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GUELPH POST OFFICE. Evening Mercuny. Arrival and Defivery of Mails.

TUESDAY EVENING, AUGUST 20.

General News.

ACCIDENT.-A boy in Londown town ship named Rossier, was amusing himself with a pet colt in the field, close by a span of horses that were attached to a waggon drawing in grain. As soon as the horse started, the colt sprang forward, giving the nomination in the the boy a fall which dislocated his neck, has not yet been fixed. sed instantaneous death. and ca

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TRAVELLERS' GUIDE.

SOUTH RIDING

OF WELLINGTON.

issembly of the Fronce of Orlands.

My residence amongst you extends to nearly a uniter of a century; and having for the greater ortion of that time taken an active part both a unitelpal and political matters, my antecedents re-consequently well known to most of you. I could be consequently well known to most of you.

I have been an earnest and zealous advocate the Confederation of the Provinces, and now hea

hearty support to any liberal, well-digested in are that has this object in view? and the ene-general of immigration to the Province. Our new Manicipal and Agessement Arts, longic in many respects improvements on pro-is legislation grant still detective in several poin shall give these matters my carried consider any between the many between the and in the abovement.

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Guelph P. O., July 23, 1867.

The second one of what threatens to be a series of "Little Stories for Little Folks," has made its appearance in the Hamilton Spectatar. These are intended parties from Guelph who attended the Hamilton Spectator. These are intended for political burlesques, and are beyond vapid things that have yet made their roughs," and tries to get out of the diffi-appearance in that most prosy and vapid culty by fastening the charge on us. For of all Canadian Journals.

North and South Wentworth progresses favourably for the interests of the Reform that all parts of the Ridings promise to give a good account of themselves at the GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY. approaching elections. Work must be done and that quickly and effectively, Day Express. 9.45 a.m. Eve. Express. 3.33 p. m Mail. 5.50 " Night Ex 2.45 a.m. however, if Reformers desire to see their GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY. principles triumph.

Assassination of Lopez.—Vengeance is swift in Mexico, if the following story be true; and we may say that it is regard ed by many as quite authentic:—Lopez was stopping at a hotel in Puebla, where his wife spurned him from her presence. Early one morning a Mexican arrived, and familiarized himself with an hostler in a livery stable, adjoining the hotel.-Gen. Miguel Lopez was enquired for, but that we employed them. But it won't do. not being in, the stranger was told that The pretext is too flimsy, the charge too To the Electors of the South Riding the General would be in at dinner. fore the dinner hour, Lopez returned and sibility. In compliance with the unanimous request of the delegates of the Room Convention of the South Riding of Wellington, I am a candidate for the representation of this Riding in the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario.

in decidedly in favor of a pure party govern-it as being, in my estimation, test adapted for proper carrying out of the British system of ponsible Government.

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| | To the many other subjects that will engage the | Grenville, Tuesday, | |
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| | tario, and the various questions that must of ne- | North Perth, Wednesday | 28th " |
| | cessity from time to time arise, I shall be prepared | | |
| | to give a careful and dispassionate consideration, | POLLING DAYS. | |
| | and decide in all cases to the best of my judgment, | | |
| | ever keeping in view the general interests and prosperity of the Province at large. | South Ontario, August | 26 and 2' |
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| | I will advocate the most rigid economy in all | Ottawa do | 26 and 2' |
| | the departments of the Government, consistent with the efficient administration of the public ser- | Lennox do | 27 and 28 |
| | vice, and shall oppose all unnecessary expendi- | London do | 28 and 29 |
| ı | ture of the public funds. | West Northumberland, do | 28 and 29 |
| | The question of Defence belong weln wely to | Cornwall do | 28 and 29 |
| | the General Government, but I was heartily co- | | 29 and 30 |
| Ų | operate with your representative in the Commons | East Durham do | |
| | to promote every prudent measure for the proper defence of the Dominion. | Glengarry do | 29 and 30 |
| | | Prescott do | 30 and 31 |
| | Gentlemen, should you honor me with your con- fidence, I shall endeavor to discharge the responsi- | South Leeds do | 30 and 3 |
| | ble duties devolving upon me as your representa- | Toronto do | 30 and 31 |
| | tive faithfully and honorably to the utmost of my | South Wentworth do | 30 and 31 |
| | ability | West York do | 30 and 31 |
| | I have have the honor to be, | East Northumberland, do | 30 and 31 |
| | Gentlemen, | Frontenac do | 30 and 31 |
| | Your most obedient servant, | Welland do | 30 and 31 |
| | PETER GOW | West Hastings Sept'er | |
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| | sesses Medicinal qualities not surpassed by any other in America. The grounds are fitted up in a | North Perth do | 5 and 6 |
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| | furnish every comfort and luxury to all who may | Brockville do | 2 and 3 |
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Local News.

SOUTH RIDING NOMINATION.

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The Advertiser finds it has got itself into a fight place by calling some of the difference of the parties from Guelph who attended the got and the season and t political burlesques, and are beyond Morriston meeting a "gang of tipsy stion the most nonsensical and most hirelings, choreboys, and professional WENTWORTH.—The canvass in both any of the Advertiser's former efforts.

fore the dinner hour. Lopez returned-and was pointed out to the stranger, who made special note of his man. When commanded special note of his man. When some minutes, during which time the stranger called for and drank a glass of wine, he deliberately rose, drew a concealed knife, and sprang upon Lopez and stabbed him nine times. The stranger then took his hat, and, as he started to leave, said: "This is the way all traitors should be paid." No one interfered, or prevented the assassin from leaving.—Thus was the blood of Maximilian, Miramon, Mejia, yes, thousands of others, averged.

