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GUELPH, ONT., CANADA, TUESDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 10, 1874.

PRICE TWO CENTS

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

MY IMMENSE STOCK
—OF—
DRY GOODS
IS NOW
Open for Inspection.

On account of being delayed in opening until the season is so far advanced, I find that my stock is much too large in all kinds of seasonable goods, consequently I will commence selling at once all such lines, at about

WHOLESALE COST.

Call and judge for yourselves.

G. A. SMITH,
McQUILLAN'S BLOCK,
Upper Wyndham Street, Guelph.
Guelph, Nov. 10th, 1874

Business Cards.

GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN,
Barristers, Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitors in Chancery, Guelph, Ontario.

D. GUTHRIE, J. WATT, W. H. CUTTEN,
Guelph, March 1, 1871.

A. H. MACDONALD,
BARRISTER AT LAW.
OFFICE—Corner of Wyndham and Quebec Streets, Guelph, June 3, 1874. d&wf

LEMON, PETERSON & McLEAN,
Barristers and Attorneys at Law, Solicitors in Chancery, Conveyancers and Notaries Public.

Offices—Brownlow's New Buildings, near the Registry Offices.

A. LEMON, J. H. W. PETERSON, W. McLEAN,
County Crown Atty.

DUNBAR, MERRITT & BISCOE,
Barristers and Attorneys at Law, Solicitors in Chancery, etc.

Office—Over Harvey's Drug Store. A. DUNBAR, W. M. MERRITT, F. BISCOE, Guelph, Oct. 7, 1873. dw

FREDERICK BISCOE,
BARRISTER, &c.
Office—Quebec street, opposite Bank of Montreal, Guelph.

N.B.—Money to loan in sums to suit borrowers. d&wf

OLIVER & McKINNON,
Barristers, Attorneys at Law, Solicitors in Chancery, Conveyancers, Notaries Public, etc.

Office—Corner of Wyndham and Quebec Streets, Guelph, Ont. A. M. McKINNON, R. OLIVER, dw

W. S. GURDY,
House Sign and Ornamental Painter

Grainer and Paper Hanger.
Shop next to the Wellington Hotel, Wyndham street, Guelph.

JOHN KIRKHAM,
GUNSMITH.
Quebec street, Guelph, opposite the Courts.

Guns, Pistols, and Sporting Materials always on hand. Repairing as usual.

DANIELS & BUCHAN,
(Successors to James Barclay.)

Carpenters and Builders,
South of the Drill Shed, Guelph.

Jobbing a specialty. Lumber and Cedar Joisting always on hand. Guelph, July 27, 1874. dw

STEPHEN BULLT, Architect, Contractor and Builder. Planning Mill and every kind of Joiner's Work prepared for the trade and the public. The Factory is on Quebec Street, Guelph. dw

JOHN McCREA,
Produce Commission Merchant,
and Insurance Agency.

Office—Bank of Commerce Buildings, Guelph, July 28th, 1874. dem

THE undersigned have entered into partnership in the practice of their profession.

Wm. CLARKE, M. D., H. HARKIN, M. D.
Dr. Clarke will remain at the office every Wednesday and Saturday, and Dr. Harkin every Monday and Friday, for consultation. Office—Quebec St., Guelph. 06-74-dw.

RICE'S
BILLIARD HALL,
In the Queen's Hotel, Guelph, opposite the Market.

Thereom has just been re-fitted in splendid style, the tables reduced in size, and everything done to make it a first-class Billiard Hall.

M. P. DELOUCHE,
WIRE WORKER,
Pearl street, off King street. Every description of wire work made to order, at the lowest terms. Any orders left at W. H. Marston's seed store, Market Square, or at H. Murray's fruit depot, Wyndham street, will be thankfully received and promptly attended to. Terms strictly cash. dtf. Guelph, June 1874.

WALBOND'S
CONFECTIONERY STORE,
Next to Petrie's Drug Store.

Choice Confectionery,
Hot Tea, Coffee, and Lunch
At all hours.

CAKES of all kinds constantly on hand. Weddings supplied on short notice. Guelph, July 29, 1874. dtf

New Advertisements.

