

# Guelph Evening Mercury

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## New Advertisements.

### TO PRINTER BOYS.

WANTED immediately at this office, a young lad who has a knowledge of type setting. Apply to  
McLAGAN & INNES,  
Guelph, 20th July, 1867.

### Apprentices Wanted.

WANTED, three apprentices to the tailoring business. Enquire at  
JOHN HILL'S, Merchant Tailor,  
Guelph, 30th July, 1867.

## Mourning Stationery

A FULL ASSORTMENT!  
CHEAP!

### AT DAY'S BOOKSTORE,

OPPOSITE THE MARKET.

Guelph, 20th July, 1867.

## THE BEST OF STATIONERY!

AT THE LOWEST PRICE,

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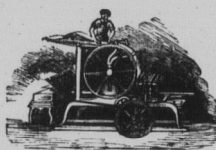
## THE EVENING MERCURY

CHEAP BOOK AND JOB

## PRINTING HOUSE!

BEST HOUSE EAST OF THE COLEEN LANE.

Macdonnell Street, - - GUELPH.



McLAGAN AND INNES,

Have much pleasure in intimating to their numerous patrons and the public in general that they have

## REMOVED

Their Printing Establishment to more extensive and commodious premises, specially erected for the requirements of their extensive business.

## JOB PRINTING

The WEEKLY MERCURY has now been enlarged to 40 columns—ten columns on each page—thus making it by far the largest weekly newspaper published in Canada, out of Toronto. It contains a third more reading matter than any weekly paper published in the County. It contains a complete weekly summary of all the important news by special and other telegrams, the local and other markets, besides a large quantity of excellent and carefully selected miscellaneous family reading, and weekly instalments of a first-class story. It is published every Friday morning, and mailed to subscribers, or delivered in town at 8:50 a.m., strictly in advance, otherwise 92 at the end of the year. No deviation from this rule. The WEEKLY has now a far larger circulation than any other paper published in Guelph, and it is extensively read in all the surrounding Counties. It is the best advertising medium west of Toronto, as is shown by the very extensive advertising patronage it has enjoyed for more than five years. Advertisements inserted at the usual rates, and a liberal discount made to those who advertise by the year.

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## THREE POWER AND TWO HAND PRESSES,

This enabling us to turn out work on the shortest possible notice. Having such facilities at our command, employing none but the best of workmen, and using good stock, we enjoy great advantages in the execution of all kinds of

PLAIN AND ORNAMENTAL

## BOOK and JOB PRINTING.

Our charges in the future, as in the past, will be moderate, at least

20 per Cent. under any other Office in the County,

While the style and quality of the work will be fully up to that of the large cities.

## THE BUSINESS MAN

Will find it specially to his advantage to give us a call and examine specimen and learn prices.

All Orders by Post Promptly attended to.

McLAGAN & INNES,

At the Glasgow Ham Curer's, Wyndham Street, opposite Hazleton's Furniture Warehouse.

## GUELPH POST OFFICE.

### Arrival and Delivery of Mails.

	DELIVERY.	CLOSE.
Hamilton	8.00 12.30	6.30 4.15
Day Express	8.00 12.30	6.30 4.15
Grand Trunk, west.	8.00 12.30	6.30 4.15
Toronto	10.30 6.30	9.30 2.30
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Campbellsville,	6.30 10.30	
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Aberfoyle,		
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Everton,		
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Elm	8.00 1.30	9.00
Fergus	8.00 1.30	9.00
Morden	1.30 12.30	
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Alma	1.30 12.30	
Wyndford	8.00 1.30	9.00
Montreal	10.30 6.30	2.30
Grand Trunk, east.	10.30 6.30	2.30
Orangeville	6.30 2.30	
Way Mail, between	10.30 2.30	
Guelph & Toronto,		
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Berlin	10.30	3.30 9.20
Waterloo	10.30	3.30 9.30 5.30
Guelph P. O., July 23, 1867.		

## TRAVELLERS' GUIDE.

### GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

GOING EAST.	GOING WEST.
Mail	Day Express
Day Express	Day Express
Ex. Express	Ex. Express
Night Ex.	Night Ex.

### GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY.

ARRIVE AT GUELPH.	DEPART.
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## PROSPECTUS

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## GUELPH EVENING MERCURY

HAVING removed to their new office in THE MERCURY BUILDING, Macdonnell Street, opposite the Grand Trunk Hotel Stables, the publishers have determined, in view of the elections, to issue an

### Evening Edition of "The Mercury."

It will appear every afternoon (Sundays excepted) at 5 o'clock, and will be furnished to subscribers in town and country at 84 a year, paid strictly in advance. Subscriptions will be taken for the quarter. Subscribers in town will be supplied by our own carrier boys, by leaving their names and residence at the office. Single copies 1d, and may be had of the publishers, or at M. S. Shaw's and T. J. Day's Bookstores.

THE MERCURY will contain the latest telegraphic news of every thing that transpires of importance from all parts of the country, including the daily despatches by the Atlantic cable, the New York, Montreal, Guelph and other Markets. Special attention will be paid to Local News. Full and impartial reports of all public meetings will be given, due notice will be taken of all public improvements, and everything of an interesting character transpiring in the town or county will be fully recorded in its pages.

