apply at this office. ml4-dw

**SITUATION WANTED**—As house-  
keeper, by a respectable elderly lady.  
Good references. Apply to Rev. L. Cameron,  
Acton P.O. ml4-dw

**TWO ASSISTANT MILLINERS WANTED**  
IMMEDIATELY at the Fashionable  
West End. Must trim well.  
A. O. BUCHAM.

**HOUSE TO LET**—To let, a dwelling  
house near the Great Western Sta-  
tion, 5 rooms. Apply to John McCrea, Era-  
mosa Bridge. ml8-df

**BOARDERS WANTED**—Two respect-  
able young men can be accommodated  
with board in a private family. Apply  
at this office.

**POST**—On Sunday last between Chal-  
mer's Church and the Eramosa Road,  
a Ladies' Black Lace Shawl. The finder will  
be suitably rewarded by leaving it at this  
office. T 4dw

**PAINTERS WANTED.**  
Wanted immediately, two first-class Paint-  
ers. Apply to  
F. STURDY, dw  
Guelph, May 23, 1874

**BOARD**—A few respectable young men  
can obtain board in a healthy locality  
three minutes walk from Post Office. Apply  
at the store of Mr. Murray, next to the  
Express Office, or at the Mechanics' Insti-  
tute. Tu-12

**PHILADELPHIA**

**Lawn Mowers**

Of my own manufacture, lower in price, su-  
perior to all others in workmanship and  
material. Guaranteed to give satisfaction.  
Call and see them.  
**LEVI COSSITT,**  
Guelph, May 26, 1874

**TOWN OF GUELPH.**

**COURT OF REVISION**

The first sitting of the Court of Revision  
will be held in the Council Chamber on  
**TUESDAY EVENING, 2nd JUNE,** commencing  
at 7.30 o'clock.  
**JOHN HARVEY,**  
Town Clerk's Office, May 20, 1874. T 4dw

**ENTRANCE EXAMINATION,  
HIGH SCHOOL.**

The examination for admission to the  
High School, Guelph, will be held (D.V.) in  
Mr. Cullen's Room, Central School, begin-  
ning on Monday, 26th June next, at 9  
o'clock, a.m.  
Candidates must notify the Town Inspec-  
tor of Public Schools through the High  
School Master of the High School not later than  
5th June, of their intention to present  
themselves for examination.  
**ROBERT TORRANCE,**  
P. S. Inspector, Guelph, May 22nd, 1874. 5dw1

**TO BUILDERS.**

The subscribers have on hand and will  
continue to keep  
**Glazed Sewer Pipes**  
ALL SIZES;  
**FLUE PIPES.**  
OVAL AND ROUND.  
Made by Messrs. Campbell & Son, Hamilton.  
All orders executed promptly.

**H. CLEARHUE & CO.,**  
Successors to Robert Rae & Co.,  
GUELPH. dw1m  
May 11.

**NEW  
Paint Shop.**

The undersigned beg to announce that  
they have commenced business as Carriage  
and House Painters, Paper Hangers, &c.,  
in the Shop near the Eramosa Bridge,  
opposite Dalgleish & Co's Wheel Works,  
where they will be at all times prepared to  
execute any orders with which they may be  
favored, with promptness, and in the very  
best manner.  
**CORMIE & EAGAN,**  
T. ALEX. CORMIE, JEREMIAH EAGAN, dw1m  
Guelph, May 9, 1874

**MONEY TO LOAN  
ON PAWN SECURITY.**

The undersigned have \$25,000 for invest-  
ment in Mortgages on Farms, in sums to  
suit borrowers, with interest at 8 percent.,  
for periods from 5 to 15 years.  
Early applications requested.  
**LEMON, PETERSON & McLEAN,**  
Guelph, March 18, 1874 dw

**Brass Castings**

MADE TO ORDER BY  
**HARLEY & HEATHER,**  
IRON FOUNDERS,  
Huskisson street, east side Market house  
Guelph, April 27th, 1874. dw3m

**PRESTON  
Mineral Baths**

—AND—  
**SUMMER RESORT**

**NOW OPEN FOR THE SEASON**

This favorite resort is now open for the  
Season. The hotel has been thoroughly re-  
fitted, repainted, and refurnished through-  
out, and no expense spared to secure the  
comfort of guests. The Bathrooms have  
been also entirely renovated, and a large  
new boiler put in.  
Terms very moderate, and no pains spared  
in order to make guests comfortable and  
at home.  
An Omnibus at all trains.  
**L. STUDD, Proprietor.**  
Preston, May 10, 1874. dw1f

**NOTICE.**

**Estate of the late D. Savage.**

All parties indebted to the Estate of  
the late David Savage must call and settle  
with me by the 15th of June, as all accounts  
not paid then will positively be placed in  
court for collection, and all parties having  
claims against the Estate are requested to  
present them at once.  
**BENJAMIN SAVAGE,**  
Guelph, May 21, 1874. dw1f

### Guelph Evening Mercury

TUESDAY EVENING, MAY 26, 1874.

