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punishment for large ones." punishment for large ones. But go on augmenting every year. The Draco's laws were impracticable, un-fit even for the age in which he lived, and much less fit for those which iol-lowed. Rigidly upright himself, he made no allowance for the failings of his weaker brethren, and it was absolutely necessary that allowance should be made. Successive generations have modified the criminal laws to make them accord with the s f civili- Enfield ball ammunition, extra praczation, and to draw as cher a distinction as possible between it and barbarity. The thief who see s eep is no longer hung up on ... convenient to the scene of his crime- Friday, the 27th day of December as it is right he should ret ', but we are at a loss to see on what grounds Gazette. of expediency or moral obligation people can claim, that he who deliberatecape the penalty due to this crime. It of appointing the local magistracy. not the part of civilization, or even retribution, but to see that it is right-eously inflicted, and that justice be justice, and not a gratification of indi-vidual or social passion. But there is a false philosophy, or rather a repre-hensible weakness prevalent in the present day, which has a tendency to weaken justice, and prevent the full measure of the criminal's deserts being meted out to him It is wrong to attempt to secure the slightest mitigation of the sentence of a culprit in of imbecility.

fear scandal; it is very bad But then communities as well as inthat a man should be murdered in any particular neighborhood, but it would be much worse if his murderer should swing for it-that would be particularly shocking to their morbid sensibilities. These are false notions and they are mischievous ; we might even assert that they have been productive of mischief in our country. Is not crime every day increasing, and does not a deficiency of spoken and written abhorrence of it, together with the legal technicalities employed to cloak the criminal serve to urge it onward ; The sooner we cease to evince a disposition to overstrain mercy, and show ourselves ready to surrender the criminal to rigid and inflexible justice, will be so much the better for us.

The London Free Press depl the discontinuance of the U. S. Con-sular Agency in that city, and says :---" The reason of this determination

The present age and generation are charitable, and in a certain sense it might be said, that they are charita-ble in the extreme; for there is a pos-hibility of being too humane and com-nitting grievous errors under the ame of virtue. Society owes a duty the U. S. revenue, and hence, we ap-itself as a whole, no less important prehend, the abolition of all the than that which it owes to every indi-agencies except some at principal widual member of it, and one which it points of the frontier. If the intens no less incumbent upon it to per- tion now expressed is carried into efthers dross with the lapse fect, it will prove a serious detriment ne, and it devolves upon it peri- to the business of this place. Under f time, and it devolves upon it peri-to the puscess of the present arrangements entries of pro-present arrangements entries of proit should do so promptly and effectu- duce for the United States market are ally. We love charity and humanity, easily made, no loss of time occurs we do not like to see over-fastidi-ness usurp their place and assume ally by the shippers, and the goods go We are not sure but it forward without any detention. Were is straining the divine quality of for the entries made at the frontier, an is straining the drine quarky of for the entries made at the fronter, an giveness too much to say, that he who with dark intent takes the life of a neighbour should not suffer the ex-treme penalty of the law. Drawing a distinction between such a criminal of produce at the market, and in other and such an individual as was once ways. At the present time the facilgnated the "man-slayer," we are ities for the entrance of goods in Loninion, that the latter is still en- don permits dealers to export many titled to as lenient a consideration as articles which could not be touched if he would have received in one of the subjected to the delay and expense Cities of Refuge; but the stern de- spoken of. This is mostly the case Cities of Refuge; but the stern de oree promulgated against the wilful murderer, "He that sheddeth man's blood, by man shall his blood be shed," is as old as the day's of Moses, and we prease, and few may be prepared for conceive, that age or the New Dispen- the statement that the amount of goods sation has not detracted from its force entered at the agency in London

or affected its validity. "Small crimes," said Draco, "de-June last, was over \$400,000, a sum serve death, and I know of no heavier which there is every probability would But go on augmenting every year". The

Latest from Ottawa.

The Official Gazette has a militia order, that the price of the Snider- NEW DATES. tice, is \$12 for 500 rounds, and not

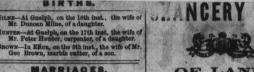
less than that quantity will be sold. The Parliament of Quebec is called · most to meet for despatch of business on

next, by a proclamation in to-day's

It is reported that the Macdonald-Cartier Government have conceded to ly takes the life of another should es- the Local governments the privilege The Globe's correspondent says Mr. of christianity to discard the idea of Holton intends to raise the question retribution, but to see that it is right- that it is a violation of the indepen

The City vs. the Country Press.

The Stratford Beacon has the following sensible remarks in reply to some sneers whose case there is not a single exten- of the Leader on the country press of Ca it is not humanity, it is not charity, nada, when alluding to the statement made by Mr. McGee in his "Mental Outfit of the Bominion," that considering its influence, the newspaper literature of At Day's Bookstore,



NBAR-HARRISON-At Guelph, on the 5th by the Rev. W. S. Ball, Mr. Archibald Du to Miss Ellen Harrison, all of Pilkington FADVEN-RAY-At Guelph, on the 6th the Rev. W. S. Ball, Mr. John McFu Miss Elizabeth Ray, all of Garafraxa.

