

THE SPRING TRADE.

Advertisers will reach a large class of readers by inserting their business announcements in this paper.

Special Meeting of Erin Council.

The Erin Township Council met in the Town Hall, Erin Village, at 10 o'clock on the 9th instant: the Reeve in the chair, and all the members present.

Police Court.

Before T.W. Saunders, Esq., Police Magistrate. WEDNESDAY, 18th.—Three members of the Guelph Artillery Company were brought up this morning and fined for non-attendance at drill.

FREEMAN & FREEMAN

BARRISTERS AND ATTORNEYS, SOLICITORS IN CHANCERY, CONVEYANCERS, & C.

Office over Berry's Confectionery Store, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

COMMERCIAL.

MERCURY OFFICE, GUELPH, March 18, 1868.

The supply of wheat for the past week has been very light. During the last three days there has been no fall wheat with the exception of a single load, and the deliveries of spring wheat for the same period have not amounted to more than 300 bushels.

Table with 3 columns: Commodity, Price per unit, and Total Price. Includes items like Flour, Spring Wheat, Oats, Barley, Hay, Straw, Shingles, Wood, Eggs, Butter, etc.

Money Market.

JACKSON'S EXCHANGE OFFICE. Guelph, March 18, 1868. Gold, 1882. Greenbacks not at 71 to 71 1/2; Sold at 72 to 72 1/2.

MONTREAL MARKETS.

Kirkwood, Livingston & Co's report by Special Telegraph (Evening Mercury) Montreal, March 18, 1868. Flour—Fancy, \$7 60 to \$7 75; Superfine No. 1, \$7 50 to \$7 74.

Owen Sound Markets.

Fall Wheat—\$1 50. Spring Wheat—\$1 40 to \$1 49. Barley—\$1 00 to 90c. Oats—56c. Peas—60c to 58c. Flour—\$7 00. Pork—\$5 50 to \$6 00.

Toronto, March 17, 1868.

Flour—Receipts, 192 bbls; No. 1, at \$7 15 to \$7 18. Fall Wheat—\$1 50. Spring Wheat—\$1 40 to \$1 45. Oats—55c. Barley—\$1 25 to \$1 25.

Hamilton, March 17, 1868.

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MERCURY PRINTING HOUSE!

MACDONNELL STREET, GUELPH.

CHEAP, NEAT AND TASTY

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FOR THE CHEAPEST AND BEST

Book and Job Printing

Go to the Mercury Printing House, Macdonnell-st.

M'LAGAN & INNES

HAVE spared neither labor nor expense in fitting up their extensive premises on Macdonnell-st., (East of the Golden Lion), with EVERY MODERN IMPROVEMENT requisite to the successful carrying on of one of the largest Printing Houses in the Dominion.

OUR JOB DEPARTMENT

We have supplied with the most ELEGANT and

The Newest Styles of Type

AND THE LATEST AND MOST

IMPROVED JOB PRESSES!

Enabling us to turn out specimens of work justly considered models of Typographical Beauty. In NEW PRESSES we have Machines from all the celebrated makers, such as

Hoe's Railway Cylinder Press. Hoe's Hand Press. Gordon's celebrated Segment Job Press, and Gordon's Card and Bill Head Press,

A novelty, and acknowledged to be the NE PLUS ULTRA of Treadle Presses. In addition to the above valuable and highly improved Printing Machines, we have a very large and complete assortment of

BOOK & JOB TYPE

Comprising every known Style, Size and Variety,

And are constantly receiving from Type Founders in Great Britain and the United States such new and useful, Plain and Ornamental faces as correct taste and enlightened experience may dictate, and are therefore prepared to execute all orders entrusted to us

From the Finest and most Delicate Card to the Attractive and Mammoth Poster.

MORE PROMPTLY, NEATLY, AND

AT CHEAPER RATES!

Than can be done by any other establishment in the County. Being practical Printers of lengthened experience, and having a thorough knowledge of the wants of the community of this section, employing none but

The very Best of Workmen!

AND USING THE BEST OF MATERIAL,

We are in a position to turn out work in

THE HIGHEST STYLE OF THE ART!

And at such Prices as set competition completely at defiance.

