

Business Cards.

STEPHEN BOULT, Architect, Contractor and Builder, Planning Mill, and very kind of Joiner's Work prepared for the trade and the public. The factory is on Quebec Street, Guelph.
LIVER & MACDONALD, Barristers and Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitors, Notaries Public, &c. Office—Corner of Wyndham and Quebec Streets, up stairs, Guelph, Ont.
GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN, Barristers, Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitors in Chancery, Guelph, Ontario.
WILLIAM J. PATERSON, Official Assignee for the County of Wellington.
Office—Opposite Town Hall, Guelph, Ont.
W. STURDY, Plasterer and Paper-Hanger.
Shop next to the Wellington Hotel, Wyndham Street, Guelph.
LEMON, PETERSON & MCLEAN, Barristers and Attorneys at Law, Solicitors in Chancery, Conveyancers and Notaries Public.
Office—Brownlow's New Buildings, near the Registry Office.
A. LEMON, H. W. PETERSON, R. MACLEAN, County Crown Attorneys.
IRON CASTINGS
Of all kinds, made to order at
CROWE'S IRON WORKS, Norfolk Street, Guelph.
154w **JOHN CROWE, Proprietor.**
CASH FOR WOOL, HIDES, SHEEP SKINS, CALF SKINS, AND WOOL PICKINGS.
The highest market price paid for the above at No. 4, Gordon Street, Day's old Block, Guelph.
Plasterers' hair constantly on hand for sale.
Guelph, Jan. 1, 1874. **MOULTON & BISH, dw**
RIOE'S BILLIARD HALL, In the Queen's Hotel, Guelph, opposite the Market.
The room has just been refitted in splendid style, the tables reduced in size, and everything done to make it a first-class Billiard Hall.
Guelph, Nov. 3rd, 1873.
THORP'S HOTEL, GUELPH—Remodelled and newly furnished. Good accommodation for gentlemen by keeping none but first-class liquors and cigars to receive a share of public patronage.
Gentlemen in their season of a fair share of accommodation for supper parties.
Guelph, April 7, 1874. **M. DEADY, Proprietor, dw**
PARKER'S HOTEL,—DIRECTOR.
OPPOSITE THE MARKET, GUELPH.
First-class accommodation for travellers. Commodious stabling and an attentive hostler.
The best liquors and cigars at the bar. Gents will be served up at all hours, in the favorite style.
Pickled Salmon Lobsters and Sardines.
HOTEL CARD.
The Right Man in the Right Place.
Thomas Ward, late of the Crown Hotel, begs to inform the travelling public that he has acquired possession of the Victoria Hotel, next door to the post office, where he hopes by courtesy, attention and good accommodation to merit a fair share of public patronage, both from old and new friends. The best of liquors, wines, cigars, &c., constantly on hand, a good hostler at ways in attendance. Remember the spot—next door to the post office.
Guelph, Dec. 11, 1872. **THOMAS WARD, Proprietor.**
PRIZE DENTISTRY.
DR. ROBERT CAMPBELL,
Licentiate of Dental Surgery, Established 1861. Office next door to the Y. M. C. A. Rooms, Wyndham Street, Guelph.
Residence—Opposite Mr. Boulton's Factory, Quebec Street. Teeth extracted without pain. References—Drs. Clarke, Tuck, McGuire, Herod, McGregor, and Cowan, Guelph; Drs. Buchanan and Phillips, Toronto; Drs. Elliot & Mayers, Dentists, Toronto.
W. M. FOSTER, D.D.S., Surgeon Dentist, Guelph.
Office—Corner of Harvey & Co's. Drug Store, Corner of Wyndham & Macdonnell St., Guelph.
152w Nitrous Oxide (laughing gas) administered for the extraction of teeth without pain, which is perfectly safe and reliable.
References kindly permitted to Drs. Herod, McGuire, Keatinge, Cowan, and McGregor, Guelph.
NEW COAL YARD.
The undersigned having opened a Coal Yard in Guelph is prepared to furnish all kinds of
Hard and Soft Coal
at moderate prices. Orders left at the store of John A. Wood, Upper Wyndham Street, will be promptly attended to.
GEORGE MURTON,
Guelph, March 1st 1874 dw Proprietor
SEED BARLEY.—Seed Barley for sale at the Guelph Picking House, opposite the Grand Trunk Passenger Station, Guelph, Feb. 23, 1874. **dwtf**

New Advertisements.

WANTED—A Cook. Apply to Mrs. Lemon. 17-dwt
WANTED IMMEDIATELY.—By a young lady in town, a private Boarding House. Address M.P.F., Guelph P.O. 11

MONEY TO LEND,
In sum to suit borrowers. No solicitors fees or commission charged.
Apply direct to the undersigned.
GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN,
April 16, 1874 **dwtf**

MONEY TO LOAN
ON FARM SECURITY.
The undersigned have \$25,000 for investment in Mortgages on Farms, in sums to suit borrowers, with interest at 5 per cent. for periods from 3 to 36 years.
Early applications requested.
LEMON, PETERSON & MCLEAN,
Guelph, March 18, 1874 **dwtf**

PLASTER AND SALT.
The subscriber has on hand 500 tons of the best Galedoni and Paris Plaster and Land Salt. Also on hand, seed grain of all kinds. The highest price paid for potatoes and turnips.
R. CRAWFORD, GORDON STREET, near the G.T.R. crossing, Guelph, Feb. 23, 1874. 3md&w

JOHN MACDONALD & CO.
Are showing a splendid assortment of
FANCY DRESS GOODS
JOHN MACDONALD & CO. TORONTO.

FARM FOR SALE.
The undersigned offer for sale upon reasonable terms and conditions the Northwest half of Lot Number 11, in the second concession of the township of Erin, 100 acres, about 70 acres of which are cleared, 12 acres of hardwood, and the balance virgin cedar. There is a good frame barn, and two dwelling houses on frame and the other log on the lot. For further particulars apply to
OLIVER & MACDONALD, Solicitors, Guelph, O. March 23, 1874. wim&w

REMOVAL.
J. Kay, Brass Founder,
Has removed for a few months in rear of Mr. Smith's Feed Store, Upper Wyndham Street, Guelph, April 8, 1874. **dsm**

WOODLAND NURSERIES.
New and Beautiful PLANTS
Green House, Foliage, Window and Bedding Plants.
The undersigned are prepared to supply healthy flowering plants at low prices. Having facilities to grow a large quantity of plants, we are in a position to fill a want that was felt in Guelph. All our stock has been selected with care, embracing many
New and Beautiful Plants.
Novelties of merit will be added to our stock as they appear.
Vegetable Plants
Cabbage, Cauliflower, Celery, Tomatoes, Asparagus, &c., &c.
Strawberry Plants at low rates by the 100 or 1000.
A FEW THOUSAND WELL GROWN
Apple, Pear and Plum Trees at lowest market rates. All orders entrusted to them will be executed with fidelity and dispatch.
Nurseries west of St. Joseph's Hospital. **GILCHRIST & BROS., Guelph, April 16, 74 dw Guelph, Ont.**

TOWN HALL.
Monday and Tuesday, April 20th and 21st.
Matinee on TUESDAY, at 2 p.m.
Bordwell's Unrivalled Ireland and Franco-German War PANORAMAS, Comedy Company
—AND—
"Fritz" German Bell Ringers

Fun and Fine Arts!
Amusement and Instruction!
Comedy and Burlesque!
Songs and Dances!
Wit and Humor!
Admission 25c; Reserved seats 50c. To be secured at Day's Bookstore. Matinee prices, Adults 25c. Children 15c. Every child receives a handsome present.
Guelph, April 13, 1874. **dw**

TOWN HALL.
VOCAL & INSTRUMENTAL CONCERT
OF—
Classic and Miscellaneous Music
AT THE TOWN HALL,
On Saturday Evg. April 13th
BY THE
Mendelssohn Quintette Club,
Of Boston, organized in 1840, composed of the following artists:
WILLIAM SCHULZE, Violin.
WILLIAM HARRIS, Violin.
THOMAS IVAN, Viola and Clarinetto.
EDWARD HERND, Viola and Flute.
RUDOLPH HENNING, Violoncello.
Assisted by the distinguished Vocalist,
Mrs. J. W. WESTON.
Tickets, with Reserved Seats, 75 cents. Seats may be secured at Mr. J. Anderson's on and after Wednesday, April 13th. Tickets, without reserved seats, 50 cents. For sale at the door.
Doors open at 7.15. Concert at 8 o'clock.
April 11, 1874 **dw**

Guelph Evening Mercury

THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 16, 1874

Town and County News

MONTHLY SOCIAL.—We remind our readers of the social this evening at the Baptist Church, where a most enjoyable and profitable time is anticipated.

FREE.—At about ten o'clock this morning chimney took fire in a house on West Market Square, owned by Mrs. Myers. No damage was done.

Y. M. C. A.—The regular weekly meeting of this Association will be held at the rooms this evening. A full attendance is requested.

A BEAUTIFUL PEARL, shot, we understand, by Mr. Cross, Pauline, was on exhibition in the streets to-day. It weighs five pounds, and its length from tip to tip is about thirty inches.

