

Guelph Evening Mercury

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Business Cards.

F. STURDY,
House, Sign, & Ornamental Painter
GRAINER AND PAPER-HANGER.
Shop next to the Wellington Hotel, Wyndham Street, Guelph. 127-dwly

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 the business as heretofore. Having made considerable improvements, he will be able to attend to the wants of the travelling public. First-class Turnouts ready at the shortest notice.
Guelph, 6th Dec. dtw W. J. WILSON.

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

DOMINION SALOON.
Fresh Oysters in every Style
The table supplied with all the delicacies of the Season in a first-class manner.
At the Bar will be found the Choicest Brands of Liquors and Cigars.
DENIS BUNYAN, do
Guelph, Nov. 21, 1871.

SODEN'S PUBLIC CAB.
The subscriber having purchased Mr. D. Coffey's splendid Cab, begs to inform the public that it will be at their service at all times, either by the hour, the day, or any other way, at the moderate charges.
It will attend all the regular trains, also Concerts and Balls, and can be engaged for Marriages or Funerals on the shortest notice. Orders kindly permitted at Mr. Harvey's Drug Store, Parker's Hotel, and Hever's Western Hotel.
A careful and steady driver always with the Cab. A share of public patronage respectfully solicited.
Orders may also be left at the Owner's Grocery Store, Upper Wyndham Street.
Oct. 19, 1871. dtw R. SODEN.

DUGNAN'S PUBLIC CAB.
The Subscriber begs to inform the people of Guelph that he has purchased a hand some and commodious Cab, which will always be at their service.
He will be at the Railway Stations on the arrival of all trains.
Parties wishing to hire by the hour or otherwise will be charged the most reasonable rates.
As he will make it his study to see to the comfort of all passengers he hopes to receive a share of public patronage.
Orders left at the Express Office, Mr. Hugh Walker's, and at the Post Office will be promptly attended to.
Sept. 4, 1871. do JOHN DUGNAN.

RAYMOND'S SEWING MACHINES
Family Sewing Machine (single thread); Hand Lock Stitch (double thread); No. 1 Foot; No. 2 for heavy work; Furnished with plain tables, half, or Cabinet Cases, as required.

CHARLES RAYMOND,
GUELPH, ONT. dwly
July 12, 1871.

PARKER'S HOTEL,
DIRECTLY
OPPOSITE THE MARKET, GUELPH
First-class accommodation for travellers. Commodious stabling and an attentive hostler.
The best of Liquors and Cigars at the bar.
Guelph, Feb. 6, 1872. dwy

NEW MILLINERY SHOW ROOMS.
MISS ELLIS
Begs to inform the public that she has just received a fresh lot of

MILLINERY GOODS
In all the latest styles, and respectfully solicits an early call.
At the door east of the Royal Hotel.
Guelph, Oct. 5, 1871. do

PERIZIE DENTISTRY.
DR. ROBERT CAMPBELL,
Licentiate of Dental Surgery.
Established 1841.
Office next door to the "Advertiser" Office, Wyndham Street, Guelph.
Residence opposite Mr. Bond's Factory, Guelph Street. Teeth extracted without pain. References: Drs. Clarke, Tuck, McGuire, Herod, McGregor, and Cowan, Guelph; Drs. Buchanan and Phillips, Toronto; Drs. Elliott & Meyers, Dentists, Toronto. dwy

W. M. FOSTER, L. D. S.,
SURGEON DENTIST, GUELPH.
Office over E. Harvey & Co's Drug Store, Corner of Wyndham and Macdonald Streets, Guelph.
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, Tuck, McGuire, Keating, Cowan and McGregor, Guelph; W. K. Graham, Dentist, Brantford. dwy

ELECTRO AND CARTRIDGE-PLATING SHOP.
The undersigned begs to inform the public that he has purchased the business of the late E. J. Robinson, and that he intends to carry it on in all its branches. Prices, etc., as usual. Small articles plated from 15 cents and upwards. Country orders promptly attended to. He has also moved his

New Machine & Repairing Shop
To the same premises, where all orders in that line will be promptly attended to.
JOHN KIRKLAND, dtw
Guelph, Jan. 10, 1872

THORP'S LIVERY STABLE
STILL IN OPERATION
AT THE OLD STAND
First-class horses and rigs can be had at all hours by applying at the Stable, opposite the Grand Trunk Railway Station.
JAMES A. THORP, dwy
Guelph, April 20th, 1871.

