

# Guelph Mercury

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GUELPH, ONT., CANADA, FRIDAY EVENING, JULY 25, 1873.

PRICE ONE PENNY

## Business Cards.

**MEDICAL CO-PARTNERSHIP.**  
We, the undersigned, have entered into partnership for the practice of the Medical profession under the style and firm of Keating & McDonald.

**THOS. AUCHINCLOSS KEATING,**  
M.D., M.R.C.P., E. England  
**A. A. MACDONALD,**  
M.B., L.R.C.P., Edin., and L.R.C.S., Edin.  
Guelph, July 14, 1873. dtw

## REMOVAL OF SURGERY.

**DR. HEROD**  
Has removed his Surgery to the rooms above the Guelph Drug Store, where he may be found from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. at his residence on Clark street. After 6 p.m. at his residence at usual.

## DR. BROCK.

**OFFICE AND RESIDENCE**  
Directly opposite Chalmers Church  
Quebec street, Guelph.

Dr. Brock having returned from the South will attend to all professional calls as usual.

**STEPHEN BOUTT,** 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. dtw

**CARVER & HATHERLY,** Contractors, Well-Sinkers and General Jobbers; excavations of all kinds undertaken by the day or job. Residence, Liverpool St., near Ryan's ashery. dtw

**FREDERICK BISCOE,** Barrister and Attorney at Law, Solicitor in Chancery, Conveyancer, &c. Office, corner of Wyndham and Quebec Streets. dtw

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

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

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

**LEMON & PETERSON,** Barristers and Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitors in Chancery, Conveyancers and Notaries Public.

Offices—Brownlow's New Buildings, near the Registry Office.

**A. LEMON, H. W. PETERSON,** CHAS. LEMON, County Crown Attorney Guelph, July 21, 1873. dtw

**ROBERT CRAWFORD,** PRACTICAL Watch and Clock Maker, Jeweller.

Wyndham Street, Guelph.

Gold and Silver Watches, Chains, Brooches, Rings, &c., Hair Plait and Device Work, Clock and Time Pieces, Jewellery repaired and made to order. Plated Goods in variety. Guelph, Feb. 12, 1873. dtw

**W. H. TAYLOR,** CARRIAGE SILVER PLATER, GUELPH.

The only one this side of Toronto. All work warranted the best. Please send for price list. 726d1

**F. STURDY,** House, Sign, & Ornamental Painter

GRAINER AND PAPER-HANGER.

Shop next to the Wellington Hotel, Wyndham Street, Guelph. dtw

**NEW COAL YARD.**

The undersigned having opened a Coal Yard in Guelph is prepared to furnish all kinds of

**Hard and Soft Coal**

At moderate prices. Orders left at the store of John A. Wood, Upper Wyndham Street, will be promptly attended to. dtw

**WILLIAM J. PATERSON,** Official Assessor for the County of Wellington.

Office—Opposite Town Hall, Guelph. dtw

**IRON CASTINGS.**

Of all kinds, made to order at

**CROWE'S IRON WORKS,** Norfolk Street, Guelph.

15d JOHN CROWE, Proprietor

**MONEY TO LEND.**

On farm security, at eight per cent. No commission charged. Apply to

**FRED. BISCOE,** Barrister, &c. Guelph. dtw

**MONEY TO LEND.**

In sums to suit borrowers. No solicitor's fees or commission charged. Apply direct to the undersigned.

**GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN,** Guelph. dtw

**PRIZE DENTISTRY.**

**DR. ROBERT CAMPBELL**

Licentiate of Dental Surgery. Established 1864. Office next door to the "Advertiser" Office, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

Residence opposite Hon. J. Bonin's Factory, 103 St. Street. Teeth extracted without pain. References, Drs. Clarke, Tuck, McGuire, Herod, McGregor, and Cowan, Guelph; Drs. Buchanan and Phillips, Toronto; Drs. Elliot, & Meyers, Dentists Toronto. dtw

**W. M. FOSTER, L. D. S.,** SURGEON DENTIST, GUELPH.

Office over E. Harvey & Co's Drug Store, Corner of Wyndham and Macdonell-sts., Guelph. Office hours, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. (Lunching hours) administered for the extraction of teeth with perfect ease and reliability.