THE MENDELSSOHN QUINETTE CLUB make their appearance in the Town Hall on Saturday evening, 18th inst. The mere mention of the name of this galaxy of artists is a sufficient hint to the lovers of genuine music. The press speaks in the highest terms of this club wherever they appear.

HONOUR TO A GUELPH BOY.—We notice that at the annual meeting of the Toronto University College Literary and Scientific Society last week, among the prizemen is Mr. E. Stephenson, who was chosen first Prize Reader. The young gentleman so honored is well known as the son of Mr. Wm. Stephenson, Nurseryman, of this town.

LIVINGSTONE'S BODY.—On Wednesday morning the remains of Dr. Livingstone were landed at Southampton, and, after being formally received by the Mayor were escorted to the railway station, whence they were conveyed to London. Minute guns were fired and bells tolled during the passage of the procession. On his arrival at London, the body was conveyed to the Geographical Society's room, where it will remain until interment.

A DUCKING.—On Wednesday morning two boys were playing on the bridge across the river close to Goldie's mill, one of them, aged about five years, son of Mr. J. Paterson, sewing machine agent, fell off into the water. His companion immediately ran for assistance to the mill, and one of the workmen came out and rescued the little fellow from his uncomfortable position. The water at the time was not very deep, but there was quite sufficient to drown the boy, who was very much agitated. When taken up it was some time before he could be brought to complete consciousness.

The Walled House.
We notice from the St. Catharines News that the new, under the charge of Messrs. Bookless & Butler, was opened on Monday. The new building has been re-painted and carpeted throughout. The entrances and other halls in the main building are all laid with new oil-cloth, and in the entrance hall is a beautiful bronze statue. The office has been re-fitted and has all the latest conveniences. Business men have the advantage of having the telegraph at hand, as wires from both the Dominion and Montreal Lanes are connected with, and operated in the office. The reading room and parlour to the left of the main entrance, has been furnished in first-class style. In the dining room, which was re-painted and decorated last year, all the wood work has been re-painted and the floor has also been painted and varnished. The splendid assortment of silver ware, costing over \$1,500, for use in the dining room, and for other services, was already noticed by us, although only one-tenth of it was on exhibition. The bar-room has not been changed, but has received an addition in one or two convenient articles of furniture from Meriden, Conn., and the billiard room in the frame addition at the side of the main building is a large airy place with four tables of improved style. All the partitions have been in the habit of leaving his money in a box without lock or key, and secured only by a strap; and this simple contrivance has disarmed suspicion so that large sums of money have often been kept here in safety. On Tuesday afternoon Mr. Tyson had occasion to take some money from the box, but on opening it was astonished to find that the wallet was missing. A search was made and a warrant issued on a man who, with his wife, was in the stall about noon, but without any satisfactory result. It is suspected that some seedy-looking individual who is in the habit of lounging about the market and knows the ropes, committed the deed while no one was in the stall. The wallet was found by the hostler of Parker's Hotel the next morning near a shed opposite the market. The thief had taken the wallet, amounting to about \$100, but left the due bills and notes for about the same amount. The owner has a clue to the perpetrator of this deed which will probably result in his arrest.

DARING HIGHWAY ROBBERY.—On Monday evening as Mr. Bartholomew Coughlin, a farmer, residing within a short distance of St. Thomas, was driving home in a buggy, he was accosted by two young men on the Air Line track. They asked him for a ride in his buggy, which he granted. They were scarcely seated when they robbed him of his pocket-book, containing about \$800 in a note, and a silver watch worth about \$25. Mr. Coughlin says they first slapped him in the face with a wet cloth, stupefying him so that he was unable to offer any resistance until it was too late.

DARING BURGLARY.—On Tuesday night a burglary of a most daring character was perpetrated on Don Street, Toronto. The house of Mr. Gallagher, butcher, was entered, and several articles of furniture displaced, evidently with the intention of being removed. Mr. Gallagher's pockets were rifled, and \$450 stolen. Chloroform was administered to Mrs. Gallagher, who while under its influence, was robbed of her wedding ring, which was removed from her finger, but found in the room in the morning.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE MERCURY

Murder Will Out.

Landing of Livingstone's Body

More about the Collision.

Dreadful Explosion in a Coal Mine.

Miners Killed and Wounded.

City of Mexico, April 14.—Three more of the assassins of Rev. Mr. Stephens are arrested and condemned to death. Minister Foster gave a dinner to-day in honor of General Carrera, Mexican Minister to Spain.

New York, April 16.—A London special says that fully fifty thousand people were present at the landing of Livingstone's body. Stanley was selected as one of the pall-bearers. Wainwright on meeting him recognized him, and gave him a circumstantial account of Livingstone's last hours.

A meeting of bankers' capitalists last evening, presided over by Peter Cooper, provided for a committee to wait on the President with a petition to veto the Senate Currency Bill.

George Mackenzie, son of the New York agent of the French Company, and one of the rescued Europa's passengers, publishes a statement correcting what he asserts are a few of the many untruths of the English officers, and furthermore says:—"I will add my opinion that the collision between the Greece and Europe, on Friday morning, was due to an overdose of liquor taken by Captain Thomas, and I am by no means the only passenger of that opinion."

The Tribune's Washington correspondent says that their race from the President's conversation yesterday was that he would sign the Bill, without a doubt. The schooner President, from Hart's Island, for River Head, Long Island, with a cargo of lime, is supposed to have taken fire in Plum Gut and sunk, with the captain and two men.

The Times Washington despatch thinks the President will veto the Currency Bill.

London, April 15.—By a shocking explosion to-day in a coal mine at Dukinfield, near Ashton-under-Lyne, Lancashire, a large number of miners were killed and injured, many of the latter being terribly burned. Thus far 80 bodies have been recovered, but it is feared that many more remain in the mine.

A later despatch from Ashton-under-Lyne states that 40 bodies have been recovered from the mine at Dukinfield in which the explosion occurred to-day. These are believed to be all that were killed. One hundred men who were left in the mine alive after the accident have been safely rescued. Intense excitement prevails at Dukinfield. The explosion was caused by the use of naked lights.

A still later telegram states that 50 bodies have been recovered.

Meeting of Manufacturers.

(Special to Mercury per Montreal Line.)
Toronto, April 16.

A deputation of manufacturers will be in Ottawa on Tuesday next, 21st inst., to give evidence before Mr. Wood's Committee on the manufacturing interests of the Dominion. They will probably remain there till the end of the week, and expect also to have an interview with the Finance Minister. Those going from the west will leave here by the Grand Trunk train on Monday evening.

TRETT IN BROAD DAYLIGHT.—Mr. Tyson, butcher, occupies a stall in the Market Arcade, which opens by one door into the passage way and by another on the east side on to the Market Square. He has been in the habit of leaving his money in a box without lock or key, and secured only by a strap; and this simple contrivance has disarmed suspicion so that large sums of money have often been kept here in safety. On Tuesday afternoon Mr. Tyson had occasion to take some money from the box, but on opening it was astonished to find that the wallet was missing. A search was made and a warrant issued on a man who, with his wife, was in the stall about noon, but without any satisfactory result. It is suspected that some seedy-looking individual who is in the habit of lounging about the market and knows the ropes, committed the deed while no one was in the stall. The wallet was found by the hostler of Parker's Hotel the next morning near a shed opposite the market. The thief had taken the wallet, amounting to about \$100, but left the due bills and notes for about the same amount. The owner has a clue to the perpetrator of this deed which will probably result in his arrest.

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Escape from Guelph Jail

McLEAN, THE LETTER STEALER GETS OFF.

OCCULTION SOMEWHERE

Enquiry by the Prison Inspector

NOTHING HEARD OF McLEAN AS YET

On Wednesday morning Samuel McLean, who was lying in Guelph Jail waiting his trial for robbing the mails in January last while acting as mail conductor on the G. W. Railway, made his escape. It seems that extra precautions had been taken by Mr. Mercer about a week before to prevent his escape by putting an extra watch on at night, as fears were entertained that such an attempt would be made. This night watch (Taylor) left on Wednesday morning at five o'clock, all being quiet. The turnkey shortly before eight says he opened McLean's cell door, and found him there. He then left and was absent about twenty minutes, and after seeing the other prisoners served with their breakfast, he took up McLean, he then went up to where the prisoners washed, found McLean was not there, came down into the corridor, found a dollar bill on the floor, and reported the escape to Mr. Mercer. He at once searched the goal, but not finding the prisoner or any trace of him, he telegraphed to various points in the hope that McLean might be re-arrested in his flight.

No trace of the prisoner has yet been found, and there is little doubt but he is in some time in the States. That there was collusion somewhere is quite evident; that some one in the goal aided and connived at McLean's escape is equally clear, and there is no room for doubt that he had friends outside who arranged the whole affair, were aware that the attempt would be made, and were either waiting to aid him, or to whom he applied after his escape, and helped him to elude the officers, and got away to the States.

