

Business Cards.

GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN,
Barristers, Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitors
in Chancery, Guelph, Ontario.

D. GUTHRIE, J. WATT, W. H. CUTTEN
Guelph, March 1, 1871.

A. H. MACDONALD,
BARRISTER AT LAW.
OFFICE—Corner of Wyndham and Quebec
Streets, Guelph, June 2, 1874. d4wt

LEMON, PETERSON & McLEAN,
Barristers and Attorneys at Law,
Solicitors in Chancery,
Conveyancers and Notaries Public.
Offices—Brownlow's New Buildings, near
the Registry Offices.

A. LEMON, H. W. PETERSON,
E. McLEAN,
County Crown Attorney

DUNBAR, MERRITT & BISCOE
Barristers and Attorneys at Law
Solicitors in Chancery, etc.
Office—Over Harvey's Drug Store.
Guelph, Oct. 7, 1873. d4wt

STEPHEN BULL, Architect, Con-
tractor and Builder. Planning Mill, and
every kind of Joiner's Work prepared for
the trade and public. The Factory is on
Quebec street, Guelph. d4wt

WILLIAM J. PATERSON,
Official Assignee for the County
of Wellington.
Office—Opposite Town Hall, Guelph. d4w

OLIVER & MCKINNON,
Barristers, Attorneys at Law, Solicitors
in Chancery, Conveyancers, Notaries
Public, etc.
Office—Corner of Wyndham and Quebec
streets, Guelph, Ont.
E. OLIVER, A. M. MCKINNON.

F. STURDY,
House, Sign, & Ornamental Painter
GRAINER AND PAPER-HANGER.
Shops next to the Wellington Hotel, Wynd-
ham Street, Guelph. d4wt

DR. COLLINGE,
(M.D., Edinburgh, and M.R.C.S., England
having assisted Dr. Clarke in his Practice
during the last twelve months, has now
commenced Practice on his own account at
the house formerly occupied by Dr. Herod,
Quebec Street East, Guelph.
Guelph, May 27, 1874. d4w3m

IRON CASTINGS
Of all kinds, made to order at
GROVE'S IRON WORKS,
Norfolk Street, Guelph.
15d w JOHN GROVE Proprietor

M. P. DELOUCHE
WIRE WORKER,
Pearl street, off King street. Every des-
cription of wire work made to order at the
lowest terms. Any orders left at W. H. Mar-
shall's seed store, Market Square, or at R.
Murray's fruit depot, Wyndham street, will
be thankfully received and promptly at-
tended to. Terms strictly cash.
Guelph, June 13, 1874. d4t

RICE'S
BILLIARD HALL,
In the Queen's Hotel, Guelph, opposite
the Market.
The room has just been refitted in splen-
did style, the tables reduced in size, and
everything done to make it a first-class
Billiard Hall.
Guelph, Nov. 3rd, 1873. d

DOMINION SALOON
AND
RESTAURANT,
Opposite the Market, Guelph.
The subscriber begs to not to his friends
and the public, any orders left at W. H. Mar-
shall's seed store, and hopes by keeping none
but the first-class liquors and cigars to receive
a share of public patronage.
Oysters in their season. First-class ac-
commodation for supper parties.
M. DUNN, Proprietor.
Guelph, April 7, 1874. d4w

MONEY TO LEND,
In sums to suit borrowers. No solicitor
fees or commission charged.
Apply direct to the undersigned.
GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN,
April 16, 1874. d4wt Guelph

WM. NELSON,
Clothes Cleaner and Renovator
All Clothing entrusted to his care will be
cleaned and renovated to the satisfaction
of his customers. He also has a Laundry
in connection. He returns thanks for past
patronage, and trusts he will continue to
receive the support of the public generally.
Residence Devonshire street, Guelph.
April 20, 1874. d3m

W. M. POSTER, M.D.,
Surgeon Dentist, Guelph.
Office over E. Harvey & Co's. Drug
Store, Corner of Wyndham & Mac-
donnell-st. Guelph.
Guelph, June 9, 1874. d4w3m

R. Campbell, L.D.S.
Having recovered from his recent illness, is
again prepared to attend to the wants of all
who may require his services.
Office at the old stand, Wyndham street,
Guelph.

