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Business Cards.

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

AUSTIN C. CHADWICK, Barrister at Law, Solicitor in Chancery, &c. Market Place, Guelph. Office entrance next door to the Queen's Hotel. dw

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OLIVER & MACDONALD, Barristers and Attorneys at Law, Solicitors, Notaries Public, &c. Office—Corner of Wyndham and Queen Streets, up stairs, Guelph, Ont. July 9, 1872. A. H. MACDONALD. dw

THORP'S HOTEL, GUELPH, remodelled and newly furnished. Good accommodation for commercial travellers. Free omnibus to and from all trains. First class living in connection. May 14 dw JAS. A. THORP, Proprietor.

D. KEATING & WORSFOLD, Physicians, Surgeons, &c. Office—the late Dr. Howitt's, Essex Street, Guelph. dw

JOHN KIRKHAM, Silver Plater and Brass Finisher. All orders promptly attended to. Shop—opposite Chalmers Church, Quebec Street, Guelph. dw

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D. BROCK, Directly opposite Chalmers Church, QUEBEC STREET. dw

MR. A. T. HEATHFIELD, Organist and Teacher of Music. Is now prepared, and will be happy to receive pupils for instruction in Music, both Vocal and Instrumental. Piano, Organ, Harp, Violin, also in Harmony and Composition. References kindly permitted to the Rev. Canon Brent, Newcastle; Samuel Wilmut, Esq., Newcastle; and Mrs. Judge Boucher, Cobourg. For terms and particulars apply to Mr. Heathfield, Norfolk Street, opposite the New Baptist Church. dw

ROYAL HOTEL LIVERY STABLE. The subscriber begs to notify the public that he has purchased the above livery from Mr. Geo. W. Jessop, and will continue to be managed as heretofore. Having made considerable improvements, he will be able at all times to meet the wants of the travelling public. First-class Traps ready at the earliest notice. Guelph, 6th Dec. dt W. J. WILSON. dw

O'CONNOR'S BILLIARD HALL, IN THE QUEEN'S HOTEL, GUELPH, OPPOSITE THE MARKET. Refitted in the latest fashion. Five latest styles Phelan Tables. dw

DOMINION SALOON. The Coolest and Nicest Summer Drinks to be had at this saloon. A supply of the Montreal CELEBRATED GINGER ALE always on hand. The best Liqueurs and Cigars always in stock. Guelph, June 14, 1872. DENIS BUNYAN, do

PARKERS HOTEL, DIRECTLY OPPOSITE THE MARKET, GUELPH. First-class accommodation for travellers. Commodious stabling and an attentive waiter. The best of Liqueurs and Cigars at the bar. JAMES PARKER, Proprietor. Guelph, Feb. 6, 1872. dw

PRIZE DENTISTRY. DR. ROBERT CAMPBELL, Licentiate of Dental Surgery. Established 1864. Office next door to the "Advertiser" Office, Wyndham-st., Guelph. Residence opposite Mr. Bonin's Factory. Quebec Street. Teeth extracted without pain. References, Drs. Clarke, Fulk, McGuire, Herod, McGregor, and Cowan, Guelph. Drs. Buchanan and Phillips, Toronto. Drs. Elliot, & Meyers, Dentists, Toronto. dw

W. M. FOSTER, L. D. S., SURGEON DENTIST, GUELPH. Office at E. Harvey & Co's Drug Store, Corner of Wyndham and Macdonnell-st., Guelph. Mr. 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, Fulk, McGuire, Keating, Cowan and McGregor, Guelph; W. E. Graham, D. B. Brampton. dw

G. A. FITTING—AND—STEAM FITTING. Done in the best style and most workmanlike manner. AT HOWARD'S. All kinds of Fixtures made to order on the Shortest Notice. Changing Pipes, &c. or Repairs. Done on the shortest notice. dw

New Advertisements.

HOUSE TO RENT, behind Allan's Mills, containing 5 rooms, pump, wood yard, &c. Possession given after the 15th July. Apply to this office, or to letters post paid Michael Hart, Guelph, P.O. d6w1

WANTED—Two good steady boys, to work in the Paint Shop. Apply at once to J. B. Armstrong & Co's Carriage Works. M-42

CRICKET NOTICE—A special meeting of the Guelph Cricket Club will be held this evening at half-past 8 o'clock, sharp, at the QUEEN'S HOTEL. Important business to be transacted. By order of the Committee. W. H. FITZGERALD, Sec.

