

**Reform Demonstration in
Harriston.**

The Reformers in and about Harriston are making preparations for a Grand Reform Demonstration, which is to come off in that village in the early part of October. The Hon. Mr. Mowat and other members of the Ontario Government have promised to be present.

FRANCOIS PIERRE GUILLAUME GUIZOT.
—One of the events of the day is the death, at the age of 87, of the veteran statesman, journalist and historian whose name heads this sketch. Beginning and ending his career in the midst of stirring times, his influence in the political world of France was very great, while his writings, although lacking the quality of liberality in sentiment, have been so numerous and withal of such a public character, that they will live. Guizot was born on the 4th of October, 1787, and at an early age was sent to Geneva, where he mastered both classical and modern languages. From Geneva he went to Paris, hoping to be called to the Bar, and here he met and in 1812 married Pauline de Menlan, editor of a magazine called the *Publiciste*, but many years his senior. To his wife Guizot owed his introduction into political career, Mademoiselle de Menlan being acquainted with the chiefs of the Royalist party in France. Three years before his marriage, Guizot had published his first work—a dissertation on the French language—which was followed, at various times during his life, by about twenty-five others. Among the books handed down by this prolific writer are a translation of Gibbon's "Decline and Fall," a "History of the English Revolution," "Lectures on the History of Civilization," and "Critical Notes and Essays upon Shakespeare." In 1812—the year of his marriage—he obtained the Chair of Modern Science in the Sorbonne, and on the accession of Louis Philippe he took the position of Minister of the Interior. During his married life his house was the resort not only of the principal men of France, but of other countries. His wife died in 1827, after fifteen years of wedded life, and although Guizot lived until 1874, his political career ceased in 1848.

Local and Other Items.

A weather reporter—A clap of thunder.
Soundings on a bar—Repping for drinks.

Strained sweetness—Kissing through a veil.

A crying shame—Our neighbor's young one.

Preferred creditors are those who do not dun.

1875.—OFFICE DIARIES for 1875.—A large stock of Office Diaries to hand by this morning's express, at Anderson's Bookstore.

The consumption of the flesh of horses, mules, and asses is decidedly on the increase in Paris. Returns show that the flesh of 2,111 horses, asses, and mules was sold to the Parisian public during the first quarter of the current year, against 1,275 in 1872, and 980 in 1870.

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There are now eighty-seven Protestant missionaries in the Japanese Empire; of these the American Board has sent seventy, the American Presbyterian Board, thirteen; the Reformed Church (American) eleven; the Protestant Episcopal, eleven; the Methodist Episcopal, ten; and the Baptist Union, six.

Day has killed the old dog high prices for books, stationery, wall paper and fancy goods in Guelph. Quick sales and small profits, and cash down is Day's motto. If you want to buy cheap, go to Day's.

This is a bad year for missionary societies. The American Board must get \$100,000, we believe, this month, to finish the year free from debt, and is not likely to do it. The Dutch Board is \$20,000 in arrears, and the Baptist Missionary Society is as badly off, while the Episcopal Board complains of a falling off of \$18,000.

BREKFAST.—Epps's Cocoa.—GRATEFUL AND COGNIZING.—By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a deliciously flavoured beverage which may save us many heavy doctors' bills. —*Guelph Service Gazette*. Made simply with boiling water or milk. Each packet is labelled — "James Epps & Co., Homeopathic Chemists, London."

Dr. M. F. McTaggart, Principal, London Medical Institute and Infirmary, will be at the Wellington Hotel, Guelph, from Friday 2nd till Monday 5th October, to meet with the afflicted requiring his services. Afflicted persons requiring the best of medical skill at the least possible outlay, would consult their own interests by calling upon Dr. McTaggart early during his stay. His wide and varied experience in treating Cancers, Tumors, Ruptures, Eye and Ear, Consumption, Asthma, Heart and Liver complaints, General Debility or Wasting of the System, stand unrivalled. The afflicted calling upon him can expect not only the best medical treatment, but being honorably dealt with. Consultation free.

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WM. STEWART.

August 28th, 1874.

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" " " 3 loose "
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" " " 1 Case "
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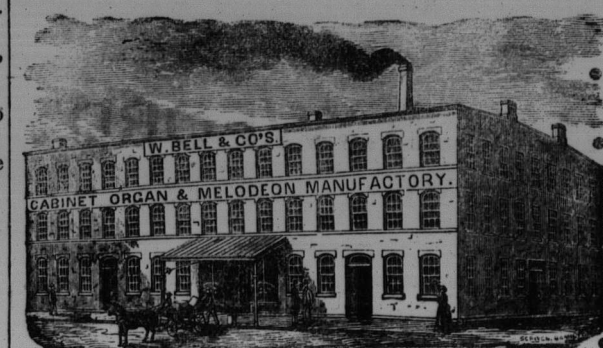
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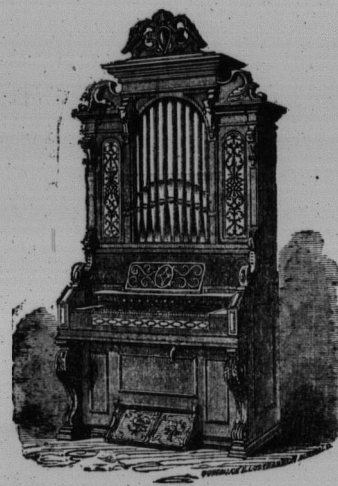
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