General and Miscellaneous news, and reading matter for the family, carefully selected with a view to their moral bearing on the community, will find their place in THE EVENING MERCURY. The aim of the publishers is to make it a welcome and profitable reader to every family in town.

Every care and attention will be given to its editorial columns. Besides the ordinary staff, arrangements have been made for occasional supply of editorial and other contributions, and correspondence from the most important points. Our prospects under the newly inaugurated Dominion, the agitation of political parties in working out Confederation, and the results of such an interesting and important spirit. The great principles of Reform, by the exercise of which alone we believe the prosperity of this country will be secured, shall be on all occasions faithfully and earnestly inculcated. At the same time no abuse, no unseasonable language, nothing of a personal character, shall mark our discussion of public questions. We shall in short spare no pains or expense to make THE EVENING MERCURY an interesting and reliable newspaper, in every respect worthy of public patronage.

### TO ADVERTISERS.

As we have already secured a large subscription list, the advertiser will find it a valuable medium for communicating with the public. Advertisements will be inserted at reasonable rates, and a considerable reduction will be made for contracts for a lengthened period.

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## McLAGAN & INNES.

Mercury Building, Macdonnell-st., Guelph, July 29, 1867.

Weekly Exchanges inserting the above a few times will be entitled to the Daily.

## Sardines & Lobsters

JUST RECEIVED

## Fresh Sardines AND LOBSTERS,

At JOHN A. WOOD'S.

## Pickled Beef!

MUTTON & PORK.

FOR SALE over 2,000 lbs. Pickled Beef, Mutton, and Pork, at

Warranted sweet and of first quality.

Always on hand, Hams, Bacon and Shoulder—Prime cured. A large quantity of Lead Lard on hand—the best in the market.

At the Glasgow Ham Curer's, Wyndham Street, opposite Hazleton's Furniture Warehouse.

## Evening Mercury.

FRIDAY EVENING, AUGUST 2.

## General News.

Bread is seventy five per cent dearer in New York than in England.

The Sunday Gazette says: "It is expected that the Imperial Parliament will be prorogued about August 17th."

Sir Morton Peto's creditors are likely to get about three cents on a dollar of the fifty or sixty millions of dollars due them.

In Bridgeport, Ct., the other day, a man fell into the water and was frightened into a fit, so that respiration being suspended, he floated and was saved.

Two American gents of the African persuasion are matched to eat liver for a prize in Ohio. The time allowed is 25 minutes, and the winner gains a silver-mounted toothpick.

At a christening, while the minister was giving the certificate, he happened to say—"Let me see, this is the 30th." "The thirtieth!" exclaimed the indignant mother; "indeed it is only the eleventh!"

In accordance with the decision come to by the Trustees of the General Hospital at Toronto was closed yesterday. It is surmised that another effort will be made to procure money sufficient to keep it open until Parliament meets, when it is expected that a grant will be made.

The Free Press, not satisfied with the now generally accepted nomenclature of the hybrid Cabinet—albeit conferred by Sandfield himself—(viz: the "Grand Patent Combination")—has set his inventive genius to work, and now dubs them "The Composites!" Bully for the Composites!

A country paper in Ohio prints this marriage notice—"Married up town the other day, at Mrs Williams's, Mr William Williams, of Williamsport, to his cousin, Miss Lizzie Williams. For further particulars see small Bills."

A Mr. Rice, residing near Frodinburg, Ind., while in his cherry grove a few evenings since, was stung on the upper lip by a bee. He started for the house, calling to his mother for some remedy, laughingly remarking that a bee had stung him. The remedy was applied, but in half an hour the man was speechless, and soon after a corpse.

A correspondent of the Perth Courier, in a letter discussing the actions of Mr Macdougall, adds a postscript as follows:—"I would just mention a rather remarkable coincidence which I want my fellow electors to make a note of, and it is this: That the same week in which Macdougall forsook his party and joined the Tories, his family forsook the Presbyterian Church and joined a congregation ministered to by a Puseyite High Church Tory. Isn't this significant?"

The Standard announces that the French Government had decided to report, in great part, to the old style of uniform for the infantry. The short tunic will be replaced by one having ampler skirts reaching to the knees, with pockets behind. The trousers will be without folds or braiding, and be supplied with pockets. The headdress will be a casquette with a large peak. The reason for the change is the alleged superior healthiness, comfort, and elegance of the old uniform.

It has been estimated that the number of Catholics in the United States in 1830 was 400,000; in 1840 it was 900,000, and 4,400,000 in 1860. According to these estimates the Catholics double in number every ten years, and in 1870 we shall have eight or nine millions, or one-fifth of the whole population. Seventy-five years ago the United States did not have a single Catholic Bishop.

A report is now going round, that a meeting is to be held at Wyoming, in County of Lambton, for the purpose of nominating candidates to oppose Messrs. Alex. McKenzie and Pardee. Hon. Wm. McDougall will be present to argue with the people concerning duty. He might go to many a place where he would be more thought of.

