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# Business Cards.

LIVER & MACDONALD, Barristers and Attorneys-at-Law, Soli-itors, Notacies Public, &c. Office—Corner of Wyndham and Quebec Streets, up stairs, incliph, Ont.

ectly opposite Chalmer's Church QUEBEC STREET.

REDERICK BISCOE, Barrister and Attorney at Law, Solicitor in Chancery, over the Country of Tyndham and Quebeck Streets. TEPHEN BOULT, Architect, Con-tractor and Builder. Planing Mill, and very kind of Joiner's Work prepared for the rade and the public. The Factory is on nucleoc street, Guelph.

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# New Advertisements.

TWO GENTLEMEN WANTED Boarders in a private family.

WANTED — A situation as Bock-keeper, 12 years experience. Best of references. Apply at W. Bell & Co, d2 O LET—With immediate possession,

the stone cellars, rooms, offices or story in Brownlow's Buildings (las street, near the Post Office, to John Horsman, or William Day, elph, Feb. 12, 1873 FOR SALE-Lot 71, on Wyndhan

THE ATHER PLUME TAKEN.—

1 aron that took the White Plume f, ladies hat, on Tuesday evening last o Congregational Church Social, lease leave it at the store of Mrs. F, albraith, Paisley street, and save the lives further trouble.

The Anunal Meeting of the St. Patrick's society will be held on TUESDAY, the Sth FEBRUARY, inst., at DEADY'S "Welington Hotel, at 7.30 p.m. A full attendance of members is requested.

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By order of the President.

FDWARD O'CONNOR,

Guelph, Feb. 10, 1873 dd Secretary. INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869.

In the matter of John A. McMillan, a

The Creditors of the Insolvent are notified o meet at my office, in the Court House, in the Town of Guelph, on THURSDAY, the wentieth day of FEBRUARY, at Two clock in the afternoon of that day for the white examination of the Insolvent, and the kdering of the aftairs of the Estate gener-



PAILWAY TIME TABLE - Winter

Grand Trunk Railway

Trains leave Guelph as follows: 2:17 a.m.; 9.45 a.m.; 1:50 p.m.;6:00 p.m.;\*
8:33 p m;
\*To London, Goderich, and Detroit. ;To Berlin.

3:05 e.m; 7:30 a.m.; 11:00 a.m.; 4:12 p.m. and 8:33 p.m.

Great Western---Guelph Branch.
Going South-6.50 a.m., 12.35 p.m 1.05 p.m.
for Hamilton; 4.55 p.m.
Going North-11.45 a.m. for Clifford; mixed
1.15 p.m. for Clifford; 4.55 p.m. for Fergus;
105 p.m. for Fergus.

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THURSDAY EVEN'G, FEB. 13, 1873. Town and County News.

Singing Biads.—A large number of English and German singing birds for sale at Parker's Hotel, Guelph. As the proprietor will only remain for this week, parties in want of a pair of birds will do well to call at once.

Social.—Remember the social, to be held in the Wesleyan Church here, this vening. Admission 15 cents. The ladies have made ample arrangements for the comfort of all/who honor them with their presence, and a pleasant even-ing is in reversion. Tea from six o'clock.

St. Valentine's Day is now approaching, and already the simple swains are to be seen lingering around the Bookstores of srs. Day and Anderson, contemplat ing, with longing eyes, the pretty-little and highly fascinating messengers of the God of Love. The postmaster will soon be obliged to run the gauntlet of perse-cution, at the hands of all females, from the "belle" to the kitchen maid. With an extra store of patience he may go through the trying ordeal with credit to himself, and satisfaction to his thousand and one customers. Post offices should be opened promptly at the hour and kept en a little later in the evening, from the 14th to say the 21st. Postmasters, like railway officials, are always very

like railway officials, are always very obliging, and we know they will do this little favor for the "dear public."

Love is an old, old story,
Told in the old, old way—
Two hearts that thrill with more than the coming day—
Two lives that are willing to mingle—
Two souls that are throbbing in union,
Till life and its troubles are done.

tove is a want of our being;
"Its a part of the heavenly plan—
For man was given to the world,
But woman was given to man;
And nothing enhances the pleasure
Of the maiden you hope to call thine
Than to send her the neatest, the nices
The choicest and best valentine.

# Local and Other Items.

THIS MORNING'S DESPATCHES
Amadeus Abdicates.

Spain a Republic.

The New Government.

The Utmost Freedom Promised the People.

All is Quiet.

King Amadeus gone to Lisbon.
Don Carlos Claim to the Throne
Acquittal of a Priest.
Heavy Snow Storm in New York.

London, Feb. 12, 10 a.m.—Despatches from Madrid say the situation there was more favorable than was hoped here last night. No disturbance of any kind is reported, and there seems to be a disposition on all hands to maintain order and support-the measure of the Provisional authorities. The Cortes yesterday was the central point of interest, and bulls tims of its proceedings were anxiously awaited by crowda of persons in all the public places of the city. Thetwe Houses assembled at a late hour in the day. The formal message of the abdication of King Amadeus was read in each Cham above sparafely. It opens with the statement that the King has maturely considered the question of what course he ought to pursue with reference to the Spanish throne, and has firmly resolved upon that course. When he accepted the Crown he had been deceived. If the enemies who had been deceived, the corners ow determined upon, but they are Spaniards. By the state and the Congress, was alled to the chair, and in a sproof the had now with to remain one to the intrigues which were the source of the aguittain, had proved many life. The congress, was called to the chair, and in a biref speech declared himself ready to make the course he means the contrast the Smalls and the Congress, was called to the chair, and in a brief speech declared himself ready to make the course how meeting and the congress was appointed to draft a femined and congress was appointed to draft and and of the preservation of order, and the congress, was called to the chair, and in a brief speech declared himself ready to make the course had been decived, the matter of the congress, was called to the chair, and in a brief speech declared himself ready to make the course had been decived to the course of the speech of the

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