

herent that seemed about the piece of wood that fell down as he passed by; the piece of wood in question was thrown up by me and it fell down accidentally; the man afterwards came up to me when I was at the switch and after a little conversation about my mates of the train "running" on his disappearance; just as the train was leaving the station a man jumped on the flat car and seized me by the breast of the coat and backed me up, and asked me "Was it you that said it?" I answered him "I said nothing to him;" by this time the conductor came to my assistance and the man jumped off, and after he did so several billets of wood were thrown on the flat car, one of which hit and hurt me considerably; shortly after I heard a shot fired, and a man came running past where I was to tell the engine-driver to stop as his mate was shot; the man that assaulted me wore a long, dark black coat with some badge attached to it, black felt rowdy hat and black beard and moustache, and about the age of 25 or 30; I saw the prisoner at the inquest and he answered to my mind the description of the man who assaulted me with the exception that his beard was brown, and I thought it should be black; looking at him, now I am of the same opinion.

To be continued.

Guelph Evening Mercury

THURSDAY EVENING, NOV. 7, 1874

THIS MORNING'S DESPATCHES

Horace Greeley Resumes the Editorship of the Tribune.

The Presidential Elections.

The English Press on the Elections

New York, Oct. 7.—The Tribune publishes the following as a card:—"The undersigned resumes the editorship of the Tribune, which he relinquished on embarking in another line of business six months ago. Henceforth it shall be his endeavour to make this a thoroughly independent journal, treating all parties and political movements with judicial fairness and candour, but courting the favour and deprecating the wrath of no one. If he can hereafter say anything that will tend to unite the whole American people on the broad platform of universal amnesty and impartial suffrage, he will gladly do so. For the present, however, he can best commend that consummation by silence and forbearance. The victors in our late struggle can hardly fail to take the whole subject of Southern rights and wrongs into early and earnest consideration, and to them, for the present, he remits it. Since he will never again be a candidate for any office, and is not in accord with either of the great parties which have hitherto divided the country, he will be able, and will endeavour, to give wide and steadier regard to the progress of science, industry and useful arts than a partisan journal can do, and he will not be provoked to indulge in those bitter personal terms which are the recognized bane of journalism. Sustained by generous public, he will do his best to make the Tribune a power in the broader field it now contemplates, as when human freedom was in peril it was in the arena of political partisanship. (Signed) "HORACE GREELEY."

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 6.—The Republican gains are heavy, and will be about 30,000. The returns indicate the election of seven Democrats and two Republicans to Congress.

Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 6.—Greeley's majority in this State is estimated at 20,000. The State Committee believe that the Republicans have elected seven out of nine Congressmen.

Jackson, Miss., Nov. 6.—The Republicans claim this State by 3,500 majority. They elect five out of six Congressmen.

Baltimore, Nov. 6.—The returns indicate Greeley's majority in this State to be 3,000.

New York, Nov. 6.—The vote in this city for Mayor, with few districts to hear from which cannot materially affect the result, is as follows:—Lawrence, 43,388; O'Brien, 31,121; Havemeyer, 58,803.

San Francisco, Nov. 6.—Grant's majority in this State may be safely put down at 5,000.

Grant's majority in Oregon is estimated at 1,000.

St. Louis, Nov. 7.—The returns from the State are very meagre. The Democrats claim from 30,000 to 40,000 of a majority. The Republicans concede 20,000 to 30,000.

London, Nov. 6.—The Daily Telegraph in referring to the re-election of General Grant, says:—"No one deserves it better of his country or is worthier of the place among the illustrious men who have twice held the Presidential office. England has had cause to complain of many things, but President Grant's policy towards her has never been wilfully petulant or hostile." The Telegraph hopes that the United States will now take care of Mexico and Cuba. It believes that the West, not the East, demands their attention.

The Standard upholds the principles on which the Southern States seceded from the Union, as Republicanism, which it denounces as the definition of the passions of a temporary majority and as identified with personal and political corruption in consequence of the supremacy of the Republican party. The States are loaded with enormous debts, and foreign holders of their securities receive nothing. The Republicans are responsible for the insurrection in Cuba, an anarchy in Mexico, and the murder of the Emperor Maximilian. The Democrats, however, are no better.

News-papers.

