

What was his objection to bringing them down. The papers related to an institution which the country was very much interested in, and he thought the minority in this House had a right to ask for all the information which could be given with regard to that institution.

Mr. Fraser drew attention to the fact that the motion was entered in the votes and proceedings for Thursday.

The motion was accordingly allowed to stand.

Mr. Mowat moved, "That during the present session Government notices and orders shall stand and have precedence over Public Bills on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays of every week commencing with Wednesday the 18th inst.—Carried."

A Committee was appointed to revise the rules and regulations of the House.

Mr. Mowat moved the second reading of the Bill for the further limitation of actions and suits relating to real property.—Carried.

Mr. Tooley will inquire on Tuesday next, whether it is the intention of the Government during the present session to make any provision for the erection of a Normal School in the Western part of the province, and if so, where said school is to be located.

Guelph Evening Mercury

THURSDAY EV'G, NOV. 19, 1874

The Kingston Election Trial.

The examination of witnesses in this trial closed on Wednesday, and Chief Justice Richards has reserved his judgment till Friday. At the commencement of the trial it was admitted by respondent's counsel that bribery by agents had been practised, which admission was sufficient to void the election. The evidence taken was, therefore, with a view of proving personal bribery by Sir J. Macdonald. A number of witnesses were examined, who took a more or less active part in the election, and who seemed to have the handling of considerable sums of money, which was freely distributed among the tavern and saloon keepers in treating, paying for rooms, and in the hiring of teams.

Sir John himself was examined by Mr. Bethune. The substance of his evidence was that he was doubtful about offering for Kingston until persuaded by his friends, who formed themselves into an Association, the Hon. Mr. Campbell being the most active member. Sir John thought that his own expenditure did not exceed \$2,000, but other sums were contributed—the exact amounts not being stated—by friends in Toronto and other places. Mr. Campbell had charge of the distribution of the funds, and it is somewhat suspicious circumstance that this gentleman could not be found when wanted to give his evidence. He had been traced from Montreal to New York, and there had mysteriously disappeared. His evidence would have thrown more light on the way the money was spent than that of any other witness. All that could be got out of Sir John was that he had made a close personal canvass, had been around a good deal among the taverns, but, to use his own words, "did not directly or indirectly give any money, nor approve of, know of, or sanction the giving of money for bribery."

Mr. Bethune, in his opening speech, admitted that there was no case of personal bribery made out from the evidence given. He said Sir John knew it would cost a large sum to gain over the public interest, which was held of so much importance. There was a violation of that branch of the Act relating to keeping open house. It is true the respondent was not aware of the drink given by Hogan, but it was apparent that the respondent was desirous of obtaining the interest of the public class. If the respondent were cognizant of the facts it was repugnant to the Act, but it was not easy to suppose how the respondent could be unaware of the large expenditure for carrying on the canvass. He asked his Lordship to decide whether there had been corrupt practices by the agents, with the knowledge of the respondent. Respondent's counsel admitted that the expenditure during the election reached \$3,000. His Lordship said if Mr. Campbell were present, and stated that the money was paid out to agents, with instructions to spend it only in legitimate expenses, it would go far to determine what the decision would be.

The St. Catharines Times makes the very wise remark, that the prime cause of Dr. Jukes' defeat in Lincoln was that he did not get votes enough. A most sufficient reason certainly.

From carefully prepared statistics, the Government will be able to show that a great saving of money has been effected by the purchase of the (Guelph) site for the Model Farm, even if the Mimico Farm should also be retained as Government property.

The London Advertiser says it is rumoured that the Tories are willing to allow Major Walker to be re-elected without opposition, if the Reformers allow Mr. Meredith to go in unopposed for the Local Legislature. The Advertiser adds that the Reformers will never consent to any such compromise.

It is said that Daly, Scott, of Peterboro, and other Conservatives, make no secret of the fact that they would not support a Government including Rykert, Lauder and Boulton, even if the formation of such were probable. It is also said that Mr. Cameron's absence is intentional, because he will not take part with the trio in their chosen mode of opposition.

THE CHARGES AGAINST RYKERT.—The motion for a committee on the McKellar-Rykert charges comes up tomorrow. Mr. McKellar will insist on having the Canada Southern, Great Western, Tilsonburg, and Toronto Street Railway matters all included in the scope of the committee's work. Rykert will be expelled if proved guilty. It is said that he will limit having taken the money, but claims that it was paid for professional services, not for support of the bills in the House. Of course such defence will not clear him from the charge of having perverted his position as M.P.P.

It is said that Mr. Dawson—of the notorious Dawson road—is canvassing the Sault district, in view of the coming election.

DEATHS.

Notarized in Nassagaweya, on the 17th inst., after a painful illness, which she bore with Christian courage, Hannah, the eldest daughter of Joshua Norrish, Esq., aged 29 years.

