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Aug 18 do 6m LEWIS RICE & SON, Prop'rs

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1864-65

In the Matter of JAMES CHRISTIE, of Elora,

AN INSOLVENT.

THE Creditors of the Insolvent are notified that he has made an assignment of his estate and effects, under the above Act, to me, the undersigned assignee, and they are required to furnish me within two months from this date, with their claims, specifying the security they hold, if any, and the value of it, and if none stating the fact; the whole attested under oath, with vouchers in support of such claims.

JOHN KERR,
Official Assignee.

Dated at Toronto, 19th Sept., 1868. d2w

Housekeeper Wanted.

WANTED, a Housekeeper who has had some experience in a family. A middle aged person preferred. References required. Apply to the MERCURY Office, Guelph.

Guelph, 30th Sept. dwtf

The Wellington Packing House

THE subscriber is prepared to pay the highest market price for good FAT HOGS (dead or alive) for packing. Also, cash paid for any amount of good BUTTER.

J. T. BRILL.

Guelph, 1st October. dw2

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

N. CROFT

WOULD inform his friends and the general public that he has opened a shop in his old premises, on

CHURCH STREET,

Two doors West of Deady's Hotel,

Where he is prepared to make up Gentlemen's Garments in the newest style.

CUTTING DONE ON SHORT NOTICE.

Agent for the best Sewing Machines.

N. CROFT, Church-st.

Guelph, 11th September. d

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A. B. PETRIE, Druggist.

Guelph, September 25th. dw

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UPPER WYNDHAM-ST., GUELPH

Guelph July 24. dw-tf

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WISHES to inform his customers and the public that he has opened a

SHOP NEXT DOOR to MR. HAZELTON'S,

Nearly opposite the Wellington Hotel, where he will be prepared to attend to the wants of customers and the public. He has on hand a lot of well

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Slightly soiled by removal at the late fires, to be sold cheap

Guelph, July 3, 1 d6

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Guelph, June 22 daw 6m

Singing and Pianoforte.

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Guelph, Sept. 11th, 1868. do tf

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Guelph, September 16th. dw

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Good Common Paper, 5 cents the Roll.

The balance of our Stock must be sold to make room for our Spring Stock.

Call early and get Good Patterns, at

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Opposite the Market.

Guelph, September 9th. dw

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C. & T. MEREDITH.

GOOD DRAWING TEA,
For 50 cents, worth 65 cents

VERY CHOICE HYSON,
For 75 cents, worth 87 cents

Very best GREEN or BLACK,
For one dollar.

All kinds of GROCERIES at very Low Rates.

China, Crockery & Glassware—
A very large stock now on hand. Call and see.

N.B.—The Stock of the Canada Clothing Store is going off at Great Bargains, so as to clear out the premises for C. & T. M's. Immense Fall Stock.

Guelph, September 23rd. d

Public Notice.

THE GLASGOW HAM CURER will re-open on

Saturday, 12th of September

And will have on hand a large supply of

FRESH SAUSAGES

LARD AND PICKLED PORK.

He will shortly have on hand Beef, Pork and Mutton Hams; also, his famed Mince Collops, Smoked Bacon, Smoked Hams, &c.

D. NAISMITH.

Guelph, Sept. 11th. d1m

DANCING CLASSES.

THE MISSES RHEMMIE beg to announce that in addition to the other branches of education, they are prepared to open classes for Dancing on THURSDAY, 1st October, at their establishment, Waterloo Road. Afternoon class at 3 o'clock. Evening class at 7½.

Guelph, Sept. 30th, 1868. dotf

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TO 55 CENTS.

FLOUR, - - $3.00
POTATOES, - - 1.00

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LEAVING New York every Thursday, Queenstown or Liverpool.