Mr. Mercer very properly telegraphed Mr. Langmuir, Inspector of Prisons, immediately after the occurrence, and had lost \$24. Have not seen McLean's wife since about two weeks before escape of prisoner; but about a month ago saw McLean's brother. Went at ten minutes to seven o'clock on Wednesday morning to McLean's cell, south from the door of the south upper corridor, to let prisoner into corridor. He was sitting on a bed with pants and socks on, but don't know whether his boots were on or not. He did not come into the corridor while I was there. I only stayed to unlock the cell door and then came away. I could not have been over two minutes in the corridor, and went immediately down into the lower corridor to my kitchen and hung the keys on the kitchen door. I then went out into the privy, was there a quarter of an hour or twenty minutes. Came back and stayed in the kitchen till the prisoner's breakfast was ready, then went with prisoners' cook to distribute it, taking the keys from the mail. In doing so I unlocked the cell door, another iron gate, another the cells. Any person in the prison kitchen could get these keys and have access to every door in the prison, used to take the keys to my bed room at first but have not done so for last three years. Got up on Wednesday morning, past six, and after lighting the kitchen fire went to every cell in which there were prisoners. McLean was in his cell at that time. After distributing breakfast to the other prisoners went to my own kitchen and got McLean's breakfast to take to him. That was about ten minutes to eight o'clock. McLean's breakfast was myself alone from the kitchen. The wooden door into the south upper corridor was ajar. Passed through and found the iron gate going into the corridor spring-bolted. Put prisoner's breakfast on the table and called out "McLean, here's your breakfast." Received no answer. Then went to the upper cell which is left open for prisoners to wash in, and saw McLean. On coming back through the iron gate again I picked up a dollar bill. At once went down and told Mr. Mercer that McLean must have been let out by the prisoner-cook, whose name is Blakely. I thought this because there was no one around beside Blakely myself, and because I found the dollar bill. This was about ten minutes past eight. About three weeks ago I was walking on Wyndham Street about nine o'clock at night and passed a man who turned around and tapped me on the shoulder and said:—"Ain't you the turnkey in the goal?" I said "I was." He said "you have got McLean in there, ain't he getting on?" He then said "couldn't there be anything done for him?" I said there was nothing to be done till the trial came off. He said "Couldn't you do something for him if you got \$500 or so?" I said "No; I don't want to hear any such talk," and was going away when he said "wouldn't do anything?"—meaning, I thought, \$800. I replied "No; not two eights." Have not seen the man since to my knowledge. It was pretty dark at the time. Told Mr. Mercer this incident, and he put on a night guard. A great number of people visited McLean when he was first committed, but they discontinued. His wife was allowed to see him in his corridor alone, but not since the bribe was mentioned. McLean was searched when first put in jail, and a gold watch, a knife, and twelve cents taken from him. At his request some time after I gave the watch to his wife. My family came down stairs about half-past seven a.m. Before I unlocked the cell's my son went out of the house to work. From the time the extra guard was put on, I have hid the keys under a shelf in the kitchen and thrown a cloth over them. I saw the night guard the key of the front door, and never saw him when I got up except Wednesday morning. When I found that McLean was gone, I told my wife, and then went right into the goaler's rooms. There are six prisoners now in goal. About a quarter to eight o'clock one of the female prisoners named Leah, came down for water, but went up stairs at once. Blakely, who has been cook for about two months, is always let out of his cell about seven. After telling the goaler that McLean's

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Benjamin Hillen, turnkey, deposed that he had occupied his present position since December, 1868, having left service in the army in May of that year. Have a pension of thirteen pence a day and a salary as turnkey of \$350. Have boarded McLean at the request of his wife and relatives. The rate was to be \$12 a month, but have not been paid yet, and have lost \$24. Have not seen McLean's wife since about two weeks before escape of prisoner; but about a month ago saw McLean's brother. Went at ten minutes to seven o'clock on Wednesday morning to McLean's cell, south from the door of the south upper corridor, to let prisoner into corridor. He was sitting on a bed with pants and socks on, but don't know whether his boots were on or not. He did not come into the corridor while I was there. I only stayed to unlock the cell door and then came away. I could not have been over two minutes in the corridor, and went immediately down into the lower corridor to my kitchen and hung the keys on the kitchen door. I then went out into the privy, was there a quarter of an hour or twenty minutes. Came back and stayed in the kitchen till the prisoner's breakfast was ready, then went with prisoners' cook to distribute it, taking the keys from the mail. In doing so I unlocked the cell door, another iron gate, another the cells. Any person in the prison kitchen could get these keys and have access to every door in the prison, used to take the keys to my bed room at first but have not done so for last three years. Got up on Wednesday morning, past six, and after lighting the kitchen fire went to every cell in which there were prisoners. McLean was in his cell at that time. After distributing breakfast to the other prisoners went to my own kitchen and got McLean's breakfast to take to him. That was about ten minutes to eight o'clock. McLean's breakfast was myself alone from the kitchen. The wooden door into the south upper corridor was ajar. Passed through and found the iron gate going into the corridor spring-bolted. Put prisoner's breakfast on the table and called out "McLean, here's your breakfast." Received no answer. Then went to the upper cell which is left open for prisoners to wash in, and saw McLean. On coming back through the iron gate again I picked up a dollar bill. At once went down and told Mr. Mercer that McLean must have been let out by the prisoner-cook, whose name is Blakely. I thought this because there was no one around beside Blakely myself, and because I found the dollar bill. This was about ten minutes past eight. About three weeks ago I was walking on Wyndham Street about nine o'clock at night and passed a man who turned around and tapped me on the shoulder and said:—"Ain't you the turnkey in the goal?" I said "I was." He said "you have got McLean in there, ain't he getting on?" He then said "couldn't there be anything done for him?" I said there was nothing to be done till the trial came off. He said "Couldn't you do something for him if you got \$500 or so?" I said "No; I don't want to hear any such talk," and was going away when he said "wouldn't do anything?"—meaning, I thought, \$800. I replied "No; not two eights." Have not seen the man since to my knowledge. It was pretty dark at the time. Told Mr. Mercer this incident, and he put on a night guard. A great number of people visited McLean when he was first committed, but they discontinued. His wife was allowed to see him in his corridor alone, but not since the bribe was mentioned. McLean was searched when first put in jail, and a gold watch, a knife, and twelve cents taken from him. At his request some time after I gave the watch to his wife. My family came down stairs about half-past seven a.m. Before I unlocked the cell's my son went out of the house to work. From the time the extra guard was put on, I have hid the keys under a shelf in the kitchen and thrown a cloth over them. I saw the night guard the key of the front door, and never saw him when I got up except Wednesday morning. When I found that McLean was gone, I told my wife, and then went right into the goaler's rooms. There are six prisoners now in goal. About a quarter to eight o'clock one of the female prisoners named Leah, came down for water, but went up stairs at once. Blakely, who has been cook for about two months, is always let out of his cell about seven. After telling the goaler that McLean's

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The Red River Revolt.

Correspondence Relating to it.

The Government has caused to be laid before the House some important correspondence relating to the trouble in the North West in 1869-70, and the attempts made by Father Richot, Archbishop Tache, and others to obtain an amnesty for all offences committed in connection with these disturbances. The first is a letter from Sir John Young to Bishop Tache thanking his lordship for his readiness in leaving Rome for this country, in order to try if possible to allay the troubles in the Red River territory. Then follows a petition from Father Richot to the Queen, in which he prays for a general amnesty on the strength of Sir John Young's proclamation, issued in December 1869, that Her Majesty through Her representative in Canada would hear and consider any complaints with a view to redress all grievances. Then follows a letter from the Bishop of St. Boniface to Hon. Joseph Howe, dated 9th June 1871, stating that in the name of the Canadian Government he had promised the rebels a general amnesty. He says in his letter:—"Owing to the good disposition of the Provisional Government, and in order to remove the dangers to which we are exposed, I solemnly gave my word of honour, and promised even in the name of the Canadian Government, that a complete and entire amnesty, if not already bestowed, will surely be granted before the arrival of the troops, so that every one may remain quiet and induce others to do the same. Personally, I felt no hesitation in giving such an assurance, because what I heard myself from the different members of the Cabinet at Ottawa, and what has been said by them in Parliament, has entirely convinced me that the promise of mine had been already issued, and that the delegates now on their way back will convey the most satisfactory information on that subject."

In reply Mr. Howe sends the Bishop a letter, dated 4th July, in which he says that the Canadian Government "had no power to grant an amnesty, and that the exercise of the prerogative of mercy rested solely with Her Majesty the Queen."

This Government is not in a position to interfere with the free action of Her Majesty in the exercise of Her Royal clemency. Her Majesty's Imperial Ministers can alone advise the Queen in such an important matter when called upon to do so. The foregoing explanations are given to your Lordship in order that it may be well understood that the responsibility of the assurance given by your Lordship of a complete amnesty cannot in any way attach itself to the Canadian Government."

In April, 1872, Lord Lisgar sent a despatch to Earl Kimberly, along with a petition from Father Richot and Mr. Scott for an amnesty, and in reference to it he says:—"I cannot do otherwise than express my extreme surprise at the version which they think fit to give of what I said. I am clear that I never made any such promise of an amnesty as that which they allege. I had the benefit of more than one consultation with my responsible advisers in reference to this question of amnesty, and was quite on my guard in respect to it."