References kindly permitted to: Drs. Herod, Clarke, Tuck, McGuire, Kenting, Cowan and McGregor, Guelph; W. K. Graham, Dentist Brampton. dtw

**E. A. A. GRANGE,** Veterinary Surgeon.

Graduate Ontario Veterinary College.

Office—No. 6, Day's Block, Upstairs.

All calls at night will be attended to by calling at the office.

N. B.—Horses bought and sold on commission. dtw

## New Advertisements.

**TO LET**—A large two-story Shop Building in the centre of the Town, suitable for manufacturing purposes. Apply to Robert Melvin, Guelph. dtw

**SEWING MACHINES FOR SALE.**  
For sale, several first-class Sewing Machines, dismountable, all new, cheap for cash. Apply at the Manicau Office.

**LOST OR STOLEN**—On Sunday, the 20th inst., a cream colored bull pup, with ears cut, white tipped tail, and black mouth; is about three months old, answers to the name of Ponto. Any one giving such information as will lead to his recovery will be suitably rewarded, and one retaining him after this date will be prosecuted. dtw

Guelph, July 23, 73. dtw

## THE Clandeboye Galop.

Composed and dedicated by special permission to Her Excellency the Countess of Dufferin.

Composed by W. T. Vale,

Late Bandmaster 20th Wellington Rifles

**FOR SALE**

**At Anderson's Bookstore.**

**AUCTION SALE**

**OF VALUABLE TOWN LOTS!**

The subscriber has been instructed to offer for sale by Public Auction, at the Market House, on

**Wednesday, 30th July, 1873.**

Four excellent Building Lots, being Lots Numbers 7, 8, 9 and 10, in the Webster Survey, Guelph.

The lots are in one block, bounded on three sides by Strange, Pipe, and Mary streets.

They are well fenced, and covered with a fine young orchard in full bearing.

Sale to commence at 3 o'clock. Terms, etc., made known on application to

**MESSRS. HART & SPIERS,** Day's Block, Guelph.

**W. S. G. KNOWLES,** Auctioneer. dtw

**FARM TO SELL**—Situated within two miles of the Town of Guelph, being Lots 5 and 6, 2nd concession, Division D, Township of Guelph, containing 60 acres, of which from 70 to 80 are cleared, and mostly arable, and more than 20 ploughed, and in good soil. The buildings and fences are in good repair, and a large orchard in full bearing.

Further particulars can be learned by application—12 by letter (prepaid), to John Mickle, Esq., proprietor, Guelph, or to the undersigned.

**CHAS. DAVIDSON,** Town Hall Building, Guelph, June 23, 1873. dtw

**60,000 BRICKS FOR SALE.**

The subscriber has 60,000 Red Bricks for sale at the yard, 5 miles from Guelph on the Erie Grand Road.

**EDWIN PARRINSON,** July 22, 1873. dtw

**STONE COTTAGE FOR SALE ON THE CORNER OF QUEEN AND MARY STREETS.**—Three rooms downstairs, with back kitchen, and good space upstairs; good spring well; leads to convenient two horse and three cows' fruit and ornamental trees, and about half an acre of ground. Also for sale, a half acre lot near the above creek running between. Apply to Mr. Fred. Maberry, near the premises. dtw

Guelph, July 14th, 1873. dtw

**TO CONTRACTORS.**

Sealed Tenders will be received by the undersigned in behalf of the Guelph Board of School Trustees for the erection of a Central School House in accordance with modified plans and specifications adopted at the meeting of the Board on Monday evening, the 14th inst.

Tenders called for are for Excavation, Mason and Bricklayers Work—Carpen-try and Joiner's Work—Slatting—Painting and Glazing—Galvanized Iron—Cast Iron—Plastering—Roofing—Heating Apparatus. Plans and Specifications can be seen at the Council Chamber.

