DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP. n & Innes as Printers and Publishers has been dissolved by matural IN TRIMBLE, Witness { JOHN C. McLAGAN, JAMES INNES. velph, July 1st, 1869.

The business will in Tuture be carried on by the indersigned, who is authorized to collect all out tanding debts and subscriptions due to the lat irm, and who will settle all contra account gainst the same up to the date of dissolution. July 12, 1869. JAMES INNES

Guelph Evening Mercury MONDAY EV'NG, JULY 12, 1869

CHANGE IN OUR BUSINESS.

Our readers will observe, by the notic at the head of this column, that the lishers of the MERCURY have dis ad partnership. Mr. JOHN C. MCLAGAN retires from the business, which in future will be carried on by the remaining partner. We embrace the present oppor-tunity to express our regret at the sev-erance of a business connection which bogan seven years ago under very favorable circumstances, and which, during that period, has been marked by uninterrupted success. It is seldom, indeed, that a connection like this exists so long without some jar or some unpleasantness to mar the harmony which ought to exist, or impair the oneness of purpose and unity of action so necessary to ensure the success of partners in any pursuit. But we are happy to say that it was so in our case. During all that time when in our case. During all that time, when there was so much occurring every day, both in and outside the office, which might be supposed to give rise to con-flicting opinions and feelings, no element doubtful. doubtf

tofore, and with the same anxious desire to merit their satisfaction and approval. to merit their satisfaction and approval. It will be our earnest endeavor, as before, to conduct the editorial department with that vigor, independence, and regard for for the MERCURY its great popularity. Able and experienced assistants will also of 32. Able and experienced assistants will also aid us in this department, and a numerous and efficient corps of correspondents, will enable us to fill its columns with the freshest and most interesting local and general news. The mechanical department is under the charge of a firstclass printer of great experience, which is a sure guarantee that the present excellent mechanical appearance of the paper will be maintained, and that all work turned out of the job department will sustain the high reputation the office has attained for doing none but first-class work. As in the past so in the future, no effort will be spared to raise the MERCURY even higher in the proud position it has won for itself among the newspapers of Canada In expressing gratitude for the very liberal support we have received in the past, we would cherish the hope that in endeavor-ing to do even better in the time to come, we may deserve and retain the patronag of all old friends, and also merit and

spectable man like him manage to get in such bad company? Most people ple believe that his reverence, Mr Mo-Mahoa, was never so much at home as he is at present in Kingston, and t. at it would be a great pitty to disturb him. "Let the carrion rot,' said the patri-cian to the gladiator who begged, for burial, the body of the friend he had been compelled to murder in the arena," "So every Canadian disclaiming effem-inacy of heart will say, "Let Father Moman have a right to liberty." BOARDING.

honest men have a right to liberty." SHELVING.—We have already announced the creation by the Govern-ment of Ontario of a new office, that of Auditor for the Province. We do not claim credit for the possession of extraordinary shrewdness or foresight when we say that we conjectured there was some old pet to be laid on the shelf. So it has turned out, for according to the Toronto Telegroph, which ought to know, Hon. Wm. Cay-ley has been named for the position. Mr. Cayley was once Minister of Hi-nance for the late Province of Canada, and a most inefficient one too, evinc-ing none of the ability which would be supposed to be a necessary qualifi-cation for the office to which it is said he is to be appointed. But then he is a Tory, and an old one, and the bu-mane and generous Mr. Sandfield must do something for him. Conse-quently the great retrencher, econo-mizz, and everything else that is god and excellent, makes a vacancy where it is not wanted and fills it with Mr. Cayley. Well, it is a great thing to be a Government favourite, and we only hope that the last one who has come into notice may be able to do his country. some service, which is doubtful.

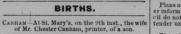
shift, ceaseless activity, untiring energy, and indomitable perseverance which he manifested in the business, and our sincere wish is that the same qualities brought into active exercise in the enterty of the Chathamites were excoriated on Dominion Day by the fact that the place of honour in the procession was usurped by the new stem fire engine of Sileby's manifecture, which was drawn by four milk white steeds gaily caparisoned. In the angents measure of success. In assuming the entire control of the business, we need scarcely say to our primons and the public that it will be condicted on the same principles as hereits to merit their satisfaction and approval.

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The last vestige of Land's wharf, the oldest in Hamilton, was carried away by a recent storm.

