

WAR RUMORS.—A letter from Berlin, in the Temps, says: In political circles here the greatest importance is attached to the interview between the Emperor of Russia and the King of Prussia. An offensive and defensive alliance between the two Powers is more than ever spoken of. Apparently the political horizon is free from clouds; there does not seem to be a question in dispute which is likely to lead to a conflict, but yet the people here believe in an explosion in a short time. People here take on mysterious airs, and say that there is "very disquieting news from France," which requires them to be ready for any contingency, and they add that they are prepared and have nothing to dread. A correspondent, writing from Paris, also says:—"Although Louis Napoleon has proclaimed that nothing threatens the peace of Europe to-day, and the skies are apparently cloudless, I am assured that some of the best informed foreigners—Italian, French and German—in London, men particularly well acquainted with the undercurrents of continental affairs, that this year will not end without seeing a battle between France and Prussia in the vicinity of Mayence, the French dynasty having at last concluded that it cannot last unless it can unite France in a war for the Rhemish provinces, which it is believed would be universally popular."

THE COLENSO TROUBLE.—The vexed question of Dr. Colenso's right to the bishopric of Natal has taken a fresh lease of life. Our readers will remember that on account of his famous book he was formally deposed by an ecclesiastical tribunal; that he resisted; and that the civil courts of Great Britain pronounced in his favor. Now it seems that a new bishop for the See of Natal is about to be consecrated in England, and so the relations of the Church and State will be brought to a very delicate point. Dr. Colenso, with the judges to back him, will be able to enforce a claim to the diocesan revenues, and though the consecration of the new prelate will undoubtedly, according to the principles of the Church of England, be valid, it is not easy to perceive how the Archbishop of Canterbury can put him in possession of his See. The real trouble falls upon the unhappy sheep over whom the rival shepherds will have to quarrel.

THE TORONTO TELEGRAPH.—A despatch from Toronto informs us that the Toronto Telegraph was issued to-day as a morning paper, and that henceforth a morning and evening edition will be issued each day. The Telegraph is now one of the most spirited and best conducted daily papers in Ontario, and we hope the proprietors will realize all the success their enterprise deserves.

STILL SULKY.—The Nova Scotia government has determined not to permit the splendid new Provincial Building at Halifax, erected at an immense cost to Nova Scotia, to pass into the hands of the Dominion government. The Provincial Crown Land Department, and probably some of the other departments which require more room, will forthwith take up their quarters in the building.

THE FENIAN CONVENTION.—A large gathering of Fenian notables took place in New York last week. The object of the meeting was to make a last attempt to unite the two antagonistic "rings" of the brotherhood.

It is expected that Mazzini, Garibaldi, Kossuth, Langiewicz, and some say Victor Hugo, will be present at the revolutionary "peace" congress at Lugano.

An Anti-Union lady in Cumberland County, Nova Scotia, gave birth a few days ago to triplets, two sons and a daughter. The ranks of the Antis are being recruited.

GOLD NEWS.—The Belleville Intelligencer says: While gold discoveries have been languishing in some parts of the back country, Marmora has received a fresh impetus in some very valuable discoveries made in the eighth and ninth concessions. Every day we hear of fresh discoveries. Some months ago it was found at Feigle's, lot 16 in the 11th con. and for some time nothing further in gold was heard of in that quarter, but about a month since a fine lead, showing free gold, was found by one of the Gillens on lot 6 in the 8th concession. At the time of the discovery this was kept quiet, and the lead traced across lots 7, 8, 9 and 10 in the 8th concession, when the news became partially public, and a general rush was made. But titles were so mixed up it became almost impossible to get them perfected after bargains were made.

That this particular section of the country is rich in paying veins of gold bearing quartz there seems to be no doubt, as free gold in several of them can be found with little trouble. As yet the best discoveries are on lot 6 in the 8th concession of Marmora. The quartz is of the same character as found in Nova Scotia, easily worked, and abounding in free gold.