THOS. WORSWICK
MANUFACTURER OF
MACHINISTS' TOOLS
Complete, with best modern attachments.
STEAM ENGINES
Of a superior class, with variable cut off.
Also cheap Portable and Stationary Engines,
the smaller sizes of which are designed for
Printing Offices, and others requiring small
power.
Jobbing will Receive Careful
Attention.
THOS. WORSWICK
Guelph, Ont
Dec. 21, 1873

New Advertisements.

STONE SHOP TO BE RENT—In the
Town of Guelph, well adapted for any
kind of manufacturing business. Apply at
the Mercury office. d4wt

WANTED—Two or three girls who
thoroughly understand Glove Mak-
ing and who can run a Sewing Machine.
Apply to W. H. Jago, Glove Manufacturer,
Rockwood, Ont. d4wt

CAUTION—Any person or persons
found trespassing in my raspberry
patch, lots 7 and 8, Paisley Block, Guelph
Township, will be prosecuted according to
law. JOSEPH JACKSON. d4w

LOST—Between the residence of Chas.
Davidson and Deane's Corner, Water-
loo Road, to-day, a pair of gold spectacles, in
a brown case with lap torn off. The finder
will be suitably rewarded by leaving them
at this office. dt

FOR SALE—A very excellent Build-
ing lot fronting on Paisley Street and
running through to Oxford street—about
half an acre. Apply to R. Easton, book-
binder, St. George's square, Guelph. d4w

TO BORROWERS.
Having invested the \$28,000 recently
advertised, we again have the following
sums, besides others, to lend on farm secu-
rity:
\$500 \$1000
\$600 \$1000
\$600 \$1200
\$600 \$1250
\$800 \$2000
\$900 \$2500
LEMON, PETERSON & McLEAN.
Guelph, July 15, 1874. d4wt

\$100 REWARD
FOR THE
CONVICTION OF OFFENDERS.
CAUTION.—The Trade is hereby cau-
tioned against buying goods from travel-
lers pretending to be or to have been part-
ners in our firm and selling Spectacles and
Eye Glasses bearing our Trade Mark L.M.
P. S. or L. & M. as we shall prosecute all
dealers having such fraudulent goods for
sale—also beg to caution the public against
buying our Celebrated Perfected Spectacles
and Eye Glasses from other than our autho-
rized agents in each town, so many base
imitations having been sold in the Provin-
ce. LAZARUS, MORIS & Co.
Montreal.
P. S.—We supply no other in this place
than R. Stave, Guelph. d4w-4d

PIC-NIC.
THE ANNUAL PIC-NIC
OF THE
Guelph Wesleyan Methodist
Sabbath School
Will be held on the Grounds of H. W.
PETERSON, Esq.,
On Thursday, 23rd Inst.
Tickets, adults 25c; Children under 12
years of age, 15c; to be had at the gate.
Guelph, July 16, 1874. d4d

CONFECTIONERY STORE.
ICE CREAM & SODA WATER
The subscriber, in thanking the public for
the generous patronage heretofore be-
stowed upon him, would inform them that
he has just received a choice and well se-
lected assortment of
CONFECTIONERY
Equal to anything ever before offered
in Guelph.
CAKES
of all kinds constantly on hand. Wedding
cakes supplied at short notice.
A fresh lot of those superb BREATH
PILLS just received. WM. WALDRON,
Next door to Petrie's Drug Store.

NOTICE
All parties having claims against the late
firm of Hearn & Kennedy are requested to
present the same for payment to William
Hearn, who is authorized to receive pay-
ment of all accounts and debts due to the
late firm.
WILLIAM HEARN,
ALBERT KENNEDY,
Guelph, July 3, 1874. d4dwim

JOHN KIRKHAM,
GUNSMITH,
Quebec street, Guelph, opposite the
Churches.
Guns, Pistols, and Sporting Materials al-
ways on hand. Repairing as usual.

NOTICE—All parties having left guns
at my place for repairs are requested
to call for the same at once, or they will be
sent to pay expenses.
GUELPH, July 16, 1874. d4wt

PAINTERS AND GLAZIERS.
HUMPHRIES & REYNOLDS
Beg to announce to the people of Guelph
and surrounding country that they have
entered into partnership, and intend to
carry on the Painting Business in all its
branches in their shop a few doors west of
the Guelph Sewing Machine Factory. Being
practical painters, they are confident that
they can give entire satisfaction to all who
may favor them with a call. Rooms and
sign painting, graining, paper hanging, etc.
done on short notice. Callings calculated
in the best manner.
HUMPHRIES & REYNOLDS,
Guelph, June 9, 1874. d4w3m

PARKER'S HOTEL,
—DIRECTLY—
OPPOSITE THE MARKET, GUELPH.
First-class accommodation for travellers.
Commodious stabling and an attentive
hostler.
The best Liquors and Cigars at the bar.
He has just fitted up a room where Oys-
ters will be served up at all hours, in the
latest style.
Fresh Salmon, Dozers and Sardines.