We can Supply on the Shortest Notice:

- BUSINESS CARDS, BLANK AND TAG CARDS, NOTE AND LETTER HEADINGS, CIRCULARS AND BILL HEADS, PROGRAMMES, BALL TICKETS, PAMPHLETS, RECEIPTS, LAW BLANKS, BRIEFS, CATALOGUES, BILLS OF FARE, POSTERS, HAND BILLS, LABELS, BY-LAWS, CHARTERS, CERTIFICATES, CONSTITUTIONS,

AND ALL KINDS AND STYLES OF

LETTER PRESS PRINTING!

ORDERS BY MAIL.

Orders from any part of the country will receive prompt attention, and as soon as executed will be forwarded by the earliest possible conveyance.

Orders Solicited, and Satisfaction Guaranteed.

Great Cure of Liver Complaint and Dyspepsia in Canada.



Consecon, Prince Edward Co., C.W. March, 1867. Messrs. Young & Chamberlain, Sirs—Having proved within my own person that there is at last a medicine that will indeed cure Liver Complaint and Dyspepsia, I am induced to make this statement, under oath, which is to certify that I have been severely afflicted for the last three years, according to the Doctors' statements, with Liver Complaint and Dyspepsia.

BRISTOL'S VEGETABLE PILLS



THE need of a safe and perfectly reliable purgative medicine has long been felt by the public and it is a source of great satisfaction to us that we can, with confidence, recommend our Bristol's Sugar-coated Pills, as combining all the essentials of a safe, thorough and agreeable family cathartic. They are prepared from the very finest quality of medicinal roots, herbs and plants, the active principles of which contain the medicinal value being chemically separated from the inert and useless fibrous portions that contain no virtue whatever.

LANMAN & KEMP, Dispensaries, N.Y. For sale by A. B. Petrie, J. Harvey, Jr., N. Higinbotham, and also by all respectable Druggists in Canada.

RUTHERFORD HOUSE!

JUST RECEIVED, A SUPPLY OF

GODERICH SALT.

Salmon Trout and Herring! Also, 70 half Barrels Salmon Trout, 70 half Barrels Lake Huron Herring, 50 Barrels Prime Labrador Herring. Two cases of Finnan Haddies just arrived.

Guelph 15th January, 1868. R. RUTHERFORD.

ALLEN'S LUNG BALSAM!

Consumption, Coughs, Bronchitis, Asthma, Croup, Diseases of the Throat, Pains and Oppression of the Chest or Lungs, Difficult Breathing, and all the Diseases of the Pulmonary Organs.

THIS Balsam is introduced to the suffering public after its merits for the positive cure of such Diseases have been fully tested. The formula from which it is prepared is referred to by the leading medical journals as being equal to any prescription that can be made up for such diseases by the medical faculty.

As an Expectorant it has no Equal. It is composed of the active principles of Roots and Plants, which are chemically extracted, so as to retain all their medicinal qualities.

TESTIMONIALS OF PHYSICIANS. Dr. Nathaniel Harris, for many years a resident of Middlebury, Vermont, recommends the Balsam as being superior to all other remedies for Bronchitis. He says:—"I have no doubt it will soon become a classical remedial agent for the cure of all diseases of the Throat, Bronchial Tubes and the Lungs."

DR. A. L. SCOVILL, who has for many years been known to the public throughout the United States as the inventor of remedies for the Lungs, recommends ALLEN'S LUNG BALSAM as surpassing anything that has ever been offered to the public for the cure of Lung Diseases.

Physicians who have failed to cure their patients should try this medicine before they give the case up, as we know very many valuable lives have been saved by being persuaded to give it a trial.

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THE SUBSCRIBERS HAVE AT PRESENT A FULL SUPPLY OF

GROUND PLASTER

And while sleighing is good, farmers should get their supplies. By advice from Paris, York and Caledonia, we learn that all that can be produced is already engaged, and that the demand will far exceed the supply. We have been able to secure only

BOOTS,

Instead of 500, and we would therefore advise those requiring any to purchase early.

A small lot of very fine Clover Seed on hand

JAS. MASSIE & CO. Guelph, 17th January 1868.

GREAT CLEARING SALE

The Great Clearing Sale of

DRY GOODS!

IS STILL GOING ON AT,

WM. STEWART'S,

Guelph 11th December, 1867.

Where do you get your Watches,

CLOCKS AND JEWELLERY REPAIRED?



AT SAVAGE'S.

Guelph, February 6, 1868.

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