HEARTS.—It is stated by some wiseacre that the heart of a man weighs about nine ounces, that of a woman eight. As the age increases, a man's heart grows heavier and a woman's lighter—some girls lose theirs at sixteen.

Interesting from Ottawa.

It is reported that Lord Monck is not going to return to England this summer, but he is to be continued in his position as Governor-General some time longer, the Imperial Cabinet not deeming it prudent to make a change at present.

A rumor is current that Mr. Howe is to accept office as chairman of the railway commission, but it is not generally credited.

The repeal debate in the Nova Scotia Legislature creeps along slowly. It was expected to end on Friday, but every member seems resolved to make a speech.

Mr. S. S. Dawson left Ottawa on Saturday for Fort William. It is said the Government have not taken any action with regard to the new route discovered by Mr. Dawson, making available a considerable extent of water communication on the Red River route. If Mr. Dawson's discovery is genuine, which there seems no reason to doubt, the other lake work should be stopped at once.

Mr. James O'Reilly, Q. C. of Kingston arrived on Saturday to prepare for the prosecution of the Crown business at the assizes, which commences September 2nd. It is said that Whalen, Doyle, Buckley and Slattery will be arraigned on charge of the murder of Mr. D'Arcy McGee. It is thought probable that the grand jury will bring in true bills by Thursday next, and that counsel will agree to have Whalen's trial commence in a week from next Monday. As there are a large number of witnesses and the trial is expected to occupy at least three days it would, no doubt, be desirable to have the trial commence at the beginning of the week and go on to its end without interruption.

Groves, a waiter at the Russell House, and an important witness against Doyle, a presumed accomplice of Whalen, disappeared on Saturday and is supposed to have crossed to Ogdensburg.

TRACTION AND POETRY.—A very small circumstance in these days often provokes a long poem. The muse that makes her home at Walkerton saw with joy the triumphant entry of the Traction Engine, and inspired "a friend of the iron horse" to sing a welcome to it, and the gentlemen who brought it there. The poet sings very willingly, if not very sweetly, but he makes one sad mistake. The machine he immortalizes is not a horse—it is merely a fool. The following is a specimen of his style:—

Now gentlemen, you've been the first The Iron Horse to introduce; It speaks well for the time to come, Especially for the County Bruce. Such men as ye are seldom found, That advocate our country's need, To find a horse that does so pull, And travel with enormous speed.

There is besides an indefinite number of verses equally pathetic, poetic and something else that ends with an ic.

Local and Miscellaneous

TEACHERS' PIC-NIC.

THE Teachers in the South Riding of Wellington will hold a Pic-Nic on Saturday, the 12th SEPTEMBER, on the grounds of the Rockwood Academy, at 1 o'clock, p.m. It is hoped that the Teachers, and others interested in education, will make it convenient to attend.

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BOOK - KEEPING!

Evening Classes for Young Men.

MR. WM. HART will open classes in BOOK-KEEPING, PENMANSHIP, and COMMERCIAL ARITHMETIC, ON MONDAY EVENING, SEP. 7th, in the West Ward School House. For terms, &c., apply to WM. HART, Teacher. Guelph, August 31st. 46

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Medical Dispensary

An entire NEW STOCK of A SUPPLY OF

Toilet Requisites.

E. HARVEY & CO. Wyndham Street, OPPOSITE ENGLISH CHURCH. Guelph, August 31st. daw

Accommodation STAGE

To and from Fergus.

THE Subscriber begs to intimate to the public that from and after MONDAY, the 31st of August, he will run a Stage daily direct from Fergus to Guelph, as follows: LEAVE FERGUS at 7 o'clock, a. m., making Guelph in time for the morning trains East and West. RETURNING, will LEAVE GUELPH at 6 p.m., after the arrival of the train from the East, making Fergus at half past eight o'clock. Special attention paid to the comfort of passengers, and particular care taken of all baggage and parcels.