We clip the following truthful item from the Decatur Republican. It is pertinent to the point:

A child beginning to read becomes delighted with the newspaper because it reads of things which are very familiar, and will make progress accordingly. A newspaper in one year is worth a quarter's schooling to a child, and every father must consider that substantial information is connected with this advancement. The mother of a child should herself be instructed. A mind occupied becomes fertile against the ills of life, and is braced for any emergency. Children amused by reading or study, are of course more considerate and more easily governed. How many thoughtless young men have spent their earnings in a tavern

or grog shop, who ought to have been reading? How many parents who never spent twenty dollars for books or papers for their families, would gladly have given thousands to reclaim a son or daughter who had ignorantly and thoughtlessly fallen into temptation.

A STATE RULED BY WOMEN.—Among the Holland possessions there is a remarkable State which, in its constitution and the original customs of its inhabitants, surpasses the boldest dreams of American emancipation ladies. Upon the island of Java, between the cities of Batavia and Samarang, lies the little kingdom of Bantam. Although tributary to Holland, it is an independent State, politically without importance, yet happy, rich, and since time immemorial governed and defended by women. The sovereign is indeed a man, but all the rest of the government belongs to the fair sex. The King is entirely dependent upon his State Council, composed of three women. The highest authorities, all State officers, court functionaries, military commanders and soldiers, are, without exception, of the female sex. The men are agriculturists and merchants. The body-guard of the King is formed of the female elite. These amazon-ride in the masculine style wearing sharp steel points instead of spurs. They carry a pointed lance, which they swing very gracefully, and also, a musket, which is discharged at full gallop. The throne is inheritable by the eldest son, and in case the King dies without issue, a hundred elected amazon-ride assemble, in order to choose a successor from among their own sons. The chosen one is then proclaimed lawful King. The capital city of the little State lies in one of the most picturesque parts of the island in a fruitful plain, and is defended by two well-kept fortresses.—November Galaxy.

AMONG our Merchants in Guelph, there are none perhaps so noted for thorough business enterprise as the celebrated Hardware Merchant, Mr. Jno. Horsman. Every season finds him ready for the particular wants of the time, with the best articles of what ever kind are required, and at the lowest possible prices. Now, at the approach of winter, Coal Oil the clearest, Lamps the finest, Chimneys, Wicks and Burners the best; Coal hard and Coal soft, Fire Grates, Fire Irons, Coal Sentinels, Clinker Stoves, Lanterns, Floor Oil-Cloth, Mats, &c. Tea and Coffee Pots, Cruet Stands, Wringers, Mangles, Scrubbing Brushes, Shoe Brushes, Stove Brushes, Smoothing and Fluting Irons, and every Housekeeper's need can be supplied; and every one knows with what confidence they can go or send to Mr. Horsman's, and depend on getting the best goods at the lowest prices. dw

ENGLISH

MAGAZINES

FOR NOVEMBER

Bow Bells, Bow Bells,

Young Ladies Journal, Young Ladies Journal,

- BOW BELLS
- YOUNG LADIES JOURNAL
- WEDDING BELLS
- LEISURE HOUR
- SUNDAY AT HOME
- CHAMBERS' JOURNAL
- EVERY MONTH
- WORLD OF FASHION
- LONDON JOURNAL

FOR NOVEMBER

DAY'S BOOKSTORE.

WYNDHAM ST., GUELPH.

SALE OF LANDS.

Under and by virtue of powers of sale, contained in several mortgages, directed having been made in the payment thereof respectively, will be sold

BY PUBLIC AUCTION.

At the Market House, in the Town of Guelph,

On Wednesday, 6th November, 1872,

At twelve of the clock, noon, in two parcels, the following valuable freehold property in the County of Wellington:

PARCEL No. 1.—The south westerly eighty acres of Lot No. 12 in the eleven concession of the Township of Nichol, formerly owned by George Fraser, and now occupied by William and George Wilson.

PARCEL No. 2.—The northerly quarter of Lot No. 22, in the second concession of the Township of Garafraxa, containing fifty acres more or less, formerly owned by John Stewart.

TERMS OF SALE.—One tenth of the purchase money to be paid down at the time of sale, and a sufficient sum within ten days thereafter to make one fourth of the purchase money. From one to ten years time will be given for payment of the balance, to suit purchasers.

For further particulars, apply to W. S. G. Knowles, Esq., Auctioneer, Guelph, or to CRONIN & CRONIN, Vendors' Solicitors, London, Ont. Oct. 2, 1872. wld-64/5

Postponement.

The above sale has been postponed to one week later, at the same time and place. CRONIN & CRONIN.

CARVER & HATHERLY, Contractors, Wall Builders and General Jobbers. Excavations of all kinds undertaken by the day or job. dw

OSBORN SEWING MACHINE

Prize List for 1872

VICTORIOUS EVERYWHERE

Osborn First Prizes.

