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

STEPHEN BOULT, Architect, Contractor and Builder. Planing Mill, and every kind of Joiner's Work prepared for the rade and the public. The Factory is on Quebec street, Guelph. dw

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THORP'S HOTEL, GUELPH, remodelled and newly furnished. Good accommodation for commercial travellers. Free omnibus to and from all trains First-class Livery in connection.
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Barristers, Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitors in Chancery, Guelph, Ontario.
D. GUTHRIE, J. WATT, W. H. CUTTEN.
Guelph, March 1, 1871. dw.

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Of all kinds, made to order at
CROWE'S IRON WORKS,
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IN THE
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Only one this side of Toronto.
All work warranted the best. Please send for price list. f26dly

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Castings of all kinds made on short notice at
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We also keep on hand four qualities of
BABBITT METAL.
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Huskisson Street, Guelph. m14-dw3m

DOMINION SALOON.
FRESH OYSTERS
IN EVERY STYLE
to be had at this saloon
The best Liquors and Cigars always in stock.
DENIS BUNYAN,
Guelph, Sept. 30, 1872

WESLEY MARSTON,
Sewing Machine Repairer.
All orders promptly attended to. Shop on his premises, Yarmouth street, opposite Nelson Crescent, Guelph. a26-dw3m

SIX Boarders can be accommodated with first-class accommodation. Apply at the shop.

J. MARRIOTT,
Veterinary Surgeon,
M.R.C.V.S., L., H.F.V.M.A.,
Having lately arrived in Guelph from England, and taken up his residence here, intends continuing the practice of his profession. Orders left at the MERCURY Office, or at H. A. Kirkland's, Paisley Street, opposite Howard's new foundry, will be promptly attended to.
Having had great experience in all diseases of Horses and Cattle, all cases placed under his treatment will receive the greatest attention. Charges moderate. o19dwy

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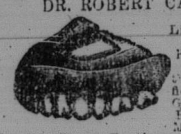
DR. ROBERT CAMPBELL

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Residence opposite Mr. Boult's Factory
Wyndham Street. Teeth extracted without pain. References, Drs. Clarke, Tuck, McGuire, Herod, McGregor, and Cowan, Guelph. Drs. Buchanan and Philips, Toronto Drs. Elliot, & Meyers, Dentists, Toronto. dw

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

Office over E. Harvey & Co's Drug Store, Corner of Wyndham and Macdonell-sts. Guelph
Nitrous Oxide (laughing gas) administered for the extraction of teeth without pain, which is perfectly safe and reliable.
References kindly permitted to Drs. Herod Clarke, Tuck, McGuire, Keating, Cowan and McGregor, Guelph; W. K. Graham, Dentist, Brampton. dw

SEWING MACHINES FOR SALE.—For sale, several first-class Sewing Machines, different makers, all new, cheap for cash. Apply at the MERCURY Office.

New Advertisements.

GIRLS WANTED—Two, to learn the Dressmaking. Apply to Mrs. Webster, Upper Wyndham street. 20-3d

APARTMENTS TO LET. — To let, apartments in a new house, convenient to the Market House. Apply at this office. m7dtf

WANTED.—Biscuit baker as second hand; and a stout boy as apprentice to the biscuit baking. Apply personally to JAMES MASSIE.
Guelph, May 17, 1873. dct.

BOARDERS WANTED—A few boarders can be accommodated at the house formerly occupied by the late Mr. Edward Carroll, Nottingham street.
Guelph, May 1. d1m MRS. ROSS.

DOG LOST—Strayed from the premises of the Subscriber, a brown retriever dog. Any person retaining him after this date will be prosecuted.
May 20, 1873.-d. D. BYRNE.

GUELPH CRICKET CLUB. — The members, and all those in favor of the above are requested to meet for practice tomorrow morning at 8.30. By order.

DURHAM BULL CALF FOR SALE.—Color red and white, with pedigree. Apply to Henry Sunley, lot 9, 2nd concession, Eramosa. m20 w2

MONEY, MONEY.
Several thousand dollars to lend on Farm and Town Property at 8 per cent. Also, money for investment on good personal security. Apply to
HART & SPEIRS,
m21-w3-d6 4 Day's Block, Guelph.

MONEY TO LEND,
In sums to suit borrowers. No solicitor's fees or commission charged. Apply direct to the undersigned.
GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN,
April 24, 1873 dwtf Guelph.

MONEY TO LEND,
On farm security, at eight per cent. No commission charged. Apply to
FRED. BISCOE,
Barrister, &c.
April 4, 73.-dwtf. Guelph.

