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Guelph, June 15, 1874.
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Office—Over Harvey's Drug Store.
A. DUNBAR, W. M. MERRITT, F. BISCOE,
Guelph, Oct. 7, 1873.
W. H. TAYLOR, Carriage Silver Plater,
Knox Church, Guelph.
The only one this side of Toronto. All work warranted the best. Please send for price list.
STEPHEN BOULT, Architect, Contractor and Builder, Planning Mill, and very class of Joiner's Work prepared for the public and the public. The Factory is on Quebec street, Guelph.
F. STURDY,
House, Sign, & Ornamental Painter
GRAINER AND PAPER-HANGER.
Shops at the Wellington Hotel, Wyndham Street, Guelph.
Brass Castings
MADE TO ORDER BY
HARLEY & HEATHER,
IRON FOUNDERS,
Huskisson street, east side Market house
Guelph, April 27th, 1874.
WESLEY MARSTON,
Repairer of all kinds of
Sewing Machines, Clocks, Locks, &c.
Job Work of all kinds.
Shop on Yarmouth street, opposite Nelson Crescent.
First class rooms for eight gentlemen boarders. Apply at the shop.
Guelph, May 28, 1874.
RICE'S
BILLIARD HALL,
In the Queen's Hotel, Guelph, opposite the Market.
The room has just been refitted in splendid style, the tables reduced in size, and everything done to make it a first-class Billiard Hall.
Guelph, Nov. 3rd, 1873.
DOMINION SALOON
AND
RESTAURANT,
Opposite the Market, Guelph.
The subscriber begs to notify his friends and the public that he is now proprietor of the above saloon and hopes by keeping none but first-class liquors and cigars to receive a share of public patronage. First-class tables and chairs for supper parties.
Guelph, April 11, 1874.
W. M. NELSON,
Clothes Cleaner and Renovator
All clothing entrusted to his care will be cleaned and renovated to the satisfaction of his customers. He also has a Laundry in connection. He returns thanks for past patronage, and trusts he will continue to receive the support of the public generally.
Real Estate D-90—Shire street, Guelph.
April 20, 1874.
HOTEL CARD.
The Right Man in the Right Place.
Thomas Ward late of the Crown Hotel, begs to inform the travelling public that he has assumed possession of the Victoria Hotel, next door to the City office, where he hopes by courtesy, attention and good accommodation to merit a fair share of public patronage, both from old and new friends. The best of all papers, Wines, Cigars, &c., constantly on hand. A good hostler in attendance. He will continue to next door to the post office.
Guelph, Dec. 11, 1873.
THORP'S HOTEL, GUELPH—Re-constructed and newly furnished. Good accommodation for commercial travellers. Free omnibus to and from all trains. First-class liquors and cigars.
In a 14-dwrt JAS. A. THORP Proprietor
PARKER'S HOTEL,
—DIRECTLY—
OPPOSITE THE MARKET, GUELPH.
First-class accommodation for travellers. Commodious stabling and an attentive hostler.
The best liquors and cigars at the bar. He has just fitted up a room where Oysters will be served up at all hours, in the most palatable style.
Pickled Salmon Lozsters and Sardines.
W. M. FOSTER, D.D.S.,
Surgeon Dentist, Guelph.
Office—Corner E. Harvey & Co's. Drug Store, Corner of Wyndham & Macdonnell-sts., Guelph.
The extraction of teeth without pain, which is perfectly safe and reliable.
Herod, McGuire, Knight, Cowan, and Dr. Gregor, Guelph.
R. Campbell, L.D.S.
Having recovered from his recent illness, he is again prepared to attend to the wants of all who may require his services.
Office at the old stand, Wyndham street, Guelph.

New Advertisements.

MAKERS wanted immediately at the Fashionable West End. Apply to Miss Morrison. A. O. BUCHANAN. 39-40t
WANTED—By an elderly lady, two unfurnished rooms, with a quiet family. Address X. Y. Z., Post Office, Guelph.
WANTED—Two Wood Workers and one Machinist. Apply to COSSITTS Agricultural Works. d2
WANTED—A smart active lad about 18 years of age, to learn the Baking Business. Apply to W. J. Little, baker, Guelph, June 15th, 1874.