- Guelph, Prescott, Hamilton, Ottawa, Crosshill, Fort Garry, Peterboro', Woodbridge, Toronto Gore, St. Catharines, Cookstown, Kene, Orangeville, Almonte, Pakenham, Welland, Norwichville, Ramsay, Napanee, Clairville, Mulmur, New Hamburg, Rosemont, Mono Mills,

Family Sewing—First Prizes.

- Hamilton, Guelph, Almonte, Berlin, Crosshill, Clairville, New Hamburg.

Osborn Second Prizes.

- Hamilton, Woodstock, Parkhill, Markham, Port Hope.

OSBORN

25 First Prizes, 8 Second Prizes and two Diplomas, for 1871

At each competition the contests were keen, the leading Machines of Canada and the States being represented.

FIRST PRIZE

THE OSBORN is warranted for three years, will do every variety of sewing, and the fact that it has carried off the highest awards at the Provincial, Central, Western, and other leading Exhibitions, which no other Machine in Canada has yet done, attests its superiority over all competitors.

SEWING MACHINE!

Give "THE OSBORN" a trial before purchasing any other; you are certain to be pleased with its work.

Beware of cheap, flashy machines claiming to have received first prizes. At no leading show this season have they been awarded any. Competent judges have decided them unworthy, both as regards principle of construction, material employed, and work performed.

Machines given against easy terms of payment.

AGENTS and others in want of employment during the winter will do well to give us a call. Chances to make money unprecedented.

Guelph Sewing Machine Co's.

GUELPH, CANADA. Guelph, Nov. 6th 1872. 117-3md

BOW BELLS

Magazines Just to Hand.

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And all the Other English

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At Anderson's Bookstore,

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Opposite the Market.

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MEDICAL DISPENSARY.

McCullough & Moore's COUGH MIXTURE.

The only reliable Cough Mixture in use for Coughs, Colds, Influenza, Bronchitis, &c. &c. Thousands have tried it, and never found it to fail. Try it once, and you will use no other.

McCullough & Moore's CHILBLAIN OINTMENT.

A safe, speedy, and effectual cure for Chilblains, Frost Bites, and all Tenderness of the Feet.

McCullough & Moore's CONDITION POWDERS.

For HORSES and CATTLE, best in use. One pound package for 30 cents. Double the size of any other powder. Farmers try them, and you will use no other.

McCullough & Moore, Chemists and Druggists,

GUELPH and ROCKWOOD.

We have also just received direct from Europe, a magnificent assortment of Ladies Hair Brushes, Ladies English Hair CHEST PROTECTORS, which cannot be equalled in Ontario.

The Hair Brushes are beautifully stereotyped on backs with a great many of the principal places on the Continent, and are of the most elegant design and finish.

Ladies please drop in and see them.

McCullough & Moore, Guelph and Rockwood. dw

Guelph, Nov. 6th, 1872.

HURRAH, HURRAH! MONEY FOUND!!

IMPORTANT TO ALL!

A Manufacturer's Entire Stock of Dry Goods sent to Guelph to be Disposed of at Prices Regardless of the Cost. Money must be had for these Goods at once.

THE NEW STORE

Will be Opened on Monday, 4th of November,

When the most unheard of inducements will be presented to purchasers of every description of

Fancy and Staple Dry Goods,

Within the remembrance of the human family. Nothing but READY MONEY will be accepted in payment of the Tremendous Bargains that ever awaited the Public. A Ten Dollar Bill will purchase as much value at the New Store to be named

CASH

As Fifteen Dollars will at any of the Stores now in Guelph.

The New Store "CASH" is the most important and necessary means to create a revolution in the trade of Guelph. The interests of the purchasers of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods must be looked after, and the large profits that are now demanded by Merchants doing business in Guelph must be cut down, and the new store "CASH" will commence to do so against the now existing combination of storekeeping. On the 4th November look out for the "CASH". Call on the opening day, and fill your purses with gold, silver or bank bills, and depend upon it the new store "CASH" will send you away with a radiant smile on your face that will bring joy into your family circle worth a thousand dollars to you.

Spread the News of the New Store "CASH,"

and its Wonderful Inducement. Don't Forget. Don't Forget.

Guelph---ALMA BLOCK.

Guelph, Oct. 28, 1872

WM. KNOWLES, Agent. dw

No. 2, DAY'S BLOCK.

CHOICE NEW VALENTIA RAISINS,

First of the Season. A Large Lot arriving.

J. H. McELDERRY,

Wyndham Street, Guelph.

Co-Operative Store.

REMOVAL OF PERRY'S BANKRUPT STOCK!

GROCERIES, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE.