**The Uniontown [Ohio] Standard gives the following important information for wool growers: "If sheep are kept in the same lot with cows or fat cattle, no dogs will disturb them. As soon as the dogs approach them they run to the cattle, who drive off the dogs. A farmer of 30 years in Shelby adopted this plan, and he never lost a sheef by dogs, although in the neighborhood the dogs had killed sheep to the north and south of him.

NOMINATIONS.

South Ontario, Monday, 19th Aug. Carletob, "19th "

been a public man many years, can answer:—

1st. Are there some Hotel-keepers who are not of sober habits? If so, how many such do you know belonging to Guelph?

2nd. Will you define what drunkenness is, how much a hotel-keeper may drink and yet be of "sober habits," and also how often he may get drunk and not be a drunkard?

3rd. Whom would you appoint as proper parties to decide respecting the sober habits or otherwise of hotel-keepers? A jury composed of hotel-keepers or one composed of Teetotallers?

4th. Don't you think it would be a benefit to the entire people to let your friends, the hotel-keepers, have open houses, night and day—Sundays as well as Mondays? Is it not "most unjust and arbitrary" to shut them up from doing good, especially "considering the amount of license they are compelled to pay?"

Immediate answers to the above queries will oblige,

AN ENQUIRER.

will oblige, AN ENQUIRER. Guelph, Aug. 20, 1867.

TORNADO AT FERGUS.—A terrific tornado, taking an easterly course, swept over a tract of country about three-fourths of a mile wide and five miles to the north of Fergus on Sunday afternoon, unroofing barns, blowing down chimneys and has stacks, leveling fences, grain, and an immense number of trees, also the telegraph wires, and the walls of a brick church in course of erection on the Owen Sound road. The damage is very great.

The Kingston nominations took place yesterday. Sir John A. Macdonald and Dr. John Stuart were nominated for the House of Commons, and Dr. Marwell, W. Strange and J. Stuart for the Local Legislature.

TOWN COUNCIL.

The Council met on Monday night.— Present, the Malyor in the chair; Dr. Her-od, Messrs. Holliday, Thomson, Melvin, Sayers, McCurry, Mays, Mitchell, Chad-wick, Heffernan, Peterson, Massie and

The nomination for this Riding has been fixed to come off on Friday, the 30th inst., and the polling days on the 6th and 7th of September. We will give the polling places as soon as the Proclamation is issued. The day for the nomination in the North Riding has not yet been fixed.

Sayers, and wick, Heffernan, Peterson, Massie and Harvey.

The Clerk after reading the minutes, which were confirmed, intimated that he had received a communication (which he handed to Mr. Holliday to read) from Mr. A. Wells, respecting the condition of the span, the River Speed. They are in a dangerous condition for heavy-loaded teams, and Mr. Wells was of opinion that if they could not be immediately repaired, passage over them should be closed to all but foot passengers. Referred to R. & B. Committee.

think of going until the morning, but go
to his room and go to bed. He complied
with her injunction so far as to go to his
room, and in a few minutes afterwards
she was startled by the report of a pistol,
and rushing to his apartment she found
him lying across the bed, and heard merely a gurgling sound. Dr. Herod was immediately sent for, but medical aid was
in vain—death must have been instantaneous. The ball from the pistol had
entered the left side between the third
and fourth ribs.

Dr. Herod, Coroner, summoned a jury,
composed of the following gentlemen to
investigate the case: Class E. Romain,
foreman; Wm. Lowry, Jas. Cormack, R.
Ainley, E. Newton, F. Prest, A. Thomson,
Jas. Gow, W. Medill, N. Croft, Wm.

The evidence of several witnesses was
taken, but no cause could be assigned for
the ragsh act.

The jury returned a verdict to the
effect, that the eleceased met his death by
his own hand while laboring under a fit
of temporary insanity.

That Precious (?) Letter.

To Mr. Wm. Leslie, the would-like-to-be
Representative for South Wellington.

Dear Sir,—In reading your letter to
the whiskey-sellers, some questions arose
in my mind which, perhaps, one who has
been a public man many years, can an
swer:—

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are not of sober habits? If so, how many

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South Ontario Nomination.

The nomination of candidates for this Riding took place yesterday (Monday). About one thousand people were present. A great many candidates were nominated for both Houses, and the speeches of Messrs Brown, Gibbs and others occupied the time till six o'clock. A poll was demanded for the Hon. Mr. Brown and Mr. Gibbs for the House of Commons, and for Dr. McGill and Dr. Tucker for the Legislature of Ontario. Everything passed off in a most orderly manner, and without the slightest disturbance. The polling commences on Monday the 28th. Accounts from all parts of the Ridding are very cheering for Mr. Brown.

THE HOLIDAY AND EXCURSION.—In accordance with a requisition presented, the Mayor has issued his proclamation.

SINCIPLE IN.

THE HOLIDAY AND EXCURSION.—In accordance with a requisition presented, the Mayor has issued his proclamation appointing Monday first as a holiday in town. We believed it will be generally observed by the people in town. The Great Western Rallway Company have liberally arranged to run a special train from Guelph to the Falls on that day, and put the fare for the round trip at a low figure. People in town and country should not fail to embrace this opportunity of taking a trip to the Falls, as they may not have such a chance again during this beason. The time of departure of the train, fare, etc., will be found in the advertisement in another column.

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Special Despatches Merc

From I Detroit, Aug. 20.—Bay City, Mich., des million feet of lumber. The play this moral tournament was oper tween the Victorias of and the Monitors of S The Canadians played easily, taking the first easily, taking the class prize of a sbarrel, for throwing distance, was won Club—distance 29 afterwards thr

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afternoon.

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