SERVANTS WANTED—Wanted, a good general servant, also a nurse girl. Apply at once at this office. d4
DOG LOST—Lost a young Newfoundland dog from near Mr. Mitchell's Bush, answering to the name of "Prince." Black with slightly speckled breast and legs. Whoever will give information to the police, or at this office, will be suitably rewarded, and whoever retains said dog will be prosecuted.
MAPLE LEAF Base Ball Club.
A Special meeting of the Maple Leaf Base Ball Club will be held at the Royal Hotel, on WEDNESDAY, the 17th June, at 8 o'clock, sharp. A full attendance requested.
A. WEIR, Sec.
WELLINGTON FIELD BATTERY,
JUNE 15th, 1874.
BATTERY ORDERS.
1. The Right Division will parade at the Drill Shed, Guelph, on Thursday, the 18th inst., at 7 1/2 p.m., to prepare for annual camp drill, which will be held here on the 20th inst.
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A. H. MACDONALD, Capt. Commanding.
BOATS TO LET.
The subscriber has on hand a number of boats to let by the hour or day. Apply at the boat house above the Dundas Bridge. Guelph, June 8, 1874. d4w
ICE CREAM AND COOL DRINKS
—AT—
Mrs. WINSTANLEY'S Grocery Store, south side of the Dundas Bridge, Guelph, June 6th, 1874. d4m
MR. P. DELOUCHE,
WIRE WORKER,
Pearl street, off King street. Every description of wire work, such as ironing, lowest terms. Any orders left at W. H. Marston's seed store, Mark's square, or at R. Harvey's fruit depot, Wyndham street, will be thankfully received and promptly attended to. Terms strictly cash. d4t
Guelph, June 15, 1874.
DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP
The partnership heretofore existing between Smith & Sutton, confectioners, etc., Guelph, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business in future will be carried on by John Sutton, who will pay all debts, and collect all accounts of the late firm.
THOS. SMITH, JOHN SUTTON, d4
Guelph, June 10, 1874.
ORGAN, nearly new,
WITH FIVE STOPS,
WILL BE SOLD CHEAP FOR CASH
Apply at Day's Bookstore.
Guelph, June 4th, 1874. w4m
DR. COLLINGE,
M.D., Edinburgh, and M.R.C.S., England, having assisted Dr. Clarke in his practice during the last twelve months, has now commenced practicing on his own account at the house formerly occupied by Dr. Herod, Quebec Street East, Guelph. d4m
Guelph, May 27, 1874.
CATTLE STRAYED—Strayed from the premises of Geo. Peck, Guelph, a roan cow, with tip of each horn cut off, a white heifer 3 years, with horns turned up, a milk cow, brindle color with white feet, and a roan cow not giving milk, in good condition. Any person returning them, or giving information where they may be found, will be suitably rewarded. Apply to John Burns, or at this office will be suitably rewarded. d4w
PAINTERS AND GLAZIERS
HUMPHRIES & REYNOLDS
Beg to announce to the people of Guelph and surrounding country that they have entered into partnership, and intend to carry on the Painting Business in all its branches in their shop a few doors west of the Guelph Sewing Machine Factory. Being practical painters, they are confident that they can give entire satisfaction to all who may favor them with a call. House and sign painting, graining, paper hanging, etc., done on short notice. Callings calmed in the best manner.
HUMPHRIES & REYNOLDS, d4m
Guelph, June 9, 1874.
SALE OF Valuable Property
IN THE TOWN OF GUELPH
The undersigned has been instructed by the Executors of the Estate of the late John Mitchell, to offer for sale
BY PUBLIC AUCTION
Commencing on the ground near the Race Course on
Thursday, 25th of June, 1874
At noon, the following property, viz:
70 Park Lots on Delhi and Metcalf streets, containing from one to five acres each. These lots are usually situated and well suited for private residences and other purposes. Many of them are well wooded, and several are on the bank of the River Speed.
Lot 15, in the 19th concession, E.P., containing six acres from Mount Forest, containing one hundred acres of good land, improved and well watered.
Town Lots.
Lots 32, 33, 34, 35 on Delhi Street.
Lots 8 on Pearl St., and Lot 12 on Derry St.
