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Manufacturers of every description of Malleable Iron for Sewing Machines, Agricultural Implements, Carriage Work, Saddlers Work &c., &c.

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GOLDEN LION!

GUELPH 1872

NEW FALL & WINTER GOODS

500 Cases and Bales Just Received!

COMPRISING:

- 100 bales of Carpets,
- 100 bales of White Cottons,
- 100 bales of Factories,
- 12 cases of Black Silks,
- 13 cases of Black Lustres,
- 13 cases of Black Cobourgs,
- 12 cases of Black Sarmatas,
- 15 cases of Ready-made Clothing,
- 10 cases of Yorkshire Fancy Trouserings,
- 10 cases of Black Cassimeres,
- 10 cases of West of England Broadcloaths,
- 10 cases of Gents Shirts, Collars, Ties and Braces,
- 93 cases of Fancy Stuffs and Haberdashery.

550 cases and bales expected next week, comprising Fancy Dresses, Silks, Merinoes, Hats, Mantles, Bonnets, Shawls, Blankets, Flannels, Gloves, Hosiery, &c., the Largest and Best Assorted Stock of Dry Goods

CHANCE & WILLIAMSON,
GOLDEN LION,
 THE ONLY DIRECT DRY GOODS IMPORTERS IN GUELPH,
 Wyndham Street, Guelph, September 12, 1872

New Advertisements.

FURNISHED APARTMENTS TO LET
 -Bed room or sitting room for one or two gentlemen. Apply at this office. 25-26

BOARD WANTED - By two young men in a respectable family where no other boarders are kept. Address W. S. Draper, Guelph P.O. 25-26

DRESS MAKING - Apprentices wanted. Apply to Miss Broughton, Dress and Mantle Maker, Suffolk Street, West of St. Andrew's Church. 25-26

SPLENDID FARM FOR SALE - An excellent farm of 235 acres, 2 miles from Guelph, soil first class, will be sold at a bargain. **HART & SPYERS,** 4 Day's Block, Guelph. 25-26

TO STONE MASONS AND LIME BURNERS - The undersigned offers for sale his valuable limestone quarry in one or more parcels to suit purchasers. Terms easy. **HENRY HATCH,** Guelph, 18th September, 1872. 25-26

FARM FOR SALE - A farm of about 125 acres, most slightly situated within two miles of Guelph market; soil first class, being a strong loam, good orchard, excellent barn, and stabling. Apply on the premises to H. McKernie, Waterloo Road, Guelph, Sept 25th, 1872. 25-26

ITALIAN BEES - For sale, a few stocks of Italian Bees with pure queens. Apply to P. H. Gibbs, near the Dundas Bridge. Guelph, Sept. 4, 1872. 25-26

STOREHOUSE TO LET - On Switch connecting Grand Trunk and Great Western R.Rs. Capacity 12000 bushels, with horse-power Elevator. Apply to John McCrea. 25-26

FARM FOR SALE - 100 acres, 85 acres cleared, remainder hardwood, cedar and black ash; log dwelling house, frame barn, stables, orchard 2 acres, 2 wells. This farm is west half of Lot 10, Con. 1, Eramosa. For further particulars apply on the premises to Edmund and Peter Fitzpatrick, Eramosa P.O. 25, 30-31

COW STOLEN OR STRAYED - Strayed from the subscriber's premises on the 1st inst., a Red and White Cow, with white face. Any one returning the same, or giving such information as will lead to her recovery will be suitably rewarded. **JOHN COUGHLIN,** Union Hotel, Guelph Sept. 5. 25-26

PRECENTOR WANTED
 For Chalmers Church.

Apply forwarding testimonials, stating amount of salary required, or asking information about duties, &c., to D. McINDOSH, Session Clerk Alma Block, Sept 24, 1872. 25-26

DESIRABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE - The Cottage on Yarmouth street, adjoining Mr. Marriott's residence, near Mr. Raymond's Sewing Machine Factory, with one-fifth of an acre of land, 60 feet frontage. Room for another building. For terms, apply on the premises to C. Ward, or to Messrs. Hart & Spies, Land Agents, Guelph, Aug. 10, 1872. 25-26

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. 25-26

NEW MUSIC STORE,
Quebec St., Guelph.

F. C. Whiting, Importer of all kinds of Musical Instruments, including Saxophones, English Music, V. Novello's Music, Instruction Books, &c. wholesale and retail.

