

CARDS & BILL-HEADS.

Having just received a large stock of splendid BILL HEAD PAPER and all sizes and colours of CARDS, the Proprietors of the EVENING MERCURY are prepared to execute orders for the same, as well as all kinds of Job Work, on the shortest possible notice.

DOINGS AT OTTAWA.

The appointment of Mr. Cauchon to be Speaker of the Senate is still the absorbing subject of conversation among all parties at the Capital. The high-toned Conservatives are especially indignant, and vent their anger in language the reverse of complimentary either to Cauchon or the Government.

The latest on dit is that Rose is to fill up the blank created by Galt's resignation. He is very much down in the mouth about the Speakership, and it would not surprise us if he was offered a seat in the Cabinet in order to appease his wrath.

Mr. Howe is very guarded and quiet. He decidedly objected to take the head seat on the Opposition side of the House, which had been set apart for him, and succeeded in getting John Sandfield Macdonald to exchange with him.

There is a very great change in the complexion of the House. Not only are there a large number of new men, but they are a decided improvement both intellectually and physically.

Cattle Fairs.

Elmira, 2nd Monday of every Month. Berlin, 1st Thursday of every Month. Guelph, 1st Wednesday of every Month. New Hamburg, 1st Tuesday of every Mth. Crosshill, 2nd Monday of every Month. Elora, 1st Tuesday of every Month.

CIMEX.—W. E. Tunis & Co. have sent us the novel with the above title by Balmington White. Like all the works of that writer, it is very interesting. The characters are well drawn, the style is vigorous, and the plot skillfully handled.

HARPER'S PICTORIAL HISTORY OF THE GREAT REBELLION.—W. E. Tunis, & Co. have sent us some numbers of this great work. It is beautifully printed and profusely illustrated, giving portraits of all the principal officers, battle fields, and interesting scenes of the war.

THE New York Tribune says, that in consequence of the recent defeats which the Republican party have sustained, the speculation and reorgan-

Poverty in England and America.

In the course of his speech at Montreal on Monday night, Mr. Howe said:—"Thank Providence that here in our country there is so little of poverty—there are so few but can earn something—there are so few but what, out of their own wages, can afford to give something. North America contrasts most favorably with the old world, and many other countries where land is not so cheap and where wages are not so high, and where people have to pay more for the necessities of life."

As Sterne's monk, who was asking alms for his convent said, "there is poverty enough in every quarter of the globe," and North America is no more a land of milk and honey, no more a country where every person enjoys a sufficiency than England. It is not to be wondered at that Mr. Howe should see more poverty in London in a single day than he had seen in the course of his life in the New World.

Country life in England knows but little of the want which oppresses thousands in the capital and large cities; and the same is true with regard to America. One thing is certain, that is, that poverty is much worse to bear in America than in Britain. There is a difference between the climate of a country that has perhaps one snowstorm in a year, and that lasting but for a day, and another where the keen cutting blasts of winter blow for four or five months, and consequently there is a difference in the sufferings of those on whom gaunt Poverty has laid his hand.

TELEGRAMS!

Special and Exclusive Despatches to the Evening Mercury.

Father Point, Nov. 9.—The steamer ship St. David passed here at one o'clock this morning, inward bound.

Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 8.—An explosion occurred this morning in the mill of Reese, Griff & Dall. About twenty persons were killed and many wounded.

Boston, Nov. 8.—The brown gelding, John Stewart, attempted to trot twenty-one miles within an hour to-day, for a bet of \$2000. Although he failed to accomplish the feat, he made the best 20-mile time on record, and trotted 20 1/2 miles in 59 minutes 31 1/2 seconds.

New York, Nov. 9.—Miss Helen Evans yesterday took by mistake a dose of Cyanide of potassium, and expired before assistance arrived. Another exposition of revenue frauds among high parties in this city may be expected shortly.

The Herald's Washington special says Henry F. Smythe, collector of New York has been tendered the Postmaster Generalship. It is stated that Assistant-Sec'y Chandler will resign Dec. 31st.