COW ASTRAY—Came on my premises on the 4th July, a red and white cow about 2 years old. The owner is requested to prove property, pay charges, and take her away. ROBT. MATHEWS, July 9, 1872. 21st York Road.

DURHAM BULL—The subscriber has a thorough bred Durham bull, which will serve cows this season at his farm (lately occupied by Mr. John Kirkland). May 29. J. W. B. LEVY

40 ACRES OF GOOD PASTURE IN TOWN TO RENT. RIVER upon one side of it. Apply at the Law Office of the undersigned. May 8, 1872. dtf ROBT. MITCHELL.

PIANO TUNING. Mr. Karl Kohler, from Northwiler's, is in town, and will attend to all orders, which may be left at Mr. P. C. Allan's Bookstore, Guelph, July 2, 1872.

BLACKSMITH WANTED—At Sturton, a Journeyman Blacksmith, to whom constant employment will be given. But a steady man and good horse-shoer need apply. State wages per month if by letter, postpaid to Joseph Sturton, Sturton P.O., Sturton, July 2, 1872.

PIANO FOR SALE—For sale, a 7 Octave Piano, rosewood, over string, carved legs, made by a first-class American firm, is in good order, and has been but a short time in use. Will be sold cheap, either for cash, or on time. Address, box 40, Hamilton P.O. July 4-1872.

STOLEN—On Saturday or Sunday evening last, from a boat lying in Allan's mill dam, just by the owner's residence, a pair of long oars, with leather restings and washers. To any one giving such information as will lead to the conviction of the thief or the recovery of the oars a suitable reward will be given. July 6th. dt R. PATERSON.

DRESS MAKING. Miss Craven. Late from Montreal, is prepared to undertake Dressmaking, Cutting and Fitting in all its branches. All kinds of patterns for ladies and children for sale. Sandilands-st., over Mr. Kennedy's Feed Store. Guelph, July 2, 1872. dt

BACON, BACON, BACON. 20,000 lbs. of Prime Cumberland Bacon, for sale at Toronto prices, from 7 to 7 1/2 cents. Smoked Cumberland at 2 cents. 200 Canned Hams, sugar cured; a splendid article, and warranted to keep during the warm weather. A fine lot of Pure Leaf Lard in tennets at 100 cents per lb. 300 Shoulders of Pork will be sold at 60c per lb. A superior lot of Smoked Dried Beef. D. NAISMITH, Glasgow Ham Curer. Guelph, June 28th, 1872. dtwim

TOWN HALL, TO-NIGHT. MONDAY EVENING, JULY 8th, 1872.

Royal Lyceum Comedy Comp'y. In T. W. Robertson's Elegant Comedy of **CASTLE!**

Vocal and Musical Entertainment. In which the child wonder, Victoria, Mr. J. H. Kenny, with his popular musical glasses, and other favorites, will appear. Reserved Seats, 25 cents. Hall 25 cents. Reserved seats for Pian and Tickets at Day's and Anderson's Bookstore, Guelph, July 8th, 1872.

PRESTON MINERAL BATHS. Summer Resort. PRESTON, ONTARIO. CHARGES: \$7.00 a week for single room. \$12.00 a week for single room if occupied by two. 25 cents for single bath. Transient customers, \$1.50 a day. Omnibus at each train. C. KRESS, Proprietor. Dr. Mulloy, Consulting Physician. Preston, May 30, 1872. dtm

NEW FANCY STORE. Mrs. Mayes begs to thank her numerous friends for the patronage conferred on her, and to inform them and the public generally that on account of the success that has already followed her efforts, she has made large purchases of **FANCY GOODS, AND BERLIN WOOLS** and has added Children's Dresses, &c. Ladies Underclothing, Chignons, Switches, Brushes, Baskets, Jewellery, &c. &c. to her stock, to which she would respectfully solicit inspection. Orders for Sewing promptly attended to. MRS. MOYLES, West Market Square, Guelph. Guelph, June 20, 1872. 3md

NEW FANCY STORE, Upper Wyndham Street, Next door to Mr. Naismith's. Mrs. WINSTANLEY. Begs to inform her friends and the public that she has opened a Fancy Store on Upper Wyndham Street, where she will constantly have on hand a variety of **Trimming, Berlin Wool, Needles, Pins, Tapes, Chignons, Writing Paper, Envelopes, &c. &c.** Mrs. Winstanley has also opened a **Registry Office for Servants, AND A LENDING LIBRARY.** Guelph, May 27, 1872. dw

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SOUTH RIDING OF WELLINGTON. MEETING OF REFORMERS.

