

# The Guelph Evening Mercury

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## Business Cards.

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**AUSTIN C. CHADWICK**, Barrister at Law, Solicitor in Chancery, &c. Market Place, Guelph. Office, corner of next door to the Queen's Hotel. dw

**STEPHEN BOLT**, 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

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

**WILLIAM J. PATERSON**, Official Assignee for the County of Wellington. Office—Opposite Town Hall, Guelph. dw

**THORP'S HOTEL**, GUELPH, remodeled and newly furnished. Good accommodation for commercial travellers. Free omnibus to and from all trains. First-class Lodging in connection. May 14. JAS. A. THORP, Proprietor. dw

**DRS. KEATING & WORSFOLD**, Physicians, Surgeons, &c. Office—the late Dr. Howitt's, Essex street, Guelph. dw

**DR. BROCK**, Residence Directly opposite Chalmers' Church, QUEBEC STREET. dw

**JOHN KIRKHAM**, Silver Plater and Brass Finisher. All orders promptly attended to. Shop—opposite Chalmers' Church, Quebec Street, Guelph. dw

**GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN**, Barristers, Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitors in Chancery, GUELPH, ONTARIO. dw

**F. STURDY**, House, Sign, & Ornamental Painter. GRAINER and PAPER-HANGER. Shop next to the Wellington Hotel, Wyndham Street, Guelph. dw

**MRS. A. T. HEATHFIELD**, Organist and Teacher of Music. Is now prepared, and will be happy to receive pupils for instruction in Music, both Vocal and Instrumental. Piano, Organ, Harmonium, Violin, &c. in Harmony and Composition. References kindly permitted to the Rev. Canon Brent, Newcastle; Samuel Wilnot, Esq., Newcastle, and Mr. John Boucher, Colborne. For terms and particulars apply to Mr. Heathfield, Norfolk Street, opposite the New Baptist Church. dw

**DRESS MAKING.** Miss Craven. Late from Montreal is prepared to undertake Dressmaking, Cutting and Fitting in all its branches. All kinds of patterns for Ladies and children for sale. Sanilinc-st., over Mr. Kennedy's Feed Store. Guelph, July 2, 1872. dw

**W. M. FOSTER, L. D. S.**, SURGEON DENTIST, GUELPH. Office—E. Harvey & Co's Drug Store, Corner of Wyndham and Quebec Streets, Guelph. References kindly permitted to Drs. Herod, Clarke, Tuck, McGuire, Keating, Cowan and McGee, Guelph; W. K. Graham, Dentist, Brampton. dw

**DOMINION SALOON.** The Coolest and Nicest Summer Drinks to be had at this saloon. A supply of the Montreal CELEBRATED GIN & TONIC always on hand. The best Liquors and Cigars always in stock. DENIS BUNYAN, Guelph, June 14, 1872. dw

**FOR SALE AT A. H. R. Kennedy's Flour and Feed Store.** Goldie's Standard Family Flour, McLean's Best Oatmeal, Fine Corn Meal for family use, Oats, Pease, Corn, Screenings, Bran, Shorts and Middlings always sold at the lowest price. Remember the stand—Anderson's new building, next door to Wm. Sunley's tin shop West Market Square. dw

**PARKERS HOTEL**—DIRECTLY—OPPOSITE THE MARKET, GUELPH. First-class accommodation for travellers. Commodious stabling and an attentive hostler. The best of Liquors and Cigars at the bar. JAMES PARKER, Proprietor. Guelph, Feb. 6, 1872. dw

**CASH FOR WOOL, HIDES, SHEEP-SKINS, CALF SKINS, and WOOL-PICKINGS.** The highest market price paid for the above at No. 4, Gaveon Street, Day's Oil Block, Guelph. Orders promptly attended to. J. M. ULTON & BISH, Guelph, April 12, 1872. dw

## New Advertisements.

**SERVANT GIRL WANTED.**—Foolish, stout preferred. Apply at this office. 25

**SERVANT WANTED.**—Wanted, a general servant. Apply to Mrs. C. Sharpe, Waterloo Road. 25

**FURNISHED LODGINGS & BOARD** for a married couple without pretensions, in a quiet and highly convenient neighborhood, and with a respectable family. Apply at this office. 25