New Advertisements.

HOUSE WANTED.—On or near the Waterloo Road. Address, stating particulars, to A. B., Drawer 30, Guelph P.O. 18-12

DOG FOUND.—Came on the premises of the undersigned, Ontario Hotel, about 5 weeks ago, a Coon Dog, with collar and name thereon. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses, and take him away. 7-4393 THOS. MERRILLAN, dtw

BLACKSMITH WANTED IMMEDIATELY.—Good wages and steady employment to a competent man. Apply to James Lating, Blacksmith, Morrison. dtw

TANNERY FOR SALE OR TO RENT.
The subscriber will either sell or rent his Tannery, on Surrey Street, Guelph. Possession given on the 1st of May. Apply on the premises, to JEHU CLARKE, Proprietor. Guelph, Jan. 9, 1872. dw

FARM FOR SALE.—Being the north-west half of Lot 98, Con. C, Township of Minto, containing 50 acres, from 40 to 45 acres cleared. There are two never failing springs crossing the farm. Situated on the gravel road, three miles from the flourishing village of Harrison. For terms, apply to Alex. Melklohn, Harrison, or the subscriber on the premises.
Feb. 5, 1872. dtw MAL. MILLOY.

LOOK HERE.
Owners having horses suffering from Ring Bone, Bone Spavin, Blood Spavin, Curbs, Splints &c., can have these enlargements effectually removed in a very short space of time and at small expense by applying to JOSEPH HIRSCH Union, Hotel, Guelph, Jan. 31st, 1872.

BERKSHIRE BOAR "JOHN A."
The Subscriber begs to notify the breeders of Swine that he has purchased the above Boar, imported from England by Geo. Rowland Esq., of Hamilton, which will serve sows this season. Terms \$4 cash.
Pedigree—John A. was sired by Sampson out of Scotland, by Duke of Gloucester, and Snipe L. out of Hottel L. by Tim Whiffler. W. A. BOKLOSS, Royal Hotel, Guelph, Dec. 8, 1871. Proprietor. dtw

CASH FOR WOOL, HIDES, SHEEP-SKINS, CALF SKINS, AND WOOL-PICKINGS.
The highest market price paid for the above at No. 4, Gordon Street, Day's old block, Guelph.
Plasterer's Hair constantly on hand for sale at
Guelph, Feb. 3, 1872 D. MOULTON'S, dtw

BAZAAR PRIZES
ON EXHIBITION
—AT—
PETRIE'S DRUG STORE.
MONEY, MONEY, MONEY!
To lend, at reasonable rates, on security of real property, in sums to suit borrowers.
Apply to G. H. HIRSH, WATT & CUTTEN, Guelph, Dec. 27, 1871. 3md

WANTED.—A strong boy to learn Blacksmithing, in all its branches. Apply to WRAY & HIRSH, Hespeler. fiv3

BULL FOR SALE.—For sale, a 2 year old thoroughbred Durham Bull. First-class pedigree. Apply to Alex. McPhee, Lot 18, 4th Con. Nassauway. f-wit

CEDAR FOR SALE.—A quantity of Cedar, suitable for rails and fence posts, can be purchased from George Lush, east half of Lot 31, 5th concession, Eramosa. Price from \$10 to \$15 per acre. f-w

THOROUGH-BRED BULL FOR SALE.
For sale a thorough-bred Durham Bull, 3 years old, registered pedigree. Was bred by Arthur Hogge, Esq., Guelph Township. Apply to John G. Wright, Lot 7, 9th Concession, Garafraca. f-wit

DURHAM STOCK FOR SALE.—The subscriber offers for sale three thoroughbred Bull Calves, and one yearling Bull. All the above Stock are registered, and have first-class pedigree, without star or any other flaw. WM. HATHGATE, 331-wit
Cox & Div. C, Guelph.

