Guelph Evening Mercury

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West Middlesex Election.

The Reform Convention for West Middlesex met at Mount Brydges on Friday, and nominated Mr. Watterworth, of Mosa, as a candidate for the seat in the Local Legislature rendered vacant by the resignation of Hon. Mr. Mackenzie. The London *Advertiser* says of him:—"Mr. Watterworth is well know throughout the country, having served in various public capacities for several years, including that Warden of Middlesex for 1871. His knowledge of the wants and wishes of the residents of the Riding is extensive, and he is possessed of ability sufficient to advocate the interests of his constituents in Parliament in a way that will command attention and respect. As a thoroughly consistent Reformer, Mr. Watterworth is entitled to the entire confidence of his party, and we feel satisfied he will receive their unanimous and hearty support, should the Tories offer any opposition to his return. His claims upon the electors are of the strongest possible kind. A resident farmer, of unimpeachable character and extensive municipal experience, no better representative could be desired, and we feel satisfied of his triumphant return, let opposition appear in whatever form it may."

Dr. Maudsley to the Rescue.

The eccentric Reeve of the Township of Maryboro is determined that his light shall not be hid under a bushel. Feeling the great responsibilities of his office, and fired with a patriotic zeal to take the interests and destines of the Township he represents under his special protection, he has on more than one occasion come forward as its champion, and proclaimed to the world that he has vowed a a solemn vow that he will not rest till he sees it get, as he eloquently expresses it, "fair play." To this end he moved a resolution at the June meeting of the County Council, for a petition to the Ontario Government, asking that a share of the surplus be granted to those municipalities in Wellington which had given bonuses to aid in the construction of the W. G. & B. R., because, as he chose to put it, the Government had returned to the County of Bruce a portion of its bonus to the same road. This resolution was looked upon as a piece of innocent buncombe on the part of the irrepressible Doctor, and being perfectly harmless in its nature, no one opposed its adoption. During the late contest in the North Riding the Doctor also tried to make a little capital out of this subject for his friend Drew, and charged the Local Government with injustice to this County, and partiality towards the County of Bruce in the matter of these railway bonuses. He was most effectually answered by the Hon. Mr. McKellar at the nomination at Arthur. That gentleman put the whole question in its proper light before the electors. He showed that the Government had no other option in dealing with the County of Bruce than the way they did, for they were only acting on the provisions of a legal agreement which no Government could override or set aside. He promised also, on behalf of the Government that as regards a division of the surplus, the Municipalities referred to would be justly dealt with.

Dr. Maudsley, however, is not satisfied with this assurance, and as we see by the proceedings at a late meeting of the Township Council of Maryboro, he has again brought up the question in the following communication to that body. As a literary effort it beats anything we have seen for some time. The delightful way in which all the subjects are jumbled together is eminently characteristic of the doctor. No Government could withstand such an appeal, and we expect they will at once cave in before the tremendously long sentence in which the doctor crowds his whole case. After penning such a brilliant production, we would advise the Doctor to rest on his laurels. Here it is:—

To the Council of Maryboro',

GENTLEMEN,—I beg to draw your attention to a subject of very great importance to the interests of the Ratepayers of this Township. I allude to what I believe to be the just claims of our Township on the Government of Ontario to receive from the railway fund aid equal in amount to what was granted aiding in the construction of Railways in the County of Bruce, while railroads, as far as that County is concerned, would be a *thing of the future*, but for the spirited action of the ratepayers of this Township, nobly aided as they were by the self-sacrificing efforts of their fellow electors of the North and Centre Bidings of this County, and we most cheerfully admit the men of Wallace and Howick to share equally with us the honor of carrying out our great Railway undertaking.

And I would take the liberty of suggesting to you that you should take immediate action in conjunction with the Municipalities I have named to have your honest claims urged by all legitimate means upon the attention of the Government of Ontario.

The Montreal *Herald* says that Mr. DeCosmos, of British Columbia, stands pledged to act with the Parti-Nationale of Quebec. In that case, Sir John will not get very much of his support.

Political Items.

Mr. Brockelbank, the Tory candidate in South Bruce in opposition to Mr. Wells, is the same gentleman who first opposed Mr. Blake. He is a German and a resident of the country but will not meet with much better success than did Mr. Hurdon in the late contest with Mr. Blake. McDougall has promised to give him a lift but E. B. Wood will be on hand to attend to him.