East 1/2 Lot 9, on Macdonnell St., with story frame dwelling house.
West 1/2 do do with Livestock Stable.
Lot 6, corner of Ramona Road and Mitchell St., with good 2 story stone dwelling house, 11 rooms, cellar, well, cistern, &c.
Lot 7, on Mitchell Street, with frame building, about 20 x 30, suitable for a workshop.
TERMS—One fourth in cash, balance in 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 60, 62, 64, 66, 68, 70, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80, 82, 84, 86, 88, 90, 92, 94, 96, 98, 100, 102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 114, 116, 118, 120, 122, 124, 126, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 146, 148, 150, 152, 154, 156, 158, 160, 162, 164, 166, 168, 170, 172, 174, 176, 178, 180, 182, 184, 186, 188, 190, 192, 194, 196, 198, 200, 202, 204, 206, 208, 210, 212, 214, 216, 218, 220, 222, 224, 226, 228, 230, 232, 234, 236, 238, 240, 242, 244, 246, 248, 250, 252, 254, 256, 258, 260, 262, 264, 266, 268, 270, 272, 274, 276, 278, 280, 282, 284, 286, 288, 290, 292, 294, 296, 298, 300, 302, 304, 306, 308, 310, 312, 314, 316, 318, 320, 322, 324, 326, 328, 330, 332, 334, 336, 338, 340, 342, 344, 346, 348, 350, 352, 354, 356, 358, 360, 362, 364, 366, 368, 370, 372, 374, 376, 378, 380, 382, 384, 386, 388, 390, 392, 394, 396, 398, 400, 402, 404, 406, 408, 410, 412, 414, 416, 418, 420, 422, 424, 426, 428, 430, 432, 434, 436, 438, 440, 442, 444, 446, 448, 450, 452, 454, 456, 458, 460, 462, 464, 466, 468, 470, 472, 474, 476, 478, 480, 482, 484, 486, 488, 490, 492, 494, 496, 498, 500, 502, 504, 506, 508, 510, 512, 514, 516, 518, 520, 522, 524, 526, 528, 530, 532, 534, 536, 538, 540, 542, 544, 546, 548, 550, 552, 554, 556, 558, 560, 562, 564, 566, 568, 570, 572, 574, 576, 578, 580, 582, 584, 586, 588, 590, 592, 594, 596, 598, 600, 602, 604, 606, 608, 610, 612, 614, 616, 618, 620, 622, 624, 626, 628, 630, 632, 634, 636, 638, 640, 642, 644, 646, 648, 650, 652, 654, 656, 658, 660, 662, 664, 666, 668, 670, 672, 674, 676, 678, 680, 682, 684, 686, 688, 690, 692, 694, 696, 698, 700, 702, 704, 706, 708, 710, 712, 714, 716, 718, 720, 722, 724, 726, 728, 730, 732, 734, 736, 738, 740, 742, 744, 746, 748, 750, 752, 754, 756, 758, 760, 762, 764, 766, 768, 770, 772, 774, 776, 778, 780, 782, 784, 786, 788, 790, 792, 794, 796, 798, 800, 802, 804, 806, 808, 810, 812, 814, 816, 818, 820, 822, 824, 826, 828, 830, 832, 834, 836, 838, 840, 842, 844, 846, 848, 850, 852, 854, 856, 858, 860, 862, 864, 866, 868, 870, 872, 874, 876, 878, 880, 882, 884, 886, 888, 890, 892, 894, 896, 898, 900, 902, 904, 906, 908, 910, 912, 914, 916, 918, 920, 922, 924, 926, 928, 930, 932, 934, 936, 938, 940, 942, 944, 946, 948, 950, 952, 954, 956, 958, 960, 962, 964, 966, 968, 970, 972, 974, 976, 978, 980, 982, 984, 986, 988, 990, 992, 994, 996, 998, 1000.
Guelph, June 15, 1874. Auctioneer, d4t

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Town and County News
BAPTIST SOCIAL.—A social has been arranged for, to take place in the Baptist Church on Monday evening, 22nd inst.
HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.—The Spring show of the above Society will be held in the Drill Shed on Tuesday the 7th of July, 1874. G. Murton, Secretary.