In the petition of Father Richot and Mr. Scott, above alluded to, they state that the Governor General had assured them an amnesty would be granted, and also that "Sir John A. Macdonald and Sir G. E. Cartier declared to the delegates that they were in opposition to assuring them that such was the intention of Her Majesty, that they could consequently proceed with the negotiations, being satisfied that the Royal prerogative of mercy would be exercised by the grant of a general amnesty."

DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

Motion for Riel's Expulsion.

Ottawa, April 15th. Mr. Bowell then, as a matter of privilege, claimed precedence for his motion for the expulsion of Riel. He repudiated the idea of making the question one of nationality or religion; repelled all imputations of motives on his own part; urged that it had been the duty of the Government to take action after the evidence laid before the House; and reviewed the speeches and actions of the Premier and Mr. Blake, as members of the Ontario Government, in regard to the murder of Scott and the offer of a reward for the arrest of Riel. He went on to cite English precedents in favour of the expulsion of an unworthy member, and by reference to Riel's conduct he argued that he was infinitely more deserving of expulsion than many of the persons he had referred to. He showed, from Attorney-General Clarke's evidence, most conclusively that Riel was a fugitive from justice, and argued that according to Parliamentary practice, Riel's refusal to obey the order of the House to attend in his place was proof that he was a fugitive. He concluded with a formal motion for Mr. Riel's expulsion.

Mr. Holtton rose to move an amendment. He expressed a desire to say nothing to add to the excitement with regard to the case before the House, and moved—"That inasmuch as the crime charged against Mr. Riel was committed during the civil commotions in the North-West, and a Committee of the House had been appointed to enquire into the cause of these commotions, it is

expedient to postpone further consideration till that Committee has reported." Mr. Mousseau (Bagot) moved in amendment to the amendment a resolution declaring the importance of promoting peace and tranquillity in the several Provinces of the Dominion, and of addressing the Crown in favor of an amnesty for offences committed in the North-West Territory. He addressed the House in French in support of his motion. Mr. Cauchon would vote for the amendment to the amendment if it were pressed. Dr. Orton supported the original motion in a very long and somewhat eccentric speech. Mr. Mackenzie taunted Mr. Bowell with having, while quoting his (the Premier's) speeches, omitted all reference to those of his own leaders. He rebuked the attempt, under colour of a motion to expel an unworthy member, to make an attack on political opponents. He would vote for Mr. Bowell's motion, and against Mr. Holtton's amendment, for it was better to come to a settlement of the question at once, and it would not be denied Riel was a fugitive from justice. He pointed out the causes of a difference of opinion as to the nature of Riel's crime, one party regarding it as simple murder, the other as a political execution. He admitted that the people had much to complain of, and for all those offences which were political in their character he saw no reason why an amnesty might not be granted. Although it was true a Committee was sitting, the decision of that Committee could not affect the conduct of the Government, and whenever the right time came the Government would do its duty.

Mr. Hillyard Cameron defended Mr. Bowell's action, and also the conduct of Sir John A. Macdonald in relation to this business. In a tone of great moderation he showed that Riel was clearly proved to be a fugitive from justice and must consequently be expelled from the House of Commons. Mr. Bowell replied to some allusions made to him by the Premier. Mr. Cameron (Huron) who had defended Mr. Holtton's amendment, seconded his position, and adopted fully the views of the previous speaker. Dr. Schultz supported the motion. Mr. Donald A. Smith would support the amendment of Mr. Holtton. Mr. Cunningham, at considerable length, opposed the motion, and would vote for the amendment. Mr. Blake, in reply to the remarks of previous speakers, adverted to his public conduct with reference to the events out of which the motion had risen. Mr. Dorion supported Mr. Holtton's amendment. At two o'clock the debate was adjourned, and the House rose.

BIRTHS.

PICKARD—In Guelph, on the 13th inst., the wife of Wm. Pickard, Jr., of a daughter.

Floor Oil Cloth,

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Very Rich and Chaste Designs, Splendid assortment, Patterns Quite New.

FRESH LOT OF

Door Mats,

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NOW OPENING OUT AT JOHN HORSMAN'S, HARDWARE MERCHANT, GUELPH.

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Per Steamships Hibernian and Phœnician

20,000 ROLLS OF WALL PAPER

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The Largest and Finest Stock of New Wall Papers can be seen at

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Cheap Bookstore, East Side Wyndham-st Guelph, Ont.

TENDERS WANTED.

Sealed Tenders will be received for Carpenters' and Timbers' work, for finishing the Spire, &c., of the Congregational Church. Plans and specifications can be seen at Mr. John Crowe's Office, up to Saturday, 15th inst., at 6 o'clock.

JAMES GOLDIE, Chairman of Committee. The Committee do not bind themselves to accept the lowest tender.

JUST RECEIVED,

A CHOICE ASSORTMENT OF—

BIRD CAGES

John M. Bond & Co. Hardware Importers, Guelph.

Tomatoes,

Green Peas,

Sugar Corn,

—AT— JOHN A. WOOD'S

NEW ENGLISH WALNUTS

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—AT— JOHN A. WOOD'S

Guelph, March 28, 1874 dw

EXTENSIVE SALE OF Household Effects.

The undersigned has been instructed by Mrs. Robert Rae, to sell by public auction, at her residence, opposite the Court House, Guelph, On Wednesday, April 22nd, the following valuable household effects: Drawing Room—Very handsome drawing room suite in crimson rep with covers, Tapestry carpet, handsome lace curtains and cornice, polished walnut centre table, whatnot, cane table, six handsome steel engraving, in rosewood and gilt frames, parian and other ornaments. Parlor—Kidderminster carpet, hearthrug, muslin curtains, lounge in green damask, sewing table, sewing and other chairs, four coloured engravings in gilt frames, sewing machine and lady's work frame. Dining Room—Handsome walnut sideboard, Kidderminster carpet, walnut extension dining table, side tables, cane seated dining chairs, pictures, coal stove, refrigerator, crockery, glass and plated ware. Hall—Stair carpet, linen rods and bands, oil cloth, table, hatrack, lamp and harp. Bedchamber—Kidderminster carpet, parian chairs, handsome walnut dressing bureau enclosed, and other washstands and ware, handsome walnut and iron bedstead, spring and other mattresses, cane seated chairs, wardrobe, looking glasses. Kitchen—Cooking stove and furnishings, cupboard, table, chairs, meat safe, and kitchen utensils, together with a number of useful articles. Terms cash—bankable funds. Sale to commence at ten o'clock, a.m. J. H. TAYLOR, Auctioneer, Guelph, April 15, 1874

IMPORTANT SALE OF PIANOS

The Committee appointed to dispose of the Pianos at the Manufactory of

JOSEPH F. RAINER,

WEST MARKET SQUARE, GUELPH, Will offer them at a considerable reduction on cost on reasonable.

TERMS OF CREDIT.

The stock consists of about 40

First-class Instruments!

Similar to those shown at the last Central Exhibition, and for which he was awarded the first prize.

They are equal in compass of tone, finish, and durability to the best instruments of any of the celebrated manufacturers, and as such an opportunity seldom occurs, parties in want of pianos would do well to avail themselves of it.

An inspection invited. A competent person will be on the premises, near Mr. John Harris's, who will show the instruments. Guelph, March 18, 1874. dwt

REMOVAL.—

D. NAISMITH,

HAM CURER, Has Removed to Brownlow's Buildings, three doors north of the Post Office, late Arcade of Music. He takes the present opportunity of thanking the inhabitants of Guelph for their liberal patronage for the past twelve years, and hopes by strict attention to business to merit their support in the future.

ON Hand a fine assortment of Breakfast Bacon, Hams, Sausages,

Lard, Mince Collops, etc. etc. Also, a fine lot of small Pork for Roasts. Guelph, March 20, 1874. dwt

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—AT— DAY'S BOOKSTORE.

Choice New Wall Paper

A LARGE FINE STOCK AT DAY'S BOOKSTORE.

Those desiring the best value for their money should see Day's stock and prices. They will save money by buying their Wall Paper at

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Residence for Sale.

That very desirable property situated on Pacey street, near the Western Station, consisting of White Brick two story dwelling house, with four bedrooms, front and back parlors, dining room and kitchen, with large soft water cistern, also two large dry cellars. The land comprises two-fifths of an acre, well stocked with fruit trees in full bearing. For terms, etc., apply to D. SAVAGE, Guelph, March 27th, 1874. dw

MILL PRIVILEGE FOR SALE

CHEAP.—The undersigned offers for sale a first-class mill privilege, capable of driving any ordinary machinery. Situated within one mile of the thriving village of McKellar Falls. The above is a splendid opening for a grist mill, as there is none within seventeen miles in any direction. For particulars apply to David Patterson McKellar P.O., Ferry Sound District, Ont. Feb. 4, 1874. wsm

New Advertisements.

Co-Operative Store.

DIVISION OF PROFITS

We are now paying our Customers 5 cents on the dollar in cash, on their purchases for the past quarter.

SPECIAL CHEAP LINES!