We have it on the authority of the Ottawa correspondent of the *Leader*, that Mr. Rochester, the member elect for Carleton, intends to vote with the Opposition. We shall not be surprised if he does. His return was strongly opposed by the Ministerial organs and the Ministry itself. Mr. Rochester certainly owes neither thanks nor allegiance to Sir John.

The Hamilton *Times* says that when Sir F. Hincks arrived from the Windward Islands, a few years ago, he was impolitely styled a "Resurrected Mummy." Now that he is to sit in Parliament as the representative chiefly of the Chinese population of a Vancouver's Island district, we presume he will be entitled to be known as the mouth-piece of the "Heathen Chinee.' The unfortunate man, from the time he became a Barbadoesian to the present, seems destined to be the holder of uncouth appellations. As the mouth piece of China in the Canadian Parliament, he has a brillant future before him.

Another subservient politican has received his reward. Mr. E. H. Macdonald, late M. P. for Lunenburg, has been appointed Collector of Customs at Halifax. Mr. Macdonald was at one time a bitter opponent of the Government from whom he now receives this appointment.

The Chicoutimi election took place on Monday, but there is no possibility of obtaining returns for several days. The accounts on both sides agree that M. Gagne, the Opposition candidate, will be victorious, the Price family having lost most of their influence with the Canadian population there.

It is said that Sir Geo. Cartier will come forward for the county of Lavalle. Bellerose, the present member, will resign with the prospect of being elected Speaker of the Legislative Assembly of Quebec in room of Blanchet, who is named clerk to the House of Commons. It is said, however, that Cartier cannot in all liklihood survive four or five months. At present he is unable to cross his room without assistance. His disease his dropsy. He will, it is believed, leave shortly for a two months' stay in Florida, accompanied by his legal partner, Mr. Poinville, who is also in delicate health.

Hon. A. Dorion arrived in Montreal on Monday, having just returned from Europe. He was met at Bonaventure station by a number of his political friends, who escorted him to his residence. It was intended that a public demonstration should take place in honour of his arrival, but this has been deferred for a few days and will in all probability take place in the county for which he has recently been elected.

North American Boundary Surveying Expedition.

We take the following from the London *Daily News* of the 21st of August, respecting the detachment of engineers which passed through Toronto on Friday on their way to the North West;—The detachment of non-commissioned officers and men of the Royal Engineers selected for service in North America, where they will be employed in making a re-survey of the boundary line between the British possessions and the United States, left the school of military engineering at an early hour yesterday morning after having been previously inspected by Col. J. M. Grant, and proceeded to Liverpool, where they embark on board the mail screw steamer *Scandinavian* for Quebec. The expedition numbered 44 non-commissioned officers and men, together with the following officers, viz.: Capt. S. Anderson, late Secretary of the Torpedo Committee in command; Capt. A. Featherstonhaugh, Lieut. A. C. Ward, and Lieut W. J. Galwey. Capt. R. Cameron, R.A., is likewise ordered to proceed with the detachment from Liverpool. The expedition will be under the orders of the Government of the Dominion, from whom they will receive their instructions together with the necessary funds for prosecuting the work on which they will be engaged. From Quebec the members of the expedition will proceed, in the first instance, to the Red River Settlement, the boundary line of which will be first surveyed. The detachment is expected to be absent from England about six years.

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Clear, Bright Colour, Free from Offensive Odour, does not Smoke the Glass.
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THE REASON WHY.—*La Minerve* is inconsolable for the defeat of Sir George E. Cartier. How such a great and good man could have been so ignominiously rejected by his compatriots passes its comprehension, and it has been busy searching out all manner of occult influences to account therefor. It now lays his defeat at the door of *Le Nouveau Monde*, which opposed him in revenge for the wet blanket he and his party threw on the Programmist movement. *La Minerve* says:—"We acknowledge it; M. Cartier's defeat is due to *Le Nouveau Monde*, whose articles have contributed more than anything else to excite the populace in the Eastern Division. The axe-handles were furnished to the mob wrapped up in the articles by the puissant Canon," who edits that paper. This is amusing at least.—*Witness.*

The state of society in some parts of the Western and Southern States is shown by two despatches this morning. In one country in Arkansas the militia has been ordered out to enforce the law, and in another place in Illinois a mob, who were repulsed from a jail which they attempted to break open for the purpose of lynching a criminal, set fire to the town in revenge.

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Also, all the ANALINE DYES in quantities to suit purchasers.

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Printed directions given with each purchase.