Tenders must be handed in on or before Saturday, the 26th inst.

The Board do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

**CHAS. RAYMOND,** Chairman of Special Committee. dtw

**TOWN OF GUELPH.**

Tenders will be received at this office until noon, on MONDAY, July 29th, 1873, for the

**Removal of Gravel**

From St. George's Square, and its delivery in various places on the Town streets.

For further particulars as to quantities, distances, etc., apply to

**JOHN HARVEY,** Town Clerk. dtw

N. B.—The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Particulars can be obtained at this office. dtw

**TOWN OF GUELPH.**

Tenders will be received until noon at the office of the Town Clerk, on MONDAY, 28th inst., for

**Painting the Eramosa Bridge.**

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

Particulars can be obtained at this office. dtw

**FOR SALE**—A desirable Villa near Guelph, being part of Lot 33, Division A, Township of Guelph, lying on the north side of the Guelph and Fergus Road, 1 1/2 miles from the Market Square, and familiarly known as the "Valentine" lot, containing about 2 acres of land, beautifully situated with natural trees, and having two unusually fine springs of pure water, which could be used to advantage by a lover of pick-cotage on the property containing a good sized apartment with stable and driving shed. There are few such properties to be purchased around Guelph.

Also the lot adjoining—divided, having natural shade trees interspersed throughout. The river Sprole forms its eastern boundary, and presents a very desirable site for a private residence, being a convenient distance from the town on one of the leading roads.

Terms for both properties liberal, and may be learned by applying to Charles Davidson, Land, Loan, and Real Estate Agent, Town Hall, Guelph. dtw

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## Town and County News.

The Esquing Fall Show will be held at Georgetown, on Wednesday, the 1st of October.

The annual picnic of the employees of Messrs Inglis & Hunter, Wellington Foundry, comes off to-morrow.

The employees of Messrs W. D. Hepburn & Co., best and shoe manufacturers, go to Pashin Lake on Monday for their annual picnic.

The slight dip in Quebec street, between Chalmers Church and St. George's Square, is being filled up with gravel from the square.

The GAO.—We learn that it is the intention of the members of the Y.M.C.A. to hold a prayer meeting, in the goal, for the benefit of the prisoners, on Sunday next.

**CHAMBERLAIN.**—Mr. W. O'Connor is now the billiard champion of Guelph. At a match played on Wednesday he won a close game by 82 points. Mr. T. Thorn was his opponent, the prize was a new cue, and the score 501 to 467.

If you don't want to put gauze over the gift frames of your pictures this summer, and don't want to speak them, boil three or four onions in a pint of water, then, with a clean paint brush, wash over your frames, and the flies will not light on them.

**C. M. C. A. Gosar.**—The general meeting last night was to arrange matters for the reception of the Convention which meets here about the last week in August. That will be an important event in the annals of the Association—and the town also. It is proposed to hold the annual picnic of the Y. M. C. A. some time next month, previous to the Convention. The Association have rented the rooms over Mr. Pringle's, on Wyndham street, now occupied by the Advertiser, and expect to move in a week or two. Our contemporary goes across the street.

**AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.**—We are happy to hear that the Government of Ontario have secured the services of Mr. McCandless, for the office of Principal of the Agricultural College at Guelph. Mr. McCandless is a practical and scientific agriculturist. He held office in the Glensview Institution and Model Farms in Ireland before he came to America, and has since been for two years Professor of Agriculture in Cornell University, and has given exhibitions in both old country and new country agriculture, and is a man of great energy and warmly interested in farmers' work. We are glad that the Government have been able to find so suitable a man.—Globe.

**POLICE COURT.**

Before T. W. Saunders, Esq., P. M. July 24.

The "copy" of the following was by some means mislaid, and consequently did not appear in yesterday's issue as intended.