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First Cabin, - - $87, gold value
Steerage - - - - 29, "

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Hamilton, 1st June, 1868. dw

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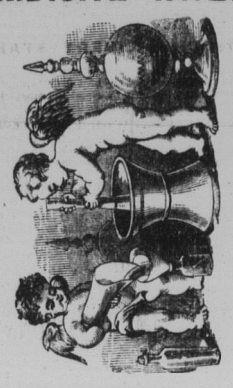

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Guelph, October 1st. dw

Funerals, Funerals!

NATHAN TOVELL has to intimate that he is prepared to attend funerals as usual. Coffins always on hand. Hearse to hire.

His Steam Planing Mill is in constant operation. All kinds of lumber, sashes, doors, blinds, mouldings, &c. He solicits a share of public patronage

NATHAN TOVELL,
Guelph, 27th Aug., 1867. Nelson Crescent

Canada Clothing Store!

WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH.

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Positively selling off at

20 PER CENT BELOW COST

COUNTRY Merchants and Tailors are particularly invited to inspect the stock of CLOTHS CLOTHING, TRIMMINGS, &c., which for quality and cheapness cannot be equalled in the Dominion. We challenge competition.

A number of first-class Sewing Machines for sale at from $10 to $45, in good working order.

Call before purchasing elsewhere and get a argain

RICHARD AINLEY.

Guelph 29th July. dw

FIRST OLASS Mill PRIVILEGE

TO BE SOLD AT

A BARGAIN.

AN Excellent MILL PRIVILEGE, with dam erected, situate on the Grand River, between the Villages of Fergus and Elora, in the County of Wellington and Province of Ontario, known as the KINNETTLES MILL PROPERTY, containing about 4½ acres.

The property is in close proximity to where the Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railway crosses the Grand River.

There is a fall of 10½ feet, embracing both sides of the river, which gives a number of water-powers capable of being used for various kinds of manufactories.

The property is situated in the centre of one of the finest agricultural counties in the Dominion of Canada, with easy access to either the American or European markets, and is one of the most eligible properties now offered to the public.

Price moderate, terms liberal, the proprietor wishing to dispose of the property on account of failing health.

For her particulars can be learned on application, either personally, or by letter (prepaid) to

DAVIDSON AND CHADWICK,
Land and General Agents,
Town Hall Buildings, Guelph.

Guelph, Aug. 10. daw tf

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From England,

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DAY'S BLOCK,

Opposite the Market Guelph.

A GOOD Assortment of the Best English and Swiss Lever Watches. Reference can be made to respectable persons who have carried his Watches from one to twenty-five years each.

Guelph, September 9th. dw

SPECIAL ATTENTION.

THE Highest Market Price paid for

Wool, Hides, Sheepskins, Calfskins, and Wool Pickings,

At No. 4, Day's old Block, Gordon Street.

Guelph, July 23 dw D. MOLTON.

Evening Mercury.

OFFICE:.....MACDONNEL STREET

MONDAY EVENING, OCT. 5TH, 1868.

Local News.

Salt has not yet been found at Southampton. They have now bored over 1,000 feet.

The Berlin Mechanics' Institute is to have an Arts' Exhibition in aid of its funds.

Ottawa has raised $13,000 for the Red River sufferers, and is continuing its exertions.

Thos. Kennedy, of Edgecomb, County of Perth, chopped two of his toes off while cutting wood a few days ago.

A young man while out 'coon hunting, in Wyoming, on the night of the 23rd ult., was killed by a branch falling on his head.

Mr. Alex. Hunter, of Durham, was relieved of $80 while taking a snooze as he passed over the railway from Buffalo to Milwaukee a few days ago.

An old resident of Fullarton got on a spree in Mitchell on Tuesday last, and while reposing on a board mattress, to wit, the sidewalk, was robbed of $71.

The Waterloo Battalion had a rifle match at Galt, when assembled last week to be presented with a stand of colours. The Crosshill Company won as usual.

The Ontario Government has ordered the Sheriff and the Clerk of the Peace for Huron to withdraw their patronage from the *Signal* and bestow it on the *Star*.