MORE SHARPING IN MONTREAL.—The Daily Witness says.—We are rapidly getting into one of the characteristics of a large city; namely all sorts of swindling devices to deceive the unwary. The following account of one of these devices has reached us.—One of our dry goods merchants, who had enormous windows composed of a single pane of glass each, had one of them broken some time ago, and advertised a reward for the discovery of the offender.

Notice to Farmers. Farmers that are kind of Devonshire Cider will get a better one right away. On the West Market Square, and see JAMES GAY.

BIRTHS.

RIDGELY.—On the 2nd inst, the wife of W H Ridgely, Esq, of Mount Forest, of a daughter.

MURPHY.—On the 3rd inst, the wife of Mr Francis Murphy, P. E. S. of a son.

MORRISON.—In Minto on the 4th inst, the wife of Mr W G Morrison, P. E. S. of a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

JACK.—CONNELL.—At the residence of the bride's father, on the 5th inst, by the Rev George McLennan, John Jack, Esq., farmer, Minto, to Miss Jessie Connell, daughter of Mr Hugh Connell, shoemaker, Harrison.

New Advertisements.

GIRL WANTED. WANTED by a respectable private family, a girl to do general house work. To a suitable person good wages will be given. For further particulars apply at the MERCURY Office.

Guelph, 9th Nov, 1867. dw

St. Andrew's Church, Guelph.

THE vacant seats in St. Andrew's Church, and the seats in the New Gallery, will be let in the Church

On MONDAY, 11th INSTANT, at 2 o'clock p.m. Parties desirous of obtaining seats will please be punctual.

CHARLES DAVIDSON, Secretary. Guelph, 9th Nov, 1867. dl

New Kentish Filberts

NEW DATES, New Soft Shelled Almonds, New West End Layer Raisins

Turkey Figs, JOHN A. WOOD'S. Guelph, November, 1, 1867. dw

ENGLISH MAGAZINES!

FOR NOVEMBER. Sunday Magazine, Good Words, Chambers' Journal, Scottish Journal, Kind Words,

At Day's Bookstore, OPPOSITE THE MARKET. Guelph, Nov. 9, 1867. dw-tf

IMPORTED Dutch Bulbous Roots

Hyacinths Tulips Polyanthus Narcissus Jonquilles Crocus Crowned Imperials Gladioli

Iris Ixias Lillies Arums Anemones Renunculus &c. &c.

Our BULBS have been imported Direct from HOLLAND THIS SEASON, and are in excellent condition.

As most of the varieties require planting this Fall, an early call is solicited. C. & A. SHARPE. Guelph, 7th November, 1867. dw

List of Letters

REMAINING in the Guelph Post Office up to 1st November, 1867.

Abland Jno B Lawrence Joseph Allan R Lawry Wm Armstrong John Law John Atkinson James Lowry George Atkinson Henry (2) Maloney Miss Bridget Barber Miss H E Manning Mrs Barnes Miss Ann (2) Marshall Miss Ellen Barclay Miss E Martine Richard (2) Beatty Charles May'erry Fred Blanchford Thos Messenger A & B Borton E Miller Mrs Elizabeth Breen James Miller, Gray & Co Byrns Michael Morrell John Callaghan John Murphy Michael Carlson John Murray Robert Carlhaw Thomas Mutimer Nathaniel Connors James McClay Alex Cook Robt A McConnell D C Concoran Mrs Margaret McCraith Wm Crouch C McFarlane David Cushman Patrick McGe John Day T Y McGee John Dehon P H McGrade Thomas Deive G McGrade Thomas Doughty P B McGrade Hugh Drumlogie James McGrade Miss Margt Ellis John McIntyre Miss Jane Evans B McKee John McLaughlin Alex Evans B McLean Allan Ewing James (2) McLinton Miss Elizabeth Finch F McHudson Wm Newton E H Forbes Fred B Newton Mrs F M French Miss Newton Mrs Mary Fraser Mrs O'Connor Daniel Galbraith John Oiler James Gage H W O'Neil John Garland James Page Chas Gethings E Parker Miss Emma Gillanders James Potter Miss M A Hall John Ramsay & Co. Wm Gordon John Rogers Benjamin Smith Mrs Smith Wm R Spout Mrs Ann Stewart Miss Fanny Sutherland Mr Sutton Miss Fannie Taylor David Thomas L C Thompson John Thomson Miss B L Utter Bridget Vivian David Walker H L Wallace B Walsh Miss Bridget Webber Thomas Williams George Wilson James Kelagher Mrs Margaret Wright Joseph Langdon Miss Mary A Zaiser Clara