ICE CREAM
AND
COOL DRINKS
—AT—
Mrs. WINSTANLEY'S Grocery Store,
south side of the Dundas Bridge, Guelph.
Guelph, June 6th, 1874. d3m

WANTED.—We will give women-
to men and women
Business that will Pay
from \$4 to \$8 per day, can be pursued in
your own neighborhood, and is strictly hon-
orable. Particulars free, or samples worth
several dollars that will enable you to go
to work at once, will be sent on receipt of
fifty cents. Address
J. LATHAM & CO.,
166-2 292 Washington Street, Boston, Mass.

Guelph Evening Mercury

MONDAY EVENING, JULY 20, 1874
Town and County News.

EAST ELOIN.—The writ for East Eloit
has been received by Sheriff Munro. The
nomination is fixed for Thursday, the 30th
inst., and the election for the 6th of
August.

SCHOOL TEACHERS will find at Ander-
son's bookstore the largest and cheapest
stock of school and text books. A liberal
discount to all teachers attending the ex-
amination.

ACCIDENT AT ROCKWOOD.—We learn that
Mr. Lewis Lardie, of Milton, while cutting
stones at Mr. Barry's factory, Rockwood,
on the 15th inst., had two of his fingers
severed off. Dr. Curry says they were
again, and the patient is doing well.

PRIMITIVE METHODIST CHURCH.—On
Sunday next, the Rev. Mr. Antiff, of
London, England, will preach morning
and evening in the above church. He
will also deliver an address on Missions
in the same place at 3 o'clock p. m.

MOUNT FOREST CATTLE FAIR.—The
attendance at this fair on Wednesday last
was smaller than usual. There was an
excellent demand for fat farrow cows, at
from \$25 to \$35 each. Milch cows were
rated at \$15 to \$25, and steers at about
the same figure.

DROWNED AT MONTREAL.—Mr. John
Miller was found lying in the Canal at
Montreal some time ago. Deceased had
suffered in Kingston in 1865, and was em-
ployed at various times on the editorial
staff of the Kingston Whig, Hamilton
Times, and other papers. He was a man
of considerable ability.

PROGRESSIVE.—The Meaford Monitor
has swallowed the Meaford News, and is
now issued semi-weekly. The Monitor
is the only journal in the counties of
Huron, Grey and Bruce that is issued
often than once a week. The Meaford
News should accord to Bro. Watt that in-
creased support which his enterprise so
well deserves.

COMING AGAIN.—We are glad to learn
that the favourite Scottish singer Jeannie
Watson, with the comic vocalist Mr.
Hardy, who delighted us in Guelph with
their excellent singing some three years
ago, intend coming to Canada again in
September, appearing in a new entertain-
ment. They will be sure of a hearty
welcome.

PRESENTATION.—Some friends in Knox
Church have sent a very fine carpet for
the minister's study without saying who
the kind donors are. Mr. Ball wishes to
acknowledge the gift so kindly and
quietly sent, and to ask all parties con-
cerned to receive thanks through the
Golden Lion, who seems to know all about
it.

SPLENDID WHEAT AND OATS.—Mr. Wm.
Barber, living near Alma, has sent us a
sample of oats growing on his farm,
which measures four feet five inches
long; also a stem of midge-proof bearded
spring wheat which measures four feet
nine inches long. Both represent the
average of his crop, which, judging from
the samples must be very fine. Who
can beat this from the Model Township?

ANOTHER PIONEER GONE.—We have to
chronicle the death of Dr. Wm. Johnston,
who died at his house in Brampton on
Monday, 13th inst., at the advanced age
of 83 years. He was a native of Barrett,
Vermont State. He emigrated in 1819 to
Chippewa, where he married, and thence
in 1821 moved to Brampton. He was
thus one of the pioneers of Chinguacousy.
His golden wedding was celebrated a few
years ago. The worthy Doctor retained
his industrious habits till within a twelve
month of the expiration of his allotted
time, and his faculties nearly undimmed
until the last.