A PRETTY DRESS OF 15 YARDS FOR \$1.50 UNION TWEEDS (purchased at auction) ONLY 35 CTS PER YARD. A SPLENDID LINE OF FELT HATS, ONLY 75 CENTS EACH BOYS LINEN FACE COLLARS FIVE CENTS PER BOX DUNDAS COTTONS 10c. BLEACHED COTTONS 9c. DARK FANCY PRINTS 10c. LIGHT FANCY PRINTS 10c. CALF SLIPPERS 50c PER PAIR. PRUNELLA BOOTS 75c PER PAIR. A BOX OF 75 CENT TEA, TEN LBS., FOR SIX DOLLARS.

CLOTHING MADE TO ORDER.

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NOW OPEN

BURR & SKINNERS'

NEW FURNITURE WAREROOMS

To meet the rapid increase in our retail trade, we have leased

The Large New Store lately occupied by Mr. R. Clayton,

Next to Mr. A. O. Bucham's Fashionable West End Dry Goods Establishment, Upper Wyndham street, Guelph, which is now being fitted with fine new furniture, cheap, consisting of

Parlor Suites, Chamber Sets, Dining Room, Hall, and all kinds of Furniture

Fresh from our Factory, where we have every facility to produce all that is new and stylish, and we invite all to visit our Warerooms, as we will make it their interest to do so, for there are bargains to be had every day.

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In Prime Condition,

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In Bottle and in Wood.

HUGH WALKER,

Wyndham-st., Guelph. Guelph Apr. 13, 1874.

AUCTION SALE

MR. G. B. FRASER

Being desirous that all classes should partake of the great bargains given at his Auction Sales, and in order to give the ladies an opportunity of buying Goods at their own prices, he will sell by auction,

ON SATURDAY, AT 2 and 7, P.M.

THE FOLLOWING GOODS, VIZ:

Tapestry Carpets, Wool Carpets

Stair Carpets, Mattings, Floor Oil Cloths, Window Damasks, Window Curtains, Window Blinds, Table Damasks, Towels, Sheetings, Piano Covers, Table Covers, Black and Colored Silks, Black Lustres and Merinos, Prints, White Cottons, Tickings, Kid Gloves, Hosiery, etc. etc.

Remember 2 o'clock, on Saturday, 18th inst.

Intending purchasers are requested to inspect the Goods on the morning of the sale. Carpets and Oil Cloths to be cut to suit purchasers.

G. B. FRASER, WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH.

The Fashionable West End

MILLINERY and MANTLE SHOW ROOM

A. O. BUCHAM

Begs to announce the opening of his Millinery and Mantle Show Rooms to-morrow,

Thursday, the 16th inst.,

AND INVITES INSPECTION.

WILL SHOW

1 case New Pattern Bonnets,

" " Hats,

" " Mantles.

A. O. BUCHAM,

Fashionable West End Dress Mantle, and Millinery Establishment.

William Stewart

HAS NOW OPENED THE

First Lot of New Goods

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Piles of Plain Lustres,

Lots of Striped Dress Goods,

Fancy Goods

The Newest Colors and Patterns.

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IS CROWDED

With the Latest Productions in Colours and Styles, and at

LOWER PRICES THAN LAST YEAR

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Now waiting investment on terms more favourable to borrowers, than hitherto offered.

FARMS FOR SALE.

The undersigned offer for sale the following valuable farms:—

1st.—50 acres, two miles from the town of Guelph. Excellent land in a high state of cultivation. Good stone house with 7 rooms, large frame barn and out buildings complete, good orchard and three acres of timber for fire wood.

2nd.—67 acres, 4 miles from Guelph, 60 cleared, buildings partly frame and partly log. There is a large orchard of fruit bearing trees. The land is in good condition, well fenced and watered.

3rd.—175 acres, 3 1/2 miles from Guelph, 140 cleared, well fenced and in a high state of cultivation. A large stone house and frame barn and outbuildings complete. There are ten acres of uncultivated bush land, an excellent orchard, and a never failing spring near the house. This is in every respect a desirable property.

4th.—100 acres just outside of the Corporation of Guelph, excellent land, well fenced and in good condition. A large stone house, well finished, frame barn, good orchard. A good supply of water, and 10 acres of standing bush.

5th.—50 acres, five miles from Guelph, well fenced and in a good state of cultivation. 7 acres of timber, and a good supply of water. The buildings are log.

6th.—25 acres, adjoining the College Farm, 1 1/2 miles from the Market. The land is of an excellent quality, situated on two roads. No buildings. It can be divided into small park lots to suit purchasers if required.

7th.—The east half of Lot 8, 12th Concession, Maryborough, 100 acres. The land is of the best quality, one mile from the village of Bothasay, three from a railway, and one from the gravel road to Guelph. There are 60 acres cleared, and in a good state of cultivation. House and barn, frame, a small orchard, pump, well, &c.

8th.—200 acres of excellent land in the Township of Luther, 6 1/2 miles from Arthur Station, and one mile from a saw mill. A few acres cleared, with a log house. The balance is covered with valuable timber of various kinds.

THOMPSON & JACKSON, Guelph, April 8, 1874. vmdcaw

VALUABLE

Property for Sale

IN THE TOWN OF GUELPH

In accordance with the last Will and Testament of the late John Mitchell, the residue of the estate is now offered for sale, viz:

Farm Property.

About 800 acres of good land (west of the Eramosa Road in the North Ward) in quantities of one acre and upwards to suit purchasers; part of said land is well timbered, and the remainder under cultivation. There are 2 good two-story stone dwelling houses, 2 frame barns, &c. on the same. The above property is very suitable for building sites, market gardens, &c.

Also, Lot 15, in the 10th concession, Eramosa, about six miles from Mount Forest, containing one hundred acres of good land, improved and well watered.

Town Lots.

Lots 23, 24, 25 on the Eramosa Road. 26, 27, 28, 29 on Queen Street. 32, 33, 34, 35 on Delhi Street.

Lot 8 on Pearl St., Lot 11, on King St. and Lot 12 on Derry St.

East 1/2 Lot 9, on Macdonnell St., with 2 story frame dwelling.

West 1/2 do do with Livery Stable.

Lot 6, corner Eramosa Road and Mitchell St., with good 2 story stone dwelling house, 11 rooms, cellar, well, cistern, &c.

Lot 7, on Mitchell St., with frame building, 20 x 30, suitable for a work-shop.

TERMS—One fourth in cash; balance in from 2 to 4 years as may be agreed upon, with interest at 5 per cent. A large cash payment will be required on the timbered land. For further particulars apply to

ANN MITCHELL, RICHARD MITCHELL, Executors. Guelph, March 27th 1874. dwt

The Rival Clansmen

A Scottish Yonketa.

CHAPTER XXVII.

Accompanied, then, by Mr. Fender, he, together with Mr. Blaikie and his sister Jeannie, made for Dingwall, whence they contemplated proceeding westward to Kinloch-Ewe, and then on to Castle M'Leod. But, as we have seen, their projects met with a reverse, which, though unexpected, was fortunate indeed. When they arrived at Dingwall they overheard from his servant that Cameron, of Droghdaire, along with others, accompanied by women prisoners, had been seeking Fender, and were at that moment awaiting him at the Castle. This was information which, as might be expected, filled Gordon with no ordinary interest, and he at once insisted on Mr. Blaikie and himself accompanying Fender to the Castle, to which proposal the pastor of Dingwall reluctantly agreed. Jeannie was left at Dingwall until they should return. She, poor girl, was all anxiety, and when an hour later Captain Winterton and Hector, together with the Witch of Ben-Lair and the others, arrived at Fender's in pursuit of Cameron and Ian, Jeannie met and told them that Cameron and the women were at Droghdaire, and that her brother had gone thither. Without a moment's delay Winterton and M'Leod determined to follow, and at Jeannie's request took her with them. The reader knows the rest.

A few weeks afterwards Inverness was in a state of great commotion. Crowds thronged some of the streets, and at every corner little knots of men and women, with eager looks and pale faces were talking in suppressed tones, which rose little higher than a whisper, of something which it was apparent filled all with strange and awe-inspiring emotions. That day the High Court of Justiciary had met and before it Donald Cameron had been tried for his life. The breaking up of the notorious band with which he had been connected had given universal satisfaction, and was, indeed, great cause for rejoicing; but, then, as dead after deed of villainy which they had committed was brought up and laid to the charge of the band, a feeling of revulsion and horror succeeded; followed by one of intense and deep-rooted indignation. Murder was to them a common crime; but it was against "the Caterans" in general and no member of the band in particular that the charges were laid; but against Donald Cameron himself, the deepest dyed villain of them all, the charge of murder had been brought, and connected with it was exposed a plan which, for wickedness and malevolence, would have done credit to the scheming brain of one more devil than man. The Court was crowded by the curious, and when the villain was brought forward and the charge was read a growl of rage, which struck terror into the villain's gut-blackened heart, burst from the thousand throats. He had come into the Court defiant, resolute, and scowling as usual; but when that angry growl rose on all sides like the voice of God thundering from the lips of men, then did he tremble and quake, while his sallow face paled to the whiteness of chalk. It was with the murder of Henry Douglass he was charged, but behind it was a list of crimes sickening to repeat.