It is stated that from a single rail way station at Cobden, Union county, on the Illinois Central Railroad, forty-two miles north of Cairo, there was shipped, chiefly to Chicago, between the 15th of May and the 16th of June, 260,920 quarts of strawberries. The average value of these berries was about twenty cents a quart, or over \$52,000 for the whole, a trifle more than one half of which went to the growers, making a very pretty little sum for a month's sales of the small fruits of a single neighborhood.

In Paris it is whispered that a cloud has recently arisen between France and Russia, and that a certain degree of coolness in their relations is the consequence. The London Globe says: We firmly believe that we shall soon see a great war in Europe, in which France and her allies will be opposed to the colossal power of Russia and Prussia. In such a contest we do not think it doubtful which way the sympathies of this country will in-

A young fellow came to Chicago from Louisiana with ten thousand dollars last week, to marry a girl to whom he had long been engaged. He lost his all at a gambling table, and tried to drown himself in the river, but was rescued. He then went to hotel, ordered two bottles of wine, laid his revolver on the table, and wrote a note to a friend stating that he had killed himself. The friend rushed up there, and found him dead—drunk, on the floor. He had apparently intended to kill himself while under the influence of liquor, but took too much.

Riot.—A disgraceful party fight occurred near Liverpool, on the 12th July. The Orangemen in the district of Helens made a demonstration on that day, and were walking in procession when they were attacked by a party of Roman Catholics, who had taken offence at the tunes played by the Orangemen, and made an attack on them. Fighting lasted, with swords and sticks, for several hours, and a large number received horrible wounds. Several parties were arrested.

Our readers will doubtless remember the fact that an engine-driver of the Grand Trunk Railway recently saved the life of a child, at the risk of his own, by catching it up while the train was in motion. Some gentlemen, desirous of showing their appreciation of this noble act, subscribed various sums, which were transmitted to the Railway authorities to the amount of \$42, and we are glad to learn that Messrs Brydges, Hickson and other gentlemen connected with the railway, added their subscriptions, by which on the whole, a sum was made up sufficient to purchase a small gold watch and chain. This has been presented to Mr. Gariepy, after having a suitable inscription placed upon it, with a proper address.

A writer to the New York Gazette contrasting Spurgeon with Beecher, says:—"No man in the world understands his physical system better than Mr. Beecher. His eating, sleeping, exercise all conform to the laws of health. He is thoroughly temperate in all respects. He has reached half a century with a sound constitution in a healthy body, and has twenty-five years service in him yet. Spurgeon is a young man. His fleshy appearance and the gout that has already overtaken him show that physical laws must be obeyed as well as moral. Mr. Beecher lives plainly, is simple in his dress and in his habits, and if met in the street would sooner be taken for an expressman in a hurry for the cars than a minister.—Spurgeon dresses in true English clerical style, is a free liver, dispenses an elegant hospitality, keeps his coach and coachman, lives in a fine mansion, and boasts as good a turn out as the Archbishop of Canterbury.

LOCATING THE HEAD WATERS OF THE OTTAWA.—A surveying party who left Ottawa in March last, under the direction of the government, to ascertain the length of the Ottawa river, and locate its head waters, has returned. The party reports the length of the river to be about a thousand miles instead of five hundred, as supposed. They found while ascertaining the course of the river, Lake Gros, said to be four hundred miles in circumference. They were met by a tribe of Indians, who at first refused to allow them to proceed; but after explanations they held a council of war, and the surveying party were allowed to pursue their journey. Navigation from Lake Temiscaming to Lake Gros is impeded by numerous rapids beyond Lake Gros, near the source of the Ottawa. The source of the Ottawa is said to be within fifty miles of the head waters of the Saguenay. The explorers encountered large quantities of ice on Lake Gros on the 24th of May. The natives are Pagans. The men have a plurality of wives.

WHAT WILL BRISTOL'S SARISAPARILLA DO.—Ask the question of the shroud of humanity, James Wyckoff, saved alive, nay, restored to health when half consumed by scrofula.—of John West, of Rainsville, Indiana, who was dying of scrofulous consumption.—of Erastus Cross, of Darien county, New York, for four years a sufferer from nasal cancer.—of Mrs. Hannah Eddy, of East Hamburg, New York, distorted by chronic Rheumatism.—of Mrs. Van Dooser, of Granby, Oswego Co., New York, who had fifteen running ulcers on her right knee.—of Mrs. Whisney, of Buffalo, who was reduced to a live skeleton by external disease. They will answer, that after eminent physicians had pronounced their death-warrant, Bristol's Sarsaparilla not only respited them, but restored and made them whole. In every city, town, and village in the Union may be found men, women and children who will make the same response. For sale by all Druggists.

Under the penny postage system, the receipts of the British Post Office have increased prodigiously. In the estimate of Post Office revenue, in 1867-8, lately submitted to the House of Commons by the Chancellor of the Exchequer, \$23,250,000 was set down as the probable sum for the year; and from the revenue returns for the June quarter just published, it appears that the anticipated income is likely to become fully realized, the quarter's receipts being no less than \$5,750,000. The London Times questions the policy of reaping so large an income from the Post Office, and suggests whether its surplus revenue might not be turned to account, and its operations made still more beneficial, either by reduced rates of carriage, or

## Local News.

We are in receipt of the Guelph Evening Mercury, a well edited and neatly printed sheet which should be largely patronized.—Huron Signal.