Death Among the Bovines.
During the past few days there has been
some suspicion caused among owners of
cattle running at large from the fact that
several cows have suddenly died, appar-
ently from poison. Mr. Little, baker,
has had two valuable cows running in
this way for some time past, as good
pasture was not easy to be had, and as
the animals always returned home of
themselves in the evening. On Saturday
last, however, the most valuable of the
two—worth about \$80—came home alone,
acting very strangely and showing every
symptom of having taken poison. Medi-
cine was administered, but shortly after
taking the dose the animal died. Search
was then made for the other cow, and
she was found down on the Waterloo
Road unable to get home. She exhibited
the same symptoms as the other one;
her spine gave evidence of weakness
and the hind legs had lost their strength.
On being urged homeward the animal
would fall at times from utter exhaustion.
After considerable time she arrived home,
where Mr. Little gave her nourishing
food, and she revived somewhat, and
now seems likely to recover.

On Saturday night or Sunday morn-
ing a cow belonging to Mr. Ralph Gore
was found lying dead near the Drill
Shed. We also learn that Mr. O'Connor,
who lives in the West ward, has lost a
cow. About a week ago Rev. Mr. Ball's
cow died suddenly, but whether from
poison or not there is no means of deter-
mining.

It is more than likely that these deaths
have been caused from eating weeds and
potato stalks which had been thrown
out of gardens, and which have been
sprinkled with Paris Green for the pur-
pose of destroying the potato bugs. To
prevent the repetition of similar occur-
rences, there are two courses open; let
the owners of cattle keep them at home if
possible, and thus avoid any danger; or
let the keepers of gardens be careful in
throwing danger in the way of the bo-
vines, by tempting them with poisoned
accents. If this is not done, we may
expect to hear of more cases of this
kind.

The Loss of the Foam.

**THE YACHT FOUND, RAISED, AND BROUGHT
TO TORONTO.**
There is now no doubt that the Foam
foundered off Niagara on Saturday, the
11th. The yacht was raised under the
superintendence of Captain Wyatt on
Saturday and brought to Toronto, in
the tug Lion. She now lies off
the Yacht Club house, dismantled, her
rigging having been out away to facili-
tate the work of raising her. The clothes
and water were so brought to the city
so that no indentification has yet been
made, so that at present it cannot be stated
to whom they belonged. A telegram from
Niagara says the Messrs. Fleming had ar-
rived there, having been out about ten
miles, and dragged over a considerable
area, but without having recovered any
bodies. They say it is useless going any
more. The outer end of her bowsprit
was broken, and the mast carried
away fifteen feet above the deck.

Strange Cases.
In the face of the fact that some of
the highest medical authorities affirm
that there is no such thing as hydropho-
bia, we learn of two cases which deserve
special attention.

Henry Elinmore, of lot 14, 10th con-
Nomanby, has a colt which on June 22nd
exhibited symptoms of a disease like
stomach staggers, or worms. The farrier
was called, treated the animal for this
complaint, and also bled it. On July 3rd
the animal was again visited, when it ap-
peared to be improving, and a physic ball
was administered. On the following day
the colt was seen to run after some calves,
jump, fall, get up again, and then start
for some horses in an adjoining field,
breaking through a staked and ridged
fence to get to them. No harm resulted
from these strange freaks, and the colt
was secured and brought back to his own
stable, where, after plunging about the
stable, he died.

About the time that the first colt was
affected, its mate appeared to be stark
mad, biting and tearing at everything
within reach, and squealing like a pig or
hog. The animal was bound and bled,
but it was impossible to give any medicine.
The colt was so frantic, and at about 8
o'clock the same evening it was dead.

The query is, were these animals
affected with hydrophobia?

Base Ball Notes.
**THE MUTUALS DEFEATING THE ATLANTICS—
A DECISION THAT CHANGED A GAME.**
About a thousand persons assembled
on the Brooklyn ground on Wednesday
to see the third match for the champion-
ship between the Mutuals and the Atlan-
tics. The game was a peculiar one
throughout. Many plays were made,
which kept up the interest and elicited
much applause. Mr. T. C. Hartford,
was chosen umpire. The Mutuals won
the toss and sent the Athletics to the
bat.