**TENDERS WANTED.**—For building a School House, adjoining St. Andrew's Church, Guelph. Plans and specifications at Mr. Boulton's office, 111 St. August, when all tenders must be in the hands of Mr. Chas. Davidson. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. 25

**SEVEN OCTAVE SQUARE PIANO TO RENT.** If purchased within one year, rent will be allowed on the purchase money. Apply to McLEOD, WOOD & Co. Guelph, July 28, 1872. dw

**LOTS FOR SALE.**—For sale twenty-four lots in Jackson's Survey, near Mr. John Horstman's residence. Twenty-three of the lots are a quarter of an acre each, more or less. Terms, one-fifth of the purchase money down, the balance in five years, with interest at 6 per cent. Apply to John Jackson, Tanner, Guelph. my30-3md

**INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869.** In the matter of THOMAS & DUBOIS, Boiler Makers. The Insolvents have made an assignment of their Estate to me, and the Creditors are notified to meet at my office, in Guelph, on the 14th day of August, at 10 o'clock, a.m., to receive statements of their Affairs, and to appoint an Assignee. WILLIAM J. PATERSON, Official Assignee. Dated at Guelph this 25th day of July, 1872. dw

**CITIZENS' INSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA.** Accident, Life and Guarantee. Capital, ONE MILLION. HEAD OFFICE, MONTREAL. Sir Hugh Allan, President. Edwin Atwater, Vice President. Accident Policies issued. Fidelity of Employees Guaranteed, and Life Risks taken on the most reasonable terms. This being a Canadian Company, and sustained by the largest capitalists and merchants of Montreal, is entitled to and solicits the support of the Canadian Public. Full particulars of each department may be obtained of WILLIAM J. PATERSON, Agent at Guelph. July 26-27 dw

**NEW FANCY STORE.** Mrs. Moyes begs to thank her numerous friends for the patronage conferred on her, and to inform them and the public generally that on account of the success that has already followed her efforts, she has made large purchases of

**FANCY GOODS, AND BERLIN WOOLS** and has added Children's Dresses, &c. Ladies' Underclothing, Chignons, Switches, Brushes, Baskets, Jewellery, &c. &c. to her stock, to which she would respectfully solicit inspection. Orders for Sewing promptly attended to. MRS. MOYES, West Market Square, Guelph, Guelph, June 20, 1872. 3md

**GREAT CATASTROPHE!** MEN FOUND DYING. Goldie & Co's Dye Works. We beg to inform the inhabitants of Guelph and surrounding district that we have commenced the above business, and hope by strict attention and punctuality to gain the patronage of the public in general. Having had many years experience in the business, we are prepared to turn out work equal to any house in the Dominion. Ladies Dress Goods Cleaned or Dyed all colors of the season: Dresses, Shawls, Jackets, Mantles, &c. &c. Gents Light or Dark Clothes cleaned or dyed and pressed in first-class style: Coats, Pants, Vests, Top-coats, &c. Curtains—Damask, Repp, Moreen, &c. cleaned or dyed equal to new. Carpets, doormats, &c. Guelph. Kid Gloves cleaned or dyed. Feathers cleaned, dyed and curled. N.B.—Mourning dyed on the shortest notice. Sheepskins cleaned or dyed. GOLDIE & CO'S Dyeing and Scouring Works, Upper Wyndham st., next door to Kay's Brass Foundry, near the Alma Block. Guelph, July 27, 1872. dw2m

**DOMINION Boot and Shoe Store.** Noted for Cheap Boots and Shoes. A large stock constantly on hand, selling CHEAP FOR CASH.

The subscriber would call attention to his present stock Ladies' French, Kid and Morocco's, &c. embracing some of the latest styles of the season.