"Donald Cameron, what say you to the charges? Guilty or not guilty?" asked the judge, in stern accents. The counsel for the prisoner rose and would have spoken, but Cameron, starting forward with outstretched hands, cried out— "No, no; it is useless; I am guilty— guilty of all you have laid against me, and more—more, ha, ha! You can hang me, quarter me, but for God's sake keep me from again facing this mob. I—oh, God, what is this?"

Eramosa Council.

This Council met at the Centre Inn on the 13th inst., all members present the Reeve in the chair. The minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed. The Report of the Tavern Inspector was received. Several petitions and applications for the improvement of roads were received and laid over until the usual time for consideration. On motion the Council was constituted a Court of Revision. Appeals from Alex. Burns senr, and John Moore, Esq., complaining of an overcharge on land were not granted. An appeal from Charles Breeze, complaining of an over charge on personal property was reduced from \$190 to \$120. An appeal from the Grand Trunk Railway Co., was not taken up, no person appearing to support it, and on motion the Court adjourned to meet again at the Centre Inn on Monday the 11th day of May next.

The Council resumed business, Messrs. Harris and Duffell were appointed a Committee to arrange about sidewalks in Rockwood, removed in improving a road therein. \$12 was ordered to be paid to George Peavoy for the support of Margaret Thompson. Rosa Ellis, Mrs. Walker and Thomas Bolton were granted \$5 each and \$6 was granted to I. Worden for keeping up the Cross child. T. W. Cooper's account of \$18 for surveying and Robertson & Son's account of \$18 for Road Scrapers were ordered to be paid. \$5 were ordered to be paid to James Blanchfield and Enoch Armstrong, for assisting T. W. Cooper in surveying. A road scraper was ordered to be provided for the road division under James Smith, Robert Morton and Alex. McQueen were appointed road overseers in room of William Croft and Christopher Irvin. The Clerk was directed to notify James Griffith to remove his fences off the side road between lots 30 and 31 Con. 1. Messrs. Rea, and Dunbar, were appointed a committee to confer with James Griffith and Asher Farrow for the purchase of the jog in the centre of the first concession lots 30 and 31 and to sell the timber on the road allowance there. J. A. Davidson, Clerk.

ABERFOYLE STALLION SHOW.—This show was held at Aberfoyle on Tuesday, 14th inst., and though the weather in the fore part of the day was unpromising, and no doubt kept many exhibitors away, the affair was very successful. The following is a list of prizes awarded in the different classes:—Heavy draught, 1st Donald McCaig, \$7; 2nd F. W. Stone, \$4; 3rd William Graham, \$2. General purpose, 1st Malcolm McCaig, \$7; 2nd Peter Beaver, \$4; 3rd Wm. McKenzie, \$2. Roadster or carriage, 1st Charles G. Cockburn, \$7; 2nd S. Cook, Messrs. James Aikens, John O'Connell and J. B. Moffat acted as judges.

ERAMOSIA HORSE AND BULL.—SHOW.—The Eramosa Agricultural Society will hold their spring show on the Agricultural Hall Grounds, Rockwood, on Thursday, the 21st inst., when over \$70 will be offered in prizes for stallions and thoroughbred bulls. It is expected that there will be a large attendance, as the show is open to all wishing to exhibit.



NEW SPRING DRESS GOODS

GEORGE JEFFREY, WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH,

Has just received the first of his Spring Importations per steamship Corinthian, consisting of

- 3 Cases plain Dress Goods ; 1 case Plain Silks, all new colors ;
2 " Striped Dress Goods, something new ; 1 case Striped Silks, cheapest goods in town.

ALSO, A BEAUTIFUL ASSORTMENT OF

Real Thread Laces and French Kid Gloves from the best makers in the World

To be sold at reasonable prices.

GEORGE JEFFREY, GUELPH

Direct Importer, Guelph.

Wanted, in addition to our lately increased staff, 6 first-class Salesmen. None need apply but pushing, thorough-going men, who can get through an immense amount of work.

TREMENDOUS SALE

-OF-

CLAYTON'S (CASH STORE) BANKRUPT STOCK

AT THE LION



AT THE LION

Having bought from the Creditors the whole stock at little over half price, it will be rushed off at the same as room must be had for our heavy weekly arrivals from Britain.

Over \$2000 worth of the Wet Goods from the Thorold Mills sold in ten days. Those who have not yet secured any of them had better do so at once, as three or four days will clear the lot out.

Golden Lion, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

J. D. WILLIAMSON.

JACKSON & HALLETT

IMPORTERS,

Wholesale and Retail Grocers, etc.

New Fruits, Teas, Coffees

Et c., Crop 1873, comprising

- New Table Raisins, New Valencia Raisins, New Currants, New Figs, Almonds, Nuts, etc.

TEAS! TEAS.

- Choice Gunpowder Tea at 50 cents per lb. Choice Young Hyson Tea at 50 cents per lb. Superior Young Hyson Tea at 75 cents per lb. Finest Young Hyson Tea at \$1 per lb. Choice Fresh Black Teas at 50 cents per lb. Finest Fresh Black Teas at 75 cents per lb. Selected Japan Teas at 75 cents per lb.

Also, our own importations of genuine Brandy, Wines, Scotch and Irish Whiskies wholesale and retail.

JACKSON & HALLETT,

Lower Wyndham-street, Guelph.

Guelph,

dw6m

JUST COME IN!

GUELPH TEA DEPOT

E. O'DONNELL & Co.

Are putting up to-day

- 320 caddies best dollar Young Hyson Tea for 80c. per lb. 600 caddies of the best 75 cent Tea for 50c per lb. 95 caddies of nice Sweet Tea at 40c per lb. 120 caddies of Japan Tea worth 75c, for 50c. A few packages of Black Tea for 35c per lb. 10 hogsheads of Good Bright Sugar, 12lb. for \$1. 50 Ingersoll Cheese, very choice.

A very large stock of Groceries of all kinds always on hand Cheap.

Terms—Strictly Cash.

E. O'DONNELL & CO

BOOTS AND SHOES.

R. MacGREGOR & Co.

(Successors to W. D. Hepburn & Co.)

We are now showing a large variety of New Spring Goods, which includes some of

THE FINEST GOODS

MANUFACTURED IN CANADA

MADE FROM AMERICAN PATTERNS.

CALL AND SEE THEM.

R. MacGregor & Co.

GUELPH, Mar. 31, 1874.

FURNITURE AT RETAIL.

BURR & SKINNER

Take pleasure in announcing that in addition to their wholesale trade they are now selling at retail at their new warehouses

At the Factory, Oxford st.,

ALL KINDS OF

FURNITURE

Spring Beds, Mattresses, &c.

Having large facilities for making Furniture, they are in a position to offer every inducement in the way of fresh new goods, new designs, and best of finish, all at low prices. Also, all kinds of ordered Work, Upholstering, &c., done at the shortest notice.

POWELL'S

Boot and Shoe Store

NEW SPRING GOODS

Men's English and American style of

Gaiters and Shoes;

Ladies and Children's

GOAT, KID AND PRUNELLA

Which for style, finish and durability, will be found superior to any in Guelph.

Particular attention paid to

Custom Work and Repairing.

Remember the Noted Shoe Store,

G. S. POWELL,

West side Wyndham Street, Guelph.

Guelph, Mar. 20th, 1874. dw.

NEW DEPOT

-OF-

WALL PAPER

School Books,

STATIONERY.

IMMENSE STOCK

AT J. HUNTER'S

Wholesale and Retail.

CALL AND SEE

The Largest Stock,

The Greatest Variety,

The Best and the Cheapest

Ever exhibited in Guelph

AT J. HUNTER'S

Berlin Wool, Fancy Goods and Toy Store

Wyndham Street Guelph. dw

NEW

Paint Shop.

The undersigned begs to inform the people of Guelph and surrounding country that he has opened a new paint shop in Quebec street, next Fenwick's Furniture Shop, and opposite C. Almer's Church. He is now prepared to do all kinds of Painting, Glazing, Graining and Paper Hanging on short notice. He hopes by strict attention to business, and using none but the best materials to secure a share of public patronage. All orders whether from town or country promptly attended to.

W. HUMPHRIES, Guelph, March 1, 1874. dw3m

Dominion Boot and Shoe Store

NEW SPRING GOODS

Men's American Sporting Boots, Men's Rubber Boots, Men's Shoes and Gaiters for Spring Wear

Ladies American Fancy Shoes, Ladies Goat and Kid Button Boots, Ladies Prunella Button and Lace Boots

A VERY LARGE ASSORTMENT.

Misses Wear—All styles in Goat, Kid and Prunella.

Child's American Fancy Slippers and Shoes.

We have also a large assortment of Boys' and Youths' Spring Wear.

In the Custom Department

We have just received the latest styles of American lasts. Repairing done as usual.

Remember the House—The Dominion Shoe Store, Day's Block, opposite the Town Hall.

WM. TAWSE & SON.

Guelph, Feb. 9, 1874

dw2mcs

GUELPH CLOTH HALL.

SHAW & MURTON

OUR SPRING STOCK

Is now fully assorted in every department.