Pearce was the first to face Matthew's
effective pitching. He hit to Nelson, who
fielded it to first in time to put Pearce
out. Both hit a high foul to Burdock
and retired. Chapman went out on a fly
to Matthews.

Higham opened the game for the Mutu-
als by going out on a fly to Farrow.
Allison was put out on a foul bound to
Knowdell, and Start went out on a fly to
Booth, closing the first inning with no
runs for either side.

Up to the ninth inning both clubs had
made two runs, which tied the score, and
a tenth inning had to be played. The
Athletics retired in one-two-three order.
For the Mutuals Nelson made his first
on a clean hit, and was trying to steal to
second, when Knowdell put the ball to
second, and Nelson was touched when
about two feet from the base. The um-
pire decided him out, but Higham and
Burdock coaxed him out of his decision,
and he called it a foul strike, and Nelson
was sent back to first base. Burdock
was put out at first. Remson made his first,
and Carey made a splendid hit for three
bases and sent Nelson and Remson home.
Higham was put out at first and Carey
got home. Allison went out on a fly to
Clock.

The following is the score by innings:
Atlantic..... 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 1—2
Mutual..... 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 3—5
Time of game—Two hours.

The game on Saturday between the
Hotel Keepers and the Grain Buyers
lasted for two hours and forty minutes,
and resulted in favor of the former by a
score of 35 to 20. Mr. Spence acted as
umpire; and Messrs. Sloan and Jones
scored. A good crowd was in attend-
ance.

The boarders at Parker's Hotel have
challenged those of the Wellington for
a match game of base ball next Saturday
afternoon. In the meantime, we advise
"mine hosts" to feed the boys well and
get them in good trim.

The fourth championship game be-
tween the Mutuals and Athletics took
place on Saturday. Score—Mutuals 10;
Athletics 7.

A base ball match was played on Sat-
urday between the Silver Leaf Club of Hes-
peler and the Mechanics' Club of Berlin,
resulted in favor of the former by a
score of 44 to 28.

POLICE COURT.
(Before the Police Magistrate.)
July 20.
Michael Healy, for being intoxicated
on Macdonnell street, on Saturday, was
fined \$1 and costs.

DEATH FROM OPIUM.—On Monday
evening of last week, Mr. Thomas F.
Miller, brother of Mr. George S. Miller,
of Owen Sound, employed on the Silver
Spray, was found dead in his bed at
Selden's hotel. He had previously
boasted that he could take more opium
than any man and not be the worse of it,
and an examination showed that death
had been caused by an overdose of the
narcotic.

MORE OIL AT PETROLIA.—The other
day two good wells were struck at Pe-
trolia, which began to flow on Saturday
morning and still continue to flow at
the rate of 100 barrels, which is steadily in-
creasing.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE MERCURY

Local and Other Items.

Railway Disasters.
Explosion in a Colliery.
Flood in Calcutta.
Arrival of Mennonites.
The Saratoga Regatta.

London, July 20th.—An explosion
took place in a colliery in Wigan, on Sat-
urday, by which fifteen miners were
killed.

The Times Paris correspondent says:—
It is considered certain that Cissey and
Deceases will resign their position in the
ministry.

A Madrid despatch to the daily News
says that Canca has surrendered to the
Carlists.

Calcutta, July 19th.—The rivers from
Assam to Ande have overflowed their
banks, and the country is flooded. The
damage is very great.

New York, July 20th.—The Herald
special says:—Minister Cushing gave a
farewell dinner yesterday in honor of
Senor Mantilla, the newly appointed am-
bassador to Washington, about to depart
for the United States.

New York, July 20th.—Weather clear
and warm. Rev. John Glendenny, of
Prospect Avenue Presbyterian Church,
alluded to the scandal in connection with
himself at the morning service yesterday
affirming his innocence and asking sus-
pension of opinion.

The Hammonia, from Hamburg, ar-
rived to day, and brought 600 Mennonites.
They are going west, but as yet have not
decided where. They bring about \$100,
000 in drafts.

Officer McKenzie, who was found in-
sensible yesterday morning, has suffi-
ciently recovered to state that he was
assaulted while attempting to arrest three
burglars. His recovery is doubtful.

Columbus, Ohio, July 19th.—A car on
the North Columbus Dummy Railroad,
at two o'clock this morning, containing
30 passengers, was thrown from the
track into a ditch thirty-five feet below,
by striking two horses that had wander-
ed on the track. Ten persons were in-
jured; six seriously, and one fatally.

