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Guelph Evening Mercury

THURSDAY EVENING, JULY 8, 1869.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

In consequence of stock taking, the MERCURY Office will be closed to-morrow, and there will be no issue of the EVENING MERCURY for that day.

MR. MOTLEY'S INSTRUCTIONS.

The following remarks on this subject are from the Saturday Review: "The summary of Mr. Motley's instructions, which has been published with the sanction of the American Government, though it contains nothing unexpected, is thoroughly unsatisfactory. It would perhaps have been useless to resume negotiations at present, but the professed hope that the English Government will after a time take the initiative, might almost be construed into a covert demand of voluntary humiliation."

THIS MORNING'S DESPATCHES.

Acanard-French Reformation -International Boat Race, &c. &c. &c.

PARIS, July 7th (evening). - A rumor has been current here that Spain has applied to France requesting her to advise the Government of the United States to preserve a strict neutrality in the case of Cuba. It is utterly unfounded, and may be deemed simply a canard.

Notwithstanding official denials the modification of the French Ministry is imminent. M. Rouher, representing the system of personal government, is sure to retire and give place to a new combination in accordance with the principles of parliamentary government.

The Emperor, it is said, is willing to abandon the arbitrary power which he has wielded since the Coup d'Etat, and share the burthen of the Government with the country and legislature.

The Senate will soon assemble, and carry out the necessary organic changes. New York, July 8th. - The steamship Celta, from London, has arrived.

As the bottom of the missing steamer United Kingdom was painted red and not coppered, neither of the hulls seen floating at sea recently could have been hers as reported.

The Harvard International Crew of four which is to row against a four of Oxford, the champions of England, arrived in this city on their way to England this morning.

THE GUELPH POLICE COURT.

Before T. W. Saunders, Esq., Police Magistrate. THURSDAY, 8th. - Archibald Thompson was charged by his wife with assault and battery. The constables went after him last night, and his first move was an attempt to knock them down with a chair. They suffered some little damage but demonstrated to Thompson in rather striking terms that it would have been better for him if he had been quiet. This morning he had a shanty over his eyes, a "moustache" on his forehead, and a whole managerie of other animals round his face. He was fined \$1 and costs, or ten days. He pleads "not guilty" to take the day.

Good company and good conversation are the very sinews of virtue.

Sorrow is the furnace that melts selfish hearts together in love.

Twenty years' experience in using Bryan's Pulmonic Wafers have proved them to be the most effectual remedy for coughs, and irritation of the throat, caused by cold, or unusual exertion of the vocal organs; public speakers and singers will find them beneficial. The entire freedom from all deleterious ingredients renders Bryan's Pulmonic Wafers, or Cough and Lozenges, a safe remedy for the most delicate nerves, and has caused them to be held in high esteem by all who have used them. Sold by all medicine dealers, at 25cts. per box.

MARRIAGES.

ROBERTSON-ELLIS. - At Guelph, on the 8th inst. by the Rev. W. S. Ball, Mr. Wm. Robertson, son of the Rev. Wm. Robertson, and Miss Mary J. Ellis, both of Guelph.

CANADA LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

ESTABLISHED 1817. THE only Canadian Life Company authorized by Government for the Dominion. Rates are lower than British or Foreign Offices. Larger amount of Assets and of Investments in Canada than any other Company, and its rapid progress is satisfactory evidence of the popularity of its principles and practice. Last year there were issued 920 New Policies, for Assurance of \$1,284,155, With Annual Premiums of \$51,182.

How WAR IS BROUGHT ABOUT.

Mr. Goldwin Smith, in a letter of personal vindication directed to The Beehive, says, with reference to the Summer controversy, "I know, and in my former letter I recognized the fact, that the American people in general are too sensible and right-minded to wish for war. But nations very seldom wish for war. They drift through diplomatic complications and under the influence of excited feelings, into situations in which war becomes inevitable."

SPANIEL LOST.

Lost on the evening of the 6th inst. at the Hotel, a small spaniel, about nine months old. Any person returning him to the owner will be suitably rewarded. GEO. MURTON, Jr. Guelph, 8th July.

NOTE LOST.