Melodions, Flutinas, Concertinas, Accordions, &c. tuned and repaired. Tuning and Repairing. Agent for Nordheimer & Co's Pianos and Organs. Also, Agent for Virtus & Torston, publishers. 25-26

TEMPERANCE SOCIAL
 The Members of Beaver Temple, No. 56, I. O. G. T. will hold a Social,
On Wednesday Ev'g, 2nd Oct.,
 in their Hall, Guelph.

The Entertainment will consist of Speeches, Dialogues, Music, Readings, Recitations, &c.
 Tea will be served from 6 to 8 o'clock.
 Tickets to be had of the members. Come one! Come all. **J. AMBERLEY, Sec. Com.** Guelph, Sept. 25, 1872. 25-26

TOWN HALL.
Monday & Tuesday, Oct. 7 & 8.
 Charles MacEvoy's Famous Original

HIBERNICON
 Illustrating the Scenery, Music and Antiquities of
IRELAND
 New and Beautiful Songs, Dances, and character sketches.
 Violin solos by the accomplished Lady Violinist, Miss Mary E. O'Connell.
 Piano solos, Duets, &c. by acknowledged artists.
 All the Beautiful scenery of the Emerald Isle.
 The new Dramatic Episode of IRELAND HIBERNICON will be rendered by the **Hibernicon Comedy Company.**
 Admission - Reserved seats, 50c.; Back seats, 25c.

DRILL SHED, GUELPH.
Last Two Nights of the Fair!
 COMMENCING
Thursday Ev'g, Oct. 3rd.

HOWORTH'S
Tableaux of ERIN,
 WITH
COMEDY COMPANY COMBINED.

Also - Scenes in the Late War between France and Germany.
 Admission, 25c.; Reserved Seats, 50c.
GEO. CRUIKSHANK, Business Agent, Guelph, Sept. 30, 1872. 25-26

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.
MAY 14 dwt JAS. A. THORP, Proprietor

FALL EXHIBITIONS.

GUELPH GENERAL - 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th Oct.
LUTHER - 1st October.
NORMANBY - At Ayrton, 1st October.
ELMA - 1st October.
NORTH OXFORD - At Woodstock, 30th Sept. and 1st Oct.
NORTH GARY - At Owen Sound, 3rd October.
NORTH FERRIS - At Bradford, 3rd and 4th Oct.
WESTERN FAIR - London, 5th, 6th, 10th and 11th October.
PROBING - At Ayrton, on the 6th Oct.
ERIN - At Erin Village, 8th Oct.
NASSAGAVETA - At Hallowville, 8th Oct.
NORTH WALLETON - At Drayton, 8th Oct.
SOUTH WATERLOO - At Preston, 8th and 9th Oct.
WARRAMORA - At Douglas, 9th Oct.
WALLACE & ELMA - At Listowel, 8th Oct.
CARDWELL GOSSETT - At Mono Mills, 8th and 9th Oct.
EDMONT - At Holstein, 9th Oct.
HALTON - Milton, Oct. 10th and 11th.
NORTH WATERLOO - 10th and 11th Oct.
SOUTH GREY - At Durham, 10th Oct.
MORNINGTON - At Millbank, 11th Oct.
PROTON - At Colarville, 11th Oct.
EAST GALAPRAXA - At Matsville, 10th Oct.
HIBERN - 18th Oct.

MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS.

HARRISTON - Friday before the Guelph Fair.
BOSWORTH - Saturday before Guelph.
DRAYTON - The Saturday before Guelph.
ELMA - The day before Guelph.
GUELPH - First Wednesday in each month.
CLIFFORD - Thursday before the Guelph fair.
TEVOTDALE - Friday before the Guelph fair.
NEW HAVEN - First Tuesday in each month.
BERLIN - First Thursday in each month.
ELMIRA - Second Monday in each month.
WATERLOO - Second Tuesday in each month.
MOUNT FOREST - Third Wednesday in each month.
HARROW - Monday before Durham.
DURHAM - Tuesday before Mount Forest.
FERRIS - Thursday following Mount Forest.
ONE TOWN - Second Monday in January, March, May, July, September and November.
MONTELEONE - Third Wednesday in January, April, July and October.
ERIN - First Monday in January, April, July and October.
MASONVILLE - First Tuesday in February, May, August and November.
BRANTFORD - First Thursday in each month.
LITTONVILLE - First Friday in each month.
HILLSBORO - Second Tuesday in January, March, May, July, Sept. and November.
MOOREFIELD - Monday before Guelph.
HAMILTON - Crystal Palace Grounds, the day after Guelph.