WALTER D. A. GOOD GENERAL SERVANT. Liberal wages to a suitable one.—Apply to Mrs. D. Kennedy, Waterloo Road. dtf

HOUSE TO LET.
To let, the house on George street opposite North Ward School, contains 7 rooms and summer kitchen, cellar, etc. Has a good garden. Apply at this office. dtf

HOT AIR FURNACE.—For sale, Miller's Wood Furnace, as good as new—coal furnace having been substituted. This may be had on reasonable terms. A. Lemon, Guelph, Sept. 8, 1874. dtf

PIG ASTRAY.—Came on the premises of Wm. Kee, near Stevenson's nursery, a black pig. The owner is required to prove property, pay charges, and take it away. dtf

CURLING RINK MEETING.
The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the "Guelph Agricultural Exhibition Building and Curling Rink" will be held in the Town Hall, on FRIDAY, the 20th inst., at 7:30 o'clock, p.m. for the receiving of the report and financial statement for the past year, and the electing officers for the ensuing year.

CHARLES DAVIDSON,
Secretary and Treasurer. dtf

ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY.

ANNUAL MEETING.
The Annual Meeting of the Guelph St. Andrew's Society will be held in the Town Hall, on TUESDAY evening, 10th inst., at half-past seven o'clock, for the election of Officers, and the transaction of general business.

A full attendance of members and Scotchmen is generally requested.

JOHN ANDERSON,
Guelph, Nov. 9, 1874. dtf

GUELPH Academy and Seminary
PRINCIPAL—MR. E. FOWLER, B. A.

Evening Commercial Classes will be opened on Wednesday evening, Nov. 11th, 7:30 p.m., under the management of Mr. J. C. Smith, a graduate with honors at the B. A. Commercial College, Toronto.

In connection with this, a course in German, French and Phonography will be given by the Principal.

For particulars, see handbill, or enquire at the Winter Term for Students in the Senior or Junior Department, and Ladies Seminary commences Nov. 15th. dtf

Mechanics Institute
CLASSES
Will meet in the Central School Building, on Wednesday, Nov. 11th, at 8 p.m.

Mr. S. C. Clark, consisting of a quantity of the B. A. Commercial College, Ottawa City, will, with experienced assistants, conduct these classes.

Commercial Students will pursue the actual business course of the best Commercial Colleges. Mechanical Students will take up Arithmetic and Mensuration suitable to their trades. Bookkeeping adapted to their business. Writing and Drawing by experienced teachers, etc.

Owing to the large bonus granted by Government, the fees are very moderate. Five months, three evenings weekly, \$5. Members \$4. Government and other cash prizes (the highest being \$10, \$5, and \$4, from \$30 to \$40. Students are guaranteed satisfaction.

Give names to the Librarian, at the Town Hall, who will supply circulars, with all particulars. dtf

TOWN LOTS.
Acres, half acres, quarter acres, beautifully situated in the most eligible part of the Town, three to ten minutes' easy walk of Market and Post Office. We can sell these lots much cheaper than any well situated lots can be purchased, and as lots are steadily going up, parties in want of a really good large lot in a good situation, and at a reasonable price, should call at once on Hart & Spora, Day's Block. dtf

AUCTION SALE.
W. S. G. Knowles will offer for Sale by Public Auction, on WEDNESDAY afternoon the 11th inst., at the residence of Mr. G. L. Pearson, adjoining Hugh Walker's dwelling, Oxford Street, Guelph, a quantity of household furniture, comprising bed-room and kitchen furniture, bedding, bureau, parlor and dining room, plated ware, &c.—Terms, cash. Sale at 2 p.m. dtf

EMPLOYMENT FOR THE WINTER.
\$10 per day Guaranteed.
No hunting. To parties having a small quantity of this new Livery Stable, Business light and honorable—profits quick and sure. For particulars call at the Hotel, from 7 to 9 p.m., or address Guelph P. O. H. CARRIGAN. nd&wf

FRESH OYSTERS
AT
JOHN A. WOOD'S.

ANOTHER New Livery Stable.
JOHN & E. EWING
Beg to notify the public of Guelph that they have opened a new Livery Stable, on the corner of St. Andrew's and St. George's streets, and have furnished it with a first-class Stock of Horses and Carriages, and are prepared to furnish rigs on the shortest notice. Everything first-class. They trust by strict attention to business to merit a share of the public patronage. dtf

HOMESTEADS!
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MR. ANDREW LEMON
WILL ON
Wednesday, 11th day of November,

next to half past seven o'clock, at the Front door of the Market House, Guelph, to sell the following:

Auction Sale
20 Building Lots
Of excellent soil, nicely situated on Palmer street, below Metcalfe street, and about 10 minutes walk from the Ironstone Bridge. Sizes averaging about one quarter acre each, per plan of T. W. Cooper, F.L.S.