Lost in Hamilton, in the neighborhood of the Great Western Station, on Tuesday evening last, a note of hand bearing date 1862, for the sum of \$100, drawn by Christopher Ryan, and payable to Christopher Hall, or bearer. Two payments were endorsed on it, one made in 1864 and the other in 1865. The bearer giving information of it to the undersigned, at the Post Office, will be suitably rewarded. MICHAEL HALL. Guelph, 8th July.

REAPING AND MOWING MACHINES FOR SALE.

For sale, a St. George's Combined Reaping and Mowing Machine, which has been in use, but is in good working order. Will be sold cheap. Apply to A. MCINTYRE, Waggonmaker, Aberfoyle, 8th July. 21-33

SPECIAL ATTENTION.

The highest market price paid for Wool, Hides, Sheepskins, Calkins and Wood Pickings, at No. 3 Day's Old Block, Gordon Street, July 3. D. MCULTON.

BISCOE & OLIVER.

BARRISTERS, Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitors in Chancery and Insolvency, Notaries Public, Conveyancers, &c. Office - Corner of Wyndham and Quebec Streets, Guelph. N.B. - Money to lend.

PIGS LOST.

Strayed from Mr. Alex. Crichton's premises, Market Square, Guelph, about three weeks ago, ten pigs, all about a year old. Four of them are barrows, and six are sows. Any person giving information of them to the subscribers will be suitably rewarded. A. CRICHTON. HUGH HOGG. June 20. dwtf

BOARDING.

Parties requiring board, with either single or double beds, can be accommodated by applying at MISS CARD'S, "The Grove," Quebec Street. Guelph, 8th July. ds

GUELPH RIFLE COMPANY.

The Guelph Rifle Company are hereby notified to muster at the Drill Shed on FRIDAY MORNING, at 9 o'clock, in heavy marching order, for their annual eight days' drill. GEO. BRUCE, Captain. Guelph, 6th July.

ENGLISH MAGAZINES

FOR JULY.

Good Words, Sunday Magazine, London Society, Chambers' Journal, Leisure Hour, etc.

AT THORNTON'S

New Cheap Bookstore, Wyndham-st. Guelph, 9th July. dw

TOWN OF GUELPH.

TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed 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 further information obtained at this Office. The Council do not bind themselves to accept the lowest tender unless otherwise satisfactory. JOHN HARVEY, Town Clerk. Town Clerk's Office, July 2, 1869.

RAPIDLY INCREASING POPULARITY.

CLARKE'S NEW METHOD FOR REED ORGANS.

The best teachers everywhere are making it the Standard Instruction Book for Cabinet Organs and Melodeons. This Valuable Work is not published in order to advertise Cabinet Organs, but to give the greatest aid to those who desire to become accomplished players on these pleasing instruments. It is the careful and order "Clarke's New Method," published by Ditson & Co., as a much smaller work published by the same Author several years since, has just been re-issued by another house, under the pretence of being new. Price in boards, \$2.50. Sent post-paid on receipt of price. G. Ditson & Co., 277 Washington Street Boston. C. H. Ditson & Co., 7th Broadway, New York.

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE.

DIVIDEND No. 4.

Notice is hereby given that a Dividend of Four per cent, upon the paid-up capital stock of this Institution has been declared and will be payable at the Bank and its Branches on and after FRIDAY the second day of July next. The Transfer Books will be closed from the 16th to the 30th days of June next to both days inclusive.

POSTPONEMENT.

The amendment to the Charter of the Bank, recently sanctioned by Parliament, changes the day for holding the Annual General Meeting from the first Monday to the SECOND TUESDAY IN JULY. Stockholders will therefore please note that the meeting this year will be held on TUESDAY, the THIRTEENTH PROXIMO. Chair to be taken at twelve o'clock noon precisely.

LIST OF LETTERS

REMAINING in the Guelph Post Office on the 1st of July, 1869.