They have lately had a tremendous thunder-storm near Brockville, during which hailstones as large as pigeons' eggs came down doing an immense amount of damage.

The By-law submitted to the rate-payers of the Township of Proton on Friday last, to grant \$15,000 to the Durham and Angus scheme, was defeated by a vote of something like two to one.

The proprietors of the Guelph Mercury have started a daily edition of that paper, which is quite in keeping with the thriving town of Guelph.—Montreal Witness.

The Reformers of South Bruce are now perfectly confident of a glorious victory for Bastall and Blake. Such a canvass has never been witnessed in the County.

It is reported that the contracts are to be let, and work immediately commenced, on the Durham and Angus Railway. Mr. F. Shanley is now exploring the route, preparatory to making an actual survey.

ROCKWOOD ACADEMY.—We beg leave to call attention to the advertisement of this Academy in to-day's paper. We have had occasion more than once to speak of this Academy in terms of the highest praise. It never was in a more efficient state than at present, and the holidays will soon be over, this is an excellent time to make arrangements for starting with the new session.

The Mount Forest Examiner has been shown a sample of fall wheat grown on the farm of Mr. John Mains, of Egremont. It is fully ripe, of good shape and colour, untouched by insects, and promises an abundant yield. Mr. McIntyre, of Egremont, has also shown us a splendid sample of wheat, not so ripe as Mr. Mains' but of excellent appearance, which, he estimates, will yield forty bushels to the acre.

The employees of the Great Western Railway are having their great annual excursion and picnic to-day. The place where it is being held is Wauabano, seven miles west of London. Prizes for superiority in various games are to be awarded, and among the rest is a \$50 gold medal. There are numerous others of value, such as rings, chains and scarfpins. This festival is always a grand affair.

A mowing match took place on the farm of Mr. Henry Christmas, near Elmira, between a machine made by Mr. Watson, of Ayr, and a Ball's Ohio, manufactured by Mr. Hall, of Oshawa. An attempt to cut the heavy, lying, matted grass with the Ayr machine failed, but Mr. Hall's great accomplishment the task with the greatest ease. This is considered a great triumph for Ball's Ohio.

FIRST NEW WHEAT.—To-day, (Friday) Mr. John G. Wright, of Woodville, brought to market a load of midge-proof wheat, the first of the season, and the finest sample perhaps, that has been seen in the market for a twelvemonth. It was bought by Mr. A. H. R. Kennedy, for \$1.50 (silver) per bushel.

The Halton Herald says: The greater portion of the fall wheat throughout this County has been safely harvested, and a more bountiful crop has not been grown for years. The spring wheat is rather short, owing to the dryness of the season, but there will be an average yield. The great enemy to this crop, the weevil, has done little or no damage in this County, for which we should all be thankful.

## Police Court.

Before T. W. SAUNDERS, Esq., Police Magistrate.

This morning Hugh Moon charged Lawrence McCarroll with being disorderly that is, that he made a most unseemly noise on the road opposite his house, on Queen street, at a very early hour on Thursday morning last. When asked if he had any questions to put to the Witness, he replied, "Not a halporth." Fined \$1 and costs.

## The Mormon Troubles.

The New York Tribune speaks as follows, concerning the turmoils in Utah.—Not by any means for the first time in his remarkable career, Brigham Young is in difficulties, and he is meeting them with his usual boldness and sagacity. The short and ready resource of such a patriarch is to excommunicate his antagonists; and Brigham, we must allow, excommunicates with all the promptitude and audacity of a Hildebrand. He has already publicly consigned to damnation Hyde, the President of the Twelve Apostles, together with Lyman and Pratt, both of them apostolic gentlemen. There is a grand schism, with Young upon one side, and Joseph Smith, jr., upon the other—the first the leader of the Utah Mormons, and the second of the Western Mormons, who are not gathered into the fold. Smith has recently carried the war into Utah itself, and has had the impudence to make converts to his side under Brigham Young's own nose, ridiculing his sacred revelations, his doctrines of polygamy and blood-atonement, and his claims to be regarded as the head of the Church. This has aroused Young to unusual exertion: nor will he yield an inch of his power or his doctrine without making a good fight for the same. While he lives, it is not probable that in Utah his extraordinary hold upon the popular heart will be materially diminished. Authority like that which he possesses is neither to be won nor lost in a day. Of course, there is in Utah, as everywhere else, the usual proportion of sneaking knaves and of shuffling hypocrites, of men who merely like the coarse sensuality of the creed, and of women who feebly yield to its intellectual and moral absurdities to-day as they would accept others to-morrow; but a man cannot govern a community almost absolutely for many years, and especially an isolated community, without securing an habitual deference. This becomes fixed in the old, and is accepted without question by the young, and there is no reason why it should not last for the life-time of its object. Unfortunately, prophets are mortal. Brigham's weak point is that some morning he will be taken sick and die. All the mortal prophets, both men and women, who received this mortality, and

## TO-TELEGRAMS

### Special Despatches.

#### From Toronto.

New York, Aug. 2.—The special despatches of the Albany Herald, which were reported by 3,000 major radical ticket is elected, no disturbance in the State.