A shooting match for the sum of $200 a side, will come off on the 13th inst., at Whitby, between Messrs. John Tweedie, of that town, and C. Birch, the champion of Canada.

The Indians who played a lacrosse match with the Guelph Club some time ago, went up to Elora this morning to try their hands with the Club of that village.

Hon. Mr. Langevin will discharge the duties belonging to the Minister of Militia during the absence of Sir George Cartier, and Hon. Mr. Tilley will act officially for Hon. Mr. McDougall.

The Catholic Diocesan Synod, of New York, is to promulgate decrees of the General Council, among which are those denouncing church picnics, spiritualism, planchette and animal magnetism.

We understand that Mr. John Pipe has purchased from Mr. James Goldie the grist mill on the Speed near to the first toll gate. Mr. Pipe entered into possession on the 1st of the month.

The Empire is peace, said Louis Napoleon once at Bordeaux; but when at the last fete of the Emperor at Marseilles, some workmen cried Vive la paix, long live peace, they were arrested for disturbing the peace.

A young man named Joseph Ward, of North Easthope had his legs caught in a threshing machine on Thursday last, and one of them broken in three places, while the other was so badly injured that immediate amputation was necessary.

On Tuesday last a young man named Curtis while endeavouring to get on a train at Mitchell was knocked down by one of the cars. He rolled from the platform on the track and two of the wheels passed along his arm lengthwise.

The "Antis" of Nova Scotia are foolish, misguided men, but we cannot help regretting the last degredation which has befallen them. George Francis Train has written verses in their praise! Can our Nova Scotia friends have changed so much as to submit tamely to such a degredation as this?

Early on the morning of the 18th ult. a large new frame barn, together with a large quantity of hay and grain, farming utensils, etc., belonging to Mr. James McMaster, Durham Road, Artemesia, was entirely destroyed by fire. The building had only been completed a few weeks, and was not insured. Loss, over $1,000. The fire is supposed to be the work of an incendiary

On the night of Monday last an attempt was made to break into the residence of Thomas Metcalf, Esq., 11th con. of Peel. Mrs. M., however, heard the burglar trying to remove the glass from one of the windows, gave the alarm and the thieves fled. Next morning, upon going to the barn, two hams and a quantity of wheat were missed.

NORTH BRITISH REVIEW.—The last number of this periodical has been received from the Leonard Scott Publishing Co., New York, and is for sale at the book stores in town. The contents are: Bartholomeo de Las Casas, The Greek Gnomic Poets, On the Education of the Imbecile, Zingli, the Reformer, France in Europe and in Africa, The Four Ancient Books of Wales, Nathaniel Hawthorn and Positivism.

BASE BALL MATCH.

The return match between the "Maple Leaf" Club, of Guelph, and the Elora Club, was played here on Saturday, and resulted, as the annexed score shows very disastrously to the latter, who, however, it is only fair to state were without some of their best players. In the evening the "Maple Leaf" Club entertained their friends to a first-rate dinner at the Court House Hotel. The following is the score:

ELORA CLUB.	O	R	"MAPLE LEAF" CLUB.	O	R
W. Stevens, c	2	2	J. T. Nichols, c	2	16
J. Chambers, p	3	1	J. Colson, r f	1	16
J. Todd, 1st b	5	0	H. Steele, p	3	13
H. Ryan, l f	2	3	W. Sunley, 2nd b	6	12
J. Dalby, s s	3	1	J. Goldie, l f	3	14
H. Land, 3rd b	3	0	T. Smith, s s	2	16
G. Land, c f	4	0	"Graffen," 1st b	2	15
W. Hele, 2nd b	3	0	R. Collins, c f	5	12
J. Keveny, r f	2	1	C. Maddock, 3rd b	3	15
	27	8		27	129

RUNS EACH INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Elora	0	1	2	0	1	0	1	2	1	8
Maple Leaf	15	11	8	25	6	18	15	10	21	129

Umpire—J. Veitch, Elora.
Time of game—4 hrs. 35 min.