- Allen Mrs G. Linnett Miss Elizabeth. Amund Miss Agnes. Anstrup Miss Jane. Arnold Mrs Charlotte. Atkinson Miss. Baker Miss Elizabeth. Barton R A. Benson Miss. Best George. Benn & Dwyer. Brown Miss A B. Brydon Miss Helen. Brydon Robert. Burns Lawrence. Campbell Miss Jane. Carney Robert. Cassiner CS. Chamberlain Mary. Christie John. Connolly Martin. Cape Win H. Condon Henry. Cowell Alfred. Cresswell Wm. Crenson Chas. Crooker James. Cronbie Mr. Crosby Wm H. Currie Menzies. Danahy Miss Margaret. Day Capt A W. Diver James. Douglas Miss Elizabeth. Gasty J P. English Miss Hannah. Evans Thomas. Farlane David. Fear Rev S. Ferguson Miss Phoebe. Fitzgerald Thos. Fitzsimons A J. Fisher J K. Galt Michael. Gerner Mrs. Gillis John. Gledhill Janet. Graham Wm H. Graham W H. Grant George. Gray John S. Greenhill John. Grey Robert. Hassan James. Hawkins R. Haydon Miss R. Heat & Price. Henderson Wm. Henry W. Hillcock Miss Margaret. Hinds Wm. Hogg & Co. Jackson Miss Jane. Jobb Robt. Key Miss Ella. Lawson George. Leaird Miss Isabella. Linnett Miss Elizabeth. Moran John. Mottley Robt. Manning Joseph. Matheson Mrs. Maybury Mrs John. Milburn Mrs Elizabeth. Milk Man. Mitchell David. Monaghan David. Mulholland August. Morrison Thomas. Moore John T. Moorhouse T J. Morrison James. Moyer Joseph. Myers Thomas. Myer Benjamin. McElroy Mr. McElroy Mrs. McElroy Miss. McKee John. McKee James. Single Richard. Nelson David. Newland Miss Emma. Noble Wm. North N C. O'Connor Michael. O'Connor Margaret. O'Connor Sarah. Peterson P A. Postan Thomas. Purcell Pat. Quarrie James. Rea John. Richardson Andrew. Robertson John. Rogers W H. Roland Miss Mary. Rouse Maria. Russell Dr A. Sangle Richard. Scott Walter. Scott Walter. Shelly John F. Shelly John A. Smith W H. Smith Thomas. Spence Isaac. Stephens C A. Swan Pugh J. Switzer C. Tiffes Mrs. Vicars Francis. Walsh Mrs Mary. Walsh James. Weekly G. Wilson Benjamin. Young Sarah Jane.

PRESTON

MINERAL BATHS AND SUMMER RESORT. PRESTON, - - - ONTARIO.

The above favorite Baths and Summer Resort is now open for the accommodation of the public, and especially families. The place has been rebuilt and refurnished throughout, and the outside as well as the inside of the building very much improved. Everything will be done to make comfortable those favoring the place with a visit, and at a moderate expense.

For further information as to prices and accommodation address DR. TUFFORD & CO., Preston. For information in regard to the curative properties of the waters, address DR. TUFFORD, Brantford, Ont. Preston, 7th July. dwtw wfm

MONEY TO LEND.

The undersigned are requested to obtain Farm Securities for several thousand dollars, to be lent at moderate interest. LEMON & PETERSON, Barristers, Solicitors, etc. Guelph, Dec. 24th, 1868. dwf

STILL AHEAD.

The UNPREJUDICED OPINION

OF THE PUBLIC.

A FAIR COMPETITION HAS SHOWN THAT WE CANNOT BE UNDERSOLD.

TEAS. TOBACCOS.

Best Young Hyson, 90c. Crown, 10's - - 25c. Extra Moyune - - 80c. Solace 12's - - 45c. Best Black - - - 75c. Derby 5's - - - 35c.

SUGARS.

Bright Sugar, 11 lbs for \$1. Yellow Refined Sugar, 10 1/2 lbs for \$1. No. 2 1/2 Yellow Refined, 10 lbs for \$1. Crushed A Sugar, 9 lbs for \$1. Broken Loaf Sugar, 8 lbs for \$1. Ground Loaf Sugar, 8 lbs for \$1. Best Golden Syrup per gallon, 60c. West India Molasses per gallon, 45c.

FRUITS, &C.

25 lbs. good new Currants, extra, \$1. 15 lbs good new Valencia Raisins for \$1. 17 lbs Sultanas Raisins for \$1. 1 box Muscatel Raisins 90c., equal to 25 lbs. for \$1.75. Lawrence's and Joyce's Jams, 25c. Corn Starch per package 12 1/2c. Salt, extra refined, 12c per bottle. Best Soft Shell Almonds, 20 cts. Good old Factory Cheese, 12c.