FARM TO LET.—Lots 17 and 30, in Division D, Township of Guelph, on the Town Line, 75 acres, house and outbuildings. For particulars, apply to EDWARD CARTEW, Jan. 30, 1872. dtw Waterloo Road.

BULL CALVES FOR SALE.—Three pure bred short-horned Bull Calves, eight and ten months old, with good registered pedigrees. Four miles and a half from Guelph the Guelph and Erin Gravel Road. JOSEPH PARKINSON, 321-wit
Elmhurst Farm, Eramosa P.O.

PURE BRED BULLS FOR SALE.—By the Subscriber, two thoroughbred Bulls, one the well-known Bull Breadbabe, 1 year old; the other rising two years old, all but pure red. Registered pedigree complete. A. CAMPBELL, Lot 25, Con. Nassauway. f-wit

IMPORTANT TO MARKET GARDENERS.
For sale, a House, a lot of 5 acres, and suitable buildings thereon; with young thriving orchard and nursery. A never-failing spring of water on the premises. Situated on the York Road, 2 miles from town, and at present occupied by Mr. William Sanby. Apply to John Stanley, Lot 3, 3rd Con. Eramosa. f-w

FARM AND SAWMILL FOR SALE.
Being West half of Lot 2, in the 15th Con. Township of Peel, consisting of 709 acres, 55 cleared, frame house, barn, and sheds. The sawmill is on Concession River, and is in good working order. This is a rare chance, as the present owner is about to retire from business. Terms may be agreed on. Apply to the undersigned, Jan. 24, 1872. sw JAMES SCROGGIE.

BLACKSMITH SHOP AND LAND TO RENT.
To Rent, in the Township of Pinesh, a piece of Land, and Blacksmith Shop, where a good business can be done, and near the Pinesh Post Office. The premises will be rented for from one to five years, as may be agreed upon. For further particulars enquire, if by letter, post-paid, to Robert Watson, Pinesh P.O. f-wit

EDWARD OSLER, Law, Chancery and Conveyancing Office, Notary Public, Land, Loan, Insurance Agent. Office, next door to R. H. Perry's Drug Store, Ferguson, Agent for "The Standard Life Insurance Company," of Scotland; "The Industrial Fire Insurance Co.," of Toronto; "The Ontario and Erie Savings and Loan Society," and "The Ontario Savings and Investment Society." Loans advanced on Farm and Village Property. \$15,000 in private funds to invest on good farm security. No commission charged. f-wy

FARM FOR SALE.—Lot 41, concession 13, Minto, containing 110 acres, about 60 cleared, well fenced, and in a good state of cultivation. There is excellent timber for rail and firewood purposes on the farm, which is situated within 2 1/2 miles of Cliffort Station on the Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railway, and 7 miles from Harrison on the same line. Good log house and barn, and well watered by a spring. Terms easy. Apply to Wm. McEwan, on the premises, or to James McEwan, Builder, Stratford. 131-wit

MONEY, MONEY.
\$12,000 to Loan on Farm Security or Good Town Property, in sums ranging from \$200 to \$2000, at low rates, and on liberal terms. Also, wanted to purchase, about \$3000 worth of Debentures.
THOMPSON & JACKSON, Land, Loan, and General Agents. Guelph, Jan. 20th, 1872. wtt-doww

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Railway Time Table

Grand Trunk Railway
Trains leave Guelph as follows:
WEST
4:22 a.m.; 9:50 a.m.; 6 p.m.; 8:30 p.m.
*To London, Goderich, and Detroit. *To Berlin.
3:15 a.m.; 7:30 a.m.; 11:04 a.m.; 3:45 p.m.
The 1:50 p.m. and 6:50 p.m. trains are cancelled.
Great Western—Guelph Branch
Going South depart at 6:50 a.m., 1:05 p.m., and 4:50 p.m.; also by mixed train every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 1:40 p.m.; and 9:05 p.m.; also by mixed train every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 1:05 p.m. Trains leave Harrison every morning at 10 a.m., reaching Guelph at 1:05 p.m., and in addition a mixed train every Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday at 9 a.m., reaching Guelph at 10 p.m. The train which passes Guelph going north at 11:45 p.m., runs every day to Cliffort, and returns at 3:15 p.m., and a mixed train which passes Guelph every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 1:05 p.m., reaches Cliffort at 5:00 p.m.