DR. CLARKE will be assisted in the practice of his profession by Dr. Colline, Doctor of Medicine, Edinburgh, and Member of the Royal College of Surgeons, England, etc., etc. m16-w8-d2m

TO LET—With immediate possession, the stone cellars, rooms, offices, and upper story in Brownlow's Buildings, on Douglas street, near the Post Office. Apply to John Horsman, or William Day.
Guelph, Feb. 12, 1873 dtf

BUILDING SITE FOR SALE — In town, well cultivated, well fenced, 4½ acres, spring creek running across, 60 assorted fruit trees, frame stable, &c. Terms easy. For particulars, apply to Robt. Mitchell, No. 1, Day's Block. Mr21dtf

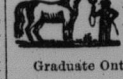
$5 to $20 PER DAY. Agents wanted. All classes of working people, of either sex, young or old, make more money at work for us in their spare moments, or all the time, than at anything else. Particulars free. Address G. Stinson & Co., Portland, Maine. my5dwy

TO MASONS. — Tenders are invited for cut stone Posts for the Iron Fence for St. George's Church, Guelph, according to plans and specifications which may be seen at the office of the undersigned.
The Committee do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.
By order, THOS. W. SAUNDERS,
d2 Secretary of Committee.

TENDERS.
The plans of School House for St. Andrew's Church being amended, tenders for Carpenter, Joiner, Painting and Glazing will be received up to Tuesday, the 27th inst.
Plans and Specifications can be seen at Mr. Davidson's office.
The committee do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.
Guelph, May 20, 1873 d6w1

BELFAST
GINGER ALE.
MONTREAL
SODA WATER
At JOHN A. WOOD'S.
Guelph, May 22, 1873. w1-d2

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.
The co-partnership heretofore existing under the style and firm known as
THAIN, ELLIOTT & CO.,
was dissolved on the 15th May, 1873. All claims against the late firm are requested to be sent in at once, and parties indebted to the firm will require to settle without loss of time.
Guelph, May 17, 1873. d3w3


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. May 17, '73.-d&w1y.

MRS. PASS, Dressmaker, begs to thank the ladies of Guelph and vicinity for their hitherto very liberal patronage. Begs to announce that she is now prepared to undertake all orders entrusted to her care in the newest fashions. Ladies desiring patterns can be supplied with the latest English, French and American novelties at moderate prices. Several apprentices wanted immediately. Residence—Norfolk Street, two doors above St. Andrew's Church.
Guelph, April 25, 1873. m5d1m

IMMENSE
BARGAINS
Can still be had
AT R. CRAWFORD'S
Watch and Jewellery
Store,
Next the Post Office.

REPAIRING DONE
In the best style under his own supervision.

DRESS and MANTLE MAKING
—AT—
The Fashionable West End.
To the Ladies:
We have during the past two years contemplated the establishment of a DRESS MAKING DEPARTMENT, in connection with our other branches. The difficulty of obtaining a suitable person to take charge, has, up to the present time, only prevented us from doing so.
We have now great pleasure in informing you that we have secured the services of Miss MORRISON, of Toronto, a lady of first-class abilities, highly recommended to us, and we believe eminently qualified to give complete satisfaction in every respect. Miss Morrison has for the past ten years occupied the position of cutter and fitter in one of the leading Fashionable Dress making Establishments in the City of Toronto.
Miss Morrison is also an experienced Mantle maker, and all orders entrusted to her will be executed in a style equal to anything that can be obtained in the largest cities.
Orders for these departments will be received on and after Monday next, the 4th of May.
A. O. BUCHAM,
Fashionable West End Dress, Mantle and Millinery Establishment.
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FRIDAY EVENING, MAY 23, 1873

Town and County News.

A party of nearly forty left Fergus and Elora for Manitoba on Thursday.

A public religious service is to be held in Fergus on the Queen's Birthday.

FIRST WOOL.—Messrs. Molton & Bish to-day bought the first lot of wool bought on the market this season, for 36 cents per lb.

MARKET.—To-day the market presented quite a lively appearance. Almost all kinds of produce being offered in abundance. Altogether business was much brisker than it has been for some time.

THE officers of the new volunteer company in Harriston are Mr. A. G. Markle, Captain; Mr. Patmore, Lieutenant; Mr. J. Robertson, Ensign. There are sixty-three names on the roll of the Company.

SEVERAL new stores are to be put up in Drayton this summer. The tavern at the station is nearly completed. The stave-factory will soon be in running order, and the members of the English Church intend soon to erect a large church.