#### From New York.

New York, Aug. 2.—The Albany Herald, which was reported in this city, undoubtedly genuine.

#### From Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, Aug. 2.—The Albany Herald, which was reported in this city, undoubtedly genuine.

#### From San Francisco.

San Francisco, Aug. 1.—The Albany Herald, which was reported in this city, undoubtedly genuine.

#### From New Orleans.

New Orleans, Aug. 2.—The Albany Herald, which was reported in this city, undoubtedly genuine.

#### From Washington.

The Tribune's special despatches, which were reported in this city, undoubtedly genuine.

#### From St. Louis.

St. Louis, Aug. 1.—The Albany Herald, which was reported in this city, undoubtedly genuine.

## Cable News

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#### From London.

London, Aug. 1.—The Albany Herald, which was reported in this city, undoubtedly genuine.

#### From Paris.

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#### From Dublin.

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#### From Brussels.

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#### From Vienna.

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### The Yelverton Case.

Probably, as rascals are usually rated by plain, blunt speakers, there is not at present in Her Britannic Majesty's dominions a greater rascal than Major Yelverton, the son of Lord Avonmore. This soldier, going out during the war with Russia, upon his way encountered Miss Teresa Longworth, who was proceeding to the Crimea to act as nurse—a course pursued by many highly respectable ladies, with Florence Nightingale at their head. He professed for this Miss Longworth an uncommon attachment, proffered her hand, and upon the return home of the parties, he married her in a Roman Catholic chapel in Ireland. Technically, by one of those monstrous provisions of law still extant in Ireland, this marriage, although upon a side issue it has been declared by an Irish jury good and valid, has been set aside by the House of Lords. But Major Yelverton had married Miss Longworth twice.—There was the color of an informal Scotch marriage also. Miss Longworth, or Mrs. Yelverton, asked the Scotch Court of Sessions to refer the matter to the oath of Major Yelverton. This was refused, and she then appealed to the House of Lords. On the 27th ult. she appeared before that body, and her counsel being necessarily absent, she argued her own case. It should be stated that the Hon. Major has added what is certainly moral bigamy to the other beautiful features of his career, having repudiated his Irish bride because he married her in a Catholic chapel, and given his highly valuable hand to a Mrs. Forbes. All these years Mrs. Yelverton has been pleading for justice in almost every form known to British jurisprudence. We have not seen the decision of the Lords, but it is not probable that she makes anything by her motion in the present instance.

We remember reading carefully some years ago the voluminous report of the Irish trial, which went through all the facts in the case, from the Crimean courtship to the Irish marriage, and the perusal left no doubt upon our mind, as the facts left none upon the minds of the jury, that when the Irish marriage took place, both Miss Longworth and the Major thought the ceremony perfectly valid. After living some time with the lady as his wife, the soldier encountered somebody he liked better, or somebody who had more money, and chivalrously availing himself of technicalities, he married again. For years, as we have said, his deserted and repudiated wife has been seeking for redress; in every form she has importuned the administrators of law for justice; until weary, single-handed and forlorn, she stands before the peerage of England, and pleads for her honour, her name, and her fame. Meanwhile, he, the destroyer of her happiness, he who swindled her at the altar of God, is enjoying the pleasures of social life, nor has he forfeited social consideration: As usual, it is the woman who must suffer—it is the offending man who goes scot-free. Mark the iniquity of the whole transaction, and the shameful inefficiency of the laws! There is no pretense that this Major Yelverton was not married to Miss Longworth, in a Christian church, and by a Christian minister; nor is there any that the woman supposed the ceremony ineffective and null. By what equity, then, can a man be allowed to plead his own wrong and to take advantage of his own crime? This is precisely what the Major does, and all the horse-hair in England vibrates affirmatively to the cool and impudent evasion. "I was married," says this poor lady to the peers of England, "I was married in a Catholic church. Catholics are not fire-worshippers, or followers of Vish-nu, but they are Christians, and adhere to Christ and his teachings—to be the wife of one husband. Would it to God that the Judges of the land were of the same opinion!" "But, my dear Madam," responds the Lord Chancellor, "you must remember the law!" "The law, Miss Longworth," says Wig No. 2, pointedly, "The law, we must stick to the law," exclaims the Duke of This. "The law," chimes in the Marquis of That. "Marriages of Protestants in Catholic chapels," cries the Bishop of Tiche and Take. "Oh, that would never do!" Bigamy is better than such an infraction of sacred and ancient statutes. The British Constitution must be preserved in its integrity. All the law-lords, in full chorus, cry, "Read your Blackstone, Madam, and what is a poor, wronged, morally violated woman to answer to all this draw and dust, this hem and haw, this sublime rizarole of routine?" But, we shall be told, if this be law, what can be done about it? To which we answer, How happens it to be law? What right have you to allow the statutes of the realm to get into such a muddle? This comes of special legislation for Ireland. This comes of the cruel disabilities under which the British Parliament placed the Catholic clergy, treating them as if they were not Christian ministers, but the priests of a heathen idolatry. Yours must be fine laws, indeed, when they allow army officers and the sons of peers to commit crimes like these and to profit by them—fine laws indeed, when they leave a betrayed and outraged woman without a remedy.—*New York Tribune*