Guelph Evening Mercury

MONDAY EVENING, SEPT. 30, 1872

Town and County News.

THE T. G. & B. Railway is now completed and ballasted to Mount Forest.

COUNTY COUNCIL - A special meeting of the County Council takes place tomorrow at 2 o'clock.

DAILY Globe and Mail delivered at customers houses at 13 cents a week, two weeks for 25 cents at Day's bookstore.

THE FINDING OF DR. LIVINGSTONE - Mr. J. Anderson has sent us a copy of this little book by Mr. Stanley, the finder of Dr. Livingstone. It contains the full text of Stanley's letters, and gives a full and graphic account of the writer in his search after the great explorer. Copies for sale at Anderson's.

SEIZURE OF AN ILLICIT DISTILLERY - On the 25th inst., District Inspector Godson, of the Inland Revenue, in Toronto, assisted by Deputy Collectors Morrow and Hasley, and Excise Officer Walker, seized an illicit distillery in the Township of Luther. Stock and plant destroyed, except the boiler, ten horse power, which was shipped to Toronto.

PERSONAL - We are happy to learn that Mr. Thomas Keough, formerly of Guelph, who has been for some time in the employ of J. M. Bradstreet & Son, Mercantile Agents, Buffalo, has been appointed manager of the Rochester Branch of the Agency. We congratulate Mr. Keough on this substantial recognition of his services by the Messrs. Bradstreet.

ON Friday the non-commissioned officers and men of the Orangeville Volunteer Company assembled in the Town Hall, and, through Ensign Deatur, presented Capt. Parsons and Lieut. Dunbar with two elegant and elegant tea sets, valued respectively at \$90 and \$40, accompanied with complimentary addresses to which both Capt. Parsons and Lieut. Dunbar read appropriate replies.

At a special meeting of the Durham Town Council held recently, the resolution granting aid to the Clifford Extension, of fifteen thousand dollars, was cancelled, and a resolution immediately passed as follows: - "That this council take immediate steps to procure, publish and submit to the ratepayers of Durham for their approval a by-law for twenty thousand dollars in aid of the Durham Extension of the Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railway."

RUNAWAY - This afternoon, as a team was conveying a valuable imported Cotswold ram, belonging to Mr. Miller of Pickering, was passing the G. T. R. Passenger Station, the horses took fright, ran away, and overturned the wagon on the top of the driver, who, on extricating himself, and although considerably hurt about the legs, went in pursuit of the horses who had managed to detach themselves from the wagon. The ram was, strange to say, unhurt.

WHOLESALE CROCKERY STORE - We direct the attention of the public to the advertisement of Messrs. R. Rae & Co., Alma Block, who have now in stock a magnificent assortment of crockery, glassware, lamp goods, fancy goods, cutlery, plated ware, &c. We are glad to learn that this firm are doing an immense wholesale trade, and that they have lately been obliged to enlarge their premises. Their warehouse is well worth a visit, for the quantity, quality and variety of their goods are equal to any shown in the largest wholesale houses in any of the Canadian cities.

POLICE COURT.
 Before T. W. Saunders, Esq., P. M.
 Monday, Sept. 30th.
 John Welch charged with allowing pigs to run at large contrary to by-law. Fined \$1 and costs.

Local and Other Items.

The stringency of the money market everywhere continues still.

A man named Ducat was found dead in his wagon on Clinton road on Saturday morning. The cause was whiskey.

A Hamilton paper comments in an indignant mood on the "meanness" displayed by the Council of that one-horse city in presenting Lord Dufferin with an address "on foolscap" written by an employee, while all the other addresses presented were engrossed on parchment.

The murderers of Dr. Nimham, of St. Thomas, are still at large. Constables have been on the alert, the woods and ravines south of the town have been scoured, and several houses have been searched; but not a solitary trace of the fugitives has been discovered.

The contract for the construction of the third section of the Hamilton & Lake Erie Railway, from Caledonia to Jarvis, has been awarded to the well-known and enterprising railway contractor, Mr. Wm. Handrie, of Hamilton, who undertakes to have the line completed to Jarvis by the 1st of May, 1873.