Town and County News

Bow Bells.—Mr. T. J. Day and Mr. John Anderson have sent us Bow Bells for February. It is rich in illustrations, reading matter, fashions and all other matters of interest to the ladies. For sale at Day's and Anderson's bookstores.

ELORA CATTLE FAIR.—The monthly cattle fair held at Elora on Tuesday was well attended by buyers and sellers. Twenty car loads were bought for Montreal, five for Toronto and seven for Hamilton. W. A. BOKLOSS, Royal Hotel, Guelph, Dec. 8, 1871. Proprietor. dtw

YOUNG LADIES' JOURNAL.—Mr. T. J. Day has sent us the February number of this excellent magazine. The different patterns and designs with which it is embellished are alone worth the price of the periodical, to say nothing of the large amount of choice reading. For sale at Day's.

COUNTY ORANGE LODGE.—A meeting of the County Lodge of South Wellington was held on Tuesday, at Rockwood. The following gentlemen were elected officers for the ensuing year:—M. J. Paterson, Guelph, County Master; Alex Hill, Rockwood, Deputy; John Wright, Rockwood, Treasurer; David Scroggie, Guelph, Sec.; Rev. Mr. Massie, Chaplain; Capt. Carbery, Erin, D. C.

WELLINGTON FIELD BATTERY.—The above Battery has just been supplied from Kingston with additional armament and stores consisting of one 24 lb howitzer, one 9 lb field piece, with limber wagon, four gun wagons with fittings complete, small ammunition wagon, rammers, sponges, buckets, cartridge cases, ammunition and projectiles. The howitzer is rather an antiquated piece of ordnance, having been cast in 1773, but it was re-bored in 1859.

POLICE COURT.

BEFORE GEORGE ELLIOTT, ESQ.
Guelph, 8th February.

John Maplett alias Benjamin Plant was charged on a remand with stealing a revolver and watch from Isaac Dugnan, of Eramosa, on the 19th of January, 1871. The prisoner has been in the Milton jail since that time. He was committed for trial.

Erin Township Council.

A meeting of the municipal Council of the Township of Erin, was held at the Town Hall, Erin Village, 5th Feb, 1872. Reeve in the chair. Members all present. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. Moved by Mr. Currie, seconded by Mr. Milroy, that this Council go into Committee of the whole on By-law No. 1 appointing township officers. Carried. Council in Committee of the whole on By-law No. 1. Mr. Currie in the chair. By-law filled up as follows: viz: Charles Ferguson, John East, salary \$110; Assessor, Alex. Smith, salary \$100; Collector, Isaac Snyder, salary \$70; Tavern Inspector, Wm. Roadhouse, salary \$12; Auditor, \$6 each; Councillors to be paid \$15 each per day while in session. Committee rose and Council resumed business. Moved by Mr. Berry, seconded by Mr. Johnstone, that By-law No. 1 be read a third time and passed. Carried. Moved by Mr. Berry, seconded by Mr. Milroy that leave be granted to the Insolvency fixing the amount that shall be paid for shop and tavern licenses for the current year, and that it be read a first and 2nd time—leave granted. Moved by Mr. Berry, seconded by Mr. Currie, that Wm. Dickson be refunded the sum of 75c overcharge on taxes. Carried. Moved by Mr. Johnstone, seconded by Mr. Berry, that this Council go into committee of the whole on By-law No 2 fixing the amount of tavern and shop licenses. Carried. Council in committee. Mr. Johnstone in the chair. By-law filled up. Council resumed business. Moved by Mr. Berry, seconded by Mr. Currie that By-law No 2 as filled up be read a third time and passed. It was read and passed. Moved by Mr. Currie, seconded by Mr. Johnstone, that all parties intending to apply for shop and tavern licenses do attend the next meeting of Council on 29th instant and bring forward their Certificates and bondsman. Carried.