We are requested to state that the election list of legally qualified Public School Teachers for the Town of Guelph is open to inspection in the lobby of the Central School Building.
HILLEN'S RELEASE.—Benjamin Hillen was allowed to quit his confinement in the goal on Saturday evening, bail having been provided in the necessary amounts. He is bound over to appear at the Fall Assizes in the sum of \$2,000—\$1,000 by himself, and the balance in two sureties of \$500 each.
NEW VAN.—We notice that Mr. John A. Wood has just procured a very handsome get-up van for delivering goods to his numerous customers. It is creditable to the manufacturer and it represents the mammoth establishment which it represents. We presume every body will go direct to John A. Wood's and purchase a lot of goods, and order them sent home in that new van.
THE VACATIONS.—The Trustees of the Mount Forest Board of Public School Trustees telegraphed to the Board of Public Instruction on Wednesday last about the closing of the schools, and received the following reply:—"Union, High and Public Schools close on the 26th June; but other public schools—village and rural—do not close till the 14th July."
FOR BRITAINS.—Mr. John M. Bond left Guelph for New York on Saturday, from where he sails on Wednesday by the steamship Cuba, of the Cunard line, for Liverpool. The business of J. M. Bond & Co. has been so rapidly developing that not only this but yearly visits in future will have to be made to the British, French and German markets, in order to meet the requirements of their trade.
EXCURSION TRAINS.—The Great Western Railway Company have decided to run excursion trains on Wednesday, 1st July. Tickets will be sold at single fare for double journey between all passenger stations. The tickets will be good until Thursday morning. The arrangement will no doubt bring a large number of visitors to Guelph, to witness the base ball match, and with the other amusements that are being arranged for, we may expect a gala day.
ENTERTAINMENT.—The Good Temp'rs are going to give a promenade concert in their hall to-night. The hall has been beautifully decorated and every means taken to make the entertainment a success. The programme will consist of singing, readings and recitations. A first-class lot of strawberries, ice cream, &c., will be on hand. A walking cane and a pair of bracelets will be put up at auction for the most prominent lady and gentleman of the Order. Doors open at 7 o'clock.
THE BRIGADE CAMP.—To-day Colonel Taylor, Deputy Adjutant General of the First Military Division, visited Guelph for the purpose of inspecting the parade ground on Mr. Hood's farm, and the Exhibition ground where the men will be camped. Col. Clark, of the 30th Battalion, Col. Higinbotham, M.P., the Rev. W. S. Ball, the Chaplain, the Adjutant, Quartermaster, Majors and other officers met him at the station, and accompanied him in his inspection. We understand that he was much pleased by the grounds, which are admirably adapted for the purpose. It is now definitely arranged that the camp will be formed on the 29th of this month, and orders to that effect have been issued to the different officers. The Volunteers will arrive in Guelph on the 29th, and the camp will last for 12 days.
LOST THEIR WOLF.—Mr. William Smith, who resides on lot No. 10 in the 2nd concession of Ramona, was on Sunday night a victim to the thieving propensities of someone who had not the fear of law before his eyes. The bold thief tied his horse to the fence at a considerable distance from Mr. Smith's house, and then made his way to the barn, where there were about thirteen fleeces tied up ready for market. The kleptomaniac seized those, and made off with his booty, carrying the load to the wagon, and driving off. The horse's tracks were followed for some distance, but no definite trace of the thief could be obtained. We also learn that on Tuesday night last, Mr. Wm. Harrison had 22 fleeces taken from his barn. There are evident wolf tracks about, and farmers ought to be careful in seeing that it is properly secured before being sold.
CHICAGO HOPES to build up a trade in paper with England, one car load having already been sent to experiment with in the manufacture of paper.
The Canadian Order of Odd Fellows intend having their annual excursion on Dominion Day to Niagara, where the volunteers will be camped.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE MERCURY

Trouble in the French Assembly.
An Elaborate Duel.
The Proposed Reconstruction.
Public Worship Regulation Bill.
London, June 15.—The Paris correspondent of the Times telegraphs that the votes in the Assembly to-day will be equal in number—Fifty or sixty members of the Right Centre are undecided. That these deputies will abstain from voting is true. The Left Centre will probably be successful. The proposed bill has three articles. The first provides that the Government shall consist of a Senate and Chamber of Representatives and a President of the Republic; the second confirms Marshall MacMahon's Presidency until 1880; and the third provides for a partial or total revision of the constitution by such constitutional bills as may hereafter be submitted.