CLOTHS,

HATS AND CAPS,

GENTS' FURNISHINGS,

READY-MADE CLOTHING.

We would inform our customers and the public in general that we never before offered such a complete and handsome assortment of Goods for Gents' Wear.

Shaw & Murton,

GUELPH, March 21, 1874

MERCHANT TAILORS.

1874

SPRING IMPORTATIONS.

1874

JAMES CORMACK,

Tailor and Clothier,

No. 1, WYNDHAM STREET.

Is now receiving a large and beautiful assortment of

Goods Suitable for the Season

CONSISTING OF

Plain and Fancy Woollens in the Best and Newest Patterns.

Hats, Caps, Shirts, Collars, Ties, etc. etc.

In great variety. Guelph, March 21, 1874.

JAMES CORMACK, Guelph, Mar. 21, 1874. dw7mcs

ONTARIO
School of Agriculture
—AND—
EXPERIMENTAL FARM
This institution will be open for the reception of pupils on the 1st day of May next, when a preparatory term of one year will be commenced.
The objects of the Institution are:—First, To give a thorough mastery of the practice and theory of husbandry to the young men of the province engaged in agricultural and horticultural pursuits, or intending to engage in such. Second, To conduct experiments tending to the solution of questions of material interest to the Agriculturists of the Province, and to publish the results of the same from time to time.
Until the farm has been systematically laid out and brought into order for the special purposes to which it is to be applied, and until the necessary buildings and offices have been erected, it is not deemed expedient to settle definitely the curriculum of instruction to be given, or the conditions upon which students will be admitted when the institution is in full operation. For some time to come the work of the farm will be mainly confined to the preparation of the fields and buildings for the systematic instruction of pupils; and during the preparatory term the chief aim will be to teach the pupils how to perform the farm work in the best and most profitable manner, coupled with such an amount of scientific knowledge as will enable them clearly to comprehend the results sought to be obtained from each operation, and the scientific facts and principles upon which it is based.
During said term the number of pupils will be limited to the strength that can be profitably employed in the operations of the farm, and this number must necessarily be small at present, (namely, about thirty) a selection will be made, in case more than the required number apply of such as shall be considered likely to derive the most benefit from the instruction to be given.
The Institution will be strictly non-sectarian, but all pupils—except those who from conscientious scruples formally object to do so—will be required to be regularly present at morning and evening prayers, and also to attend their respective places of worship at least once every Sunday.
The pupils must engage on an average seven hours daily in the work of the farm, farm-yard and garden.
In return for their work they will receive instruction, board, lodging and washing, free of expense, and, in the event of their completing the term, and passing the prescribed examination during the year, to the satisfaction of the Principal and his colleagues, they will each receive at the close of the year the sum of fifty dollars in money.
The qualifications necessary for admission to the Institution for the said Preparatory Term shall be merely those which, under the Provincial School Law, every boy must possess in order to be admitted to a Common School or High School, viz.:—A thorough knowledge of ARITHMETIC—As far as Simple Proportion, inclusive.
ENGLISH GRAMMAR AND COMPOSITION:—Analysis and parsing of sentences; writing a familiar letter, reciting, spelling and dictation.
Outlines of English and Canadian History.
Outlines of General Geography, and Geography of the Dominion of Canada.
A certificate of admission to any High School or College in the British Empire, or a certificate as a duly qualified teacher, will be accepted in lieu of an examination; but special arrangements will be made for the examination of candidates not possessing such certificates.
In addition to the above qualifications the candidate must produce satisfactory certificates of good moral character from a clergyman of the denomination to which the candidate belongs.
He must also enter into an agreement (with his parent and guardians) that he will complete the term of one year, and during that period submit to the rules, and give his whole time to the duties and studies of the Institution.
All applications to be forwarded to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of April next.
H. McCANDLESS, Principal.

NOTICE.
The time for receiving applications is EXTENDED TO THE 25TH INST.
H. McCANDLESS, Principal.
Guelph, April 11, 1874.

SPRING CLOTHING
AT THE
Elephant Clothing Store.
C. E. PEIRCE & CO.
Have now on exhibition one of the Largest Stocks of
READY-MADE CLOTHING
For Men and Boy's Wear ever shown in Guelph,
Well Made and Fashionably Cut
And at prices that cannot be beaten, being 25 per cent less than any other place in town.
Hepburn's Old Stand, Wyndham-st., Guelph.
GUELPH, April 10th, 1874.
C. E. PEIRCE & CO.,

A LARGE STOCK OF NEW
China, Crockery, and Glassware,
NOW OPENED AT
No. 2, DAY'S BLOCK,
and will be sold Cheap for Cash.

J. E. McELDERRY;
2 DAY'S BLOCK,
THE NOTED TEA HOUSE.

FIRST PRIZE BISCUITS
JAMES MASSIE,
Manufacturer of
CHOICE CONFECTIONERY AND BISCUITS,
Alma Block, Guelph,
With the attention of the Trade to the Superior Quality of Goods now produced at
Manufactory. Having introduced many new improvements, and employing only first-class workmen, and possessing every facility, he is prepared to supply the trade with a class of goods unsurpassed by any manufacturer in the country.
OZENGES, all flavors;
DROPS, assorted flavors and shapes;
GUM and LICORICE DROPS,
CONVERSATION LOZENGES,
MOULDED SWEETS, new patterns;
SODA, SWEET and FRUIT BISCUITS,
FRUIT BISCUITS,
GINGER NUTS,
CHEWING GUM,
ROCK CANDY,
LICORICE.
A Large Stock of Choice and Favorite Brand Cigars.
His Biscuits took the first prize over all others at the London Western his year the only place where they were entered for competition.
All Goods carefully packed and shipped with dispatch

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—OF—
STEAMERS
BETWEEN
New York and Liverpool
Consisting of Sixteen of the Best Equipped and fastest steamships in the world, sailing from New York every Thursday and Saturday.
Rates of passage as low as any first-class line.
Tickets for Liverpool, Londonderry, Cork, and Glasgow, and prepaid Certificates good for 12 months to bring out passengers, issued by
H. D. MOSEHOUSE, Exchange Office.
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Passengers booked to all points in the United States.
MARKET SQUARE, GUELPH.

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Steamship Line
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Prepaid passage certificates issued.
Berths and outward tickets secured at best rates.
G. A. OXNARD, G. T. R. Agent.
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Steamers from New York every Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday.
Passenger Accommodation Unsurpassed.
Rates of passage from Suspension Bridge or Buffalo
To Glasgow, Liverpool or Londonderry, Queenstown or Belfast.
Cabin 20 to 25 gold, according to steamer, and location of berth.
Return tickets issued at reduced rates.
Intermediate and Storage as low as any other line.
For passage or further information apply to Henderson Brothers, 7 Bowling Green, New York, or their Agents,
225-2nd St. W. J. BRYCE, Express Agent, Guelph.

FARM TO RENT FOR PASTURE.
To rent the farm being lot No. 12, 5th con., Puslinch, 100 acres, all in pasture. Possession given immediately. Apply to Mrs. Fitzmorris, Kent street, Guelph, Guelph, April 1, 1874. 4tw

LONDON, QUEBEC and MONTREAL
1874
Temperley Line
Composed of the following, and other first-class Iron Steamships:
St. Lawrence, Thames, Scotland, Severn, Delta.
The first steamer of this Line is intended to be dispatched
From London
For QUEBEC and MONTREAL
On Wednesday, 13th April, to be followed at intervals of ten days during the season, and from
Quebec for London about 7th May
Through tickets, from all points west, at Reduced Rates. Certificates issued to persons desirous of bringing out their friends. Through bills of lading issued on the continent and in London for all parts of Canada, and in the United States to Detroit, Milwaukee, Chicago, and other points in the west. For freight or passage, apply to Tompneys, Carter & Burke, 21 Bilester st., London; or Boss & Co., Quebec David Shaw Montreal, or CHAS. DAVIDSON, Town Hall Buildings, Guelph.

THOS. WORSWICK
MANUFACTURER OF
MACHINISTS' TOOLS
Complete, with best modern attachments.
STEAM ENGINES
Of a superior class, with variable cut-off. Also cheap Portable and Stationary Engines, the smaller sizes of which are designed for Printing Offices, and others requiring small power.
Jobbing will Receive Careful Attention.
THOS. WORSWICK, Guelph, Ont. & W. & W. Dec. 17, 1873.

NEW GOODS.
NEW GOODS
Just received a large and carefully selected stock of articles suitable
FOR THE YOUNG FOLKS
BERLY WOOLS
And all kinds of Fancy Goods, stock as usual. All orders promptly attended to.
MRS. WRIGHT
Upper Wyndham St., next to the Wellington Hotel.