Parties calling for any of the above letters will please say they are advertised.

W. KINGSMILL, Postmaster.

NOTICE TO FARMERS.

Parties that are kind of Devonshire Cider will get a better one right away. On the West Market Square, and see JAMES GAY.

As he has purchased an improved Cider Mill, he will furnish them with Cider at their will. Send your barrels and apples right away. Also he will sell them at a low price. Cider made on stone, gallon for gallon, to that

To Night

DRILL SHED, GUELPH.

ARTS' EXHIBITION!

BY THE MECHANICS' INSTITUTE.

THE Committee of the Mechanics' Institute respectfully intimate that they will hold an Arts' Exhibition for the display of

Oil and Water Colour Paintings, Engravings, Ladies' Fancy Work, Articles of Vertu, Rare Books, and other suitable objects, in the DRILL SHED, commencing on

Monday, 4th of November, and continuing during the following Five Days, supplemented by

Promenade CONCERTS, or REUNIONS in the EVENINGS.

In order that the local public generally may have an opportunity of attending the Exhibition, the price of admission has been placed at

TEN CENTS.

From the large number of articles promised for the occasion, the Committee are persuaded that the forthcoming Exhibition will be one of the best ever held in Guelph.

GEORGE PIRIE, President. E. NEWTON, Secretary. Guelph, 6th November, 1867.

Commercial Bank Bills

Taken at PAR!

A. O. BUCHAM Will take Commercial Bank Bills a Par FOR GOODS. Guelph, Oct. 25th. tf

Fresh Groceries.

TEAS of superior quality. FRESH COFFEES. REFINED, Muscovado, Ground and Dry Crushed Sugars. ROBUSTERS, Sardines and Marmalade. FIRST-CLASS CHEESE—new and old. Extra OLD RYE and Family Whiskey.

Prices of the above Goods are as Low as the LOWEST. GEORGE WILKINSON. Next door to Telegraph and Express Office. Guelph, 25th October, 1867. daw-tf

COMMERCIAL BANK BILLS

TAKEN at PAR AT THE GUELPH CLOTH HALL!

A. THOMSON & CO. Guelph, 5th November, 1867. dw1

FOX HUNT.

THE Wellington Hounds will meet at Wells' Bridge, Guelph, on

Saturday, the 9th Instant, at 2 p. m., sharp. A Wild Fox has been secured, good ground selected, and a splendid run is anticipated. As this will be the last meet of the season a large turn out is expected. Guelph, Nov. 7, 1867. dl

CONFECTIONERY!

EVERY description of Confectionery Wholesale H. BERRY. Guelph, Nov. 7, 1867.

COW STRAYED.

STRAYED from the Fair Ground yesterday, the 6th, a good sized FAT COW, marked with the letter L on the right side, between the hip and rump. Any person giving such information as will lead to her recovery, or bringing her to O'Neil's Anglo-American Hotel, Guelph, will be suitably rewarded. Guelph, Nov. 7, 1867. 95 d3

OYSTER NOTICE

If you want to buy Oysters that come direct from Baltimore to Guelph, buy them at WALKER'S

as he is the only dealer who imports direct from the Oyster Factories. Will supply the trade with BETTER OYSTERS at a LESS PRICE than any other house in town. HUGH WALKER. Wyndham Street, Guelph. Guelph, 31st Oct., 1867. (dw)

CIGARS! CIGARS!