DRAUGHTS.—A game of draughts was played on Thursday evening between seven boarders at the Parker House and seven of Mr. W. D. Hepburn's employees. Seven games were played, each resulting in a victory for the latter. Score—twenty to twenty-eight and one draw.

FOOT BALL CLUB.—On Monday night a Foot Ball Club was organized in Elora. The following officers were elected for the season: Dr. J. F. Gordon, President; Dr. Elliott, vice-President; J. Gordon, Secretary; R. Barber, Treasurer; John Downing, captain. About thirty members belong to the club. A first class ball has been procured, costing $4.50.

QUITE COOL.—The Harriston *Tribune* says:—At a wedding not a hundred miles from Harriston, the young man takes it into his head that he will not marry the girl unless her father binds himself under a bond of five hundred dollars to keep the girl so long as his the young man's mother lives. As a last resort the old man agrees, the writings drawn up and signed when the minister makes the happy couple one. The young man very coolly puts on his hat, says good bye, and returns to live with his mother.

RIFLE RANGE HOTEL.—This well-known resort for marksmen, pleasure-seekers and the public generally who traverse the York Road has changed owners. Mr. David King the present owner intends having a genuine "House warming" on Friday evening next. Music and refreshments will be provided, and those who put in an appearance will be sure of a warm welcome and a pleasant time. The travelling public will find Mr. King an agreeable host, and we are confident he will receive the same liberal patronage which was accorded to his predecessor.

DEATH OF A GUELPH TOWNSHIP PIONEER.—The St. Catharines papers record the death, on the 17th inst., of Mr. Joseph Smith, late of Harwick, England, at the age of 62 years. The deceased was one of the pioneers of Guelph Township, and was well and favorably known as such. He came to Canada in 1832, but returned to England in 1842, where he remained until 1872, when he again came to Canada and settled on a small farm adjacent to St. Catharines; where, after a somewhat prolonged illness, he departed this life, leaving a sorrowing widow and two infant sons.

PRACTISING.—Quite a number of boats were on the dam last night in anticipation of the races to-morrow, and one gallant oarsman, who aspires to the tub-race championship, launched his bark, but the utmost good feeling didn't prevail between the man and the tub, the latter thinking no doubt that its use was being perverted and its rights tampered with, and in a sudden burst of indignation spilled its occupant into the water.—Nothing daunted he assayed to try it again, but it was a lamentable failure, and again he took an involuntary dive into the depths, amid the cheers of the spectators. We sincerely hope he enjoyed it, and will "do it again" to-morrow.

THE *News* says:—Health and pleasure seekers throughout the Province can scarcely do better than visit Elora during the summer months. The purity of the air and beauty of scenery are unrivalled. The rush of water over the falls, the placidity of the stream at the cove, the union of the two rivers, the height of the rocks (from 80 to 100 ft.) the giants' cauldrons in the river bed, the capital geological field, silurian fossils being abundant, the lovely walks about the neighborhood, an excellent lending library, four daily mails, and cheap accommodation, should all tend to make Elora one of the most desirable summer residences on the continent. OH MY!

AFTER the 1st of June the Atlantic Cable Company's old tariff will be resumed.

Local and Other Items.

QUEEN VICTORIA has gone to Balmoral.

ARRESTED.—Mr. Kellogg, the express agent, has received a cable telegram to the effect that Bowden, the express thief, who robbed him of $10,000, has been arrested in England. Detective Oswald starts for there on Monday.

ACQUITTED.—William Fox, who was charged with robbing Miss Marsh, near Dundas, some time since, has been honourably acquitted, his innocence having been clearly established, although Miss March testified positively that he was the guilty party.

DUNDAS wants a policeman, and offers $40 a month, exclusive of fees—which will run the salary up to something less than $10,000 a year—that is if the applicant proves to be a regular "peeler." Apply to the Mayor before the 2nd prox.

ANOTHER TERRIFIC BOILER EXPLOSION happened in London on Thursday, by which one man was killed and another severely injured. The scene of the explosion was Messrs. Muirhead & Grey's oatmeal mill, which has been reduced to a wreck. The loss is estimated at about $3,500.

KNOX COLLEGE.—Professors Gregg and Cavan have so far been very successful in canvassing for funds for rebuilding Knox College. The total amount they had collected, after canvassing Guelph and Galt, we announced as $26,707. Since then Hamilton has subscribed $5,842, London $2,215, Sarnia $1,055, Fergus $560, Toronto additional $1,215, making in all up to the present $37,594.