TERMS OF SALE.—One reserve bid on each lot. One fourth cash, and balance in three equal annual instalments at 7 per cent, interest half-yearly, from day of sale, on unpaid principal.

This perfect and immediate possession given, further terms and particulars stated at sale, and may in meantime be obtained from LEMON, PETERSON & McLEAN, Solicitors, and

W. S. G. KNOWLES, Auctioneer.
Guelph, 21st Oct., 1874. twd

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TUESDAY EVE'G, NOV. 10, 1874.

Town and County News
No police report to-day.

REMEMBER G. L. Pearson's sale of household furniture to-morrow. See advertisement.

REMEMBER the meeting of the St. Andrew's Society to-night. Let all interested attend.

A NEW SIDEWALK is being put down, on Macdonnell street, from Williamson's corner to the east end of the MERCURY office.

APPLICANTS.—There are twenty three applicants for the position of Principal of the High and Public Schools of this town. Who they are, may be seen by reference to our report of the meeting of the Board of Education.

RIFLE PRACTICE.—Several members of the Guelph Rifle Association go to the ranges to practice this afternoon. The next regular practice will finish the shooting for this season, and the medal for the highest aggregate score of the season will be awarded.

SALE OF BUILDING LOTS.—We would remind those who are desirous of obtaining a good building lot in a pleasant part of the town, of the sale of lots belonging to Mr. Lemon, to-morrow, at the Market House, at half past twelve o'clock.

NEW DRY GOODS STORE.—Mr. G. A. Smith has just opened his new dry goods store in McQuillan's Block, and as he has been delayed in opening, he announces that he will run off a large part of his stock at wholesale cost. See his advertisement.

FINE WINDOWS.—Perhaps the most tastefully dressed shop window ever seen in Guelph is that displayed to-day, in G. A. Smith's new store, on Upper Wyndham street. It is a marvel of beauty, and reflects very creditably upon the taste of its designer.

Y. M. C. A.—The prayer meeting held in the rooms of the Association, last night, was well attended. The services were conducted by the Revs. Mr. Howie and Dr. Davidson. Members are requested to make an effort to be present at the meetings during this week, even though it should be at some little inconvenience to themselves.

EVENING COMMERCIAL CLASSES.—We call attention to the card in another column, announcing the opening of evening Commercial classes in Mr. Fowler's Guelph Academy, under the charge of Mr. Slater, a graduate of the Commercial College in Toronto. These classes will be a great boon to those who are busy during the day, and as the fees are very moderate, all who wish to improve themselves have now an opportunity of doing so.

GALT AND GUELPH RAILWAY.—Nineteen years since the Great Western Railway Company made an agreement with the Galt and Guelph company, to provide the funds required to complete the road to the latter place, and to equip and run it for twenty years, taking a mortgage for the advances made, and agreeing to furnish returns regularly. Next year the agreement will run out, the mortgages will fall due, and a settlement or transfer of the fee simple of the road will be required. In anticipation of such an event, we notice that the solicitors of the former Company give notice that application will be made at the next session of the Ontario Legislature to extend the time for repaying the advance made, if not already liquidated, and for other purposes connected therewith. dtf

Local and Other Items.
FROM MANITOBA.—A despatch received from Winnipeg says that the communication sent from there to some Canadian journals that Riel had been outlawed, is erroneous, and such is not the case. A plenary writ was issued, and the case will not be ripe for judgment until January next. In the Nault trial, the evidence was direct as to giving the signal to the firing party; but, as already stated, the jury, on which there were ten half-breeds, disagreed. It is also stated that on the jury that convicted Lepine, were three of his former soldiers.

FIRE NEAR GODERICH.—The barn and contents of Mr. Carro, on Bayfield Road, about four miles from Goderich, were burned to the ground on Sunday morning. The stable adjoining, in which were two span of horses, was also burned. The loss is about \$2,000, insured for \$1,000. The fire is supposed to be the act of an incendiary.

THE GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY.—The Hon. Mr. Childers, President of the Great Western Railway, accompanied by his son, who acts as his private secretary, arrived in Hamilton on Saturday. They left on Sunday evening by a special train for Toronto, and on Monday morning took the Grand Trunk for Ottawa.

