

THE FALL TRADE.

Now that the Fall Trade has commenced, we have to remind the business men of this section that our facilities for turning out all kinds of JOB-PRINTING are unrivalled.

Guelph Evening Mercury

TUESDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 24.

Possible and Impossible.

A short time ago we published a correspondence from a "Mechanic" who has evidently a thirst for knowledge, in which the inquiry is put, why the Mechanics' Institute of Guelph does not follow in the footsteps of a similar institution in Toronto, and do something towards the mental improvement of those who now in mature years experience the evil results of a neglect of their early education.

the beginning and go gradually onward, and even if he should never rise to fame he will find the reward of his labors in being able to commune with a mind which he has to a considerable extent cultivated.

COMMERCIAL BANK OF CANADA.

It would appear that the rumour which caused a run on the Stratford Branch of the Commercial Bank, and, if we mistake not, on the London Branch too, over a week ago, was not wholly without foundation.

The Late Harvest.

The Grand Trunk Railway Company has issued its annual circular in regard to the state of the harvest in the different sections through which the road passes.

HAMBURG.—Fall wheat leaves the average crop, plump and good; the quality was better, free from damage of any kind.

BERLIN.—Fall wheat: the quality of all kinds of Fall wheat is excellent, and from 20 to 25 bushels to the acre.

WATERLOO.—Fall wheat: the quality of all kinds of Fall wheat is excellent, and from 20 to 25 bushels to the acre.

New Advertisements.

FARM FOR SALE. FOR sale, that well-known farm adjoining Mr. Gideon Hood's, about one mile from the Great Western Station, Guelph.

New Songs.

"Somebody's Darling Slumbers Here," "Lonely Oh, So Lonely," "When shall I see my Darling Again?"

At DAY'S BOOKSTORE, Opposite the Market. Guelph, Sept. 20, 1867.

FRESH OYSTERS

Wholesale and Retail, at the FRUIT DEPOT, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

HUGH WALKER.

Guelph, 16th Sept., 1867. Wool, Hide and Leather DEPOT, No. 4, Day's Old Block, Gordon Street.

NEW PAINT SHOP.

W. NOBLE. WOULD intimate to the citizens of Guelph and surrounding country generally, that he is prepared to execute

Painting in Every Branch

With Cleanness, Neatness and Despatch. Shop on Douglas Street, first door North of Colver's Victoria Hotel.

A RARE CHANCE.

Spring Bank Farm FOR SALE. THE subscriber offers for sale the above well-known and desirable property, situated near Ojapinge, on the Erin and Guelph Gravel Road.

CAUTION.

ALL persons are hereby cautioned against lending money or giving credit on John Cockburn's account, as he has been utterly incapable of transacting any business for some time past.

HIGHLY IMPORTANT AND UNRESERVED SALE OF PURE BRED STOCK.

MORETON LODGE, Guelph, Ontario, Dominion of Canada. The Eighth Annual Sale.

INDIA & CHINA TEA CO'Y.

Home Depot at London and Liverpool. Canada Depot, 23 Hospital Street, Montreal.

DR. GUY'S ENGLISH CHOLERA REMEDY

For Cholera Morbus, Diarrhoea, Dysentery, Colic, &c. In quick and certain in its action, pleasant to take, and never fails to cure.

Partnership Dissolved.

THE partnership heretofore carried on under the style and firm of Parker & Miller, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

NOTICE.

THE partnership between the undersigned was this day dissolved by mutual consent.

FARM FOR SALE.

FOR SALE an excellent farm, situated on a good road, with a good house and other buildings thereon.

New Advertisements.

DIRECT IMPORTATIONS OF STAPLE AND FANCY DRY GOODS!

AT THE BRADFORD HOUSE. GEORGE JEFFREY. Has much pleasure in announcing the arrival of his

GEORGE JEFFREY FALL AND WINTER STOCK!

WHICH WILL BE FOUND ONE OF THE MOST ATTRACTIVE IN CANADA. HE WOULD PARTICULARLY DIRECT ATTENTION TO A FEW DEPARTMENTS:

SILKS, Black and Coloured. REPS, PRINCESS' CLOTHS, MANTLE CLOTHS, Some things Quite New.

And every other description of Goods will be shown as they appear in the Market.

GEORGE JEFFREY.