Two young lady missionary collectors entered a hotel in a town not fifty miles from Kingston, a few days ago, and appealed to the better nature of a couple of bachelor friends who happened to be present, for a contribution to their mission enterprise. One of the bachelors begged to be excused in the most respectful English he could command; but the other with a jocular intent, offered to contribute a quarter of a dollar for every kiss the fair collector would imprint on his cheek. The offer was promptly accepted, and brushing back her bewildered curls, the plucky little christian proceeded to make "impressions," while the bystanders kept count, and only ceased when \$7.50 were added to the treasury.

COUNTY OF HALTON.—At a meeting of the Tories held in Milton yesterday, Simcoe Kerr, Esq., of the Square was unanimously

We are in receipt of several papers from Britain, sent us by some of our townsmen, now travelling there, but as the writing of even the initials of the party mailing a paper is now prohibited by law, we are in ignorance as to whom our friends are. The last journal received is the *Times*, the most important news in which is, apparently, a report of a ball given in honor of the Sultan. No less than four closely printed columns of the paper suffice to parade the names and titles of the notabilities that composed that brilliant assembly. Eastern monarchs don't dance; they hire people to dance for their amusement, and herein we do not know but they show their philosophy. They won't have such tired limbs in the morning. So at this great *fete* his bearded Majesty sat with the gravity that becomes a good Musselman and watched the dukes and marquises, the duchesses and marchionesses as they whirled in the giddy mazes of the dance, and perhaps puzzled his understanding in an endeavor to comprehend such folly. The Americans are notorious for "lionizing" people of note, but if they intend to continue that sort of thing they should read carefully all about the Sultan's visit to England, and learn therefrom.

### BIRTHS.

GREGORY.—In Mount Forest, on the 25th ult., the wife of Mr. James Gregor of a son.

### MARRIAGES.

LILLIE WILLES. At Toronto, on the 31st ult., by the Rev. A. Lillie, D. D., A. W. Lillie, Esq., Solicitor, Guelph, to Mary, second daughter of the late Mr. George Willes, of Toronto.

### DEATHS.

BUCKLAND. In Eberston, on the 1st inst., of Typhoid Fever, Fannie E., eldest child of S. P. Buckland, teacher, aged 5 years.

### New Advertisements.

#### STOLEN OR STRAYED.

STOLEN or strayed from Guelph, on the 25th of July last, a horse BLD COY, white legs, and in good condition. Any person giving such information as will lead to her recovery will be handsomely rewarded. GEO. PATTERSON, Guelph, 2nd Aug., 1867. (dw-1w)

### TROTTER & GRAHAM, DENTISTS!

GUELPH and BRAMPTON,  
Members of the Dental Association of the Province of Ontario.  
(See cases in Guelph to T. Trotter.)  
OFFICE:  
Over Mr. Higginbotham's Drug Store

### DR. GUY'S ENGLISH CHOLERA REMEDY

IS the only medicine when taken as a specific for Cholera Morbus, Diarrhoea, Dysentery, Colic, &c.  
Is quick and certain in its action, pleasant to take, and never fails to cure. Don't trust to Pain Killers and other trash, but get a bottle of GUY'S Great English Remedy.  
Sole wholesale and retail by LYMAN, ELLIOT & CO., Toronto; Wain & Co., Hamilton; N. Higginbotham, A. B. Pettie, E. Harvey, and J. Holden, Guelph, and retail by all medicine dealers. For testimonials see circulars and wrappers.  
Guelph, 2nd August, 1867. (dw-2w)

### FRUITS, &c.

MRS. ROBINSON  
Has just received at the  
Dominion Grocery, Fruit and  
FANCY STORE,  
Ripe Tomatoes, Lemons, Cherries, &c. Also, a full stock of general household and Fancy Goods.  
Don't forget the stand, next door to the Wellington Hotel, Upper Wyndham Street.  
Guelph, August 1, 1867. daw

### JUST RECEIVED,

One Ton Rannie's  
Celebrated Cheese!  
Fresh Prunes, and  
CHOICE MARMALADE.  
GEORGE WILKINSON.  
Guelph, 26th July, 1867. (d)

### TO YOUNG MEN.

WANTED, two intelligent young men as Students to the Dental Profession.—They will have the most extensive knowledge in operative and mechanical Dentistry, the advantages of attending one course of Lectures on Chemistry, Physiology, Anatomy and Surgery, at either of the Medical Colleges in Toronto, and six months time in the Toronto General Hospital; also, if required, one term at the Military School. An early application necessary in order to prepare for College attendance. Address—  
W. B. Dentist, 81 King-st., East Toronto.  
Toronto, 13th July, 1867. 4in

### FARM FOR SALE.

FOR sale, in the Township of Colborne, County of Bruce, 100 acres of splendid land, about 55 acres cleared, with log house and stables, being lot No. 25, 14th Concession of the Township of Colborne, 2 1/2 miles from Tresswater, and near the gravel road. There is a fine spring creek running through the lot, and the timber is unsurpassed. It is one of the most fertile and productive farms in Canada. The soil is limestone and clay loam. This desirable farm is now offered for the low price of \$1,200, on which a clear profit from the Crown will be given. Address (post-paid)  
SAMUEL SOFTLEY,  
Guelph, 26th July, 1867. (3m) Guelph P O

### LOT FOR SALE.

FOR sale, a valuable lot on the main street in the village of Hanover, on the Durham Road, with a Blacksmith's Shop, 24 x 60 ft., and a Dwelling House attached 15 x 24 ft. Will be sold cheap, and on reasonable terms. The owner being a wagoner would like to sell to a good blacksmith.