DISMISSED.—We understand from the London *Herald* that Detective Wm. Smith, who was appointed a short time ago by the Ontario Government as inspector of tavern and shop licenses, and Mr. Hewitt Fysh will probably get the appointment. It is said that the Province will be divided into three divisions; western, central, and eastern, each to be supplied with an inspector, at a salary of $2000 per an., and travelling expenses.

VETERINARY OPERATION.—The Waterloo *Chronicle* says:—A valuable brood mare standing in the stables of Mr. Weaver's hotel, here, on Monday last, was found to be dying. Mr. Hope, Veterinary Surgeon, being in the village, he was called, and as the mare was near foaling time, it was determined to try and save the youngster. As soon, therefore, as the mare breathed her last, she was opened, and the foal taken from her. The operation was perfectly successful, and the foal in an hour or two was as frisky as if he had entered this world in the usual manner, but he died yesterday.

FROM the Galt *Reformer* we clip the following:—We had our hands the other day upon a little *brochure* entitled, "Information for intending emigrants, published by the Government of Canada." From this precious pamphlet we get the novel information that Galt is in the County of Brant, Dundas in Halton, Guelph in Waterloo, Hamburg in Perth, and Stratford in Oxford! If the other information given is of an equally reliable character, "intending immigrants" will get a fine idea of this country. We suggest the presentation of a text book on Canadian Geography to the Immigration Bureau at Ottawa.

DEPARTURE OF CONVICTS.—On Monday afternoon 120 convicts were transferred from the Kingston Penitentiary to that of St. Vincent de Paul, near Montreal. The embarkation took place at six o'clock in the evening, and was accomplished with good order. About forty guards, including some from Montreal, were the escort under the superintendence of Mr. John Flanigan, Deputy Warden. The convicts were marched out in pairs, chained to each other, and put into the cabin of the steamer *Watertown* at the Penitentiary wharf, and the boat soon afterwards steamed off with its somewhat dangerous freight.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.—The Galt *Reporter* says: A very painful accident occurred in Galt on Wednesday afternoon last, whereby a very much respected lady, Mrs. Duncan Ferguson, met with severe injury. It appears that Mrs. Fergusson and Mrs. Wm. McKenzie had been visiting a friend living in Mrs. Stewart's house, south of the town, and when starting for home, while driving down the hill leading to the railway track, the hold-backs of the harness broke, letting the buggy on to the heels of the horse.—This frightening the horse he immediately ran away, and in turning the corner where the road joins South Water street, Mrs. Fergusson was thrown out of the buggy with a good deal of violence, breaking both bones of her right arm just above the wrist, and otherwise severely bruising her. Mrs. McKenzie escaped without injury. Mrs. Fergusson is far advanced in life, and the injury of course all the more serious.

THE ANCHOR LINE OF STEAMERS.—We have received from Messrs. Henderson Brothers, the New York agent of the Anchor Line of steamers, a copy of a very attractive and interesting monthly publication entitled "The Trip to Europe," a magazine of information for ocean travellers. It gives full information respecting this well known and popular line of steamers, which from a very small beginning has grown to be one of the largest, as it has always been one of the most reliable, lines plying between New York and Scotland. The fleet now consists of thirty-six first class Clyde built iron steamers, strongly built, furnished with the most ample accommodation, and provided with all the improvements which science can suggest, for the comfort, safety and convenience of passengers. The line has steadily worked itself into the favor of the travelling public, on the ground of merit alone, for the principles on which the company have invariably acted are fair dealing, honest enterprise, safety, caution, and comfort in preference to rashness and speed, and a constant endeavor to meet the wants and wishes of the trade. One of the steamers sail from New York every Wednesday and Saturday, for Glasgow, and the rates of passage either for single or double trip are a little lower than by most other first class lines of steamers. Full information in regard to the rates, days of sailing, and other particulars of value to the intending traveller, or to those who wish to send for their friends from the old country, can be obtained of the agent in Guelph, Mr. James Bryce, Telegraph and Express office, Wyndham Street.

Another new supply of Wall Paper ex-steamship Manitoban, from Wylie Lochhead's, Glasgow, just opened at DAY'S. Day's Bookstore will be open to-morrow from 10 a.m., to 2 p.m. for the delivery of Toronto and American papers.

TO-MORROW.

4 A.M.—Fishing and shooting begins.

7 A. M.—Grand salute from twenty-one guns.

Hot coffee and —

7:30 A. M.—Game of base ball between The "Never-give-ups" and the "Invincibles." The "Never-give-ups" are sure of victory.