J. & D. MARTIN.

CHERRIES, CHERRIES STRAWBERRIES

PINEAPPLES ORANGES and LEMONS. Fresh arrivals daily per Merchants' Despatch and Express.

HUGH WALKER.

WYNDHAM-ST. Gue. 1, July 3. Opposite the English Church.

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ANNUAL CLEARING SALE OF

DRY GOODS!

BRADFORD HOUSE

WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH.

THE ANNUAL CLEARING SALE WILL COMMENCE

ON MONDAY, THE 5th of JULY

AND CONTINUE FOR THIRTY DAYS.

As a special inducement to effect a speedy clearance. All Goods will be cleared out much under the prices of previous years. Call early and secure some of the many bargains.

DEPARTMENT

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Large quantity of fine Strawberries as has ever been seen in Guelph.

For SALE AT the DOMINION STORE Upper Wyndham Street.

PASTURE TO LET. - Apply to DENIS BUNYAN. Guelph, 7th June. d

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MRS. ROBINSON.

PETRIE'S

INSECT POWDER.

If you want to save your

PLANTS AND BUSHES!

from destruction by Insects use Petrie's Insect Powder, prepared expressly for that purpose by

A. B. PETRIE, Chemist,

Corbet's Block, Guelph.

Full directions enclosed.

Guelph, June 8. daw 7

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CANADIAN LINE.

Liverpool, Londonderry, Glasgow.

The first-class, full-powered, Clyde-built Steamships of this line will be despatched every Saturday as follows (carrying the Canadian and United States mails):

QUEBEC TO LIVERPOOL.

Moravian ... 10th July. Hibernian ... 26th "

Peruvian ... 26th " Nestorian ... 31st "

QUEBEC TO GLASGOW.

St. Patrick ... 15th July. Damascus ... 22nd "

Ottawa ... 29th "

Through Passage Tickets, Return Tickets, and European Pre-paid Passage Certificates issued at lowest rates.

CABIN - Guelph to Liverpool \$79.50 and \$89.50. STEERAGE, do do do 30.50. CABIN - Guelph to Glasgow, 62.50. INTERMEDIATE, do do 45.50. STEERAGE, do do 29.50.

For every information apply to GEO. A. DONNARD, Agent G. T. R. Guelph. Guelph, July 6, 1869. daw

GOOD NEWS FOR ALL.

PROF. HERMAN'S

VERMIN DESTROYER

Which is known to be far superior to anything ever discovered for killing rats, mice, insects on poultry, ants, bugs, cockroaches, black beetles, fleas on dogs, ticks on sheep or goats, &c., in less than ten minutes. Sold in packets at 25c. per packet, or six packets for \$1.25. The powder is warranted free from all lead, and will keep in any climate. It may be spread anywhere without risk, as it is quite harmless to cats and dogs for they will not eat it. Directions for use on each packet. The above discovery has gained for Professor Herman a silver prize medal at the International Exhibition for Victoria, Australia, of 1866, besides numerous testimonials. Messrs. E. CARROLL & Co., Day's Block, Wyndham-St., Guelph, Agents for Guelph and vicinity. May 29. dwf

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Four Journey men Shoemakers

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In great variety, and remarkably cheap at MRS HUNTER'S.

THE PATENT CLOTHES HORSE,

A most useful and convenient article. Every house should have one.

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A large and select stock of Fancy Goods, Wools, &c. AT MRS. HUNTER'S, Berlin Wood and Fancy Goods Store, Wyndham Street, Guelph. May 12. dw

TO PLASTERERS AND PAINTERS

KNOX'S CHURCH.

Sealed Tenders wanted for the Plastering and for the Painting and Glazing of Knox's Church, Guelph.

Plans and specifications may be seen at Mr. Berry's, Wyndham-st., Guelph, where tenders are to be left on or before FRIDAY, the 10th inst. The Committee are not to bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender. J. HOUSON, Architect. Guelph, 6th July. dtf

EDUCATIONAL.

MRS. WM. BUDD,

Organist to the Congregational Church

begs to inform her Pupils and friends that her School re-opened on MONDAY, 4th JANUARY, 1869. she will also be prepared to give Private Lessons on the Organ, Flute and Melodion - Residence; Norfolk Street, Guelph. dwtw