JOHN GERRIE, Proprietor, St. Andrew's Hotel, Fergus. Guelph, Aug. 29. d6 w4

SALT, SALT

Wholesale and Retail at A. H. R. KENNEDY'S FLOUR AND FEED STORE, UPPER WYNDHAM-ST., GUELPH. Guelph, July 24. dw-4f

NOTICE.

ALL persons indebted to Dr. PERKINS, Rockwood, are hereby notified to settle the same immediately, otherwise their account will be put in Court for collection. JAMES O'NEILL, Proprietor, Rockwood, Aug. 31st 1868. w1f

New Advertisements.

Anglo-American Hotel FOR SALE.

THIS HOTEL is the only first-class building that lies on the line of the Grand Trunk Railway between Toronto and London. It is 130 feet long by 45 feet in width, 3 stories high, and of out stone; 12 and 11 feet high between ceilings; cellar full size of building, 10 feet deep. Also stone kitchen 40 x 24, with a cistern that holds over 1000 barrels of water. It is situated in the best business part of the town, and is directly opposite the proposed site of the new Union Passenger Station of the Great Western and Grand Trunk Railways. It is the only first-class building in the town that is capable of doing a first-class business. The hall runs through the centre of the main building; the rooms are well ventilated and none in the house dark. The furniture is nearly new, having been purchased only four years ago, and will be sold at a valuation. There is a stone stable, capable of affording accommodation for 100 horses; well arranged and runs through to back street.

Likewise there is a farm of 90 acres of the best land in the county, and the best cultivated, and will produce more per acre this season than any farm of its size in this county. Three barns and feeding stable and log house are on the farm. Also a running spring creek, and other springs that never fail. The fences are of board and new. The farm is laid out in ten acre fields. All the farm implements are new, and will be sold if desired at valuation.

Also, there is in connection with the hotel a Livey Stable, one of the best in Ontario, of fifteen horses, doing the only first-class business in town and indispensably necessary to all others.

As the proprietor is retiring from business he offers to the public a property, the advantages of which are seldom enjoyed by one man in business. The whole will be sold without reserve within three months, either the business separately, or the whole property as may be agreed upon to suit the purchaser.

Terms.—For the hotel property, half cash down will be required, the remainder to be paid in six yearly instalments, or ten per cent. allowed off the second half, if paid in advance.

JAMES O'NEILL, Proprietor. Guelph, Aug. 29. daw 4f

CLEARING SALE

OF AN IMMENSE STOCK OF WALL PAPER,

AT Day's Bookstore, OPPOSITE THE MARKET.

The balance of our Stock of PAPER HANGINGS will be sold at COST to make room for our Spring stock.

Now is the time to buy; sooner than keep it over till next Spring we will sell at First Cost.

A large lot on hand. Call early and select good patterns, at DAYS BOOKSTORE, Opposite the Market. Guelph, Aug. 22.

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AN IMMENSE STOCK OF CONCERTINAS

CHEAP. At Clark's Music Store.

Several NEW PIANOS. Inspection invited. SHEET MUSIC IN GREAT VARIETY.

At CLARK'S MUSIC STORE, Market Square, Guelph. Guelph, Aug. 29, 1868. daw 4f

TO RIFLEMEN.

PETRIE'S Drug STORE, OLD POST OFFICE BUILDING, COULD'S MAGIC RIFLE-CLEANER!

For cleaning Rifles and Sporting Guns, and instantly removing fouling and leading without the use of water or oil.

A. B. PETRIE, Chemist, Guelph. Guelph, Aug. 21. daw 4f

OPPOSITION STAGES.

A CARD TO THE PUBLIC.