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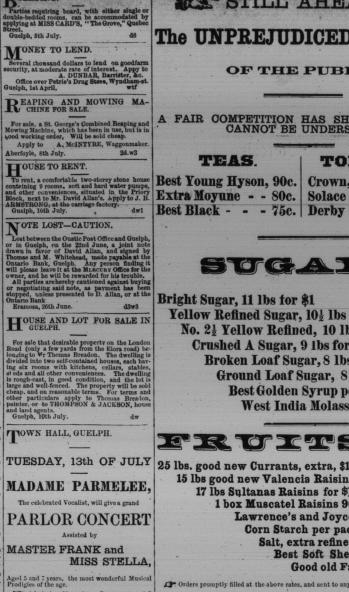
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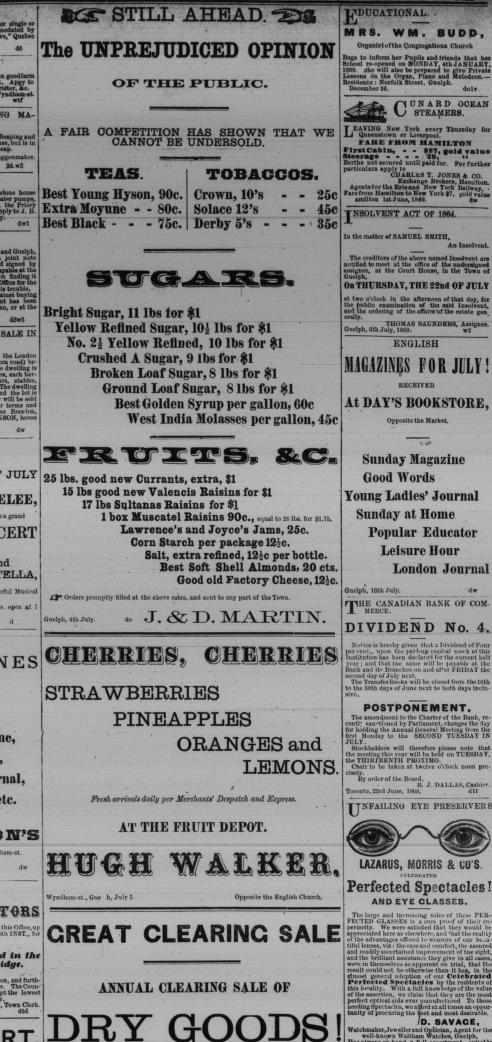
telph, 9th July. TOWN OF GUELPH.

TO CONTRACTORS Scaled Tenders will be received at this Office, up to 3 o'clock, p.m., on TUESDAY, 13th INST., for the Erection of

Stone Work required in the new Eramosa Bridge.

Plans and Specifications can be seen, and furth er information obtained at this office. The Cour il do not bind themselves to accept the lowes ender unless otherwise satisfactory. ender unless otherwise satisfactory, JOHN HARVEY, Town Clerk Town Clerk's Office, July 2, 1869. dtd

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**Leisure Hour** London Journal THE CANADIAN BANK OF COM **DIVIDEND** No. 4. Notice is hereby given that a Dividend of Four per cent, upon the paid-up capital score of the Institution has been declared for the enremt half year; and that the same will be payable at the Bank and its Branches on and after FRIDAY the second day of July next. The Transfer Blocks will be closed from the 16th to the 30th days of June next to both days inclu-sive. POSTPONEMENT. mendment to the Charter of the Bank, re-sanctioned by Parliament, changes the day ling the Annual General Meeting from the onday to the SECOND TUESDAY IN ULY. Stockholders will therefore please note that he meeting this year will be held on TUESDAY, he THIRFEENTH PROXIMO. sisely. By order of the Beard, R. J. DALLAS, Cashier Toronto, 23rd June, 1869. dl1 TINFAILING EYE PRESERVERS LAZARUS, MORRIS & CO'S **Perfected Spectacles!** AND EYE CLASSES. The large and increasing sales of these PER-PECTED GLASSES is a sure proof of their su-veriority. We were satisfied that they would be ppreciated here as elsewhere, and that the reality of the advantages offered to wearers of our be-as-iful lenses, viz: the case and comfort, the assured and readily ascertained improvement of the sight, and the brilliant assistance they give in all cases, were in themselves as apparent on trial, that the were in themselves so apparent on trial, that t result could not, be otherwise than it has, in it famost general adoption of our **Celebrate Perfected Spectacles** by the residents his locality. With a full knowledge of the value

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