Other local base ball matches.

8:30 A. M. — The Guelph Cricket Club meet for practice at their ground, and invite any lovers of the game to join them.

9 A. M.—Procession of children from their respective schools to the Market Square.

Annual matches of the Guelph Rifle Association at the Rifle Range.

10 A. M.—Regatta on Allan's Dam. Six races—including that tub race.

There are already thirteen entries and every prospect of a success. Entries taken up to 9 a.m. to-morrow.

Why can't we have a smooth pole stretched out on the river somewhere about this time with a $2 on the end of it? Charge, say a dime a trip.

Meeting of the County Temple, I. O. of G. T., in Good Templars' Hall.

11 A. M.—Games, sports, races, &c., including catching the greased pig.

12 NOON.—Now then—Hash!

3 P. M.—Match game of base ball between the Dauntless Club of Toronto and the Champions of Canada.

Don't look for THE EVENING MERCURY about this time, for our "devil" will be *disabled*.

Next comes a general walk around. All hands dry. Temperance (and other) drinks in demand.

7:30 P. M.—H. K. Maitland's entertainment in the Town Hall.

8 P. M.—Promenade concert in the Drill Shed.

Public temperance meeting in the Good Templars' Hall.

10 P. M.—The day's proceedings to conclude with a bonfire and a grand display of fire-works.

During the day music will be furnished by an excellent brass band.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

POLICE COURT.

Before T. W. Saunders, Esq., P. M.
Friday, May 23.

Edward Carroll was charged by the Health Inspector, John Stevens, with having a nuisance on his premises. Case dismissed, the property being in Chancery.

Walter Scott, charged by James Mitchell, night watchman, with vagrancy, dismissed on condition that he leave town forthwith.

James Walters and Robert Keys were charged with committing an outrage on Catharine Ogilvie last night. The three parties were remanded until Monday, when the investigation will be proceeded with.

Brutal Outrage on the Waterloo Road.

A fiendish outrage was perpetrated on the person of Catherine Ogilvy on Thursday night, on the Waterloo Road, by three ruffians, two of whom are now in custody. The woman, who does not bear a good character, states that James Walters, Robt. Keyes, and another scoundrel, not yet arrested, not only violated her person, but stripped every particle of clothing off her body, except her shoes and stockings, and in this condition let her go. She at once gave information to Chief Constable Kelly, who arrested the two above mentioned, and who were identified by the object of their brutality. The third one was discharged. Walters and Keyes were brought up this morning before the Police Magistrate, when they, along with the woman, were remanded till Monday, when the case will be more fully gone into. The brutality of these scoundrels is not a whit lessened by the fact that the woman is of questionable character, and we hope they will receive the punishment they so richly deserve.

Court of Revision.

The Court of Revision for the Town of Guelph, met pursuant to notice in the Council Chamber, on Thursday evening. All the members of the Court were present—His Worship the Mayor in the chair. Jno Varney applied for a reduction of his income tax, which he complained was too high, granted $60; J. D. Williamson complained that he was assessed too high; granted a reduction of $1250; Wm. Hoskin applied for reduction of the amount of his assessment, granted $100; A. S. Hardy complained that his income assessment was too high; assessment confirmed; Jas. Schofield, Jane Steward, and Robt. Morrison complained of the amount of their assessment; severally confirmed; T. Smith made three separate complaints of the amount of his assessment on as many different properties, but the assessment in each case was confirmed. George Pike, lots 36 and 37, Owen's survey, J. Vincent, lot 48, Duke Street, and Robt. Thompson, lots 1, 2, and 3, Charles Street, were placed on the non-resident roll. The Court then adjourned, to meet again on Tuesday evening at 7:30 p. m.

WESLEYAN CONFERENCE.—The following are the officers appointed to represent the Guelph District on the different committees at the approaching Conference of the Wesleyan Methodist Church:—The Rev. J. G. Laird on the Stationing Committee; Rev. W. W. Shepherd, on the Sunday School Committee; and the Rev. J. B. Clarkson, B.A., on the Church Relief Committee. There were four lay men also elected representatives of the District on Conference Committees, these were Messrs. Monger, of Fergus, Kilburn, of Washington, Modeland, of Elora, and one from Listowel.

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC.— Mr. Anderson has sent us a copy of the "Sparkling Spray Galop," which is attracting so much attention among pianists. You can get it at Anderson's Bookstore fo 35 cents.

