Guelph Evening Mercury

FRIDAY EVENING, OCT. 3, 1873

An Impartial Opinion.

The Monetary Times, a non-political commercial journal, has an article on which it says :-

"If the charge of Mr. Huntington that the Government sold the Pacific Bailway Charter to Americans has not been proved before the Royal Commission-and no one pretends that it has-enough and more than enough has been proved for the honour and fame of the country and its leading public men. Two facts, which have au ugly look in juxta position, have been proved: that the Government promised to use its influence to secure Sir Hugh Allan the position of President of the Pacific Railway Company, and that Sir Hugh subscribed \$162,600 towards the expense of the elections; \$45,000 of the money being handled by Sir John A. Macdonald, \$32,600 by M. Langevin, and \$85,000 by Sir G. Cartier's election committee. The money was asked for by the Government, at the very time they were promising him their influence. * * It will be observed that it was at the same interview when the promise in Sir John's telegram was accepted by Sir Hugh that he was asked by Cartier to subscribe to the elections, and promised to do so; a promise of which the fulfilment cost him him \$162,600. The juxtaposition of these facts, have a damnatory eloquence that no denials can silence or refute. All the witnesses knowing to the facts including Sir Hugh Allan and Mr. Abbott, swore that there was no connection between the two acts; that the agreement the Government came under to use their influence to support Sir Hugh's claims to the Presidency of the amalgamater company expected to come into existence, and his princely subscription to aid the Government in the elections, were two isolated acts, having no sort of bearing one upon the other. The public will still have its own opinion: it will believe the facts are stronger than the denials."

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Mr. Dorion and "The Times." Hon. A. A. Dorion has written a letter to the London Times, defend letter to the London Times, defending the action of himself and Mr. Blake in refusing to accept the Royal Commission proferred by Sir John A. Macdonald on the disallowance of the Oaths Bill. The following is an extract:—"Moreover, while we knew the wide powers of a Parliamentary Committee as to the nature of evidence which it may receive, there is no doubt, with us at all events, as to whether a Royal Commission has equal powers. The House of Commons might certainly act independent. whether a Royal Commission has equal powers. The House of Commons might certainly act independently of the decision of the Commission; but such a decision—unlike that of a Committee, which would be nothing till adopted by the House—would be a judgement absolutely complete. That we should not be willing to permit such a judgement to be promulgated with any semblance of authority, you will readily understand, when I tell you that the very Chairman of the Commission, is among those who are accused of having received money from the funds arising out of the corrupt bargain for the rallway contract, to promote his own election. The Committee had also before them the fact that the House of Commonshad already refused to accept a Commission instead of a Committee when proposed to it by the Premier, although there was no formal motion nor, therefore, any division, because Sir John avowed that he found the opinion of the House to be against it. Now, Sir I need hardly ask you in what position we should have placed ourselves, if, having been directed by the House to do one thing we had on account of a temporary difficulty on account of a temporary difficulty not only of our own motion abandoned that duty, but had at the same moment undertaken to do something which the same authority had practically declared should not be done."

ONW opened out, a superior assortment New Patterns, splendid variety in the process of the proc

The appointment of John McKeown, Esq., Q.C., by the Ontario Government, as County Attorney and Clerk of the Peace for the County of Lincoln, has been received with general approbation by the press throughout the Province.

The National Association of Science, of London, has offered a prize of £300 for the best essay on a subject connected the best essay on a su with International Law.

The New York Graphic says that the first idea of the sewing machine was patented in England eighty years ago, and that Elias Howe is not the real in-

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McGILL — STRVENSON — At the Wesleyan Methodist Church, Guelph, on the 2nd inst, by the Rev. I. B. Howard, Mr. Charles McGil! Ontario Bank, to Minnie L. third daughter of Mr. Wm. Stevenson, Nurseryman, both of Guelpb.

A UCTION SALE OF PURE BRED Shorthorn Durhams and Grade Cattle, Sheep, &c. The undersigned has been instructed by Nathaniel Reed, of the Mimosa, and Concern the Co UCTION SALE OF PURE BRED O serve, as the proprietor has sold one of hi fam s. Lunch provided. olw3 GEORGE GIBBS, Auctioneer.

SPAN OF HORSES STRAYED OR PAN OF HORSES STRAYED OR STOLEN-One a buy with blister scars in ide of hind legs, and some of his feet te, and white star on his forehead; the er a brown about ton, years old; both with filten hands high. Any person rening them to Philis Brett, Lot 22, con. Training them to Philis Brett, Lot 23, con. Training them to Philis Brett, Lot 24, con. Training them to Philis Brett, Lot 23, con. Training them to Philis Brett, Lot 24, con. Training them to Philis Bret

THE FASHIONABLE WEST END!

commercial journal, has an article on the Commission, in OPENING OF OUR MILLINERY & MANTLE SHOW ROOMS which it says:—

To-day (Saturday) the 27th inst.

OBUCHAM

Desires to inform the Ladies of Guelph that he will open his Mantle and Millinery Show Rooms To-day -Saturday - at 10 a.m.,

AND WILL EXHIBIT A LARGE AND SELECT STOCK OF

NEW PATTERN HATS. NEW MANTLES,

PAYMENT.

der all my accounts Quarterly. I am now making

them out to the 1st of Octo-

ber, and shall expect Imme-

JOHN HORSMAN.

Wm. Farel,

Wm. Tyndale,

Baxter, John Huss,

A large stock of Sunday School Libraries.

A liberal discount allowed to Sabbath Schools.

ANDERSON'S

BOOKSTORE.