On Saturday morning a man by the name of Robert Wakefield, a native of Sheffield, England, was found dead in his room at McCulloch's Hotel, Hamilton. The deceased was engaged as porter in the wholesale establishment of Messrs. A. Hope & Co., and is reputed to have been a steady and persevering man.

Among the distinguished visitors to Hamilton and the Exhibition was James Arthur, Esq., of Glasgow, head of the world-renowned dry goods exporting house of Arthur & Co., the largest we believe in Great Britain. This gentleman is making a tour of Canada and the United States, accompanied by Mrs. Arthur and a party of friends.

DECLINED THE CALL - The Rev. Dr. McVicar, of Montreal, has resolved, in accordance with the earnestly expressed wish of the friends of the Presbyterian College there, to decline the call to the South Presbyterian Church, Brooklyn. The foundation of the Presbyterian new College building at Montreal will be laid in the course of a few days.

A BLACK RECORD - The Fall Assizes for the County of Wentworth commences on Monday. The following criminal cases are on the docket: Christopher Goodman, for arson; George Williams, for rape, for assault with intent to commit rape, and for another attempt to commit rape (all upon different women); Nicholas Nick, for causing the death of his wife, Mary Nick; Dennis Dinahy, for rape.

THE DUNDAS BANNER heard the other day with a great deal of pleasure, that Mr. John Allan, of the *Gelt Reformer*, had fallen heir, by the death of an aunt in Scotland, to a nice little fortune amounting to £20,000. We rejoice that one of our contemps, has been freed from the bondage of newspaper life, and that he will no longer be called upon to fret his soul and suffer for the public good. It is almost a pity that all editors were not blessed with rich aunts who would not live forever.

SENTENCED TO BE HUNG FOR RAPE - Wm. Reed was tried at the Peel Assizes last week for committing rape on the person of Hannah McClure Robinson, on Sunday evening, the 25th August, while she was going for the cows. After hearing the evidence, the Judge charged the jury strongly in prisoner's favor, on the grounds that there was no evidence to prove that the prisoner had used force or violence to accomplish his end, nor did the girl make that resistance that she ought or might have done, as was proved by Mrs. McClure and Mrs. Modeland, stating that on examining her she appeared no worse than she would have done had she been a consenting party. Prisoner was found guilty, and the Judge sentenced him to be hung on the 9th December next. The Judge said if allowed his own discretion he would not have sentenced him to death, but the law allowed of no other sentence. He will likely get off with two or three years in Penitentiary.

AN EXTRAORDINARY CASE - On Sunday evening of last week Mrs. Geo. Young, residing near Alloa, observed a woman crossing one of their fields towards the bush, and next morning a young woman came to the house of William Young, with a bundle in her arms, which turned out to be a new born child wrapped up in a woman's dress. She was all in a tremble, and asked for a cup of tea, which was at once prepared. She said her name was Ferguson, and she had an uncle living in the township of Holland, from which she had come about a month ago; that she had been in service near Brampton for the past three weeks, but feeling unwell on the previous Sabbath she had left, and in the bush at Mr. Young's farm had on that night all alone given birth to the child. She remained there alone all Monday and Monday night, but was driven by hunger and want of support to ask for the shelter which was womanly given to her on the Tuesday morning. Mrs. George and Mrs. William Young, being close neighbours, attended to her and the child. The young mother having recovered strength from the refreshments served her, cleaned herself, washed, dried and ironed a dress for herself, refusing all assistance in doing so. She was a cleanly, good-looking young woman, about eighteen or nineteen years of age. After feeling somewhat comfortable she left, objecting to remaining any longer, and, as she stated, to find work. She seemed to feel her position very keenly, which had driven her to the bush. She also stated that she had a sister married, and residing in Caledonia. - *Brampton Banner*.

The Montreal Daily News gives notice of its own death on Monday.

West Elgin is to have its Reform Demonstration.

\$90 - This is the sum in which the Belleville Ontario has been fined for libel. The Halifax Chronicle, than which no journal in the Dominion is more brilliantly edited, clearly points out the coming downfall of the Ottawa Government.

THIS MORNING'S DESPATCHES

SEVERE STORM IN OHIO.

STOPPING OF OIL WELLS.

Expected Rise in Oil.
 New York, Sept. 30. - Rev. Francis Vinton, Professor of Canon Law in the General Theological Seminary of Reformed Church, and assistant minister of Trinity Church, Paris, died after a lingering illness yesterday afternoon.