Guelph, September 21, 1867. HURRAH FOR THE

Opposite the MARKET. Opposite the MARKET. SMITH & BOTSFORD

Have now the Largest and Best Selected Stock of FALL and WINTER CLOTHING!

Overcoats, Sacks and Frocks. Black, Blue and Brown MELTONS, Black, Blue and Brown BEAVERS,

Black, Blue and Brown PHLOTS, Black, Blue and Brown WHITENYS, Black, Brown and Blue ELYSIANS, ranging in price from \$5.50 to \$16.

ALSO A SPLENDID LINE OF TIP-TOP PEA JACKETS

They would also beg to call attention to their HUDSON BAY AND RED RIVER OVERCOAT, UNDERCOATS SACKS AND SWEETES, in 8-inch, English and Canadian Tweeds, Dogskins, Meltons and Satinets, from \$3.50 to \$10.

IN PANTS AND VESTS. We have a large stock of the following: Cottonades, Unions, Moleskins, Satinets, (Tweeds, Dogskins and Pilots. Their BLACK CLOTH FROCKS, Shooting Coats, Sacks, Pants and Vests, of style, quality and price, can cope with anything in the Dominion.

A large assortment of BOYS' CLOTHING always on hand. Remember the Stand—Sign of the Elephant, opposite the Market.

SMITH & BOTSFORD.

Guelph, 13th September, 1867. VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY

For Sale or to Exchange. THE undersigned offers for sale, or to exchange for Real Estate in the Town of Guelph, the undermentioned property, viz:

First.—A valuable improved Farm North of the Durham Road, in the Township of Bentick, three miles from the Village of Durham, containing about 200 acres, of which about 100 acres are cleared and under fence.

Also, a Frame Barn 60 x 90, with 18 feet posts and underground stabling, and a never-failing spring in the barn yard for the supply of water to cattle. This is a very eligible property, and well worthy the attention of those who wish to obtain a good farm.

Also—Lot 42, in the 3rd Concession of Bentick, West of the Garafax Road, 100 acres, about 12 acres cleared, with a Frame House on the Lot. The Rocky Sauguen River crosses one corner of this Lot, and has a valuable water power on it, capable of driving any machinery.

Also—Lot 25, in the 1st Concession, South of the Durham Road, three miles from the Village of Pricville, in the Township of Ardenista. There are about 25 acres cleared and fenced on this lot, with a good new Log House.

The above lands are well situated and timbered with the best kind of hard wood timber, with indisputable titles—the last two being direct grants from the Crown.

For further particulars, &c., apply to the proprietor. JOHN KAY, Brass Founder and Fitter, Upper Wyndham Street, Guelph. Guelph, 6th September, 1867.

NOTICE OF SOLDIERS Discharged from the U.S. Army.

BRING your Discharge Papers to the Undersigned, and you will have something to your advantage. JOHN JACKSON, Exchange Broker, opposite Market House.

The Crown Land Department

The Globe of Tuesday says the employees of the Crown Lands Department for Ontario are comfortably established in the Legislative buildings Toronto and the routine business of the Department is being transacted.

British and Foreign News.

Sir Rowland Hill is about to publish in England a history of penny postage.

The English Alpine Club is now turning its attention to the Himalayas.

Trains are to run from London to Liverpool at the rate of 81 miles an hour.

As many as 50,000 tons of soap, used in silk manufacture, were formerly allowed to pass off to waste in the Rhone.

Most of this is now recovered by the aid of sulphuret of carbon, and is used again in manufacture.

The Liberte announces a fact which it says has not received the attention it deserved. The Alps no longer separate Italy and Germany.

A witty clergyman, accosted by an old acquaintance by the name of Cobb, replied, "I don't know you, sir."

Notice is given that tenders will be received by the Postmaster General in October for the conveyance of mails between Halifax, Nova Scotia, and St.

Acron West.—Fall wheat good, and will average about 22 bush to the acre.

Rockwood.—Fall wheat is an average crop; about 25 bushels per acre.

Coarse grains.—Oats about 30 bushels per acre, peas about 20 do; barley about 20 do.

Georgetown.—Fall wheat has turned out exceedingly well. Quite a large breadth was sown, which almost entirely escaped the midge, and harvested in excellent condition.

Novial.—The crop in this vicinity is the best that has been harvested for several years.

Milroy.—Fall wheat is an excellent crop. On account of the ravages of the midge for the last few years, the "midge proof" variety has been principally sown.

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