**ALL KINDS OF CUSTOM WORK** Under the superintendence of Mr. ALLEN. All work warranted to give satisfaction in point of material and workmanship. Remember the address—

**WM. TAWSE,** Dominion Boot and Shoe Store, Opposite the Market House. Guelph, July 10, 1872. dwtf

**CONTRACTORS AND OTHERS** The subscriber keeps on hand Fresh Limes, Stone, Sand, Posts, Lumber, &c., which he will sell at reasonable prices to all who may favor him with their patronage. He also keeps teams on hand, to be let by the day or otherwise, at his residence near the G. R. station, where he will see to this new business in person in the usual way, and hopes to be patronized hereafter as he has been in the past. Orders promptly attended to. DENIS COFFEY, Guelph, April 11th 1872. dw2m

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### Town and County News.

The potato bug continues its ravages about Orangeville.

**PIC-NIC.**—The employees of the Guelph Sewing Machine Company will hold a picnic in Mitchell's grove on Thursday next. Entrance to the grove through Dr. Clarke's grounds.

**THE CARRIAGE VILLAIN.**—We are glad to observe that the villainous trick perpetrated on Mr. Doyle's cabbages, about a week ago, has not been productive of the success anticipated; most, if not all of the cabbages that were replanted having taken root again, although of course, their growth will be much retarded. No clue as yet to the rascal.

**QUEEN VS. LUDLOW AND MOORE.**—Dr. McMichael for prisoner Ludlow, and Mr. Watt for prisoner Moore renewed application to the Judge at Toronto, to bail the prisoners, who are charged with shooting one Hunter at Arthur on the 12th of July last. Mr. Nicol appeared for the Attorney-General. His Lordship, Mr. Justice Galt, refused the application and commented strongly on the practice of carrying fire-arms.

**AN ORCHARD CURIOSITY.**—Mr. Henlock Young, Guelph Township, informs us that he has a pear tree in his orchard, which has blossomed three times in the course of this season, and that pears have been set after each blossoming, and there is every indication that pears will be set for this third time. Friend Henlock is not only great on cabbages, but is evidently profuse in pears. We wish him much enjoyment in his "fruitful field" in his green age.

**NEWS ITEMS.** Six hundred shoemakers in Lynn, Mass., are on strike.

The grain crops of Illinois, Wisconsin and Minnesota, promise a full average.

Recent reports from Central Europe state that the crop prospects are favorable. The planting of placards of quack medicines has been prohibited in the streets of Chicago.

The mayors of Yiddo and New York have exchanged compliments by telegraph.

Professor Blackie will shortly publish a new volume of poems, entitled "Lays of the Highlands and Islands."

Tomato plants grow eighteen feet high in California, and the fowls of the air lodge in the branches.

The Merchants' Exchange in St. Louis is one of the largest and handsomest structures of the kind in the world.

An order has lately been issued by the Pullman Palace Car Company requiring each conductor to deposit \$100 to secure their against loss.

Mlle. Christine Nilsson was married in Westminster Abbey, on Saturday, to M. Rouzand, a stock-broker of Paris, and son of a French Admiral.

It is understood that the marriage of the Earl of Breadalbane and Lady Alma Louise Graham, youngest daughter of the Duke and Duchess of Montrose, will take place towards the end of this month.

The Advocate says the most noticeable feature at a picnic recently held at Mary's Lake, Muskoka, was a young man 19 years of age, who stood six feet seven inches in height, and weighed only 125 lbs.

Detroit dog owners neither by muzzles nor allow their vagrant animals to be poisoned. Taking a bit of meat they sprinkle it with cayenne pepper, drop it down, and after eating it, the dog can't be made to pick up another piece.

In contradiction of certain rumors the Dominion Minister of Public Works states that working plans for the enlargement of the Welland Canal are in course of preparation and that tenders for the work will shortly be called for. It will take four years to complete the work.

A young merchant who is trying to struggle along in a falsely economical way took a class in Sunday-school recently. During the progress of the lesson he asked "what is solitude?" and was visibly disturbed when a miserable boy answered: "the store that don't advertise."

A man in Missouri is seeking a divorce from a person to whom he has been married sixteen years, on the ground that that person is not a woman. A sufficient ground, we should think, but it seems to have taken him a long time to find it out.