London, June 15.—The Viceroy of India telegraphs reports relative to the growing crops favorable.
A special from India to the Times says the Government continues to furnish assistance to three and a-half million natives. There can be no crop in Ferohat until December. The Government admits that some people may die before assistance reaches them.
The Post says the Public Worship Regulation Bill now before Parliament, which is intended to restrain the ritualists, threatens to lead to a condition of the High Church Clergy similar to that which may result in an attempt to re-organize the present members for Oxford University. Gladstone heads the opposition to the Bill.
London, June 14.—Stewart, a Conservative, has been returned to the House of Commons from Winton district.
It is rumored that the Carlists have evacuated Estal.
Paris, June 13.—It is reported that the violence of the Bonapartists during the past few days was part of a conspiracy entered into to bring about the dissolution of the Assembly and an appeal to the country through a plebiscite.
M. De Sante Croix will be arraigned before the police court to-day, to answer for the assault upon M. Gambetta. A semi-official note protests against the newspaper accounts of the late difficulties as mischievously provocative of excitement and hatred, and expresses the hope that measures to endy taken by the Government to restore quiet and prevent further trouble will prove sufficient.
Paris, June 14.—The anxiety in regard to the result of to-morrow's sitting of the Assembly pervades among all classes. M. Clemenceau has again challenged M. Decaenagnac for insinuating that he was a coward and had acted dishonorably, and proposes a duel between ten Republican and ten Bonapartist deputies. M. Decaenagnac replies contemptuously that he will fight nobody but Gambetta, and that the Bonapartist deputies cannot accept the challenge.
The Government has taken vigorous steps for the suppression of both Bonapartist and Radical agitators in the barracks. The police have closed the Cafe de Lepere on the Boulevard Muesmann, because a rendezvous for the Bonapartists.
Rome, June 14.—The Italian Senate has been prorogued. A consistory will be held in the Vatican on the 22nd inst., when Monsignor Cichini and Guiberti will be formally installed as Cardinals.
The American pilgrims attended mass in the Catacombs to-day. Monsignor Francis was the celebrant.
Madrid, June 13.—The Imparcial newspaper says that in the event of the death of the Pope the Spanish Government will in the election of his successor claim the privilege of veto that was formerly accorded to the King of Castile.
New York, June 15.—Interviews with New York merchants represent the trade of the city in several important branches as seriously retrograding. In the dry goods line one house that formerly sold fifty millions per annum now sells twenty millions. Ten of the largest houses in the city lost at least fifty-five millions in the aggregate by the falling off of trade. The boot and shoe business is also retrograding, and shipbuilding almost entirely gone. A large portion of the loss of commerce is attributed to inferior terminal railroad and warehouse facilities.
The criminal records show that Michael Murphy was fatally stabbed yesterday by Chris. Savor and Wm. Burns, who were arrested. M. O'Rourke and P. Gorvey were both stabbed badly by C. McGuire in a drunken frolic, and Patrick Pricer, in attempting to shoot Pat McCauley, fatally wounded Michael C. Dougherty, and then shot McGuire in the leg. Pricer escaped. Frank T. Raynor was arrested for fatally beating his wife, Michael Burns was arrested for murdering Margaret Warren, and James Brady and Co. Hallett were arrested yesterday for beating and robbing David McAdam. Those two last villains when arrested proved to be members of a gang, who, early in May forced the wife of McAdam into an alley and attempted an outrage on her person. They were yesterday held in \$5,000 bail.
New York, June 12.—Chilian advices state that the Valparaiso Bank has been victimized to the extent of \$150,000 by forged drafts by A. G. Wendell, said to be the son of Dr. Wendell, of New York.
New York, June 13.—A young German giving his name as John Baker,

Local and Other Items.

Dennville is talking of introducing the Waterons system of fire protection.
A brakeman on the Grand Trunk, named Macbeth, was killed near Paris on Thursday night.
It is said that the Hon. Wm. Armand, of Nova Scotia, has been offered the Colatorship of Halifax.