A IMMENSE STOCK of Foreign and Domestic Cigars, Wholesale and Retail. H. BERRY.

New Advertisements.

New Dress Goods

FRENCH POPLINS, ALL WOOL REPPS, FRENCH MERINOES, AND ABERDEEN WINCEYS. JUST OPENED, A. O. BUCHAM. do tf

November 7, 1867.

UNDERCLOTHING!

Ladies Lamb's Wool Underclothing, Misses' and Boys' Lamb's Wool Underclothing, Men's Lamb's Wool Underclothing, at WM. STEWART'S. Commercial Bank Bills taken at par. Guelph, 6th November, 1867. dw

BROOCHES!

Silver and Scotch Pebble Brooches. D. SAVAGE, WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH, dw

CREDIT SALE of STOCK

WILL be sold by public auction, on the farm occupied by Mrs. Richard Henderson, Lot No. 6, 3rd Con, Division B, Guelph Township, On Thursday, 21st November, at 12 o'clock, noon, the following Stock, Implements, &c.: 1 mare, 2 good cows (one in calf), 4 head of young cattle, 7 sheep, 1 breeding sow, plough, harrows, &c. Also, a quantity of Household Furniture. Also, will be sold at the same time a quantity of HAY and TURNIPS. The Turnips are out of the ground. Terms.—For hay and turnips, Cash; for other articles, \$5 and under, Cash; over that amount 12 months' credit on approved endorsed notes. Guelph, Oct. 30, 1867. daw td

THE RED MILL

GRISTING & CHOPPING THE Subscriber begs to inform the farmers and the public that his Mill on the Waterloo Road is now in running order, and that he is prepared to do Gristing and Chopping on short notice. FOR SALE AT THE MILL. GEORGE BALKWILL. October 24, 1867. dw

FLOUR, GRAIN, PROVISIONS, ASHES, LEATHER, &c.

CONSIGNMENTS solicited. Highest prices realized, and returns promptly made. Every possible information afforded consignors in reference to the Markets, Packing of Pork, Manufacture, &c., as required. Kirkwood, Livingstone & Co., MONTREAL. Kirkwood, Livingston & More, HALIFAX.

ADVANCES.

DRAFTS authorized against Consignments to Montreal and Halifax may be made at the option of Consignors, on either City. Cash advances made on shipments to our Correspondents in Foreign Markets. Kirkwood, Livingstone & Co., MONTREAL. Kirkwood, Livingston & More, HALIFAX.

FISH, OILS, &c.

ORDERS for Fish, Oils, or West India Produce carefully and promptly executed. Kirkwood, Livingstone & Co., HALIFAX. N. B. daw ly

TAKE NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE, that TENDERS will be received at the Office of the Clerk of the Peace in Guelph, On SATURDAY, 16th NOV, 1867

for the supply of good, sound Beech and Maple Firewood for the use of the Jail and Court House, as follows: 200 Cords Green Wood, to be delivered on or before the first day of March next. 30 Cords Dry Wood, to be delivered on the 1st of January next. 10 Cords of Cedar. The wood to be piled and measured in the Jail Yard. Two good and sufficient sureties will be required to be named for the due fulfillment of the contract. By Order. THOMAS SAUNDERS, Clerk of the Peace.

Office of the Clerk of the Peace, Guelph, 6th Nov, 1867. Herald and Weekly Advertiser to copy.

COW STRAYED OR STOLEN.

STRAYED or stolen from the premises of the subscriber, on the 14th October, a light brown cow, with short horns turned in, about three years old. Any person returning her, or giving such information as will lead to her recovery, will be rewarded. WM. HOGAN, Waterloo Road, Guelph, 30th October, 1867. dw-Sin

Wool, Hide and Leather DEPOT.

No. 4, Deerpark Road, Guelph.