A meeting of the members of the Reform Party of the South Riding of the County of Wellington, will be held at the TOWN HALL, GUELPH, On Tuesday, 9th day of July, at 8 o'clock, p. m., to take into consideration, in the interest of the Party, the question of the representation of the Riding in next Dominion Parliament.

In consequence of the recent change in the bounds of the Riding by which Erin and Erinosa, have been added to it, it is hoped that the Reformers in these Townships will see it to be their duty to take as active an interest in the political affairs of the Riding as they did when formerly belonging to it.

GEORGE ELLIOTT, President of the Reform Association of South Wellington. Guelph, June 26, 1872.

Local and Other Items.

A STRAWBERRY festival in connection with the Primitive Methodist church takes place on Thursday next.

CRICKETERS are especially reminded of the meeting to-night at the Queen's Hotel, at half-past eight, sharp.

CANADIAN BUTTER.—An improving demand for Canadian butter in Liverpool, at 45s. to 50s. is reported by the mails of the 15th of June.

The annual Wesleyan Methodist Sabbath School Picnic will be held on Mr. Peterson's grounds, on Wednesday, the 17th inst. Particulars in a few days.

FURTHER RISE IN THE PRICE OF IRON.—A further rise in the price of pig iron is reported by cable; Glasgow iron is quoted at 130s., and other brands in proportion.

BASE BALLERS vs. CRICKETERS.—The Secretary of the M. L. B. C.'s is exceedingly anxious that an eleven of both clubs should contest for superiority in a friendly game at cricket. What say the cricketers?

WOOLLEN MILLS BURNED.—The woollen mills of Mr. Logan McCann, of Milton, were consumed by fire on Saturday morning. Supposed to have been the work of an incendiary. Loss, about \$2,000; insurance, \$1,000.

THE OSTRANDER CASE.—The preliminary examination of Ostrander by the Magistrate at Arthur was concluded on Friday, when he was committed to stand his trial. Mr. J. P. McMillan appeared for the defence.

MASONIC.—The Grand Lodge of Canada of A. F. & A. M., will meet in Hamilton at the Mechanics' Hall, on Wednesday next, the 10th inst., at two o'clock. Several foreign representatives are invited and will probably be present. The Board of General Purposes will meet on Monday.

SUCCESSFUL SEASON.—The *Monetary Times* says: "A number of changes occurred in the personnel of different firms doing business in Ontario; no failures of any consequence have occurred for some time past, a circumstance which may be taken to indicate a generally prosperous state of business."

The band of the Grenadier Guards took their departure from New York on Saturday. It will be subject of general regret that these celebrated musicians should have returned to England without paying a visit to the Dominion. The French band will proceed to Chicago this week. It is possible they might be engaged to perform in Canada.

COMMITTED FOR TRIAL.—The man Woodley, who was arrested some few days ago on suspicion of being the man who attempted to commit a rape upon Louisa Jane Wedge, near Copestown, was brought before the Hamilton Police Magistrate on Saturday morning and examined. At the conclusion of the evidence His Worship committed him for trial.

THE LYCEUM TROUPE.—This troupe will appear in the popular play of "Castle" this evening, when the leading parts will be taken by Miss Halpine, Mr. Halford and other members of the Toronto Lyceum Company. After the play there will be a concert, and Kenny will give his wonderful performance on the musical glasses.

SELECTED TOBACCO.—Mr. Myers on Saturday showed us a sample of leaf tobacco, Connecticut and Virginia, of which he has just received a large quantity for making into cigars. It is the finest leaf we ever saw, being large, delicate in texture, and as fine as silk. It is no wonder Myers' cigars are the best now in the market when he makes them of the very finest tobacco he can get.

WILLIAM JOHNSTON, Esq., M. P.—On Thursday night a large and influential meeting of the Orangemen of Montreal took place in the Orange Hall, St. James Street. The object of the meeting was to receive William Johnston, Esq., M. P., of Ballykilbeg, Ireland, who is at present on a visit to this country. The chair was taken by the M. W. Grand Master George Smith, Esq., who briefly introduced Mr. Johnston to the meeting. Mr. Johnston in reply made a short and appropriate speech.

COMMITTED RAPE.—A black scoundrel named George Williams, was committed for trial by the Hamilton Police Magistrate on Friday on charge of committing a

rape upon a little girl seven years old, named Alice Buckley. The miscreant was also charged with attempting to commit a rape upon another little girl, named Doris Thomson, 8 years old. The prisoner enticed the little girls into the Catholic cemetery on Sunday evening, where he accomplished his infamous crime.