The balance of this Stock has been moved to our own place of business, and are now enabled to offer Special Inducements to all who buy large lines.

J. C. MACKLIN & Co.

GUELPH, Oct. 29, 1872. dw

BRITISH AND FOREIGN

IMPORTING HOUSE,

48 and 50 Yonge Street, TORONTO;

AND 196 and 198 McGill Street, MONTREAL.

Full lines of the following goods of this season's importation or manufacture offered to the jobbing trade by the package, or to general merchants in any part of the Dominion.

TERMS—CLOSE, and discounts liberal to prompt men.

Table Cutlery, Pocket Cutlery, Celebrated Periscope Spectacles, Musical and Patent Albums, Violins and Accordions, Watches, Waltham and Swiss Clocks, Connecticut and French Ole Bull Violin Strings, Bohemian Glass Ware, German Morocco Pocket Books, Toys in wood, tin and iron, Baskets, Fancy and Market.

Fancy China Ware, Gosnell's Brushes and Soaps, Meerschaum and Briar Pipes, Work boxes and writing desks, Ladies' and Gents' Dressing Cases, Shell and Pearl Card Cases, Jewellery, Gold and Plated, Jewellery, Gold and Jet, Crystal Looking Glass Plates

Japaned Trays and Waiters, Walker's and Ely's Gun Caps,

Remember—Our Sale will positively end Two Weeks, and everything must be cleared off by that time, so look out for greater bargains than ever!

P. C. ALLAN, Remember the Sign of the Red Flag, opposite the English Church. Guelph, Oct. 12, 1872. dw

One Ton More of Toilet Soap.

10 Cases Just In

Of Plated Cruet Stands, Table Cutlery, Plated Forks, Spoons, Concertinas, Albums, Glassware, &c. &c.

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Thorpe's Hotel, Guelph, remod-

elled and newly furnished. Good accommodation for commercial travellers. Free omnibus to and from all trains. First-class livery in connection. May 14 dwit JAS. & THORPE, Proprietor.

THE MEDICAL HALL

GUELPH



Horse Influenza

REMEDY!

Farmers, Livery Keepers, and all Owners of Horses affected with the above disease should at once apply to E. Harvey & Co. for their celebrated cure.

Simple, Safe and Reliable.

E. HARVEY & Co.

Dispensing Chemists. Guelph, Oct. 22, 1872. dw

FLOWER POTS AND SAUCERS,

ALL SIZES, at JOHN A. WOOD'S.

NEW DUNDEE MARMALADE

—AT— JOHN A. WOOD'S.

NEW CHINA PRESERVED GINGER

—AT— JOHN A. WOOD'S.

ENGLISH

MALT PICKLING VINEGAR at

JOHN A. WOOD'S.

BORDEAUX

WHITE WINE VINEGAR at

JOHN A. WOOD'S.

FRESH GROUND

Mace, Nutmegs, Cloves, Ginger, Cinnamon and Piments, at JOHN A. WOOD'S.

PURE GROUND

White, Black, and Cayenne Pepper, at JOHN A. WOOD'S.

CAYENNE

PODS AND MUSTARD SEED

for Pickles, at JOHN A. WOOD'S.

PORTUGAL

ONIONS, very fine, at

JOHN A. WOOD'S.

BIRDS EYE

PEPPER SAUCE and STOUGHTON BITTERS at

JOHN A. WOOD'S.

STOVE BRUSHES

and DOME BLACK LEAD at JOHN A. WOOD'S.

NEW

Sultana Raisins and New Turkey Figs

at JOHN A. WOOD'S.

CAUTION.

The Cornwall Manufacturing Company have pleasure in intimating the complete restoration of their works at Cornwall which are now in full operation, producing large quantities of White and Grey Blankets, and Heavy Medium Class Tweeds. They regret, however, having again to call attention of the public to the continuance of the disreputable practice of importing English Blankets and selling them as Canadian. These Blankets are made largely of Shoddy and Cotton Waste, with a small percentage of pure Wool, and though slightly in appearance, closely imitating the Cornwall Blankets, and ticketed "Canadian Manufacture," have neither warm nor wear, but can be sold at a lower price than the Cornwall Blankets (which are made of Pure Wool) can be produced for.

The public are cautioned against this attempted deception, and respectfully informed that the name of the CORNWALL MANUFACTURING COMPANY is printed on the ticket of every Blanket made by them.

Cornwall, Sept. 16th 1872 dw2m

JOHN SPIERS,

Veterinary Surgeon

(Member of the Ontario Veterinary College.)

Hirsch's Union Hotel,

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ROBT. WILKES

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