COAL OIL LAMPS

New Lamp Globes, Wicks, Burner Shears, Rings, Collars, Brushes, Chimnies,

and Everything connected with Lamps.

BEST COAL OIL

Direct Hardware Importer, Guelph Guelph, Oct. 3, 1873. dwx

FOR THE SEASON.

Polished Steel Fire Irons,

Coal Oil Of Best and Whitest Quality;

Coal Oil Lamps
With latest Improvements.

JOHN M. BOND & CO.,

Hardware Importers,

Guelph, Ontario.

GOODS

Coal Scuttles

Coal Grates.

Dog Irons,

WANTED

Fire Shovels.

Tubular Lanterns.

John Horsman,

Melancthon.

Queen Margaret,

GUELPH.

NEW PATTERN BONNETS, NEW SHAWLS,

FURS AND FANCY WOOLEN GOODS.

A. O. BUCHAM.

Fashionable West End, Dress, Mantle and Millinery Establishment.

New Advertisements.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869.

John A. McMillan, Insolvent.

The wholeof the Estate belonging to the Insolvent is now being sold at a Tremendous

BOOTS AND SHOES 20 per cent. less than cost.

Intending purchasers will consult their own interests by giving us a call.

NOTE THE PRICES:

Men's Cowhide Boots - \$2 00 | Women's Pebble Ball - Boys' Cowhide Boots - 1 50 | Women's Prunella Ball -

Country dealers treated liberally.

WM. McLaren, Assignee. Guelph, Sept. 29, 1873.

JAMES CORMACK.

TAILOR AND CLOTHIER,

No. 1, Wyndham Street, Has now on hand a superior stock of

FRENCH

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ENGLISH

AND CANADIAN WOOLENS

Suitable for the Fall and Winter.

\$2.50 FOR 12 VOLUMES FRENCH COATINGS A SPECIALTY THIS SEASON.

A MAGNIFICENT DISPLAY OF

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS;

Also, a large and well assorted stock of

Ready-made Clothing at very low prices.

JAMES CORMACK, No. 1. Wyndham Street, Guelph.

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Immense Importations! Immense Importations!

In the market, warranted to please or the money returned.
Coal Oil DELIVERED free of charge in any part of the town. The Largest! Most Attractive! Most Fashionable! and the Cheapest Goods ever Imported by any one House in Canada!

The Golden Lion this season will have the most extraor-

Over 560 Cases and Bales to Arrive; 340 Cases and Bales already received,

Containing Silks, Poplins, Fancy Dresses, French Merin oes, Shawls, Mantles, Millinery, Furs, Prints, Flannels; Blankets, and an

Immense Stock of Household Funishings

ALL TO BETON EXHIBITION: THIS WEEK.

Guelph Sept. 9, 1878.

ROPERT CRAWFORD,

Watch and Clock Maker, Jeweller. Wyndham Street, Guelph.

Gold and Silver Watches, Chains, Brooch
tes, Rings &c., Hair Platt and Device Work
Clocks and Time pieces Jewelry repaired and
made to order. Plated Goods in variety.
Guelph, Feb. 12, 1873.

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Guelph State Watches, Chains, Brooch
of John A. Wood, Upper Wyndham Street
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NEW COAL YARD. The undersigned having opened a Coa Yard in Guelph is prepared to furnish all kinds of

'CHANCE & WILLIAMSON.

Hard and Soft Coal

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FOR 1874

CHEAP AT

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PARKER'S HOTEL,

-DIRECTLY-

OPPOSITE the MARKET, GUELPH

First-class accommodation for travellers Commodious stabling and an attentive

styles.

Pickled Salmon, Lobsters, and Sardines.

Guelph, Feb , 1873

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\$45,000 The above Goods have all been selected personally by Mr. Stewart, so will be found worthy of attention. Leavin worth

DIRECT

WILLIAM STEWART'S.

Invoices received of the following

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WHICH WE WILL

Show in a Few Days

" Ladies New Felt Hats

1 " Josephine Kid Gloves

2 " Braces, Collars & Shirts

2 " L. W Underclothing

2 " English & Sco. Tweeds

8 " Assorted Dry Goods

2 cases French Flowers,

1 case Feathers.

1 " Lace Goods,

1 case Furs,

1 " New Ribbons,

2 cases Gent's Hats.

4 cases New Dress Goods.

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Don't buy until you see them

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New Confectionery Store

The subscribers, in thanking the public for their patronage since they started busi-ness, beg to announce that they have con-stantly on hand a full assortment of

Confectionery Which will be found equal to anything in

Biscuits, Nuts and Cakes, of every

BRIDE CAKES MADE TO ORDER

Hot Coffee at all hours.

WARNER & SUTTON; Wyn iham Street, next door to Petrie's-Drug Store. Guelph, Sept.15, 1873

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W. D. Hepburn & Co., Have removed their Boot and Shoe Store to the very extensive premises on the

Corner of Wyndham Street and St. George's Square.

Their old store being tou small on account of the continual increase in the Wholesale Manufacturing, as well as in the Retail Departments they have now fitted up the new and much larger place in first-class style, and would intimate to their very numerous customers and the public generally that having increased the facilities for manufacturing they are now able to offer to the public first-rate goods in all branches, at lower prices than ever before.

Custom Work in all its branches made to order

Repairing Done Neatly and Cneaply as Heretofore. The public are cordially invited to visit the new store, and examine our Goods. W. D. HEPBURN & CO.

Guelph, Oct. 1, 1878.

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RED MILL

Flour and Feed Store,

Opposite Alma Block,

WYNDHAM STREET,

| FOR-FLOUR AND FEED OF ALL KINDS.

ROBERTSON BROS., Guelph, Sept. 13, 1873