

The Pacific Railway Scandal Again.

Although the Government, by the mere force of numbers, have succeeded in postponing the investigation into the charges made by Mr. Huntington with regard to the Pacific Railway, yet they have been unable to prevent him from giving to the country the substance of those charges, although we will have to wait until July for the documents themselves.

He stated in the House on Thursday that there were a number of letters, which at present he could get access to, through the trustee in whose hands they were, bearing on the case and in support of the charges he made. These could be obtained now, but if the Committee delayed till the time of their meeting, which was fixed for the 2nd of July, he said it would be impossible for him or for the Committee then to insure their production. Under the circumstances, therefore, he said he felt justified in reading the correspondence to the House, and in moving that the Committee meet at once, when the documents could be produced. He was proceeding to read from his memoranda when he was stopped by the Speaker, who held that it was not right to read such papers in the House, as the doing so might prejudice the case, which had been referred to a select Committee.

A spirited discussion ensued, in the course of which the Premier very meekly expressed his willingness to allow the Committee to meet at once for the reception of these documents, but in his terror at the disclosures these papers contained, he protested against the reading of them to the House. Mr. Huntington, while remarking the altered attitude of the Premier, said he would persist in reading the memoranda, but he was overruled by the Speaker, and was, therefore, obliged simply to move for the meeting of the Committee immediately, when the trustee referred to will be required to produce the documents in his possession, not later than Monday next. The motion was accordingly carried, no one daring to oppose it.

Mr. Huntington, however, managed to tell enough to substantiate his charge that \$300,000 had been raised by somebody, and paid by Sir Hugh Allan to secure the charter for the company, and to assist in carrying the elections in the interest of the Government; also what Messrs. Sir Hugh and his confederates employed in accomplishing the great object they had in view. We can promise our readers some rich revelations when all this scheming and manoeuvring are fully exposed to the light of day.

Meanwhile, positive information has been received by the Globe that the government scheme for building the railway has entirely failed. It says that "Capitalists decline to give their support, on the ground that the charter is unsafe, and that the route, the time allowed for building, the mode of raising the capital, and the land arrangements, acting as a barrier to emigration, are all objectionable." The deputation (Sir Hugh Allan, Mr. Archibald and Mr. Abbott) have relinquished their vain attempts, and desiring to avoid troublesome enquiries, await the prorogation of Parliament before returning home.

THE GOVERNMENT DEFEAT.—The vote on Wednesday night is the general topic of discussion in Ottawa. All parties regard it as a direct defeat of the Government, as all the ministers opposed Mr. Costigan's resolution. It is said that Messrs. Tilley and Mitchell are determined to oppose the carrying out of the resolution in Council, and if not supported to resign. All the New Brunswick members, except Anglin, Costigan, and Cutler, have signified their intention to go into Opposition, if the Government advises the Governor-General to dissolve the New Brunswick School Act. The French Canadian majority openly declared themselves opposed to the grounds taken by Mr. Langevin, and were glad of the opportunity afforded by this vote to teach him that they (when united with the Opposition) could not be over-ruled by smaller Provinces. Up to the last moment Sir John counted on a split in the ranks of the Opposition to carry him over this most difficult of his troubles, but the Ontario majority went solid for the resolution, showing that the Opposition is compact, united and thoroughly liberal.

The Prince Edward Island deputation were in conference with the members of the Government on Wednesday, and it is expected a basis of agreement has been arrived at by the not very novel expedient of splitting the difference. It is said the delegates asked an advance on their terms equal to some \$70,000, and that they are now offered half that amount as a compromise.

Cunningham, who seconded Costigan's resolution, says the same question is looming up in Manitoba, and must be grappled by the Dominion Government.

Sir John is expected to make some announcement in the House to-day regarding the course of the Government. If he does not the upshot will be a complete disorganization of the Ministerial party.

The Ottawa Times of Thursday announces that satisfactory arrangements have been made with the Prince Edward Island delegates.



THE LION! THE LION!

IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR THIS WEEK!

Extraordinary Show of Bonnets, Mantles and Hats at the Lion this Week!

- 5 cases New Dress Goods this Week;
- 2 cases New Parasols; Umbrellas in silk sun shades;
- 5 cases of our noted Black Lustres--the best in Guelph, and direct from Bradford, England;
- 2 cases Lace sets, Linen sets, Cuffs, Collars, Gloves, Ribbons and Hosiery, all new goods this week.

CHANCE & WILLIAMSON.

GUELPH, APRIL 26 1873 dw3m

Coal has been discovered in the vicinity of Bagdad. The mines are at a short distance from a tributary of the Tigris, a circumstance which renders their working comparatively easy. The quality of the fuel, too, is pronounced to be excellent.

MARRIED

DENT—BRADFORD—At the Manse, Strabane, on the 12th inst., by the Rev. Alex. Maclean, M.A., Mr. Nicholas Dent, of Nelson, to Miss Mary Ann Bradford, of Carrick.

NEW GOODS JUST TO HAND

At John A. Wood's,
Alma Block and Lower Wyndham-street.