Cincinnati, Sept. 30. - Severe storm of rain and wind prevailed here during the whole of last night. An extraordinary amount of rain fell. The storm appears to have been general throughout the North-West.

Titusville, Pa., Sept. 30. - At a final meeting of the oil producers, held in Oil City yesterday, relative to the shutting down of wells, it was unanimously agreed to suspend all pumping of wells and also further drilling for a period of thirty days.

Three-fourths of the wells throughout the country were stopped at midnight last night, and the balance will follow. Advanced prices in the oil market are immediately expected.

South Perth Election.

TRIAL OF HARDMAN.

STAYFORD, Sept. 26.
 Edward Hardman, foreman Grand Trunk shops, Brantford, accused of personating Mr. Hamnaford, Chief Engineer of the Grand Trunk Railway, at last Perth election, was brought before Mayor McCulloch to-day, and bound over to stand his trial at next Assizes. At the opening of the Court another Hardman from Brantford was produced as the accused, and boldly tried to perjure him, but, the trick being detected, the real man came into Court. After some hesitation, and after the witnesses for the prosecution had been, at request of accused counsel, looked up in another room, and when brought into court separately, one entire stranger to Hardman, fully identified him as the guilty party, pointing him out in a crowd of fifty, although the other Hardman sat in the position usually occupied by prisoners, and the accused stood in the background. Alderman Baxter, of Toronto, appeared, and assisted Mr. Brooke, of Brantford, in the defence.

High School Examinations.

In accordance with the Act of last session, giving the Lieutenant-Governor power by Order in Council to suspend or annul any Rules and Regulations issued by the Council of Public Instruction, the following circular has been issued from the office of the Provincial Secretary: -

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,

Toronto, Sept. 29, 1872.

Sir, - I am commanded by His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor to inform you that His Excellency has been advised that the whole duty of examining pupils for the admission to High Schools and Collegiate Institutes, including the settlement of Examination questions rests with the Board of Examiners constituted by the 38th Section of the School Act of 1873, (34 Vic., Cap. 83), and that the results of Examinations by the Board upon subjects prescribed by the Regulations of the Council of Public Instruction is conclusive, and are not subject to the supervision of the High School Inspector. In prescribing the programme of the Examinations, and Regulations respecting the same, the Council of Public Instruction has been advised that it is desirable the utmost facility should be afforded for the admission of pupils to the High Schools, consistent with their showing that amount of previous training without which it is improbable that they could obtain any advantages from the further prosecution of their studies in the High School. His Excellency has also been advised that the Board of Examiners should be left unrestricted to the extent mentioned in fulfilling the duties confided in them by the Act, and has, by Order in Council, suspended the Regulations of the Council of Public Instruction for the admission of pupils to High Schools and Collegiate Institutes.

I have the honour to be, Sir,
 Your obedient servant,
PETER GOW,
 Secretary.

The Chairman,
 High School Board.

Another Livingstone Expedition.

And now it is said that a Frenchman, envious of Stanley's laurels, has announced his intention of immediately proceeding to Ujiji and discovering the great traveller over again. After this Frenchman, we may expect to find a rival German, and subsequently an envious Englishman, hastening to Ujiji, and plying Livingstone with the commonplaces of polite society. If this sort of thing goes on, Livingstone will be forced to issue orders to his servants to inform all visitors that he is not at home, or else he will fly from Africa to some less crowded and fashionable locality. Dr. Livingstone is popularly regarded as being at the present time full of gratitude to Mr. Stanley for the brief call he made upon him in Central Africa. This gratitude will not endure long if it should be found that Stanley has been the pioneer of a host of visitors. Livingstone's horror of being "made much of" or regarded as an object of curiosity, is well known, and if the above rumor proves true we may expect to hear of the several Livingstoneian Paul Pys returning from Africa in that mysterious state of mind vulgarly supposed to be experienced by persons whose acoustic apparatus is encumbered by the presence of a diminutive but exceedingly agile insect of bio-arbitary propensities. In other words, the amulet of Stanley may expect to be dismissed with "a flea in his ear." - *Courier*.

PRISON INSPECTORSHIP.

It is currently rumored that Tom Ferguson of "sore toes" and other equally reputable notoriety, is about to be appointed Inspector of Prisons, as a reward for handing over his "chances" at Cardwell to John Hillyard Cameron. Tom is not the man to "sell himself for nought."