Finance Committee met and reported as follows: Your Committee would recommend that the following accounts be paid, viz: Mr. Guthrie, for advice in 1870 and 1871, \$25 50; James Innes, for 1870 and 1871, \$25 00; All of which is respectfully submitted. D. McMillan, Chairman. Moved by Mr. Johnstone, seconded by Mr. Milroy, that the report of the Finance Committee be adopted and payment ordered. Carried. Moved by Mr. Johnstone, seconded by Mr. Berry, that the Clerk be instructed to give the Inspectors of Taverns a copy of the By-Law regulating Inns and Inkeepers in the Municipality of Erin. Carried. Moved by Mr. Johnstone, seconded by Mr. Berry, that the Council do now adjourn to meet on the 29th inst, for granting tavern and shop licenses. Carried.

C. FEROUTSON, Clerk.

Board of School Trustees.

The first meeting of the new Board of School Trustees, appointed by statute for the purpose of organization, was held last night. Present, Messrs. H. W. Peterson, Knowles, Newton, McGuire, Inglis, Armstrong, Mackenzie, Stevenson, Kennedy, Mitchell, Harvey, Raymond and Sharpe.

The Secretary intimated that he had received notice that Mr. Peterson had been elected High School Trustee by the Town Council. He observed that at the last meeting of the County Council, that body had appointed all the High School Trustees, which was not in accordance with the statute, as it provided that the County Council should only appoint all the Trustees on the formation of a new District.

Mr. Inglis handed in notice of his appointment by the County Council, and it was then understood that Mr. Peterson should sit as the appointee of the Town Council, and Mr. Inglis of the County Council.

Moved by Mr. Newton, seconded by Mr. Knowles, that H. W. Peterson, Esq., be the Chairman for the ensuing year. Carried.

Mr. Peterson thanked the Board for the honour they had done him. He knew it was not deserved, for he had many shortcomings, but he always desired to do his duty, and to co-operate with the members of the Board in the work which they had to do. Matters of great importance would come up for consideration during the year on which they had entered, chief of which would be the proposed erection of a Central School. It would be for the Board to consider whether they should ask the Town Council to raise funds for the purpose, and proceed to carry out the and have the contracts let. No doubt they would have regard to the present financial position of the Town, and if it was decided to proceed with the work, to make such arrangements for raising the money as would not bear heavy on the ratepayers. He considered the prosperity and growth of Guelph in the future as certain. Still, to some extent, it was in a transition state at present, and the Board, before taking the final steps in this matter, should take into account its present position, and the large expenditure the erection of such a building would involve.

He would heartily co-operate with the Board in this and every other matter which came before them, and he, as far as he was personally concerned was willing to bear his share of the burden in connection with this proposed building. His own feelings were that the Board should carry out what last year they gave practical effect to, if such arrangement could be made with the Council as would not cripple the finances of the Town. He again thanked the Board for the honour they had done him.

Moved by Mr. Knowles, seconded by Dr. McGuire, that the Rev. Robt. Torrance be Inspector of Schools for the current year. Carried.

Geo. W. Sandlands, Esq., was appointed Treasurer of the High School on motion of Mr. Knowles, seconded by Mr. Harvey.

Messrs. Mackenzie, Kennedy, Raymond, McGuire, Stevenson and Mitchell were appointed a special committee to draft Standing Committees for the year.

The Committee retired for a time, and brought in the following report:

FINANCE.—Newton, Harvey, Mackenzie, Knowles, Inglis.

SCHOOL PROPERTY.—Knowles, Kennedy, Raymond, Harvey and Mitchell.

SCHOOL MANAGEMENT.—Sharpe, McGuire, Stevenson, Keating and Mitchell.

ASSOCIATE EXAMINERS FOR HIGH SCHOOL.—Peterson, Keating and Armstrong.

VISITING COMMITTEES.—For Central School and South Ward, Raymond, Kennedy, Keating, Knowles.

WEST WARD SCHOOL.—Newton, McGuire and Stevenson.

NORTH WARD.—Stevenson, Mitchell and Inglis.

PRINTING COMMITTEE.—Mitchell, Inglis and Mackenzie.