From Edinburgh, Scotland:
1 case Middlemass' Albert Biscuits,
1 " " Argyle "

From New York:
1 case Paraffine Candles,
5 bags Old Government Java Coffee,
Finest Natural Leaf Virginia Tobacco.

From Montreal:
50 doz. Guinness' Dublin Porter,
50 doz. Guinness' Blood Porter,
50 doz. Tennants' & Allsopp's Ale,
15 cases 1/2 pints, pints, quarts and
magnums finest brands Champagne,
6 doz. Ladies' Extract Beef,
2 cases Dun-lee Marmalade,
2 cases assorted Jams and Jellies,
1 case Curacao,
1 case Raspberry Vinegar,
2 barrels Pickled Onions,
2 barrels mixed Pickles,
25 cases Peaches and Tomatoes,
2 cases Pickled Salmon.

BASE BALLS

DAY'S BOOKSTORE.

The No. 1, RYAN WHITE DEAD BALL

The only one adopted by the Base Ball Convention to be used in all match games in 1873.

Price by mail, post-paid,.....\$2 00
The Junior Ball, ".....1 00
The Practice Ball, ".....0 75

Best White Ash Bats 38 to 42 inches...30
36 inch bats.....20
Light bats for children.....10

40 sets of Field Croquet on hand.

Orders for Base Balls by mail, filled same day as received.

AT DAY'S BOOKSTORE.

GUELPH PHARMACY.

The Old Store formerly Occupied by A. B. Petrie, re-opened.

Herod & Co., Proprietors.

No expense has been spared in the fitting up so as to make it as a Retail Drug Establishment second to none in the Dominion.

Great care and attention has been paid to the purchasing of the stock, having only one aim in view—that every article selected should be pure and unadulterated, quality being considered of the first importance.

The stock of Hair Brushes, Toilet Articles and Perfumery, has been imported direct from England and France.

Dyes and Dye Stuffs warranted and guaranteed to be of the first quality.

None but the most reliable and leading Patent Medicines in stock, obtained direct from the Proprietors and Manufacturers.

A specialty in Cod Liver Oil, direct from Newfoundland. None kept in stock except No. 1, and of the finest quality.

A full assortment of Trusses, Shoulders, Braces, Supporters, etc., etc., at the lowest rates.

The retail and dispensing department is under the direct superintendence of Mr. McLeod, Practical Pharmacist, who has been for many years engaged at the business in Quebec and Montreal.

Physicians and parties requiring prescriptions may depend on their being accurately and neatly compounded, and prepared from nothing but pure drugs and chemicals.

Remember—The OLD STORE formerly occupied by A. B. Petrie, re-opened by

HEROD & Co.

Guelph, May 16, 1873. dw

New Advertisements.

CHOICE MIXED TEA

For 50 Cents per lb.

11 lbs GOOD SUGAR for \$1.00

J. E. McELDERRY

2 DAY'S BLOCK.

ALL THIS WEEK

Will be Devoted to a Grand Display of

NEW DRESS GOODS

AT THE FASHIONABLE WEST END!

Opening this Morning—2 cases New Dress Materials, embracing a Large and Select Variety of New and Beautiful Textures for Summer Wear. Experienced Dress Makers on the Premises.

OUR MILLINERY DEPARTMENT

Orders for this department are coming in rapidly, and we have found it necessary to engage extra hands. Ladies who purpose ordering this week, will oblige by doing so as early as possible. Our Stock contains everything new and desirable for the season.

A. O. BUCHAM,

Fashionable West End Dress, Millinery and Mantle Establishment. Guelph, May 5, 1873. dwv

New Spring and Summer Goods

W. D. HEPBURN & CO.,

Wyndham Street, Guelph,

Are daily receiving large additions to their Immense Stock of

BOOTS AND SHOES

Which for Quality, Style and Variety is not surpassed in the Dominion.

All their Staple Goods being manufactured on the premises, they can with confidence be recommended to the public as being far superior to the common class of Ready-made work.

All kinds of Ladies', Misses', Gents' and Boys' Boots and Shoes made to Order

In the most Fashionable Styles by superior workmen. Dealers in all kinds of Shoe and Leather Findings.

REPAIRING DONE AS USUAL.

TERMS - - - CASH.

Store and Factory: EAST SIDE WYNDHAM STREET.

Guelph, April 15, 1873. dwintines W. D. HEPBURN & CO.

LARGE DRY GOODS STOCK

Offered at Great Bargains.

The Subscribers having bought the entire Stock of Mr. WM. GALLOWAY at a low figure, will sell it at his late price.

AT AND UNDER WHOLESALE PRICES!

MILLINERY

Will be sacrificed to effect a clearance.

MANTLES

If not sold here will be sent to Toronto for auction.

DRESS GOODS

30 per cent lower than former prices.

HATS & CAPS

40 per cent lower than formerly.