Mr. John Smith, well known in political circles in Hamilton, has been appointed Immigration Agent there, in place of Mr. McEae, who has been superannuated.

NEGOTIATIONS are on foot for sale of the Pacific mail steamship, Clita to the Japanese Government.

Wm. McIntosh's dry-goods store in Bradford, was entered by burglars, on Saturday night, and a quantity of furs, shirts, clothing, and gloves were carried off. The burglars obtained entrance by forcing the back door open.

The Canada Gazette contains the following:—The statement of revenue and expenditure of the Dominion for the month ended October, shows—Revenue \$3,127,166.77; expenditure, \$145,399.67; surplus, \$1,981,927.10.

Listowel has been proclaimed a town, under the Municipal Act.

Official notice is given that Earl Dufferin has resumed the Government of Canada from the 3rd inst.

Maple Leaf Base Ball Club.

CAMPAIGN OF 1874.

We are enabled, through the kindness of the gentlemanly scorer of this club, Mr. Matthew Tinker, to present to our readers a complete synopsis of 1874's campaign. It will be seen by reference to the first table, where all the different games of the season were played; the clubs who contested against the champions; and also the scores of both clubs. The average scores of the M. L. B. C. during the season is 194 to 8.

Reference to the second table will show the particular skill of each player in the club. We notice that Spence has the largest number of runs, though Keel has as many there is a difference of 13 in the number of times to the bat. Myers is first in first-base hits, and likewise in total bases, and "Charley" has a large record in the number of put out, considering his position as catcher. Myers stands at the head of the list in the number put out—196. His average in each game being 10.13. By a careful consideration of the tables the reader will be enabled to form an intelligent idea of the standing of each player. The following are the tabular statements:—

CAMPAIGN OF 1874.

NAME OF CLUB	WINS	LOSSES	TIES	PERCENTAGE
Maple Leaf	19	8	0	70.4
St. Andrew's	15	12	1	55.6
St. George's	12	15	1	44.4
St. James	10	18	1	35.7
St. Paul	8	20	1	28.6
St. John	6	22	1	21.4
St. Peter	4	24	1	14.3
St. Michael	3	25	1	10.7
St. Nicholas	2	26	1	7.1
St. Basil	1	27	1	3.6
St. Raphael	0	28	1	0.0

SOBBER'S GENERAL REPORT.

1st base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

2nd base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

3rd base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

4th base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

5th base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

6th base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

7th base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

8th base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

9th base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

10th base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

11th base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

12th base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

13th base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

14th base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

15th base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

16th base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

17th base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

18th base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

19th base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

20th base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

21st base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

22nd base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

23rd base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

24th base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

25th base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

26th base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

27th base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

28th base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

29th base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

30th base.—Total base hits, 194 to 8.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE MERCURY

Movements of Bazaine.

French Elections.

Proceedings in the Reichstag.

Accident at the Lord Mayor's Procession.

The Situation in Turkey.

Bombardment of Iran.

Church Affairs in France.

Addition to the Russian Navy.

London, Nov. 9.—Marshal Bazaine and wife, under the name of Laperro, have sailed from Southampton on the Royal Mail steamship Neva.

London, Nov. 10.—In the pressure of the crowds to witness the Lord Mayor's procession yesterday, two persons were killed and several injured.

London, Nov. 10.—A special despatch to the Standard reports that 10,000 Republican troops have collected in the province of Lorraine for relief of the town, but the Carlists occupy the entering passes in great force.

The Times Paris correspondent telegraphs that schism in the French Reformed Church is imminent. The Minister of Public Instruction yesterday refused to reconsider his decision against the legality of consistories elected by the liberal branch of the Church which declines to accept the confession of faith promulgated by the Synod of 1872. The Liberals claim the right to form a separate Church, equally entitled to State recognition. The French cabinet will consider and finally decide the question.

London, Nov. 10.—The Russian Government has ordered eighteen iron sloops for its flotilla in the Sea of Azov, and two light draft steamers for service in the Amu Darya river.

Paris, Nov. 9.—Complete returns from the Department of Drome, elect M. Mouton, Republican, to the Assembly by 4,000 votes. M. Morin, the candidate of Bonapartis received 26,000.

Berlin, Nov. 9.—In the Reichstag today, the Army Budget and other financial measures mentioned in the Emperor's speech, was referred to the appropriate Committee. The Minister of Finance stated that he considered a surplus of 13,300,000 reichmarks certain, but the Government would ask for loans to meet the increased expenditure for the Navy, and telegraphs.