THE 24TH.—Anderson's Bookstore will be open for the delivery of the morning papers, and between 1 and 2 for American.

THIS MORNING'S DESPATCHES

Fire at Yeddo, Japan.

Carlist Affairs.

New Steamer.

Indian Affairs in Nevada.

Troubles in Arkansas.

Sale of a Railroad.

Suicide.

London, May 22.—The *Standard* of this morning publishes a despatch from Shanghai announcing that the palace of Mikado of Japan, at Yeddo, was destroyed by fire on thd 5th inst.

Barcelona, May 22.—Later despatches received from San Ahuga state twenty of the Volunteers who surrendered to the Carlists were butchered in the streets. The fate of the forty others is unknown, and it is believed they have being killed. The atrocities of the insurgents has caused immense excitement here. The militia assembled at the Armories and demanded that the Carlists now held as prisoners in this city should be given up to them for execution in retaliation. The authorities refused to surrender the prisoners, and transferred them to the fortress in the harbor to save them from the wrath of the militia. It is probable that a number of well known Carlist sympathisers in Barcelona will be arrested and held as hostages for the safe return of the Volunteers now in the hands of the insurrectionists. A levy *en masse* upon the population for the forces to operate against the insurgents, is expected shortly.

Philadelphia, May 22.—The new American iron steamship *Pennsylvania* sailed this morning on her first trip to Liverpool, with 56 cabin and 64 steerage passengers and a full cargo. A salute of 50 guns was fired from the wharf to commemorate the event.

Virginia City, Nev., May 22.—A settler who arrived at Elko to-day from Spruce Mountain, Northern Nevada, reports the Indian affairs there are reaching a crisis. Twelve Snak warriors from Fort Hall, Idaho reservation, arrived at Spruce Mountain five days since and held council with the Shoshonees. Soon after the latter appeared painted and dressed in war fashion, and commenced stealing lead and buying ammunition. They have held war dances since and notified the citizens to leave or they will have their scalps. The Shoshonees are familiar with the Modoc movements. Great alarm prevails in camp and many settlers are leaving. There is a strong impression here that a general Indian outbreak is being planned.

St. Louis, May 22.—A special despatch to the *Times* says that political troubles have broken out again in Mississippi County, Arkansas. The Sheriff's officers have been seized.

Springfield, Mass., May 23.—The Hare River Railroad was sold at Harve yesterday under the trustees for $35,000. Chester W. Chapin, of this city, President of the Boston & Albany Railroad was the purchaser. The Road will be leased to the Boston & Albany R. R.

Chicago, May 23.—Francis A. Makepeace, recently from Worcester, Mass., committed suicide by shooting himself in the head, yesterday morning, at his boarding house, here. An open letter found on his person addressed to his sister at Worcester assigns his cause for the act to be the reception of a letter from her stating that she was hopelessly ill with the lung disease.

The Mayor and City authorities of Chicago have extended invitations to the President and Vice-President, the British and German Ambassadors, the German Consul General in New York, and the Governments of New England and Middle States and the Canadian Provinces, to be the guests of the City during the three days of the Jubilee, commencing June 4th.

BASE BALL NOTES.

The Philadelphia Club went over to Waverly yesterday afternoon, where they tried conclusions with the Resolute Club. With the exception of the first innings, during which the Jerseymen became somewhat demoralized, the contest was a brilliant one, both sides fielding beautifully. As will be seen by the score the batting was equal, neither side distinguishing themselves in this particular, as but seven 1st base hits were made. Time of game, 1 hour 33 minutes. The following is the score:

	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	
Philadelphia	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—6
Resolute	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—3

THE Shah of Persia arrived in St. Petersburg on Thursday.

EXTENSIVE forest fires have been raging round Minden for the last three days.

THE Terrapin tower at Niagara Falls one of the oldest landmarks on the continent, has been blown up to give place to a new iron structure.

THE London *Lancet* publishes a detailed statement of the malady of the Pope, which, it considers, is worse than has been represented.

THE city of Chicago has issued invitations to the Governor-General, Lieutenant-Governors, Ministers, and other public men of the Dominion, asking them to become guests of the city during the approaching jubilee.

Father Hyacinthe, in his sermons, attacks the confessional and celibacy. He also urges the election of priests by the people, and the use of the Bible and liturgy in the national language.

A Dr. Palmer, of Patoka, Ind., has patented an arrangement to arrest sparks on railway trains; but numerous indignant young lady travellers protest that there's no law to warrant such an arbitrary proceeding.