Livingstone is now 45 years old. His first journey to Africa was undertaken before he was 25 years old and lasted 16 years. It is now six years since he left England and turned his back on all the comforts of life and sweets of civilization to explore the geographical secrets of Africa.

The *Newington Times* says:—On Wednesday last Mr. James Ostrander sold that part of his timber limits situated on the east half of lot No. 6, in the 5th Concession West, Chingacousy, to Messrs. Lathur & Hayes, timber merchants, Toronto, for the sum of \$14,000.

Walnut stamps have become an article of merchandise, and many of them are very valuable. The early grain of the roots is used for veneering, and some stamps are worth \$150, after being properly worked into shape.

A Fond du Lac maiden who saw an outrageous man for the first time, followed the lady for a block or two, thought the obstinate fellow a good thing to prevent it by the passage of stringent laws. Pending this action, the Home Secretary has been instructed to notify all managers permitting such exhibitions that they will be held personally responsible for any accident that may occur during the performances.

## Local and Other Items.

London: the little is now infested with burglars.

The railway laborers on the Collingwood and Meaford railway are paid \$1 40 a day.

The grain crop about Brantford are not so prolific as it was at one time thought to be.

A MANUFACTORY for making articles of jewelry from horn has been started in Sherbrooke. By a certain process the horn is dyed any color desired.

It is understood that the contracts for the Montreal and City of Ottawa Junction Railway are to be signed this week, and that the work will be at once commenced by an American Company.

The *Bruce Reporter* says that the wife of Sam Butler, of Listowel, who was supposed to be murdered, was seen passing through Bayfield shortly after her mysterious disappearance, probably en route for Detroit or Port Huron.

The Hamilton Local Committee of the Provincial Exhibition have adopted a resolution authorising the Secretary to inform the Provincial Committee that the City Council would give \$5,000 and the County Council \$1,200.

J. A. CONNELL, convicted at London last week, of kidnaping, and sentenced to three years in the penitentiary, was sent there last Wednesday. It is said he intends to appeal for the purpose of quashing the indictment, claiming that it is unsupported, insufficient to base a trial upon.

The *New York Times* says whiskey is responsible for a woman being kicked to death, a boy fatally stabbed, two policemen assaulted, four people feloniously attacked, and one man robbed on the public highway in the city of New York, between Saturday and Sunday night last. The demon alcohol is scoring up a fearful record of accountability, and somebody must in the end atone for it.

There is an elderly gentleman at Grimsby, who has in his possession some trees which are not seen growing in the open air in Canada. He has a number of orange and lemon trees, the oldest of which—one twenty-one and the other twenty-five—bear fruit regularly and present a healthy appearance. The fruit has not the same taste as that produced in Southern climes, but it is very fine. So says the St. Catharines Journal.

**MUSICAL CONVENTION.**—The Berlin *Telegraph* says it has been proposed to hold a grand Musical Festival in Berlin some time during the month of September, when prizes to the amount of from four to five hundred dollars will be offered to be competed for by the different Bands in the Province. A number of the leading men in town have the matter under consideration, and we hope by next week to be able to give more particulars.

"SMALL POTATOES."—There are some very small insurance companies in Canada, but the litter of baby companies that New Hampshire is able to support is something to be wondered at. Fifteen of these town mutual fire insurance companies had assets of \$2,555, or \$170 apiece. One of them has \$8 13 of realized assets, and four of them are unable to show \$15 apiece. Perhaps the most remarkable feature in the case is that insurance in consideration, and we hope by next week to be able to give more particulars.

**ABERDEEN ELECTION.**—The majority for Mr. Leith in the late election of representative in Parliament, for Aberdeen, Scotland, was perhaps unprecedented. Mr. Leith came on the ground only 48 hours before the day of nomination; yet he had a majority of 1,777 over his Liberal rival, and 3,688 over the Conservative. The Conservatives did not poll more than one-tenth of the votes cast for the two Liberal candidates. So much for the "great reaction" in favour of Conservatism, at least as far as the granite city is concerned.