### A CARD FROM The American Watch Company, OF WALTHAM, MASS.

THIS Company beg leave to inform the citizens of the new dominion of Canada, that they have made arrangements to introduce their celebrated Watches to their notice. They are prepared to prove that their watches are made upon a better system than others in the world. They commenced operations in 1850, and their factory now covers four acres of ground, and has cost more than a million dollars, and employs over 700 operatives. They produce 75,000 Watches a year, and make and sell not less than half of all the watches sold in the United States. Up to the present time, it has been impossible for them to do more than supply the constantly increasing home demand; but recent additions to their works have enabled them to turn their attention to other markets.

The difference between their manufacture and the European, is briefly this: European Watches are made almost entirely by hand. In them, all those mysterious and infinitesimal organs when put together create the watch, are the result of slow and toilsome MANUAL processes, and the result is of necessity a lack of uniformity, which is indispensable to correct time-keeping. Both the eye and the hand of the most skillful operative must vary. But it is a fact that, except watches of the higher grades, most European watches are the product of the cheapest labor of Switzerland, and the result is the worthless Anores, Lepins and so-called Patent Levers which soon cost more in attempted repairs, than their original price. Common workmen, boys and women, buy the rough separate parts of these watches from various factories, polish and put them together, and take them to the nearest watch merchant. He stamps and engraves them with any name or brand that may be ordered—whether London, Paris, Geneva or what not; and many a man who thinks he has a genuine "M. I. Tobias, of Liverpool" (whose only fault is, that he can never regulate it to keep very good time), is really carrying a cheap and poor Swiss imitation.

#### How American Watches are Made.

The American Waltham Watch is made by no such uncertain process—and by no such incompetent workmen. All their operations, from the reception of the raw materials—the brass, the steel, the silver, the gold and the precious stones—to the final completion of the Watch, are carried on under one roof, and under one skillful and competent direction.—But the great distinguishing feature of their Watches, is the fact that their several parts are all made by the finest, the most perfect and delicate machinery ever brought to the aid of human industry. Every one of the more than a hundred parts of every watch is made by a machine—that infallibly reproduces every succeeding part with the most unvarying accuracy. It was only necessary to make one perfect watch of any particular style and then to adjust the hundred machines necessary to reproduce every part of that watch, and it follows that every succeeding watch must be like it. If any part of any American Waltham Watch should be lost or injured, the owner has only to address the Company, stating the number of his watch and the part wanted, whether it be spring, pinion, jewel, or what not, and by return mail he would receive the desired article, which any watchmaker would adjust to its position.

The Company respectfully submit their watches on their merit only. They have fully succeeded in overcoming popular prejudice in the States in favor of European watches, and solicit a thorough examination and fair trial for their manufactures elsewhere. They claim to make

#### A Better Article for the Money

by their improved mechanical processes than can be made under the old-fashioned handicraft system. They manufacture watches of every grade, from a good, low-priced, and substantial article, in solid silver hunting cases, especially adapted to the wants of the farmer and lumberman; to the finest chronometer for the navigator; and also ladies' watches in plain gold or the finest enameled and jeweled cases, but the indispensable requisite of all their watches is that they shall be good **Timekeepers**. It should be remembered that, except their single lowest grade named "Home Watch Company, Boston," all watches made by them

#### Are Fully Warranted

by a special certificate given to the purchaser of every watch by the seller, and this warranty is good at all times against the Company or its agents.

ROBBINS & APPLETON,  
182 Broadway, New York.  
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158 Washington St., Boston.  
General Agents.  
ROBERT WILKES,  
Toronto and Montreal.  
Agent for Canada.

### ROCKWOOD ACADEMY.

COMMERCIAL, MATHEMATICAL AND CLASSICAL

The Thirty-Fourth Semi-Annual Session commences on the 15th August.

THIS Institution is better located, more economical, and presents a more thorough, varied and extensive curriculum of studies than any other private institution in the Dominion, comprising—

- 1st. A thorough English Education, including the higher mathematics, with special reference to the wants of first-class Teachers at the present time.
- 2nd. A complete Commercial course, affording instructions of the most practical kind in every department of Book-keeping, as Banking, Steam Boat and Railroad, Domestic and Foreign Shipping, Commission, Exchange, Business correspondence, and routine, Commercial Law and Arithmetic, Plain and Ornamental Penmanship, &c.
- 3rd. A preparatory Classical course for the University or the professions.