UNDERSTANDING THAT MR. JOHN GERRIE has signified his intention through the Fergus paper, of starting an opposition line of stages, to run between Fergus and Guelph only, I beg to announce to the travelling community, as well as the public at large, that for the last two or three years, I have run a line of stages so as to accommodate both Fergus and Flora, timed to meet the arrival and departure of trains at Guelph. As I am one of the largest stage proprietors in Canada, as well as a mail carrier, I CAN and WILL suit the wants of the travelling public as well as Mr. Gerrie. I therefore have to mention that I will run covered stages at the times and hours mentioned by Mr. Gerrie, and will convey passengers at the rate of 10 cents, (return ticket)—free if preferred by passengers. These rates will be adhered to so long as Mr. Gerrie's line exists.

R. B. COULSON, Stage Proprietor and Mail Contractor. Guelph, Aug. 29. daw 2w

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New Advertisements.

FALL IMPORTATIONS!

J. CHARLESWORTH & Co. 44 YONGE-ST., TORONTO.

WE have the pleasure of informing our customers and the Trade generally that we are now in the receipt of our Fall Importations, and are showing a full assortment of NEW GOODS in each Department.

Having taken advantage of the late depression in the Manufacturing districts, we have been enabled to secure Cheap Lines in almost every Class of Goods.

We would call the especial attention of our friends to several large lots of Plain and Fancy Winceys, which we think particularly good value.

Our Stock of Fancy Dress Goods, Shawls, Hosiery, Gloves, & Fancy Wool Goods, will be unusually complete.

We would also mention as worthy of notice Plain and Fancy Flannels, Blankets, Mantle Cloths and Trowersings.

We have imported a more Complete Stock of Staple Goods than we have hitherto offered, and feel confident in inviting an early inspection.

Our stock will be kept assorted by week'y arrivals of New Goods during the season.

J. CHARLESWORTH & Co. Toronto, August 31st. dw4m 44 YONGE STREET, TORONTO.

Wellington Boot and Shoe Manufactory,

WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH.

YOU ARE REQUESTED TO CALL AND SEE THE MACHINERY AT WORK, MANUFACTURING BOOTS AND SHOES.



DO NOT SEND YOUR MONEY AWAY FROM YOUR OWN COUNTY TO ENRICH TORONTO, Kingston or Montreal, when you can buy a much better article for less money, manufactured in Guelph. I defy Competition. I have the finest shop of Machinery in Ontario, in Guelph, Ontario, and you will be convinced that the BEST AND CHEAPEST Boots and Shoes in the Dominion, are to be had at the Wellington Boot and Shoe Manufactory.

WANTED.—A man to do repairing and Treeing-up. A smart, energetic, steady man, will find constant employment. JOHN A. McMILLAN, Guelph, 28th August. (dw) Wellington Boot and Shoe Manufactory, Wyndham-st., Guelph.

Golden Lion, Guelph.

A CARD TO FAMILIES, Boarding Houses, Boarding Schools & Hotel-keepers.

COLD WEATHER is approaching, and preparation for it is necessary: CANADIAN BLANKETS!

The Best Canadian Blankets made in the Dominion, is made for me by MESSRS. T. & J. DAVIDSON, Guelph. Those Blankets are made of the best Wool that comes into our market, grown by farmers in our own County, and manufactured in our own Town. I am thereby enabled to offer the best article produced, and AT A MUCH LESS PRICE

Than any of my competitors in the business here. Those wishing to turn a No. 1 BLANKET at the Wholesale Price, will find it to their interest to call at once at the GOLDEN LION.

JOHN HOGG. Guelph, 22nd August, 1868. dw

MONEY LOST.

LOST between 3 and 4 o'clock, on Friday, on the road between Guelph and Blyth's Hotel a small leather bag, containing a sum of money in silver. The owner drove up Woolwich Street, past the Court House when leaving town. Any person finding the bag and returning it to the Manxtry Office will be liberally rewarded. Guelph, Aug. 29. dtf

FOR SALE.