The report was adopted. Moved by Mr. Raymond, seconded by Mr. McGuire, that last year's committee on Central School Building be reappointed, viz., Messrs Stevenson, Raymond, Kennedy, Newton, Harvey, Knowles and Peterson.

Moved by Mr. Mitchell, seconded by Mr. Inglis, that the Rev Mr Torrance be re-appointed Secretary. Carried.

Moved by Mr. Newton, seconded by Mr. Mitchell, that the salary of the Superintendent be \$150, and his salary as Secretary be \$100 per annum. Carried.

Mr Newton, that the thanks of this Board are due, and are hereby tendered to H W Peterson, Esq., for the kind and courteous manner in which he has discharged his duties as Chairman during the past year. Carried.

Mr Peterson thanked them for the compliment, and hoped that the utmost harmony would mark all their deliberations during the present year.

The Board then adjourned.

Clifford Correspondence.

It would be difficult to convey any adequate idea of the energy with which trade continues to be promoted here in face of the continued boisterous weather, and the vigorously attempted efforts at opposition by other markets. For a few days last week traffic became so impossible along the roads that little could be done; but it revived as soon as the snow drifts cleared, and trade is this week as brisk as ever, though the roads are very heavy. Notwithstanding, the average daily delivery of grain during the past week has been about 3,000 bushels, with a tolerably good sprinkling of hogs.—Should the weather moderate no doubt this will be doubled next week, as there is a large quantity of grain behind. Indeed, a stranger would be perfectly amazed at the abundant resources of the country fenceless with this point. On every hand it is a more advantageous market than some others. On Monday Mr. J. T. Brill, of Guelph, purchased about 9,000 worth of pork, which has been shipped for Guelph. Mr. Brill is also negotiating for about \$10,000 worth more now lying in this village. Mr. D. Molton, of the firm of Molton & Blair, Guelph, was also here, and purchased 900 sheepskins and about 1000 lbs. of wool from Mr. Watson of this village, which are also being shipped for Guelph. Mr. David Dickson is also here now, purchasing with his wonted vigour, while all the buyers to whom reference has been made in previous letters to the Mercury are as energetic as ever in their purchases and shipments.

In passing through the freight warehouse here, one cannot but be struck with the rapidly increasing number of consignments to Montreal from over the W. & B. Railway. The new arrangement appears to work admirably, while the growing popularity of the road over the Narrow Gauge is thereby clearly manifested.

Vigorous efforts have been continued to push through a train to Walkerton, on Saturday last they were really successful to the great delight of the Walkerton people. Satisfactory, however, as that result was, it has since been checked by the failure of all subsequent efforts to repeat the trip, the same train having for two days been stuck in the snow near Mildmay, and at last compelled to return here. A good deal of money has been spent in the effort to reach Walkerton, and, unfortunately though the failure is, it seems inevitable that that ambitious town will have to abandon the hope of railway communication until the spring opens.

The cattle fair here last week was well attended by buyers. Some good cattle were on the ground, and ready sales effected at fair average prices.

The jollity and sociability of surprise parties still continue here, through the attractive energy of a certain recently imported popular Hamilton gentleman to the village. Mr. J. H. Dolmage, the efficient station master, was the last recipient of this honor, at whose house a most enjoyable time was passed, thanks to the attentive care and skill of the excellent hostess. More of these festive gatherings are on the tapis, and Clifford bids fair to outvie its neighbors in social enjoyment as well as business activity.

Clifford, 7th February.

EDITORIAL ITEMS.

A commercial treaty has just been ratified between Austria and China.

The Proton Committee met on Wednesday morning and decided upon how they should proceed with the investigation. They agreed almost instantly took fire. The scene that ensued was most appalling. The unfortunate passengers were most of them caught between the car seats, and egress from the car was nearly impossible, and the terrified passengers were left to be slowly roasted alive. Up to 11 a. m. the charred and blackened remains of four victims had been recovered, and were lying in the snow awaiting the coroner's inquest. The names of the killed, as far as known, are James Triesseny and Mrs. Reuben Rains. There were altogether 4 killed and 13 injured. When the train collided Mr. Rains, his wife and child, were sitting together, the child between its parents, and the shock of the collision forced the seats together, fastening them in the wreck. Rains, however, finally succeeded in extricating himself, although terribly burned, but all efforts to release his wife were unavailing, and his child was only rescued by the greatest efforts.