**MURDER OF A MISSIONARY.**—Our Halifax despatches mention a report of the murder of the Rev. Mr. Gordon, missionary of the Presbyterian Church of the Lower Provinces to Ebronamo, one of the new Hebrides groups. The history of the mission on this island is a tragical one. It was here that Williams and Harris fell under the clubs of the natives, and several years ago Rev. Mr. Gordon and his wife were cruelly murdered by the people for whom they had laboured for over a year. Immediately upon the news reaching Nova Scotia, his brother volunteered to succeed him in the same good work, and now, if the report be true, he has met the same fate.

**WEST MONTROSE.**—The Berlin *Telegraph* says: Hay is well advanced. The crop is generally light, with however an exceptional good average of field. A larger amount of barley than usual was this year sown by way of experiment. The venture is likely to prove a profitable one the crop looking in most instances exceedingly well. Turnips and potatoes are for the time being at the mercy (and by and by) of the former crop of the fly and bug. Of the former crop there cannot be above half the usual yield, although, here also, as in the case of hay there are exceptions. A number of mean petty thefts have been committed in this neighborhood of late. A few evenings ago Mr. J. M. Woodard lost in this manner a 25 pound cheese; Mr. Musser a bag of potatoes, and Mr. Anderson a quantity of butter.

**ENCOURAGEMENT OF NATIVE TALENT.**—The publisher of the Montreal *Heartstone* is desirous of unearthing the hidden talent buried throughout Canada, and for this purpose has offered a handsome premium of \$500 as a first prize for a story of one hundred columns; also \$200 and \$150 respectively as second prizes. And for the two best short stories complete in one number a first prize of \$50, and a second prize of \$25. Here is a splendid opportunity offered for a display of native talent, and we hope to see a lively response from all parts of Canada to the liberal offers of Mr. Desbarrets. The scenes must be laid in Canada, and the tales of a purely native character. Stories will be received until the 1st of October next when the selections will be made and the prizes forwarded at once, any further particulars may be obtained from the publisher of the *Heartstone*, Montreal.

## DESTRUCTIVE FIRE AT OTTAWA.

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Mr. Wilfang ran to his father-in-law's room and opened the door, but was driven back by the fire. He then tried to gain an entrance by two windows, one after the other, but was prevented by the flames. By that time the fire had got through the door into the kitchen, and thence spread through the rooms on the lower flat, thus preventing the family from saving anything.

Nothing is known of the origin of the fire, but it is supposed that the old man had got up, lighted a candle, and gone into the next room, and on his return had fallen, dropping the candle, which had ignited some light wood near the stove, and Mr. Musser, from his great age, being stunned by the fall was unable either to escape or give the alarm. This view of the case is borne out by the fact that his remains were found lying across the threshold with the head below the room where he slept, and the feet under the other room. Dr. Swan, of Hespeler, is holding an inquest and the jury will probably give a verdict in accordance with the above facts. The neighbors are doing all in their power to assist Mr. Wilfang. Messrs. David Panabaker, and David Holm, went out among the friends yesterday and succeeded in getting sufficient clothing, bed-clothing, provisions etc., to make the family comfortable until they have time to make the necessary arrangements. Insurance companies are being called upon to assist Mr. Wilfang in the Menomone Mutual. It also appears that out of about \$100 which the old man had in the house, \$40 in silver was found very little damaged, but the balance being in bills was burned.

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**Latest from Fort Garry.** Fort Garry, Man., July 27. Dr. Punshon delivered his lecture on the Men of the Mayflower to a large and delighted audience.

The Land Grant is being apportioned by the Lieutenant-Governor. The grant is made into Townships as the laws direct, but so as to secure as nearly as possible the blocks selected last year.

Harvesting has been commenced in some parts of the Province.

Lymphoid fever is prevalent; one case proved fatal yesterday.

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**Latest from Fort Garry.** Fort Garry, Man., July 27. Dr. Punshon delivered his lecture on the Men of the Mayflower to a large and delighted audience.

The Land Grant is being apportioned by the Lieutenant-Governor. The grant is made into Townships as the laws direct, but so as to secure as nearly as possible the blocks selected last year.

Harvesting has been commenced in some parts of the Province.

Lymphoid fever is prevalent; one case proved fatal yesterday.