ROBBERY AT BADEN.—We heard early last week that a robbery had been committed in the Baden post office, but were unable to glean the particulars. They are supplied by the Berlin *Telegraph*, which says: The store in which the post office is kept is at present rented to Mr. G. A. McIntyre. At the back part there is a kitchen and dining room which was built three years ago, and the bedrooms are all upstairs. The robber or robbers first entered the kitchen by cutting out a pane of glass from the window and then unbolting the door, (which could be done by skilful exertions.) Finding they could get no further into the house from that direction, they helped themselves to a hearty repast from the cupboard, pocketed some of the best knives, teaspoons, a razor, &c., and proceeded in search of another entrance. Having found the cellar door the immediately commenced the siege in that quarter and succeeded in forcing it in. Their passage was now comparatively clear and with all caution they made their way into the post office and plundered it of money, stamps, and a registered letter. Finally they made noise sufficient to wake Mr. McIntyre in time to be too late to catch them. They made $100 by the operation.

THEFT.—On Wednesday last John Ryeman, jr., of Glenallan, and Francis Smith of Winterbourne, the same parties who were arrested a few days ago for stealing Mr. Jacob S. Weaver's horse and buggy, but discharged for want of sufficient evidence, were again up before John A. Mackie and I. D. Bowman, Esquires, charged on the information of High Constable Klippert, with stealing a rifle belonging to Mr. B. B. Bemis of Winterbourne, on the 13th of September last. They pleaded guilty. They were also charged with stealing three turkeys from the farm of Mr. John Marriot of Pilkington, near Elora on the 19th of the same month. The turkeys were found in their possession when arrested by constable Henry Wendling, at Winterbourne. They were sent up to await trial at the Assizes

MILITARY DIVISIONS.—The Minister of Militia has rearranged the military divisions into which the Dominion was divided. They are numbered from west to east. Ontario comprises the first four, Quebec three, New Brunswick constitutes the eighth, and Nova Scotia the ninth. We are included in Division No. 1, which is made up as follows: The counties of Essex, Kent, Bothwell, Elgin, east and west ridings of Oxford, north and south ridings of Middlesex; northwest and east riding of Lambton, Huron, north and south ridings, Perth, north and south ridings, Waterloo, north and south ridings, Wellington, north centre and south ridings Bruce, north and south ridings, and the city of London.

THE INTERCOLONIAL CONTRACT.—The Toronto *Telegraph* says: Mr. Morland, of Montreal, the head and front of the expectant firm of Railway Contractors of that city—has (as we learn by a private letter) been in Ottawa for several days, preparing to take as much of the Intercolonial Road as possible under his own immediate control. The prospects of the firm can hardly be so indifferent as some of the Government organs represent, if it is true, as we hear alleged, that they have engaged the services of the most eminent engineer in the Dominion.

The military encampment on the Garrison common, Toronto, is described by the Toronto papers as an imposing spectacle. Gen. Stisted has visited the ground and expressed himself highly delighted with the soldierly appearance of the men, and complemented them very much on the cleanliness of their accoutrements. The weather has so far been good, and the men are enjoying themselves splendidly.

MELANCHOLY ACCIDENT.—We regret to learn that an accident of a very serious character happened to Robt. Campbell, Esq., Deputy Reeve this (Monday) morning. We have not as yet learned the full particulars, but understand that Mr. Campbell was attending a threshing at Mr. Wm. Logan's, and by some means or other his right arm got caught in the machine, and completely shattered it to the shoulder. A messenger was immediately dispatched to Dr. Clarke, who at once drove out to the place.

BY TELEGRAPH

Despatches to the Evening Mercury.

New York Underground Railway.

SPANISH REVOLUTION!!

Enthusiastic Reception of Marshal Serrano at Madrid.

NEW CABINET FORMED

Queen Isabella's Protest.

PER ATLANTIC CABLE.