**SUNDAY BOWTIE.**

James Lafferty and Thos. McAtstocker were charged with disorderly conduct by fighting on Sunday last. The prisoners with some others were of Market Street, near the Waterloo Road, when a bet of a most disgusting and cruel character was made—namely, a dollar was stake as to whether or not a dog's tail could be pulled out; and from this quarrel arose Albert Pike and Thos. Ray testified to there having been a scuffle, but denied that blows were actually struck—contrary to Pike's previous statement to the Chief Constable. As another witness was absent, the case was adjourned in order to obtain his testimony.

**Sad Accidents at Goderich.**

(From our Correspondent.)

About noon on Wednesday Christy Shannon, of Colborne Township, was engaged with his mower finishing a field of hay, and left the mower standing in the field whilst he took a scythe to cut the hay in the panels of the fence. As he was thus engaged, from some unknown cause the horses took fright and started with the mower. Mr. Shannon ran and caught the reins, when the horses ran round and round, bringing the mower upon Mr. Shannon, throwing him down and cutting him in a most shocking manner. One cut severed the main artery of the right leg close to the body, from which he died in a few minutes. He leaves a wife and family to mourn his loss.

On the same evening, our highly respected Sheriff and townsman was found lying at the side of a fence near to the cemetery in an apparently unconscious state. It appears that he had been crossing from one of his fields to another, and in getting over the fence he had given way, by which he had been thrown to the ground, thereby breaking his neck and he was conveyed home, where he now lies in a helpless condition.

Some difficulty took place between the Canada Southern and Grand Trunk Railways on Monday. The Canada Southern, after having completed their track on the Canada side of the International Bridge, but were interrupted by a gang of men, employees of the Grand Trunk, who demolished the track and erected a fence across it. It appears the railways have a right to the bridge, but the Grand Trunk thought they were the right to lay the rails to a fence near to the bridge. It is reported that the employees of the track on the approach to the bridge.

A very painful accident occurred at Dresden on July 22. While a man named Richard Houston was driving a team of horses took fright and ran away, throwing the unfortunate man out of his wagon, thereby breaking his neck and killing him instantly.

## Local and Other Items.

The Globe appears this morning in its usual "new dress" of clean-cut type.

Dr. HILLARY has just been appointed curator and pathologist for the Toronto General Hospital.

Trick (Biden) hotel, the oldest house in Ottawa, was burned down early on Thursday morning.

Four large clocks have been erected in the tower of the new Union Station, Toronto.

A ramon is afloat in Ottawa that the Imperial Government have asked for explanations, and there is a possibility of the matter being taken for investigation to England.

The great trial of combined and single reaping machines comes off on Tuesday next, the 29th inst., near Bell's Corners, Ottawa. About twenty machines are to take part in the competition.

The MENNONITE DELEGATION, accompanied by Mr. Hespeler, visited the principal points of interest in and about Ottawa on Wednesday. They express unbounded satisfaction with all they have seen in their journeyings in Canada.

The Hamilton Club, situated at the corner of James and Main Street, was informally opened to the members on Wednesday by a luncheon, splendidly laid out in the dining-room with a table sparkling with glass and silver ware.

The Rev. Gustavus Munro, B.A., who finished his divinity studies in the Presbyterian College, Montreal, has received a most harmonious call from the Presbyterian Church of Embro, Ontario. The stipend promised is \$1,000, with a free manse and globe.

On Thursday last the wife of Mr. Joe. Taggart, a respectable and well-to-do farmer, residing in the township of Downie, presented her lord and master with four children at a birth. Two of the little strangers were boys and two were girls—the latter only survived, and with their mother are doing well.

It is said that Tom Ferguson is to resign his seat as M. P. P. for South Simcoe, and be appointed Collector of Customs at the port of Collingwood. Mr. Watson, the present Collector, who is a Reformer, is to be removed to Prescott, a less important port.

The members of the Ministry at Ottawa state positively that Parliament will be prorogued immediately after receiving the report of the Pacific Fraud Committee, and that no action on the part of the House will be permitted by the Governor-General, acting upon the advice of the Administration.