### Town and County News

The New By-Law.—We direct the  
attention of the ratepayers to the text of  
the new By-law published in to-day's  
issue.

**HOUSE BURNED.**—Mr. Richard Davie of  
Luther, had his house and contents en-  
tirely destroyed by fire originating from  
the stove-pipe. The contents were in-  
sured, which will cause the loss not to  
fall so heavily on him.

**OBITUARY.**—We regret to learn of the  
death, at London on Saturday, 23rd  
inst., of Rev. N. F. English, Wesleyan  
minister, formerly of the Elora circuit.  
The cause of his death was acute pneu-  
monia.

**BASE BALL IN ACTON.**—An exciting  
game of base-ball was played in Acton on  
Monday between the Pastime Club and  
the Victoria Club, for the championship  
of the County of Halton, resulting in a  
defeat of the Pastime club by 10 runs.  
Score: Pastime, 22; Victoria, 32.

**CONCERT.**—A concert will be given at  
Downey's School House, Puslinch, on  
Tuesday evening, June 23rd, to consist  
of vocal and instrumental music. A  
number of talented amateur vocalists  
have been engaged for the occasion.  
The proceeds are to aid in the erection  
of a Wesleyan parsonage at Berlin.

**GRAND Pic-NIC.**—The eighth annual  
pic-nic in aid of the aged and orphans  
in St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph, will be  
held on the Central Exhibition grounds  
on Wednesday, June 24th. A grand ba-  
zaar will be held at the same time. These  
annual pic-nics are becoming quite po-  
pular and will no doubt be well patron-  
ized by our citizens generally.

**STEREOSCOPIC VIEWS.**—We have seen  
some very excellent photographs taken  
in Guelph by Mr. J. Eason. Mr. John  
Anderson has employed Mr. Eason to  
photograph the interior of the different  
churches, the Central School and other  
public buildings. He has also photo-  
graphs, suitable for framing, of the in-  
terior of St. George's Church. Orders  
for views can be left at Anderson's book-  
store.

**POLICE COURT.**

(Before the Police Magistrate.)  
May 26.

Thomas Mitter, drunk on Macdon-  
nell was discharged, on consideration  
that yesterday was an occasion of public  
celebration. James Penelton was  
charged by John Kennedy with assault  
and battery on the 22nd inst. The case  
was dismissed with costs.

**PROBABLE SUICIDE.**—On Wednesday  
night about half-past nine o'clock, the  
engine driver of a special freight train,  
bound west, when near St. Paul's sta-  
tion, a few miles west of Stratford, per-  
ceived a man walking along the track  
some distance ahead. As he was clear  
of the rails, the driver paid no further  
attention, till when the engine was about  
twenty yards from him, the unfortunate  
man stepped on the track, and there be-  
ing no time to arrest its motion, he was  
run over and horribly mangled. The  
body was left in charge of section men  
all night, and in the morning removed to  
St. Paul's, where an inquest was held,  
resulting in a verdict of accidental death.  
The deceased is supposed to be a Mr.  
Fitzpatrick, from near St. Mary's—  
*Stratford Beacon.*

The Cricket Club of Trinity College  
School, Port Hope, were presented, on  
Saturday, with a splendid Dominion flag  
for their cricket ground, in compliment  
to their successful playing last year.

While two loads of raftsmen, twelve  
in all, were passing down the Madawaska  
river about three miles from Arnprior,  
about nine o'clock on Saturday morning,  
their boat upset in the landing Shoal  
Rapids. Seven out of the twelve were  
drowned, owing to the high water, swift  
current, and strong eddy at this season  
of the year.

A Boston paper calls Beecher the  
Martin Luther of theological liberalism,  
and says he is doing a new and invalua-  
ble work for Protestantism.

Professor Goldwin Smith recently took  
the chair at a meeting in London, Eng-  
land, held for the advocacy of the dis-  
establishment of the English Church.  
He advocated the application of church  
endowments to the relief of the poor and  
the promotion of education.

Attention is called to the fact that the  
phrase "too thin"—generally regarded as  
slang—has a very high authority. In  
act 5, Scene 2, of Henry VIII, the mon-  
arch retorts as follows to the fulsome  
adulations of the Bishop of Winchester:  
You were ever good at sudden commen-  
dations.  
Bishop of Winchester. But know I come  
not  
To hear such flattery now, and in my  
presence they are too thin and base to bid offences  
Angus Galbraith, for the past thirty-  
two years a resident of the township of  
Dunwich, died at an age exceeding 100  
years.