CLOTHING

COATS, \$5, \$6, \$7, and \$8 Former prices, \$7.50, \$8, \$9, \$10
PANTS, \$2.50, \$3.00, and \$4 \$3.50, \$4.50, and \$5.50
VESTS, \$2, \$2.50 and \$3.50 \$2.75, \$3, and \$4.50

J. C. MACKLIN & Co.

GUELPH, April 10, 1873. dw

FISHING TACKLE

- Fishing Rods, AT BOND'S.
- do. Reels, AT BOND'S.
- do. Baskets, AT BOND'S.
- do. Lines, AT BOND'S.
- do. Hooks, AT BOND'S.
- do. Fly Hooks, AT BOND'S.
- do. Trolling Hooks, AT BOND'S.
- do. Baits, AT BOND'S.
- do. Rod Rings, AT BOND'S.
- do. Rod Keepers, AT BOND'S.

JOHN M. BOND & CO., Hardware Importers, Guelph, Ontario.

THE MEDICAL HALL GUELPH

E. HARVEY & Co.

JUST RECEIVED.

Direct from the Manufacturers,

LARGEST STOCK

HAIR BRUSHES

AND Toilet Articles

EVER IMPORTED TO GUELPH.

E. HARVEY & Co.,

Dispensing Chemists,

Corner Wyndham and Macdonnell-streets, Guelph.

Guelph, April 23, 1873. dw

ANDERSON'S

Base Ball Goods,

- Croquet,
- Cricket,
- Footballs,
- Fishing Tackle.

—A large stock opened out—

Direct from the Manufacturers,

And will be sold cheap.

Orders by Mail promptly attended to

AT ANDERSON'S

Cheap Bookstore,

Opposite the Old English Church, East side Wyndham street,

GUELPH.

20 MILCH COWS FOR SALE.

The Subscriber has for sale twenty first-class milch cows, all either newly calved or about to calve, at from \$25 to \$50 each. Apply to Gilbert Amos, stall No. 4, Guelph Market, or Springfield Cottage, York Road, Guelph, May 5, 1873. dw2w

NEW ATTRACTIONS THIS WEEK AT

WM. STEWART'S

- New Dress Goods,
- New Millinery,
- New Sun Shades,

A CHOICE LOT OF

Ladies' Silk Umbrellas;

At 12 1/2 cents, the best lot of PRINTS ever offered here.

NOW IN STOCK.

1000 CORSETS

Come and See them. Prices to suit everyone.

OPENED YESTERDAY, a case of

Tweeds, 75 cents per yd.

Worth \$1.

Lace Curtains

From \$1 and upwards, to \$10.

WM. STEWART.

Guelph, April 7, 1873. dw

AGRICULTURAL

Implement Works and Foundry

IN GUELPH

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

The undersigned has been instructed to offer for sale, on the ground, on Thursday, the Twenty-second Day of May, 1873, the Agricultural Implement Works Foundry and other property of Thain, Elliott & Co., in the Town of Guelph.

The sale is made in consequence of the dissolution of the Partnership.

The property consists of:
Parcel one: Lot Number 1331, on the Erasmus Road, and south bank of the River Speed, in the Town of Guelph, with Stone Factory 30x50, three stories high.
Stone working shop, 30x40.
Stone blacksmith's shop, paint shop, sheds, &c.

There is also thereon erected a first-class two-story stone dwelling house, 30x40, with stone kitchen attached.

Also, the following machinery:
One 12 horse power Engine and boiler complete (first cost new).
One Iron Turning Lathe and tools, 8 feet bed.
One Iron Turning Lathe and tools, 18 feet bed.
One mangle and boring machine.
One Daniel's Planer.
One Vertical Drill and rose bits for same.

Together with a large quantity of other machinery and tools for making patterns of various kinds of Agricultural Implements. The foregoing property will be sold in one lot.

This sale presents a favorable opportunity for acquiring an established manufacturing business in complete working order, in one of the best agricultural sections, and in one of the most flourishing towns in Ontario (Guelph), possessing unrivalled railway facilities, having the Grand Trunk, Great Western, and Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railways.

There will also be offered for sale at the same time and place, 3 Lots on Perth street, Guelph, viz: Lots 7, 8, and 9, with building thereon. These Lots are situated on the north bank of the river, and are admirably adapted for manufacturing purposes.

Sale to commence at one o'clock, p.m. The property can be viewed at any time before the day of sale. Immediate possession will be given, and a good title made to purchaser.

Terms, which are liberal, will be made known at time of sale, or on application to the Vendor's Solicitors, Messrs. Guthrie, Watt & Cutler, Guelph.

W. S. G. KNOWLES, Auctioneer, Guelph, April 22nd, 1873. 103-2awdc

TOWN OF GUELPH.

Court of Revision.

TAKE NOTICE

That the first sitting of the Court of Revision will be held in the Council Chamber, on

Thursday Ev'g, May 22,

Commencing at half-past 7 o'clock.

JOHN HARVEY, Town Clerk.

Town Clerk's Office, May 7, 1873. dwd

NOTICE.

The BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF POLICE, for the Town of Guelph, require two men to undertake day and night duty in the Town, in accordance with the regulations of the Board.

Applicants must be men of ordinary size, and they must be able to read and write with ease and correctness. Applications will be received up to noon on Monday next.

A. ROBERTSON, Chairman of the Board.

Guelph, May 12, 1873. dot-wit