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Family and Dispensing Chemists.
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SEWING MACHINES

Family Sewing Machine (single thread);
" Hand Lock Stitch (double thread)
" No. 1, Foot Power, " "
" No. 2, for heavy work;
Furnished with plain tables, half, or Cabinet Cases, as required.

CHARLES RAYMOND,
GUELPH, ONT.
July 12, 1871 dwly

New Advertisements.

COMMENCING TO-DAY.

We commence opening up our New Fall Stock to-day, and hope to have it completed by the 20th inst., when we will be prepared to exhibit a Stock of Goods never before excelled in this town.

A. O. BUCHAM,
Fashionable West End Dress, Millinery and Mantle Establishment.
Guelph, Sep. 9, 1872 dwy

GUELPH CLOTH HALL
Shaw & Murton
Have just received the Latest Styles in English, American and Canadian
FELT AND FUR HATS
AND
CLOTH CAPS.
SHAW & MURTON,
Merchant Tailors, Wyndham Street,
Guelph, Aug. 30, 1872. dw

G. B. FRASER,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

OPENED OUT
—AT—
G. B. FRASER'S,
A full assortment of
MOURNING GOODS,
SUITABLE
FOR FALL AND WINTER WEAR,
VIZ:
Black Crape Cloths,
Black Repps,
Black double warp Lustres,
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Black French Merinoes.
The new style Black Paramatta equal to French Merinoes in wear, and at half the price.
Courtald's Black Crapes, on which rain or damp has no effect.
Samples sent free of charge throughout Ontario.
G. B. FRASER.

Direct Importer of Dry Goods

Ex. Steamship St. David,
From Glasgow.
2 cases Aberdeen Winceys,
1 " Paisley Shawls,
2 " Wool Shawls,
1 " Balmoral Skirtings.

Ex. S. S. Sarmatian
From Liverpool.
2 cases Dress Goods,
3 cases Flannels,
3 bales Blankets,
1 case French Merinoes,
1 case French Kid Gloves.

Just opened and for sale at
G. B. FRASER'S,
Direct Importer, Guelph.
and Family Groceries, Wyndham Street, Guelph.
Guelph, September 2, 1872 dw

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JUST ARRIVED.
A SPLENDID STOCK OF
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CAPS
ALL THE NEWEST STYLES
AT JAMES CORMACK'S,
No. 1, Wyndham Street.

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CO-OPERATIVE STORE.

STOCK TAKING SALE

Common Knitting Yarns		40c per lb.
White Fingering Wools	$1 00	" "
Knitting Cotton	25c	" "
Crochet do	75c	per doz.
Machine Spools (unglazed)	40c	" "
All wool Tweeds	75c	per yard
" " Scarlet Flannel	25c	" "
Splendid Blankets	90c	per lb.

J. C. MACKLIN & Co.
Guelph, Aug. 19, 1872 dw

AT
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NEXT THE POST OFFICE,
YOU CAN GET AT REDUCED PRICES
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Gold and Silver Chains, Gold Sets, Brooch and Ear Rings, Finger Rings, Plated Jewellery in every variety, having resolved to go into the
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As soon as the stock is sold out.
Special attention given to
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Which will be carried on to a greater extent than ever, and at the old prices.
Gold and Silver Plating done on the premises. ☞ Observe the address—
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Guelph, Aug. 26, 1872 dw

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IN GREAT VARIETY
At Lowest Prices, at
John A. Wood's.

DETROIT
FINE CUT
CHEWING TOBACCO
at John A. Wood's.

JELLY CANS
With Patent Tops
Require no fixing, for sale
at John A. Wood's.

FRUIT JARS,
AIR TIGHT,
Quart Size, $1.25 pr doz.
At John A. Wood's.

OUR STOCK
which approaches
HALF A MILLION
—IS—
NOW COMPLETE.
JNO MACDONALD & CO.
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Cabinet Maker and Undertaker,
Begs to inform the inhabitants of Guelph and surrounding country that he has commenced business in the stand known as M. J. Doran's Grocery Store, opposite the Market. As I have purchased a New and Handsome Hearse I will keep on hand a full assortment of everything in the undertaking business. Metalic, Rosewood, Walnut, and Cloth Covered Coffins kept in stock.
All kinds of Cabinet work made to order.
Particular attention paid to the repairing and varnishing of furniture.
As I intend to devote my attention to both branches, I hope to merit a share of public patronage. Charges moderate.
Wanted— quantity of Seasoned Butternu and Cherry.
Wanted — A pair of well-matched black horses. MICHAEL DUIGNEN,
Guelph, June 15, 1872. dw6m

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