The Government has entered an action in the Ecclesiastical Court against the Bishop of Paderborn, and lodges an application for his disposal. The Bishop has refused to make, define, or take any notice of the proceedings.

Rome, Nov. 10.—Official returns fully confirm the success of the Government in the elections. Ministerial candidates have been elected in 356 out of 500 districts.

Vienna, Nov. 9.—Semi official journals say Austria will make no reply to the Turkish despatch but will conclude a Commercial Convention with Roumania.

Turkey is being rained through the blunders of her own rulers, the Allied Emperors therefore, are engaged in consolidating and strengthening the Danubian principalities, which in the event of a general catastrophe, would form the centre of a new combination.

Fire at Three Rivers.
Three Rivers, Nov. 10. A fire destroyed a frame shed on Sunday night, situated on George Street. Loss about \$800. Insured in Scottish Imperial for \$200.

The Hon. Dr. Charles Malhiot, Senator for Lavalliere Division, died last night at his residence at Point du Lac, after an illness of fifteen days, deeply regretted by the public.

Valetta, Ont., Nov. 10.
A man named Alex. Burney, a resident of Tilbury East, dropped down dead this morning. It seems he was subject to fits, and while in one, expired. The deceased is an old man, a native of Scotland, with no relatives in this country, and has been a slave to drink, which has no doubt been the cause of his untimely death.

PORT COLBORNE, Nov. 10.—The schooner Grantham arrived here last night. It picked up in the lake the crew of the schooner Nimrod, sunk in the collision with the barque Michigan, between Port Burwell and Port Stanley. The vessels collided in the fog on Saturday night, and the Nimrod sunk soon after, her crew taking to the masts and others to the boats.

Board of Education.
The Board met on Monday evening. Present, Mr. Peterson in the Chair, Messrs. Harvey, Newton, Inglis, Murton, Wilkie, Stevenson, Dr. Keating, Bell, Dr. McGregor.

The Secretary stated that he had received 23 applications in answer to the advertisement for a Principal for the High and Public Schools of this town. The following are the applicants: David Hammill, St. Helen Wm. Williams, Collingwood; Kenneth M. Dingwall, London; Joseph Morrison, Drumbo; George Wallace, Toronto; Wm. Houston, Beamsville; Wm. Wilson Jardine, New Hamburg; Robt. Cochran, Eramosa; E. F. Crowie, Markham; Wm. Dale, Uxbridge; Jas. E. Burgess, Kincairdine; W. Tytler, St. Mary's; D. B. Hunter, Waterdown; J. M. Dunn, Elora; J. L. Bradberry, Gannock; W. W. Tamblin, Oshawa; J. S. Carson, Strathroy; W. M. Elliott, Brighton; D. M. Malloch, Clinton; W. Johnston, Guelph; D. McCaig, Galt; A. M. Lafferty, Guelph; A. McTavish, Mt. Forest.

Mr. Murton moved, seconded by Mr. Inglis, that the applications be referred to a committee composed of the following gentlemen: Messrs. Harvey, Newton, Wilkie, Stevenson, Dr. Keating and the mover. Carried.

The Board then adjourned.

DEED FROM SMITH-POLK.—A young man named V. J. Reid, son of Rev. W. Reid, Toronto, and a travelling agent for James Campbell & Son's publishing house, died in the small-pox hospital in Halifax, N.S., on Thursday night. He arrived there the previous Saturday night, and was then so unwell that he called a physician, who treated him for cold. On Monday, Campbell's agent there heard of his illness and sent another physician to see him, who pronounced the disease small-pox. He was removed from the hotel to the hospital and died on Thursday night. The North British Society there looked after him, and gave such aid as they could, and attended to his burial.

A man in the Sandwich Islands claims to have buried the real Sir Roger Tichborne.

MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS.

HARRISTON—Friday before the Guelph Fair.
BOWWATER—Saturday before Guelph Fair.
DRAYTON—The day before Guelph Fair.
ELORA—The day before Guelph Fair.
DODDAS—Monday before Elora Fair.
GUELPH—First Wednesday in each month.
CLIFTON—Thursday before the Guelph Fair.
TAYBURN—Friday before the Guelph Fair.
NEW HAMBURG—First Tuesday each month.
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