THE CORPORATION OF THE
Town of Guelph,
IN THE
COUNTY OF WELLINGTON.
BY-LAW NO. —
A BY-LAW for the purpose of providing for the erection of a new Town Hall and Market House in the Town of Guelph, and for the issue of Twenty five thousand dollars of Debentures for that purpose.
WHEREAS, it is expedient to erect a new Town Hall and Market House in the Town of Guelph required for the use of the Corporation of the said Town, and on land belonging to the Corporation.
And whereas, it is necessary and expedient for the Corporation of the Town of Guelph to raise by way of loan the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars, and to create a debt of twenty-five thousand dollars for the purpose of providing for the amount required in the erection of the said new Town Hall and Market House.
And whereas, it will require an amount of two thousand one hundred and eighty-one dollars to be raised annually by special rate on all taxable property within the municipality of the Town of Guelph for paying the said debt and interest under this By-law.
And whereas, the amount of the whole rateable property of the municipality of the Town of Guelph, irrespective of any future increase thereof, and irrespective of any increase in the nature of tolls, interest or dividends, or returns from the said work; and also, irrespective of any interest from the temporary investment of the sinking fund or principal money to be raised hereunder, or any part thereof, was according to the last revised Assessment Roll \$2,099,100.
And whereas, the existing debt, including debentures issued for Municipal Loan Fund debt of the said municipality is for principal, the sum of one hundred and seventeen thousand seven hundred and nine dollars, and for interest the sum of nine dollars.
And whereas, it is intended to make the said debt repayable in twenty annual instalments, such instalments to be of such amounts that the aggregate amount payable for principal and interest in any year shall be equal to nearly as may be to what is payable for principal and interest during each of the other years of such period, such instalments to be as follows:—

Year.	Principal	Interest.	Total.
1875	\$ 600	\$1,500	\$2,100
1876	500	1,464	2,064
1877	400	1,418	2,018
1878	300	1,369	2,069
1879	200	1,314	2,014
1880	100	1,260	2,160
1881	100	1,206	2,206
1882	100	1,146	2,146
1883	100	1,086	2,186
1884	100	1,020	2,220
1885	100	954	2,154
1886	100	888	2,188
1887	100	824	2,124
1888	100	756	2,156
1889	100	684	2,084
1890	100	606	2,106
1891	100	524	2,024
1892	100	440	2,140
1893	100	354	2,226

And whereas, it will require an equal annual special rate of one and a tenth mills in the dollar in addition to all other rates to be levied in each year for paying the said debt hereby to be created and interest.
And whereas, His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Ontario, by and with the sanction of his Council, hath consented to and approved of this By-law.
And whereas, this By-law hath been duly assented to by the electors of the municipality before the final passing thereof according to law.
And whereas, a copy of this By-law with duplicate hath been duly published according to law.
It is therefore enacted, by the Corporation of the Town of Guelph aforesaid, by the Council thereof, by and with the assent of the electors aforesaid, and the consent and approval of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Ontario in Council, and by virtue of the Acts of Parliament in that behalf, as follows:—
1.—That it shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said town of Guelph for the time being, and he is hereby authorized, empowered, and required to raise by way of loan, from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the Debentures hereinafter mentioned the sum of Twenty-five thousand dollars, and to cause the same to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the Town of Guelph for the purpose and with the object above recited.
2.—That it shall be lawful for the said Mayor, and he is hereby authorized and required to cause Debentures to be made for such sums of money as may be required, not exceeding in the whole the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars, and not less than one hundred dollars each, and to negotiate and dispose of such Debentures, and that the said Debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said Corporation of the Town of Guelph, and signed by the said Mayor, and countersigned by the said Treasurer.
3.—That the said Debentures shall be made payable in twenty years, by instalments as aforesaid, at the office of the Treasurer of the said municipality, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest, which interest shall also be payable at the office of the said Treasurer.
4.—That the said Debentures shall bear interest at and after the rate of six per cent per annum from the date thereof, and the same shall be payable half yearly.
5.—That for the purpose an equal special rate of one and a tenth mills in the dollar shall in addition to all other rates, be raised, levied and collected in each year upon all the rateable property in the said municipality during the continuance of the said Debentures or any of them.
6.—That the proceeds of the said Debentures shall be applied in paying for the erection of the said new Town Hall and Market House, but no person taking the said Debentures or any of them shall be bound to see to the application of the proceeds thereof.
7.—That this By-law shall take effect upon and after the Sixth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.
8.—That the votes of the electors of the said municipality upon this By-law shall be taken on the Fourth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, at the hour of nine o'clock in the forenoon, and at the places hereinafter mentioned, and every place in the municipality at which elections of members of the Council therein are held; and the persons hereinafter named are hereby appointed

Returning Officers to take the votes at the said places respectively, that is to say:—
NORTH WARD—Joseph Mimmick.
SOUTH WARD—Thos. W. Cooper.
EAST WARD—Wm. J. Patterson.
WEST WARD—Erwin Newton.
NOTICE.
I, John Harvey, Clerk of the Council, of the Town of Guelph, hereby give notice and state that the foregoing is a true copy of a proposed By-law which will be taken into consideration by the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Guelph, after one month from the first publication thereof, in the newspaper known as the Guelph Mercury and Advertiser, published at the Town of Guelph, the date of which publication was the Eleventh day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, at the hour, day and places in the said By-law fixed for taking the votes of the electors the polls will be held for that purpose.
JOHN HARVEY,
Town Clerk, Guelph.
Guelph, April 11th, 1874.
Rich Farming Lands
For sale VERY CHEAP by the
Union Pacific Railroad Company
The Best Investment! No Fluctuations! Always Improving in Value!
The wealth of the Country is made by advance in Real Estate.
NOW IS THE TIME
MILLIONS OF ACRES
Of the finest lands on the Continent, Eastern Nebraska, now for sale. Many of them never before in Market, at prices that defy competition.
Five and Ten years credit given, with interest at 5 per cent.
The Land Grant Bonds of the Company taken at par for lands. Full particulars given, new Guide with new Maps mailed free.
THE PIONEER
A handsome illustrated paper, containing the Homestead Law, sent free to all parts of the world. Address
O. F. DAVIS,
Land Commissioner U. S. R. R., Omaha Neb.
NOTICE.
Erbs' Celebrated
FALL WHEAT FLOUR
For Bread and Pastry.
ROBERTSON BROS., SOLE AGENTS
Dealers in Gold's and Armstrong's Flour, Graham Flour, Buckwheat Flour, Corn Flour, Cracked Wheat, Oatmeal, and Feed of all kinds.
ROBERTSON BROS., dtw
Guelph, Feb. 19, 1874.
THOUSANDS ARE USING THE
MYRTLE NAVY
Smoking Tobacco
AND ARE SATISFIED.
Beware of Imitations.
Each genuine Plug has
T. & B.
STAMPED UPON IT.
Hamilton, March 12, 1874. dtm
GREAT CHEAP SALE
At I. & J. Andrews'
FANCY STORE,
OPPOSITE THE MARKET,
CONSISTING OF SLIPPER PATTERNS
Toys, Dolls, and a general stock of
FANCY GOODS.
BERLIN WOOLS IN ALL SHADES
All of which will be sold at and below cost Orders received for Hair Jewellery.
I. & J. ANDREWS, dtw
Guelph, Jan. 13th, 1874.
HART & SPIERS,
Conveyancers, Land, Loan, Insurance, and General Agents, 4 Day's Block, Guelph.
In reference to the above, Wm. Hart begs to inform his friends and the public that he has entered into partnership with Mr. Jas. S. Spiers in the above business, and while expressing his grateful acknowledgments to his friends for the past three years, would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same.
All business entrusted to us will receive prompt and strict attention.
Deeds, Mortgages, Wills, Leases, etc. etc. neatly and correctly prepared.
Money always on hand in sums to suit borrowers, on mortgages or good property, and at the lowest rates.
Our list of Town and Farm Property is large and varied, and parties in want of real estate of any kind should call on us before purchasing elsewhere.
Agents for the Commercial Union Assurance Company of London, England.
HART & SPIERS,
12nd St. 4 Day's Block, Guelph, Ont.
J. H. ROMAIN & Co.,
Successors to Nelles, Romain & Co.,
CANADA ROUTE,
General Commission Merchants.
AND SHIPPERS,
26, City National Bank Building,
Chicago, Ill.
References: Sir John Rose, banker London, England; F. W. Thomas, Esq., Banker, Montreal; The Mine Company of Chicago, bankers; Hon. J. Carling, London, Ont. Messrs. Gault, Brog, merchants, Montreal; Messrs. F. Smith, Frank Smith & Co., Toronto; J. M. Miller, Esq., Perth, Ont. (date of F. W. Miller & Co. commission merchants Chicago); W. Watson, Esq., banker, New York; D. Butters, Esq., Montreal; J. Whitehead, Esq., M. P., Clinton, Ont.; C. Magill, Esq., M. P., Hamilton, Ont.; F. C. Chisholm, Esq., M. P., Guelph, Ont.; Toronto.
FOR SALE OR TO RENT,
A Blacksmith Shop,
Situating on the Gravel Road, Minto Township, Palmerston, half acre of land, good shop, having two fires, an excellent dwelling house, and good stabling. This is a good chance for an industrious man, as there has always been a good country trade done on the premises. The above will be sold on easy terms, or rented for any number of years. Possession given on the first of January, 1874. Apply to the undersigned on the premises, or by letter to
WELLINGTON WILSON,
Cotswold P. O., Minto