SODA ASH—"Gambles," "Widnes," "Alkali Comp'y," "Garrett's." SAL. SODA. CHLORIDE OF LIME. PALM OIL. W. T. BENSON, 37 St. Peter Street, Montreal. Montreal 1st April, 1868. dw-6m

SILVER AT PAR AND NO MONOPOLY.

THE Undersigned has come to the conclusion to deal as usual by taking silver at par, hoping thereby to squash the discount nuisance, as in other places of note. All kinds of FRESH MEAT always on hand in Butcher Stall No. 2, Guelph Market. JOHN TYSON, Butcher. Guelph, August 28. d 6t

OATS, OATS.

OATS can be purchased from the subscriber for 62 1/2 CENTS PER BUSHEL at his store, West Market Square. Guelph, 19th August. ALEX. CRICHTON. dtf

TOWN and PARK LOTS

FOR SALE. F. J. B. FORBES has been instructed to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Town Hall, Guelph, on Wednesday, 2nd of Sept., 1868, At Two o'clock p. m., the following Valuable Properties:

1.—Lot No. 1, in the Town of Guelph, nearly quarter of an acre of land, with three fronts, situated in a good business part of the town, between the Grand Trunk Station and the Anglo-American Hotel. This lot will be sold in subdivisions of twenty feet. Frontage on Market Square, extending to Macdonnell-st., about 165 feet.

2.—Park Lots Nos. 19 and 20, being part of the subdivision of Lot 1, in the 3rd concession, division C, Township of Guelph, 1 1/2 acres in a block, situated on the Grand Trunk Railway, and adjoining Judge Macdonald's residence, with an unfinished house thereon.

3.—Park Lots Nos. 25, 31, 32, 34 and 36—27 acres in a block—being part of Lot 5, 3rd concession, division C, Township of Guelph. The land is of the best quality, free from stones and stumps, and slightly elevated for building sites.

4.—The west third of Lot No. 990, south side of Northumberland street, in the Town of Guelph, with a commodious Frame Cottage, Garden, &c.

5.—Lot No. 13, in Thompson's Survey, South West with a good substantial Stone House, 22 containing five rooms and a good cellar. Also, a good Stone Stable, Garden, Pump, Well, &c., with the option of more land if required.

6.—Lot No. 12 on Liverpool Street, near the Grammar School, with a good cottage, containing four rooms, cook house and cellar. The lot is well fenced and cultivated.

Conditions of sale and time of payment made known on day of sale.

THOMPSON & JACKSON, Land, Loan and General Agents, Wyndham-st Guelph, 8th August. dw2

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Bookbinding and Paper Ruling done on the premises at very moderate rates. Guelph, June 24. daw 4f

Upper Canada College

WILL RE-ASSEMBLE On Wednesday, Sept'r 2nd, 1868, AT 9 O'CLOCK, A. M.

WHEN all pupils, resident and non-resident, are particularly requested to be present. New pupils will then be enrolled, and those who failed to pass the midsummer examination, will be re-examined between 10 and 12-30 o'clock.

Additional facilities are now offered to those pupils who do not desire a high classical training to join the English or Modern Departments, in which they are thoroughly prepared for Mercantile pursuits, and for Civil and Military Service.

A special class will also be formed adapted to requirements of junior boys of from 7 to 8 years of age and upwards.

The fact that during the last six years "old College boys" have carried off three out of every four Scholarships offered at the Matriculation of the University of Toronto, and a large portion of those offered at Trinity College, is a sufficient guarantee that its Scholarship has not declined.

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Every boarder is required to bring with him a certificate of good conduct from the master or tutor under whom he has been previously educated.

Tuition fee, \$10 per term; tuition and board, including washing, seat in church and ordinary medical attendance, \$45.

The commencement of the next session on September 1st, is the best time to enter College.

For prospectus apply to the Principal, U. C. College, Toronto. Guelph, Aug. 21. T T-2w

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