FIRE IN ARTHUR.—The Mount Forest Examiner says that on Wednesday, the 6th inst., the dwelling house of Mr. Jas. McDonald, lot No. 14, 11th concession, Arthur Township, caught fire in the upper flat from some unknown cause, and was speedily consumed, together with almost its entire contents. Mr. McDonald was from home at the time, and only Mrs. McDonald and the younger members of the family were on the premises. Some of the children narrowly escaped with their lives. There was no insurance on the building or its contents.

S. W. AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.—The Special Building Committee of the Society met on Saturday afternoon, at Ellis' Hotel, for the purpose of opening tenders sent in for the construction of the additional buildings deemed requisite to meet the requirements of the Central Exhibition for 1872. The following are the tenders with the respective amounts of tender:

Messrs. W. & G. Hall \$603 50
Mr. W. Little \$500 00
Mr. W. Cowan \$367 00
Mr. Hamilton \$331 00
The latter tender was accepted. Building material to be found by the Society.

The wheat crop of the United States is likely to turn out better than was anticipated. It is true that estimates must still, to some extent, be received with doubt; but room is left for possible improvement as well as possible deterioration and figures made at this period are commonly pretty nearly verified by results. The June Report of the Washington Department of Agriculture is in the press, and confirms the hope of a fair crop, or at least better than was feared.

One hundred being the standard of a medium prospect, the general average of condition for the entire crop is set down at ninety four. The gross yield is estimated at about 220,000,000 bushels as against 230,000,000 last year.

CHANGES IN THE BANK OF MONTREAL.—The *Cobourg Sentinel* says:—Mr. J. Porteous, formerly manager of the Bank of Montreal here, having been lately promoted from the Branch at London to that of Quebec, other promotions and changes have as a consequence followed; Mr. F. A. Despard, late manager here, takes the place of Mr. Porteous at London; Mr. C. Brough is transferred from Guelph to Cobourg, and Mr. J. Robertson is removed from Perth to Guelph, Mr. R. J. Drummond, formerly in the agency here, taking Mr. Robertson's place as agent at Perth. We are pleased to welcome Mr. Brough as a citizen of our town, as he comes highly recommended by the press and people of Guelph, where he was very popular.

THE EDEN MILLS RAPE CASE.—We are sorry to learn that up to Monday morning Emmanuel Kemp, who committed the rape on the person of Mrs. A. Bardwell, near Eden Mills, on Friday evening last, has not yet been caught, although diligent search was made for him all day Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Bardwell offers a reward of \$50 to any one who arrests Kemp. We understand there are a large number on his track, and we hope soon to hear that he has been taken. Kemp belonged to the Wellington Fire Battery. The latest information respecting him is that he went to his step-father's some time on Saturday, while they were absent and changed his clothes. He has now on dark striped pants, and a small cap. He wears a black moustache, and has a dark complexion.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—The *Hamilton Times* says:—"On Monday night last a man named Robert Reid, a farmer residing near Ayr, got off the 11.50 train, and was seen about the Dundas station in a state of intoxication. Next morning, he was found by one of the trackmen in an insensible condition, lying at the side of the road bed, fully half a mile west of the station—his head and face cut and bruised in a very serious manner. He was at once removed to the station, and Dr. Hamilton having dressed his wounds, he gradually became conscious, when it was ascertained who he was, and his friends were telegraphed for. He could not account for the state he was found in, but it is surmised that he had started to walk up the track and been struck by a passing train. It is marvellous how he escaped with his life. The railway authorities were not to blame in any way for his mishap, which ought to be a lesson to him in future."

ALMOST A VERY SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—All travellers on our town streets must have too frequently observed that large blocks of stone, which have tumbled off of the quarry-waggons, have inconveniently obstructed the passage of light driving vehicles, and it appears a gentleman and lady, when driving on Norfolk street, on Sunday last, and when opposite Mr. Raymond's residence, encountered one of these obstacles, and that the horse shied at, and a little child, when the lady had in her arms, was in consequence, thrown out of the buggy, and miraculously escaped unhurt. Danger of a serious character, as well as inconvenience, therefore, is the evident result of these obstructions, which the regulations of the town surely cannot, and certainly ought not, to permit. While on this subject it may be as well to draw the attention of the proper authorities to another inconvenience, and that is that in some streets the branches of the trees are allowed to hang so droopingly over the footpaths that, on a rainy day, umbrellas are liable to be torn, &c. besides giving passers by, especially ladies, a perhaps, unwelcome bath.