Springfield, Mass., July 19th.—The
body of Augustus Laney, the last missing
victim of the Mill River flood, was re-
covered at Leeds, on Saturday morning.

The Saratoga despatches say:—The
following correspondence passed between
captains of the Yale and Harvard crews.

Saratoga Springs, July 19th.—The
Yale University crew hereby challenges
Harvard University to row a race under
the regulations of the University Regatta
of 1874, at a time to be appointed by it
within a week. R. J. Cook, Capt. Yale,
University Crew.

Saratoga, July 18th.—After the con-
duct of the Yale University crew, not
only during the race that is just com-
pleted, but also at its conclusion, the Har-
vard University crew refuses to entertain
any challenge whatever from the
Yale University crew. W. J. Goodwin,
Capt. H. B. Crew.

Saratoga, N. Y., July 18.—There were
15,000 people at the lake this morning to
witness the race set down for 10 o'clock
this morning. The lake was as smooth
as glass. At 10.45 all the boats got off
handsomely together, Columbia at the
half mile taking the lead; then Trinity
made a spurt overhauling Columbia, and
at the end of a mile, took the lead away
from Yale, which had shot ahead, but at
that moment fouled and fell behind.
Princeton came up close behind Trinity.
The others were about even with each
other. At the mile and a half, Columbia
came to the front again, with Harvard
struggling. At the two mile point
Columbia was still in advance, with
Cornell making a spurt to overtake her
and passing Harvard. At the two and a
half mile point Columbia was still ahead,
with Wesleyan, which now showed great
vigor, pressing her sharply. The last
half mile was one continuous exciting pull
between Columbia, Wesleyan, Harvard
and Dartmouth; and they came in, in
that order, Columbia ahead about two
lengths, making the distance in 16 min-
utes 50 seconds. On reaching shore, B. Frank,
Captain and stroke, fainted, but soon re-
covered as he was being carried to the
hotel. The scene following the race was
one long to be remembered, and was only
marred by the failure of Yale to partici-
pate in the race beyond the mile point, at
which time she was taking the lead, with
good prospects of keeping it.

Carnazaga, N. Y., July 18.—Trains
No. 8 eastward, and No. 7 westward on
the Erie Railroad, came into collision
near Carnazaga this morning while going
at the rate of 15 to 20 miles per hour.
Both of the engines were destroyed, and
the baggage and smoking cars of the
western bound train were utterly demol-
ished. A number of passengers in the
smoking car were more or less hurt.
The baggage master of the westward
train, named Atkins, was killed. The
baggage and mails of the westward train
were soaked and torn. The conductor
of the westward train had a new engineer,
who was instructed to stop at Burns' for
the other train, instead of which he
plunged ahead.

There are men men, even in Mas-
sachusetts. Commissioners were appoint-
ed to distribute aid to the sufferers from
the Mill River disaster. Three of them
apportioned \$100 to a man who had lost
his all, and then retained \$63 in pay-
ment of an old account he owed to one
of them. Another one kept \$95 to
pay himself for a \$15 suit of clothes he
had furnished for a victim.

Local and Other Items.

American makers of tinware are now
actually under-selling the British in their
own markets.

During the past year, the Ontario Sab-
bath School Union has organized 40
schools, with 249 teachers.

The present death-rate in London is
only 18 per 1,000, which is lower than
any city in the Kingdom except one.

Steps are being taken for testing the
salt wells at Inverhuron. A part of it
the whole of the machinery is now on
the ground.

Laidlaw Bros., of Paisley, some time
ago sent one of their new and improved
wrought iron harvesters to Manitoba,
where it sold readily for \$245.

Robert Campbell, of Whitby, makes
application through the Canada Gazette
for a divorce from his wife, on account
of the well-known "Whitby scandal."

Alexander Connell, porter at the Cou-
lson House, Owen Sound, sustained se-
vere injuries by falling off the omnibus
last week. It is doubtful whether he
will recover.

A new lodge of the Sons of Temperance
was organized at Omagh on Friday even-
ing with twenty-two charter members.
The new lodge will be known as the Miller
Division.

While assisting at the raising of a barn
on the 10th concession of Culross recent-
ly, Mr. Thomas Steele accidentally fell
from an elevation of 20 feet, and dislo-
cated both his ankles.