It is now generally admitted by honest physicians, that when once consumption is fairly fastened upon the lungs, no human power can save the patient from death. They also say that about fifty per cent. of those who die from this disease can trace the cause to a neglected cough or cold, which might have been cured by a small bottle of Liquid Opodeldoe, or what is the same thing, Johnson's Anodyne Liniment.

Consumption. Bronchitis, General Debility, Caution.—Hypophosphites.—Fellows' Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites.—As this preparation is entirely different in its combination and effects from all other remedies called Hypophosphites, the public are cautioned that the genuine has the name of "Fellows & Co." blown on the bottle. The signature of the inventor, James I. Fellows, is written with red ink across each label, and the price is \$1.50 per bottle.

BY TELEGRAPH

THIS MORNING'S DESPATCHES
GENEVA CONFERENCE.

More Hopeful View of the Case.

The American Demands what are Thought of them.

Frightful Railway Accident

New York, Feb. 7.—A cable despatch from London to the Tribune says that Earl Granville's despatch contains no threat to withdraw from the arbitration, and makes neither demand nor proposal, but simply calls attention in temperate and conciliatory language to the meaning England attaches to the treaty.

Gladstone's speeches of yesterday and to-day are widely criticised as mischievous, offensive and needless, and it is believed that several members of the Cabinet strongly disapprove of their passionate tone. Both the Cabinet and the people are unanimous for abandoning the arbitration unless the American claims are modified, but there is no intention to offer affront to the Americans. The situation is regarded in the highest English and American quarters as extremely grave but not hopeless.

Charles Francis Adams goes home on Saturday.

Topeka, Feb. 7.—The Senate to-day passed a memorial to Congress to admit Canadian lumber duty free.

New York, Feb. 8.—The Tribune's correspondent at Washington telegraphed last night:—For the first time since the excitement in England over the American case became known here, people have been able to-day to talk about the subject in an intelligible manner. The Queen's Speech and the admissions of the State Department have settled the question whether Gladstone's Ministry has made any communication to our Government on the subject. A telegram from Minister Schenk to Fish announces that a note, friendly, and without a thread of demand of any kind, has been received by him from Earl Granville, and that it will be forwarded by mail. Its tenor is foreshadowed in a paragraph on the subject in the Queen's speech. He does not think the United States had a right to ask for consequential damages of any kind. The President and Fish are firm in the belief that the Treaty, in express terms, does give the right to present these claims to the Geneva Board of Arbitration, and that that Board is the only tribunal which can decide whether they will be admitted or not. At the same time it must be admitted that neither the President nor the Secretary of State has any expectation that the consequential damages to any great amount will be awarded or paid, and one of them at least does not hesitate to say so in conversation. They hold that they had no alternative but to present all the claims of the United States growing out of the course of Great Britain in order that there might be no point for future dispute, that the United States has heretofore held that it was entitled to indirect damages, and they say that no one can truthfully deny it. The subject came up for discussion in the Senate in executive session this afternoon.

Alton, Ill., Feb. 7.—A passenger train going to St. Louis on the Rockford, Rock Island & St. Louis Railroad, when about three quarters of a mile below Alton, came in collision with a freight train going north. The baggage car and the first coach were telescoped, and then almost instantly took fire. The scene that ensued was most appalling. The unfortunate passengers were most of them caught between the car seats, and egress from the car was nearly impossible, and the terrified passengers were left to be slowly roasted alive. Up to 11 a. m. the charred and blackened remains of four victims had been recovered, and were lying in the snow awaiting the coroner's inquest. The names of the killed, as far as known, are James Triesseny and Mrs. Reuben Rains. There were altogether 4 killed and 13 injured. When the train collided Mr. Rains, his wife and child, were sitting together, the child between its parents, and the shock of the collision forced the seats together, fastening them in the wreck. Rains, however, finally succeeded in extricating himself, although terribly burned, but all efforts to release his wife were unavailing, and his child was only rescued by the greatest efforts.

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