Rev. Mr. McKerran, Clerk of the Presbyterian Synod, was presented with an address and one thousand dollars at the close of the recent meeting in Ottawa.
The corps of garrison artillery will perform their annual drill under the same regulations as other corps of active militia.
The Cresy J. Wellams libel suit against the *Mercury* will probably be brought up next week at the Assizes in Toronto, and new developments are likely to arise.
The Owen Sound merchants have agreed to close their stores during the summer months at 7 o'clock on all days except Saturday.
Hon. Mr. Robertson, Treasurer of the Province of Quebec, has gone to England to place the Provincial bonds upon the English market.
A CONTRACT for ten miles of the North Shore Railway, between Jacques-Cartier and Port Neuf, Quebec, has already been commenced.
The suicide of Anthony Tindal, of Grey, is now being investigated. A report has been found strychnine in the stomach in quantities sufficient to produce death.
The Rev. Dr. De Sole, Rev. Mr. Myers, and three other Jews of Montreal have appointed a Committee to forward relief to the sufferers by famine in Palestine.
The Chief of the Winnipeg City Police, Mr. Ingraham, has been subjected to an official enquiry. He is charged with firing a pistol prominently, and thereby endangering the lives of the citizens.
The County Council of Bruchelave, in accordance with the petition presented by the inhabitants, passed a By-law for the incorporation of the Village of Teeswater.
Now that the Dominion Parliament is prorogued, and Ottawa has again assumed its original village character, one of its newspapers has been holding forth upon the advantages that obscure spot presents as a watering place and summer resort for pleasure seekers.
At the inquest on the recent fire in Seaford, the Jury returned a verdict that the fire was the work of an incendiary, and recommended the Council to offer a reward of \$300 for such information as would lead to the detection of the guilty party or parties.
Great excitement prevails among the oil producers of Butler County, Pennsylvania, the great bulk of whom are declared to be ruined men. This sufficient explanation is given:—"The low price of oil in 1873 swept away their capital, and the developments of this year have destroyed their credit."
The people of Brampton are taking means to secure a number of servant girls from England. Mayor Haggart and others have taken the matter up, and money is being collected to pay the necessary expenses. Every precaution is to be taken to secure the comfort of the girls, and care will be taken to place them in families where they will be well taken care of.
To-night he will appear in Shakespeare's sublime creation "Hamlet," and we hope for the credit of Guelph that first-class talent will not a second time go unrecognized, but that Mr. King will be greeted by a full house. Such an opportunity will not occur in Guelph for many a day.
The work of dredging at Kineardine harbor has been re-commenced. The dredge formerly in use has been rebuilt.
JAMES CLARKE, son of Mr. Clarke of Goderich Township, was accidentally killed at a barn-raising in the State of Michigan a few days ago. The body was brought home and interred.
DR. SANDELL'S COPPERMINE.—At a meeting of the "Times Teachers' Association" held in Chatham on Saturday a motion, "That the Association do in the strongest terms condemn the candidature of Dr. Sandeffer," was carried without a single dissenting voice. The feeling was generally in favour of Mr. Goldwin Smith.
THE CHICAGO'S ARRIVAL.—The steamer Chicago arrived at Collingwood on Friday evening at 10 o'clock, with 200 barrels of copper ore, a large quantity of valuable furs, and about 50 passengers. She made the trip to Duluth and return calling at Nepigon and all the shore ports in one week. The captain reports it is raining at Silver Lake is progressing rapidly; a new vein of very rich silver ore has been struck.
THE SOUTHERN EXTENSION.—The *Wingham Times* of last week says that the ballasting on the Southern Extension will be completed this week, and news from headquarters affirm that passenger trains will commence running on Monday next. The chairs and other paraphernalia for the station house were brought up on the trains this week. We are informed that the timber trains will move on the 20th inst.
AN EXPENSIVE GAIL.—A correspondent writes to the *Walkerton Telegraph* complaining of the cost of maintaining the county goal. The communication is suggested by a request sent to the County Council from the turnkey for an increase in his salary of \$50. The turnkey, also, who happens to be the turnkey's daughter, and is a girl yet in her teens, also asks that she receive \$175 instead of \$150 for her services. There were only 19 prisoners in the Walkerton goal during 1873, and yet the cost of supporting the institution was \$1,952 64, while Goderich, with 87 inmates, cost \$1,756 and Stratford, with 96 prisoners, cost \$1,578 37.