A man named Peel was fined \$20 by  
the Police Magistrate in London for kiss-  
ing a Mrs. Chantry, his boarding-house  
keeper. The Magistrate decided it was  
an indecent assault.

It is said that the Government of  
Guatemala have compensated Vice-Con-  
sul Magee for the outrage inflicted upon  
him by giving him \$50,000.

**BREMPTON RACES.**—The second annual  
meeting of the Brampton Driving Park  
Association takes place on the 28th and  
29th of this month. Between \$1,500 and  
\$2,000 will be offered in premiums.

According to the latest statement of  
the British Registrar-General, London  
has a population of 3,254,260.

### The Celebration.

Whatever importance the weather  
possesses on ordinary days, its influence  
on the enjoyment of a holiday cannot be  
questioned. When one of the accom-  
paniments of Queen's Birthday is what  
is often called "Queen's Weather," we  
can rely on everybody enjoying them-  
selves, whether the civic authorities take  
any action in the matter or not. Yester-  
day, however, was one of the most unen-  
joyable and dampening days that we have  
had for a long time. The storm of Sun-  
day night lasted till the early morning,  
and was followed by a cold wind accom-  
panied by a chilly rain, which lasted the  
greater part of the day. Still the citizens  
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### REFRESHMENTS.

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### THE RIFLE MATCH

ALL COMERS.

Name. 400 yds. 300 yds. 400  
J. Young, Elora..... 2323 2343 4344-17  
J. Crowe..... 4343 2323 4344-15  
Lieut. Hooper..... 2323 4343 2323-13  
Dr. Macdonald..... 3234 2223 4343-12  
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Smith..... 2223 3023 3433-35

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contended. Very much credit is due to  
the marker, who acted most promptly all  
through both matches.

### THE CRICKET MATCH.

The game between the Bachelors and  
Beneditos on the Club's grounds in the  
forenoon was well contested, although  
the rain interfered considerably with the  
proceedings. One innings was played on  
each side, and the game resulted in vic-  
tory for the Bachelors. At the close the  
figures stood:—Bachelors, 109; Benedi-  
ctos, 55.

### AMATEUR BASE BALL.

The game between the Atlantics and  
Red Stockings, near the Newton House  
in the morning, was very well played,  
and resulted in the defeat of the Atlan-  
tics by a score of 11 to 2, seven innings.  
The boys deserve praise for the order ob-  
served during the game. The shouting  
and wrangling so common in junior  
clubs last year was conspicuous by its  
absence, and we trust the amateurs will  
continue during the season in the way in  
which they have commenced.

The Resolutes and Stars played on  
Oliver's field at 9 o'clock a.m. The  
playing was well conducted for the first  
two innings, but during the remainder of  
the game some wild throwing was in-  
dulged in. Nine innings were played,  
and the result of the contest was the de-  
feat of the Stars by 8 to 0.

At about 8 o'clock in the morning  
the Independents left for Georgetown,  
returning in the evening. The game  
with the Restless Club, of that town, was  
well contested, and resulted in the defeat  
of the Georgetown boys. The excellent  
play of the Independents was loudly ap-  
plauded by the spectators. The follow-  
ing is the score:—  
Independents... 4 3 8 0 7 3 2 5-38  
Restless... 6 0 1 4 1 0 0 4-10

A game was played at Hespeler be-  
tween the Silver Leafs, of Hespeler, and  
the Silver Creek Club, of Guelph, the  
latter being the victors by the following  
score:—  
Silver Creek... 6 1 0 1 1 2 0 5 3-19  
Silver Leaf... 2 1 0 3 0 0 0 1-7

### STARS VS. MAPLE LEAFS.

Notwithstanding the very inclement  
weather, a large number of spectators  
witnessed the game between the Seaforth  
Stars and the Champions. The interest  
in the game was heightened by the fact  
that the Stars beat our boys on the  
grounds of the former last season. The  
popular idea was that the contest would  
at least be less unequal than on that oc-  
casion, if, indeed, the result would not  
be quite different. From the first in-  
nings of the Stars it could be seen that  
they were no match for their opponents,  
while the excellent batting and fielding  
of the Leafs kept the Seaforth boys busy  
during the whole play. It will be seen  
by reference to the score that the Stars  
have nothing to show but base hits,  
while one or two unfortunates had a run  
of the field but were neatly put out on  
the home base. As it was, the game  
was a very one-sided affair, and we doubt  
not would have been more so had it not  
been for the dampness of the ground  
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To the credit of the Stars it must be

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