BY TELEGRAPH

BOY SHOT BY A MINISTER.

TROUBLES IN CENTRAL AMERICA.

Cincinnati, July 7.—This afternoon a boy named Frank Shank was shot and killed by the Rev. Samuel J. Brown, an aged minister of the Methodist Church. A ball was thrown into Brown's yard, young Shank entered the premises to recover it, and the old man shot him. Brown was arrested, but subsequently released on \$50,000 bail. A large crowd assembled to-night in the vicinity of Brown's house, which is guarded by police, and there is danger, from the temper of the people, that they will take the law into their own hands should Brown be found.

Matamoros, July 8.—Quiroga writes from Calera, June 28th, that Trevino did not attack Saltillo in order to avoid the effusion of blood, but because "the enemy has little ammunition, and having no hopes of aid must capitulate." The revolution is strong in the entire country. Diaz writes from near Jalisco that he is over-running that state with very strong forces. Maranjo and Barra have a thousand men between Monterey and Saltillo awaiting events. From Mathusa there is news of the defeat of 300 of Ochoa's cavalry by Martinez, with the loss of 150 prisoners. A despatch eight leagues from Monterey says that Cavallos is here, and promises to be in Monterey by the 8th. A battle is imminent and may take place in a few days.

North and South Grey.

The *Owen Sound Advertiser* is glad to hear that Mr. Snider, the Reform candidate, has made good progress already. Many who did not vote for him last election are now prepared to do so, and his old friends are determined to run him in against all opposition. The Tories could not have hit upon a better man for this purpose than in choosing Mr. Gordon as his opponent. It also hears that Mr. George Jackson, with that discretion which so characterizes him, has resolved to let Dr. Landerkin walk the course. He may regret, however, and, therefore, Reformers in South Grey should be prepared against any and all comers. Dr. Landerkin is considered safe by all his friends whether there be opposition or not. As for East Grey we suppose Mr. Fleisher will go in.

It is sixty years since Earl Russell entered political life.

It is proposed to move the head office of the Ontario Bank from Bowmanville.

A servant girl of Dundee, Scotland, has written a novel called "The Rose of Avondale."

Mr. Diarsell is said to be engaged on another novel, the "sensation" in which will be Socialism.

The Committee of the Cobden Club has decided on the publication of Mr. Cobden's letters.

A woman, residing in Buffalo, has raised \$2,500 worth of strawberries from two acres of ground.

During the last couple of weeks New York has averaged over two hundred deaths a day.

There are 1,000,000 feet of timber in the harbour at Collingwood waiting transportation to Toronto.

Some ruffians have stolen the coins placed beneath the cornerstone of St. Paul's school-house, Kingston.

A memorial stone marking the birth-place of the poet Tannahill has been unveiled in Paisley by Provost Murray.

Since the late earthquake at Antioch the entire population of that unfortunate city have lived under tents.

Wheat harvest is now going on in Ohio and though the crop is said to be thinner on the ground than usual, yet the heads are unusually heavy and well filled.

There has been a falling off in building in New York this spring, as compared with last, of \$2,327,000, caused chiefly, it is believed, by the strikes.

As other nations as well as England have refused to admit the exiled Communists, all the French Government can do to decentralize them as much as possible on their own soil.

Glashier, the aeronaut, has noticed that the voice of a woman is audible in a balloon at the height of about two miles while that of a man has never reached higher than a mile.

Indian teas are coming much more into demand. The deliveries in England for the home trade during the first five months of 1872 was 8,800,000 lbs. as compared with 5,250,000 lbs. in 1871.

In France Republican opinions are spreading among the great mass of the population, but the staunch monarchists look for a certain reaction on the principle that "extremes meet."

Alabama hires out its convicts to work on the railroads. Each has an iron spike about eighteen inches long around his ankle, held by a chain which reaches up to the waist. This contrivance keeps them from running; they trip and fall whenever making the experiment. The contractors feed, cloth, and guard the convicts, and pay the State forty cents a day for each man's labor. For every six months they faithfully work on the road a month is taken from their term of imprisonment.