**MOSE GAS.**—The necessary stock for the Stratford Gas Company has been subscribed, and before the long winter nights set in we may expect to see our town lit up by gas! The committee proceeded to Ingersoll to inspect the gas works at that point, and it is expected that immediately on their return the contract for the erection of the necessary buildings, and supplying the machinery and pipes, will be let.—Stratford Herald.

**SUMMER SICKNESS.**—The Collingwood Bulletin says:—We understand there is a very severe type of summer complaint prevailing very extensively in town just now, accompanied by cramps and symptoms somewhat resembling cholera. The disease is thought to arise in a great measure from impure air, and it is to be hoped the Board of Health will make it their business to have the town thoroughly inspected and purified.

**PRINCE OF WALES.**—A week or two ago, as an emigrant train was passing between Baden and Stratford, a singular accident occurred: A young child was allowed by its mother to go to the closet in the car alone. Not returning, a search revealed that it was missing. The alarm was given, but as the window was open it was evident that it had fallen out on to the track. On the train arriving at Stratford the fact was reported, and an engine sent down to search for the "lost child." It was discovered near Shakespeare, and, strange to relate, none the worse for its singular adventure.

**AN INGENUOUS INVENTION.**—A very ingenious and useful invention has recently reached the Patent Office. It consists in attaching a clock to a combination lock, which, previous to locking a safe, may be set for any hour, and until that hour comes, unlocking or picking the safe is absolutely impossible. A bank, for instance, is to be opened at ten o'clock in the morning. The clock is set so as to permit the clock to be turned at ten o'clock, and the cashier himself cannot open the vault till that hour, for the clock is set from the inside, and cannot be tampered with after the door is closed.

When ten o'clock arrives, any one having knowledge of the numbers indicating the combination can unlock the vault in the usual manner. There are two clocks working together, and if by accident one should stop, the other would accomplish the result.—San Francisco Examiner.

**ORGANIZED ROBBERY.**—A daring robbery, which shows that a gang of nearly a dozen pick-pockets is banded together in Hamilton, was committed at the Great Western Railway depot there at nine o'clock on Wednesday. A man named William Orr had purchased tickets, in doing which he injudiciously exposed his purse to view. In stepping on the platform of the car, there was a great deal of crowding due by a number of persons; one man, in particular, trying to get past him, and pressing against Orr's person. As soon as he had taken a seat in the car he discovered that his pocket-book, containing \$445, was gone. On subsequent inquiry it was found that \$100 had been changed at McKean's and another \$100 at Taylor's exchange office in the forenoon. Two arrests have been made, but it is doubtful if the unfortunate man can identify positively the thief.

The Dominion Telegraph Company have reopened their office at Port Edward, County Lambton.

The name of the post-office at Deyton, has been changed to that of Centralia.

## THIS MORNING'S DESPATCHES

The Spanish Troubles.

The Internationals.

The Minnesota Harvest.

Drowned—Fires.

The Cholera.

Madrid, July 24.—A collision between the inhabitants of Valencia and the Republican troops in that city is apprehended. Desertions from the Government force in Valencia continue.

New York, July 24.—Commandant Manzanoe, of the Spanish frigate *Arapielles*, now in this port, stated in an interview last night, that three of the vessels reported seized by the Carlists at Cartagena were not surprised by any ships afloat. They had undoubtedly been surrendered through treachery. He added the naval officers knew no factions, but recognized the flag of Spain, and took their orders from the party in power, no matter which it might be.

Bayonne, July 24.—Advices received here from Carlist sources state that the minority of the Cortes intend to leave Madrid and go to Carthage, where they propose establishing a separate Government. They are endeavoring to induce Senor Piy Margall to accompany them.

From the same source it is learned that the insurgents at Carthage have enlisted 10,000 men of different nationalities in their cause, and increased their forced contributions upon the inhabitants to \$80,000. Colonel Naza has left Madrid for the purpose of forming an insurrection in the Province of Jaen. His arrest has been ordered by the Government.