Orkney, so long in precarious com-
munication with the mainland of Scot-
land by mailboats, has just received the
advantage of telegraphic connection with
the rest of the world.

Professor Hicks has won the first prize
in seven games in the chess tournament
at Montreal. Dr. Hurlbut, of Ottawa,
will probably take the second, and Prof.
Howe, of Montreal, third.

By a runaway last week, Mr. Glen-
dinning, of Walkerton was badly hurt
about the shoulders and chest. Mr. Mo-
Lay, County Registrar, who accompanied
him, escaped with a sprained wrist and
one or two slight bruises.

Mr. Rawlinson played on Saturday
morning the Cambridge chimes, upon the
bells of St. James' Cathedral, Toronto.
The illuminated clock it is proposed to
purchase, is provided with mechanism
for playing various tunes and chords.

Free postal delivery will be begun in
Montreal on the 1st of September, and
as soon thereafter as possible the system
will be extended to all cities with a popu-
lation of 20,000 and upwards.

The Mayor of Montreal has received
from a Paris artist an offer to prepare a
bronze statue of Jacques Cartier, three
metres in height, on condition that the
cost of the material and transport, esti-
mated at £1,000 sterling, are paid by
the city.

Who can read without emotion the
story of two little girls in Green Bay,
Wisconsin? The eldest was seven years
of age, the youngest only five. A drunken
father left them alone in their room for
six days, with only a small loaf of bread
for food. When the children were found
the elder sister was nearly dead, having
refused to eat of the bread, so that her
little sister might not suffer. We hear
a great deal of heroines; does history
furnish an example equal to this?

The first of what may prove to be a
long string of railway deficiencies has
presented itself in London, by the Atlan-
tic & Great Western (U. S.) declining
to receive and pay the coupons on their
first railway bonds. The railway inter-
est in the United States is so utterly
prostrated, that it may be feared that
this condition of default may extend
over a considerable period, and effect
many a hitherto buoyant enterprise.

T. G. & B. RAILWAY.—The Teeswater
News says:—We are happy to announce
that the Messrs. Robinson are pushing
the completion of the Railway to this
place forward with almost superhuman
efforts. The work between Harrison
and Wroxeter is progressing rapidly.
At the heavy cutting near Gorrie they
have put on a gang of night workmen,
so the work there will be continuous.
The ties are distributed along the line to
this place, and it is understood they in-
tend to commence laying the rails on the
20th inst. The lumber for the stations,
station masters' residences, and other
buildings, are being put upon the grounds.
At the present rate of progress—and we
believe such is the intention of the con-
tractors—the whole work will be com-
pleted and the road ready for traffic by
the middle of October next, if not
sooner.

THE MAGNETIC SPRING AT SOUTHAMPTON.
—This Spring, so long neglected, is
about to be fairly tested through the
enterprise of Mr. Wm. Busby, who is
erecting a temporary bath-house to afford
patients hot and cold baths, as well as
its present use as an invigorating morn-
ing draught. The chemical ingredients,
as ascertained by analysis, are of the
purest quality, and the magnetic power
so great that articles of steel are ren-
dered permanently magnetic by a few
minutes' immersion. His medical qualities
have also been found to be very valuable.
Arrangements are being made to ship
the water in a concentrated form for the
benefit of those unable to attend the
baths—so that its virtues are likely to
be extensively known by the people of
Ontario.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—The Mount For-
est Examiner says that on Wednesday
afternoon last, while Mrs. George Storz
and Mrs. Joseph Lang, of the 3rd con-
cession, Arthur township, were driving
homewards from the village, their horse
took fright and commenced kicking furiously,
and dashed down the hill at a
rapid pace. Mrs. Storz was thrown
out, sustaining a bad bruise on the right
side of the head, producing concussion
of the brain, and other injuries of a seri-
ous character. Mrs. Lang was also
thrown out, but a portion of her dress
caught on some projecting part of the
wagon, thus dragging her down hill, her
head being on the ground. She was
badly cut and bruised, and the wonder
is that she was not instantly killed.
Both women were rendered insensible,
and were conveyed to Mr. Smith's hotel.
Mrs. Yeomans and Jones were soon in
attendance and dressed their wounds.
They are still in a precarious condition,
and it is impossible yet to say what may
be the result. We think it high time,
however, that the village authorities
should do something to improve the con-
dition of the hill. As it stands it is a
decidedly dangerous state.