SINGULAR ACCIDENT.—The Ottawa *Free Press* tells of a most singular accident. It appears that, as usual, Mr. Cathcart fastened two of his horses together in the stable, and in the morning, on opening the stable door, found the two animals dead. They had become reticive during the night, and strangled each other by the halters being twisted around their necks. How they had accomplished the feat it would be difficult to describe, but both horses were dead, with their halters so twisted round each other's necks as to leave no doubt that death must have resulted from strangulation.

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Now that the Dominion Parliament is prorogued, and Ottawa has again assumed its original village character, one of its newspapers has been holding forth upon the advantages that obscure spot presents as a watering place and summer resort for pleasure seekers.
At the inquest on the recent fire in Seaford, the Jury returned a verdict that the fire was the work of an incendiary, and recommended the Council to offer a reward of \$300 for such information as would lead to the detection of the guilty party or parties.
Great excitement prevails among the oil producers of Butler County, Pennsylvania, the great bulk of whom are declared to be ruined men. This sufficient explanation is given:—"The low price of oil in 1873 swept away their capital, and the developments of this year have destroyed their credit."
The people of Brampton are taking means to secure a number of servant girls from England. Mayor Haggart and others have taken the matter up, and money is being collected to pay the necessary expenses. Every precaution is to be taken to secure the comfort of the girls, and care will be taken to place them in families where they will be well taken care of.
To-night he will appear in Shakespeare's sublime creation "Hamlet," and we hope for the credit of Guelph that first-class talent will not a second time go unrecognized, but that Mr. King will be greeted by a full house. Such an opportunity will not occur in Guelph for many a day.
The work of dredging at Kineardine harbor has been re-commenced. The dredge formerly in use has been rebuilt.
JAMES CLARKE, son of Mr. Clarke of Goderich Township, was accidentally killed at a barn-raising in the State of Michigan a few days ago. The body was brought home and interred.
DR. SANDELL'S COPPERMINE.—At a meeting of the "Times Teachers' Association" held in Chatham on Saturday a motion, "That the Association do in the strongest terms condemn the candidature of Dr. Sandeffer," was carried without a single dissenting voice. The feeling was generally in favour of Mr. Goldwin Smith.
THE CHICAGO'S ARRIVAL.—The steamer Chicago arrived at Collingwood on Friday evening at 10 o'clock, with 200 barrels of copper ore, a large quantity of valuable furs, and about 50 passengers. She made the trip to Duluth and return calling at Nepigon and all the shore ports in one week. The captain reports it is raining at Silver Lake is progressing rapidly; a new vein of very rich silver ore has been struck.
THE SOUTHERN EXTENSION.—The *Wingham Times* of last week says that the ballasting on the Southern Extension will be completed this week, and news from headquarters affirm that passenger trains will commence running on Monday next. The chairs and other paraphernalia for the station house were brought up on the trains this week. We are informed that the timber trains will move on the 20th inst.
AN EXPENSIVE GAIL.—A correspondent writes to the *Walkerton Telegraph* complaining of the cost of maintaining the county goal. The communication is suggested by a request sent to the County Council from the turnkey for an increase in his salary of \$50. The turnkey, also, who happens to be the turnkey's daughter, and is a girl yet in her teens, also asks that she receive \$175 instead of \$150 for her services. There were only 19 prisoners in the Walkerton goal during 1873, and yet the cost of supporting the institution was \$1,952 64, while Goderich, with 87 inmates, cost \$1,756 and Stratford, with 96 prisoners, cost \$1,578 37.
SINGULAR ACCIDENT.—The Ottawa *Free Press* tells of a most singular accident. It appears that, as usual, Mr. Cathcart fastened two of his horses together in the stable, and in the morning, on opening the stable door, found the two animals dead. They had become reticive during the night, and strangled each other by the halters being twisted around their necks. How they had accomplished the feat it would be difficult to describe, but both horses were dead, with their halters so twisted round each other's necks as to leave no doubt that death must have resulted from strangulation.