The funeral will take place from her father's residence, on Friday, the 20th, at half-past 10 a.m. Friends and acquaintances are requested to attend.

TUCKER in Waterloo Township, on the 18th inst., after a short illness, John Tucker, aged 58 years.

The funeral will take place on Friday, the 20th, at twelve o'clock noon. Friends and acquaintances are requested to attend.

NELSON CRESCENT GROCERY.

W. A. Suddaby begs to inform the inhabitants of Guelph and vicinity that he has commenced business in the store lately occupied by R. S. King, opposite the Guelph Sewing Machine Factory, where he has opened up a new and complete stock of Groceries and Provisions.

As all goods have been bought at the lowest figure for cash, they will be sold as cheap as any other house in Guelph. He hopes by keeping a good article, and by paying strict attention to business, to merit a share of the public patronage. Goods delivered to any part of the town.

W. A. SUDDABY.
Guelph, Nov. 9, 1874. do

TO BORROWERS.

Having invested the \$8,000 recently advertised, we again have the following sums, besides others, to lend, on farm security:

\$500	\$1000
\$600	\$1000
\$800	\$1200
\$600	\$1250
\$800	\$2000
\$800	\$2500

J. W. PETERSON & MACLEAN, dw
Guelph, Nov. 18, 1874.

MONEY TO LOAN.

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Apply direct to
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Guelph, Oct. 18, 1874. dw

MONEY TO BE MADE.

The subscriber is authorized to let the store and premises, in the village of Eden Mills, lately occupied by Samuel Meadows. These premises are of stone, large and well suited for a general store. The village is situated in the centre of a flourishing farming district. Terms moderate. Apply to Lemmon, Peterson & MacLean, Solicitors, Guelph, and to J. A. DAVIDSON, Townshipp, Eden Mills.
May 27, 1874. do

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Iron and Steel Manufacturing Co. (LIMITED).

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Incorporated under the Special Act of the Province of Quebec, No. 46, 3rd Session, 2nd Parliament, 37 Victoria, 1874.

Application will be made at the next Session of the Quebec Legislature to amend the Act in terms of this Prospectus.

Capital \$500,000, in 20,000 Shares of \$25 Each.

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R. W. CRUCE, Esq.

This Company has been formed for the purpose of purchasing and working the valuable ironmines situated in the Townships of Templeton and Hull, in the County of Ottawa, and Province of Quebec, called the Haycock Iron Location: the Company holding the power under the Act to "carry on the business of exploring for, mining, smelting, manufacturing, dealing in, and disposing of iron and other ores and metals, and of manufacturing, selling, dealing in, and disposing of steel workings, or the products of iron and steel."

The property to be acquired is fully described in the report of the eminent Mining Engineer, Dr. E. J. Chapman, Professor of Mineralogy and Geology, in the University College, Toronto (vide prospectus). It may be briefly described as follows:

1. Sixty and General Character of the Property.—The Haycock Iron Location comprises a compact area of 300 acres of mineral land, and 10 acres of timber land, situated in the Province of Quebec, about eight miles north-west of the City of Ottawa, together with an additional piece of land of ten acres near the head of navigation, on the River Gatineau, as described in the following statement:

1. The north half of lot 1 in the 11th range of Hull, comprising 100 acres of mineral land.

2. The adjoining lot 28 (north and south halves) of the 6th range of Templeton, comprising 200 acres of mineral land.

3. The contiguous south half of lot 27, in the same range, comprising 100 acres of timber land.

4. Ten acres in lot 2 on the 6th range of Hull, on the left bank of the River Ottawa, which has been secured, partly to serve as a storing place and loading ground for shipping the ore, and chiefly as a convenient site for the erection of furnaces. This area is connected with the mineral or iron area proper by a tramway of 6 1/2 miles in length.

This tramway, of three feet gauge, has been very solidly constructed, and it is now in complete working order. It runs for a short distance through the Haycock property, and is then continued along the town-line between Hull and Templeton, on to the furnace site on the Gatineau.

In addition to the 6 1/2 miles of tramway in complete running order, with full right of way from the ore-beds to the furnace site and shipping ground on the River Gatineau, the assets of the property include a steam sawmill, of 20-horse power, sawn timber and logs, a boarding house, Manager's house, storehouse, office, stables, powder house and blacksmith's shop. Also a derrick and other mining plant, tools, &c., together with about 5,000 tons of raised ore, and 30 tramway cars.

The quantity of the ore as described by Professor Chapman is practically inexhaustible, lies close to the surface, and is easily mined, while its quality may be estimated from the fact that it has been made direct from the ore.

The fullest particulars of analyses and experiments proving these statements can be had at the Head Office of the Company, and at the agent's at Montreal.

The price to be paid for the purchase of the property is \$250,000; one half in cash, and the balance in fully paid-up shares of the Company, in consideration of which the proprietor will make over the freehold of the estate free from all incumbrances whatsoever.