Madrid, July 24.—The Prussian frigate despatched by the German Consul in pursuit of the Spanish steamer *Vigilante*, which was captured by the insurgents, overhauled her en route for Almiria, whether she was bound for the purpose of proclaiming that Province an independent canton. Senor Galves, a deputy to the Cortes, was in command of the *Vigilante*. The German ambassador offered to deliver the captured vessel into the hands of the Government.

A despatch from the town of Figuras, Province of Gerona, says:—The gates of the city have been closed, the streets barricaded, and the authorities were prepared for a defence against the insurgents. A number of Carlists have been arrested and six priests suspected of intriguing for Don Carlos have been thrown into prison.

New York, July 24.—The *Herald* special from Lecumberry, France, July 24, says: Don Carlos, by the advice of his General, hesitated to advance on Pamplona, and is waiting for a junction with the forces of Don Carlos. His whole force numbers 15,000 men fully armed. Numerous French volunteers are arriving and demanding arms.

Paris, July 24.—The Government have received information, which it regards as trustworthy, that instructions has been issued from the head of the Internationals in London to subordinate in France to organize for a series of strikes throughout the Republic, to be carried into effect during the coming recess of the Assembly. Increased vigilance on the part of the local authorities is ordered, and contact of the soldiery with foreigners is prohibited.

Prince Frederick Charles of Germany, has tendered Marshal Bazaine evidence in his favour on his trial for the surrender of Metz to the Prussian army. The Marshal, however, declines to permit the evidence to be introduced.

The Bill authorizing the construction of the Church of the Sacred Heart, a grand cathedral on the heights at Montmartre, overlooking Paris, passed the Assembly to-day after an exciting debate, in the course of which much violent religious partisanship was evoked.

Paris, July 24.—The *Journal de Paris* says the project of placing a Prince of the house of Hohenzollern upon the throne of Spain has not been abandoned. A number of discontented Carlist leaders and former liberal unionists are said to favor the Hohenzollern candidacy. The *Journal* also says the Cure of Santa Cruz was proclaimed a rebel by Don Carlos for being concerned in this intrigue.

St. Louis, July 24.—The steamboat interest of this city has forwarded to the proper authority at Washington a remonstrance against the further construction of the Illinois and St. Louis Bridge now building across the Mississippi at this point, on the ground that if finished according to the original plan it will be a great obstruction to navigation.

New York, July 24.—Jan. Thompson of Philadelphia, was drowned at Atlantic City, N. J., to-day. Three others were rescued with great difficulty.

A fire at Sidney, Ohio, last night destroyed \$25,000 worth of property.

Seven cholera deaths took place at Mount Vernon, Ind., to-day.

Washington, July 25, 1 a. m.—Probabilities—For Middle and Eastern States generally clear weather with higher temperature, followed on Friday evening by occasional storms. For the Lower Lake region falling barometer, higher temperature, south westerly winds, partly cloudy weather and local rains.

New York, July 25.—The *Herald's* Cartagena special says the decree of Salmeron declaring the rebel ships pirates caused a great panic, and they will not leave port for Malaga as intended. Violent threats are made against Salmeron and other members of the Government.

Pottsville, Pa., July 24.—The fire in Mount Carmel last night commenced in Gou. Pontier's building, and destroyed fifteen buildings in the same square, comprising the business portion of the place. The loss is \$400,000, and the insurances are principally in home-companies.

MINNEAPOLIS, July 24.—The *Farmers'*

## Union, the agricultural organ of the State, says that the commencement has been made of the great wheat harvest of Minnesota for 1873, and a most bountiful harvest is promised, and it thinks the State can export this year 39,000,000 bushels of wheat.

Halifax, N. S., July 24.

The ball at Charlottetown, Prince Edward's Island, last night, in honour of the Governor-General and Lady, was a brilliant affair. The turn-out was large. At 4 o'clock this morning His Excellency was escorted to the wharf by a torch-light procession. The people are greatly pleased with the Governor-General and his Courtiers.

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