LONDON, Oct. 3rd.—A contract for the construction of an underground Railroad in New York has been concluded with the English Engineers who built the underground Railway in this City, and they expect to enter upon the work at an early day. Mr. W. B. Duncan, who sailed from Liverpool on the steamer *Scotia* yesterday, took out the contract for approval of the Board of Directors.

MADRID, Oct. 3.—Marshall Serrano accompanied by seven Generals of the Army entered Madrid to day in triumph. Great preparations were made for his reception. The streets and buildings, public and private, were superbly decorated and large civic and military processions escorted the Generals through the City. Houses, sidewalks and public squares along the route of the procession were crowded with citizens who received Serrano and Generals with wild enthusiasm. The Procession was followed by the Parade and Review of the National Guard. This was a great patriotic display, and was made the occasion of striking manifestations of popular will. The troops carried, side by side with their flags, banners on which was inscribed "Down with the Bourbons," "Sovereignty of the People," "Religious Liberty," "Free Education," and other mottoes of a similar character. At the termination of the Review Marshal Serrano made a patriotic address to an immense multitude of citizens and soldiers, in the course of which he announced that he had united with General Prim in calling Marshal Espartero the Duke of Vittoria to the Head of the State. The formation of a new Cabinet has been completed as follows: Marshal Serrano, President; Castello, Minister of Commerce; Jepete, Minister of the Marine; Aguirre, Minister of Justice; Gen. Prim, Minister of War; Oloyaga, Minister of Foreign Affairs; and Madoz, Minister of Finance. Manuel De La Concha has been arrested.

LONDON, Oct. 4.—The rumor is current that the success of the Revolution in Spain has had the effect to induce France to make some important concessions to Italy. It is known that Prime Minister Menabrea is expected in Paris, and the supposition is that he comes to conduct the negotiations redered necessary. It is rumoured that a conspiracy to dethrone Abdul Aziz, the Reigning Sultan of Turkey, has been discovered in Constantinople. A number of political arrests have been made ther . No further particulars received.

PARIS, Oct. 4.—Queen Isabella has issued a protest against the Revolution in Spain. The document argues that force used by Rebels depose the Queen does not injure her rights to the throne of Spain, and declares that the acts of a Junta established by violence are not binding upon the people.

Madrid, Oct. 2nd.—Proclamation will soon be issued for elections to be held throughout the Kingdom to choose members of a definite Junta, and delegates to a Constituent Assembly to meet at an early day at Madrid. The leaders of the revolution are acting together in pefect accord.

Paris, Oct. 2—The *Moniteur* says that the reason Marshal Serrano has not arrived at Madrid yet is because he is afraid to leave the army in its present disorganized condition. It is reported that when the Queen of Spain left San Sebastian she took with her all the Crown jewels and Royal Regalia, together with twenty-three millions reals of gold.

London, Oct, 2nd — The American Chamber of Commerce of Liverpool will give a banquet to Reverdy Johnson, the American Minister, and Lord Stanley, the English Minister of Foreign Affairs on the 22nd of October.

Abergile, Wales, Oct. 2nd—The jury in the case of Samuel Aton, the Station Master at Landullus, who was prosecuted for manslaughter in the matter of the the Abergile Railway disaster, acquitted the prisoner yesterday.

Perfect order reigns in Madrid. At Barcelona the people sacked the Town Hall and publicly burned the portrait of Queen Isabella. The Court of Cheste, who sought to repress the riotous proceedings, was fired on by the mob, but fled and escaped under cover of the night. Bossols has been appointed to the command of the province of Catalonia by the provisional Junta.

London, Oct. 3rd—It is announced today that the great powers of Europe will allow their diplomatic relations with Spain to remain in statu quo.

American Despatches.

HEAVY STORM IN NEW ORLEANS.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 5th.—A heavy storm has prevailed since Thursday. A large portion of the rear of the City is flooded, and the Street Railroad overflowed.

"I never complained of my condition but once," said an old man, "when my feet were bare and I had no shoes; but I met a man without feet, and became contented."