And further, as proof of his bona fides, and his entire confidence in the prospects of the undertaking, HE WILL GUARANTEE TO THE SHAREHOLDERS A MINIMUM DIVIDEND OF NOT LESS THAN TEN PER CENT. PER ANNUM on the paid-up capital for three years from the date of the allotment of shares, and as security for the due payment thereof, he will deposit in the hands of the Company the whole of his paid-up shares, and give such further security in cash as may be thought necessary for the carrying out of his guarantee.

The capital will be called up as follows:—

On allotment.....\$2 per share.

15th January, 1875.....5

15th February, 1875.....5

15th March, 1875.....5

15th April, 1875.....5

15th May, 1875.....5

15th June, 1875.....5

15th July, 1875.....5

15th August, 1875.....5

15th September, 1875.....5

The share lists will close on the 10th December, 1874, and as the shares will be allotted *pro rata* according to priority, an early application is desirable.

Prospectus and any further information relative to the Company can be had on application to the Head Office, or at the Montreal agents, Messrs. Drummond, Cassels & Co. wit

RAM ASTRAY.—

Came on the premises of P. J. Husband, Forest House, lots 8 and 9, 5th con., Division G., Guelph Township, on the 1st of November, a white ram. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses, and take him away, or he will be sold as the law directs. nil-w3

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The Venerable Archdeacon Palmer has placed in my hands for sale the Lots in his new survey, immediately in rear of his residence and lying on the north side of Grange street. The situation cannot be surpassed in the town—convenient to Market, Post Office, Church and Schools, commanding a magnificent view of the town and surrounding country. The lots are of different sizes, and well suited for private dwellings, with a first-class soil for gardening.

Those lots on Tremblant Terrace are well adapted for genteel residences, (and will be sold to those who will bargain to put up good buildings).

Plans of the Lots can be seen at my office and particulars learned.

Terms very liberal. Purchases made this Fall, interest on balance of purchase money will not commence until 1st April, next.

If desired, the lots will be pointed out on the ground.

Also, 17 other lots lying to the north of Palmer street, in Macdonald's survey, and on Queen and Arthur streets.

An early call is solicited!

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Guelph, Aug. 31, 1874. dwf

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For Men and Boy's Wear to be sold Cheap:

Men's Heavy Pants, selling from \$2 up.
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A Big Stock of Underclothing!

Men Double breasted Undershirts for \$1; Men's Flannel and Winsey Shirts from 65 cents up.
HATS and CAPS and Gent's Furnishing Goods, the largest and cheapest stock in town.

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Prime New Raisins,
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Wax Moons for Carriage Lamps,
Night-lights, 6 and 8 hours,
Cadbury's Cocoa Essence,
Raspberry and Strawberry Jam,
Raspberry Vinegar,
Calvesfoot Jelly,
Lemon, Madeira, and Vanilla Jelly
China Preserved Ginger,
Capt. White's West India Pickle,
and Curry Paste,
Mango Relish, Pickled Onions,
Kipperd Herrings,
English Yarmouth Bloaters,
Smoked Cods, Roes,
Anchovy and Bloaters Paste,
Starburg Meats, Potted Ham,
Chicken and Game,
Harvey's Sauce,
Lea & Perrin's Worcestershire Sauce,
English Malt Vinegar, and Anchovy Sauce.

ALSO,
White Clover Honey, in Comb,
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Alma Block and Lower Wyndham Street, Guelph. 012-do.

FARMERS' DIARIES.—If our farmers knew how little trouble it is to keep a diary, and with what satisfaction they would look over it in a few years, we feel sure they would, many of them, be induced to begin one. A simple record of the weather and the operations of the farm, the writing of which would not occupy two minutes a day, will, in after years, be not only a source of pleasure, but also of great practical benefit; by reference back to the record of former years, one can see how late he planted certain crops, and at what time they matured, also items of interest to the family prices, &c. At Day's Bookstore will be found a large stock of Diaries and Farm Account Books. Day will sell you a large foolscap Diary for 35 cents, and Pocket Diaries from 15 cents upwards. Begin now, and it will pay you well for the few minutes' lost in entering your day's work.

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Gold Watches formerly \$150 now \$130
do do \$100 " \$80
do do \$75 " \$65
do do \$40 " \$35
do do \$35 " \$30
do do \$30 " \$25
Silver Watches, formerly \$50, now \$40
do do \$40 " \$35
do do \$35 " \$30
do do \$30 " \$25
do do \$25 " \$20
do do \$20 " \$16
do do \$18 " \$14
do do \$12 " \$10

R. C. finds that his time is too much divided between his Factory and Store, and he has resolved to go out of the store by the new year. He has determined to sell his valuable stock at such prices as will effect an entire clearance.

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