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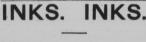
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WANTED about 30 cords of good

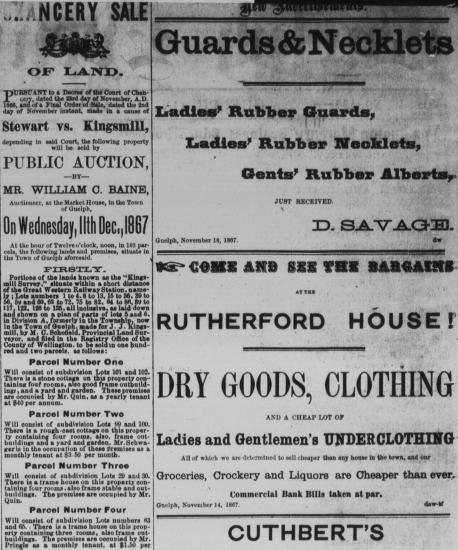
GREEN BEECH or MAPLE Cordwood. Quantities of from 5 cords upwards will be taken. Apply at once to the MERCURY Office, Guelph. Guelph, 5th Nov, 1867.



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Perth Office,	Dovell's,
Commercial,	Black,
Blue,	Red.

ALSO-STEPHEN'Sand DOVELL'S COPYING INKS.

Parcels Twelve to One Hundred and Two inclusive Will consist of the remaining 91 subdivision lets, which will be rat up singly. These lots are unimproved, but Nos. 28 and 44 are fen-ed. Lots 16 4 inclusive, and 69 to 76 inclu-sive, contain 24 perchase sach. Lots 8 to 68



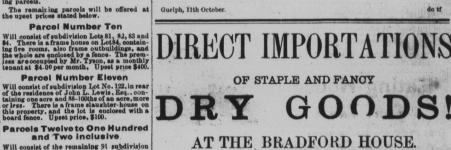
th. Parcel Number Five 1 consist of aubdivision Lots numbers 41 43. There is a stone cottage on these mises containing four rooms, also frame uldings. These premises are occupied Mr. Jonny. STORE. NEW

> The "Run" on Cuthbert's New Store still Continues unabatec.

> There is Positively no place in Town where People are re-ceiving such Value for their Money.

Will consist of subdivision Lots 104, 106, 107, and 108. There is a rough-cast cottage on this property containing six rooms, also a frame barn and outsheds, together with a good yard and orohard. The premises are in the occu-pation of George Bruce, senr. Parcel Number Eight 'ill consist of subdivision Lot 105. There is rougheast cottage on this Lot containing four norms, also frame outbuildings. These prem-es are occupied by Mr. Daly, as a monthly nant, at \$3.25 per month. Goodsmust, will and are being sold at an immense Parcel Number Nine Reduction. Will consist of subdivision Lot 103. There is a rough-cast cottage on this Lot containing four rooms, also frame outbuildings. These premises are occupied by Mr. Taft, as a monthly tenant, at \$3.25 per month. MAKING WAY FOR FRESH ARRIVALS.

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We have been led to make these remarks by reading a paragraph to the

well as in, svery bail is influence, the newspaper literature of svery bail to bominion is not so high in tone as it is constructive to the country journals ; but that the least of a second of the country journals ; but that the least of a second of the country is a limited particular in the first of the second within the least of the country parts, or account of the part of the country parts, or account of the country parts, and the addition of the country parts, or account of the country parts, and the addition of the country parts, or account of the country parts, and the addition of the country parts, and the addition of the country parts, and the addition of the country parts, effect, that a petition is now being circulated and pretty generally signed in Kingston, which will be presented to the Executive praying for a mitigation of the sentence of Sazie Allen, now awaiting execution. A short time ago the worst of deaths was considered to be much better than he deserved; and now those very men who clamoured for his life would let him live—an execution wow'' perhaps be disgraceful to Kingston. human nature, but it is well that men have made law what they are not themselves-inexorable. There is a strange Interest attaches to a person "under sentence;" the dying agonies of his victim are forgotten, and the condem-ned man being launched from the scaffold forms a picture in their mind from the contemplation of which they turn with horror. But this is too much nicety; and more especially in the case of this monarch among villains should all thoughts of cle gignored, and the gallows be allo

Guelph, Nov. 14, 1867. dw-tf Services Religious TEMPERANCE HALL.

SÉRIES of Religious Services will be held in the Temperance Hall, MERCURY Buildings, iring the Winter months, commencing on SAB-ATH FIRST, the 17th inst., when the

REV. JAMES HOWIE

Will preach in the forenoon, at 11 o'clock and in the evening at half-past six. All are invited to tend. 101d 6

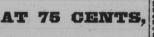
Guelph, Nov. 13, 1867.



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Parcel Number Six Will consist of subdivision Lots 53 and 54. There are two irane houses on this property containing four roome scale, also frame out-buildings and a yard. One of the houses is at present occupied by Mr. James McDonald, the other is unpoccupied.

Parcel Number Seven

No upset price will be put upon the foregoing parcels.

SECONDLY. Parcel No. 103 Will consist of that part of the easterly half of lot number twenty-two, in Division A, formerly in the Township, and now in the Town of Gueiph. Known as lots B and C, in he survey of methods and easterly half of aid Lot number twenty-two made by Millon Dashing Scholed, P.L. B., for John Juchereau Mingenil, and which said part is butter and brunded as follows, they angle of said lot the drand so follows, they angle of said lot thory-five degrees cast, fourteen chains and ighty-seven links more or less, to the track hence along the northor the said of the grand the Grand Trunk Rallway of Canada; hence along the north-firty side of the said on post at the boundary of lot A, in the said lows, track, flow charse in his more given when low he boundary between lots A and B. the degrees fifty-three links more or le ad, thence north forty-five the southerly side of the so of beginning, continues eleven zero uelph, September 21, 1867 road, eigh to the place fronts on the same m fronts on the Paisley ty of Mr. Sheriff Gra ted for private reside r acre Grain BAGS!

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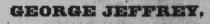
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Guelph, 5th Nov, 1867