CANADIAN MONTHLY.—Mr. John Anderson has sent us the July number of this magazine, which begins a new volume. We are glad to see by the introduction to the second volume that it has already attained an excellent position among periodical literature, and that it has the prospect of a bright future before it. The papers in this month's number are of much interest. We have one on the Immigrant in Canada by Thos. White, jr., a chapter of French History; the Dominion Parliament by a Bystander; English Grammar; and the relations of science and art. Also the conclusion of Dinah Blake's Revenge; Jessie's law suit—a tale of the Bay of Quinte; a drama in the 17th century, being an episode of the thirty years war; besides several excellent poems, translations and selections, book reviews, etc. For sale at Anderson's.

G. A. Drew, M. P.

For the benefit of our many readers in the North Riding, we publish the following able exposure of some of Mr. Drew's votes by the Borthay correspondent of the *Elora Observer*—

"What think you, Electors of North Wellington, of your chosen political guardian?"—N. W. Times.

The last session of the first Parliament of our Dominion, like all subsidiary things, has ended and with it the Parliament itself is numbered with the things of the past; and as a matter of course we are on the eve of a general election that may be sprung upon us at any moment to suit the convenience or caprice of our Ottawa rulers. It is therefore quite opportune to put in an answer to the very pertinent question put by the organ-grinder of the representative of North Wellington in the Commons of Canada, and to the opinion of the Electors of this Riding entertain of the votes and speeches (save the mark) of our chosen political guardian during the past five years. In 1867, misled by false issues and deceived by plausible but fallacious appeals, North Wellington unfortunately sent to Ottawa a political nondescript, without political faith, honor, belief, knowledge, or conscience, a dumb automaton voting machine, that granted out Aye or Nay at every resolution of the Ottawa Coalition, or the nod of its drivers, Cartier and Macdonald; for all the scandals perpetrated by the Ottawa cabal during the past five years have been slavishly endorsed by the votes of G. A. We might go back to the earliest divisions in the House of Commons in support of our statement, but shall leave the Inter-colonial Jobbery, the Tupper-McNab bribery, the Nova-Scotia subsidy, and a score of other scandalous acts of bribery, corruption and public immorality for the present, and confine our remarks to a few of the flagitious acts which have taken place during the session that has just ended, and are still fresh in the memories of the electors of North Wellington.

The first party division took place on the 6th of May, on certain resolutions condemnatory of the withdrawal of the Fenian Raid Claims from the Washington Treaty. For years our people and Province have been kept in a state of alarm and long-continued excitement by Fenian marauders from the United States, and Canada has been compelled to tax her people to the extent of several millions of dollars in organizing our militia and protecting our frontier; but worse than all, the best and noblest blood of our Province has been poured out and still calls for vengeance. Yet John A., pandering to Tankeo's master, did not consider that the interests of the Dominion would be promoted by an expression of opinion on the subject! How did our fire-eating loyal representative, G. A. Drew, vote in this matter? Obeying the call or starting at the lash of his master, he voted thus down.

What think you, loyalists, of your chosen political guardian?

On the 17th of May that notorious Comedy of Errors, the Washington Treaty, was read a second time. The great majority of the electors of this Riding are too well acquainted with its provisions to need any explanation of ours. It is sufficient to know, that to satisfy American claims for the Alabama depredations, transactions with which the Canadians had as little to do as the inhabitants of the Moon, for it is a well known fact that Canada had no share in the interests of the Dominion would be promoted by an expression of opinion on the subject! How did our fire-eating loyal representative, G. A. Drew, vote in this matter? Obeying the call or starting at the lash of his master, he voted thus down.

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On the 22nd of May the bill providing that all the elections at a General Election should take place on the same day, as is done in the local elections in Ontario, where the system is adopted and approved by universal assent; and on the day the bill providing for the independence of the Senate were submitted to the Commons. Electors of Wellington, is there any justice in the case of a man in Minto assessed for \$1,000, and another assessed for \$800 but spread at the rate of \$200 in four different Counties, the former having but one vote while the wandering speculator may have four votes? Electors, is it in keeping with the Responsible Government, that members of the Senate should hold offices of emolument and receive bribes as wages? Sir J. A. Macdonald, as the grand-master of bribery and corruption, moved the six months' hiatus; and how did our immaculate G. A. Drew show his detestation of bribery and corruption? At the command of his master, being whipped into line, he voted Aye! Electors of North Wellington, what think you of your guardian angel, as a protector against bribery and corruption?

On the 23rd of May, on the second reading of the controversial Elections Bill, framed for the purpose of having all controversial elections tried before our Judges, in whom Reformers and Tories alike have full confidence, as is the practice in England, and has been proven to work so admirably in Ontario, instead