The best of references given if required.  
Pupils received at any time during the session.  
Terms: Tuition, board, and washing, \$20 per month, including quarter. Classes, \$10 each per annum extra.  
Send for a Circular.  
McCAIG & McMILLAN,  
August 1, 1867. daw 4in

### PRESTON MINERAL BATHS AND SULPHUR SPRINGS.

MINERAL BATHS, now so favorably known, are open for the accommodation of the public. The Springs which supply these Baths possess Medicinal qualities not surpassed by any other in America. The grounds are fitted up in a suitable manner, and the house is prepared to furnish every comfort and luxury to all who may avail themselves of the Preston Mineral Baths.  
S. CORNELL,  
Preston, 13th July, 1867.

### Singer Sewing Machine FOR SALE.

FOR SALE a first-class Family A. Singer Sewing Machine, quite new. These machines are acknowledged to be the best made, and have now a world-wide reputation. For further partic-

### New Advertisements.

# GUELPH

## BOOT & SHOE FACTORY

### WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

# F. PREST

BEGS to inform his friends and customers that he has taken into partnership Mr. W. D. HEPBURN, for the purpose of manufacturing our own goods, which we will sell as low as any of the Montreal or Penitentiary goods can be sold, and we will guarantee to supply

## BOOTS AND SHOES

Worth at least FIFTY PER CENT. more than any other Manufactured Goods sold in the Dominion of Canada.

We have long felt the necessity of bringing into market a better class of Boots and Shoes than we ever have been able to procure, and we now are prepared to offer better goods, and at

### AS LOW A PRICE AS ANY HOUSE in the TRADE

NO MATTER WHAT THEIR PRETENSIONS MIGHT BE.

WE ARE NOW SELLING OFF OUR

## Summer Stock of Imported Goods

### AT COST PRICE.

And we are determined to supply our customers with **BOOTS AND SHOES** which cannot fail to give perfect satisfaction.

## COUNTRY MERCHANTS

are invited to call and examine our goods before purchasing elsewhere, as we are prepared to sell Goods at wholesale which, for quality, cannot be excelled.

### SUPPORT HOME MANUFACTURE!

And buy your Boots and Shoes from **PREST & HEPBURN.**

DON'T FORGET THE PLACE.

## The Old Penitentiary Boot and Shoe Store!

REPAIRING DONE AS USUAL.

# PREST & HEPBURN.

Guelph, 1st August, 1867. (dw-1y)

## THE RUSSELL WATCH!

### A FEW REASONS THAT MAKE IT SUPERIOR TO ALL COMERS.

- 1st.—It proves itself a reliable time-keeper beyond all question.
- 2nd.—The RUSSELL WATCH being made on correct and scientific principles, it must follow as a natural consequence that it will keep time.
- 3rd.—Each part of which the RUSSELL WATCH is composed is a reflex of the perfect machine by which, under skilful direction, it is produced.
- 4th.—Truth is the essential of each part.
- 5th.—Uniformity and conformity must therefore characterize the several parts in fulfilling the purpose for which they are made and brought together.
- 6th.—Reproduction, as regards watch work, is simply an application of the principle that "things which are equal to the same things are equal to one another," and if there is any merit, the RUSSELL WATCH possesses that merit to a demonstration.
- 7th.—The greatest variety of price, quality and size, that confidence and perfection will admit, afforded by the RUSSELL WATCH.
- 8th.—The RUSSELL WATCH stands pre-eminently above all competitors for public favor and patronage.
- 9th.—Proofs of the foregoing—the universal testimony of all Watch-makers who have sold, and the positive statements of the thousands in Europe, the United States and Canada, who have worn the RUSSELL WATCH.

### TESTIMONIAL.

To Robert Cuthbert, Watchmaker, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

If Society was as perfect in its organization, and was as obedient to the dictates of truth as the RUSSELL WATCH, I doubt not that its illustrious time, could well be swallowed up in a single, and happy hour would become instantaneous.

G. BENNE, Guelph.

### IMPORTANT!

## ROBERT CUTHBERT,

WATCHMAKER, WYNDHAM-ST., GUELPH,

has always on hand a large variety of the celebrated RUSSELL WATCHES. His stock of Clocks, Jewelry and Fancy Goods will be found equally large and attractive.

Guelph, 26th July, 1867. dw-1f

### Boarding and Day School for Young Ladies,

CHURCH STREET, - - GUELPH.

MISS WIGHTMAN begs to announce that her

### ANGLO-AMERICAN HOTEL,

MOUNT FOREST, ON.

BEST accommodation for the travelling public. The choicest brands of Wines, Liquors, Cigars, &c., always on hand. The largest and best Music Hall in town is attached to this hotel. Miss Wightman begs to announce that her



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## New Advertisements. TO PRINTER BOYS.

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## Apprentices Wanted.

WANTED, three apprentices to the tailoring business. Enquire at **JOHN HILLS**, Merchant Tailor, Guelph, 20th July, 1867. Quebec Street.

## Mourning Stationery

**A FULL ASSORTMENT!**  
CHEAP!

**AT DAY'S BOOKSTORE,**  
OPPOSITE THE MARKET.  
Guelph, 20th July, 1867.

## THE BEST OF STATIONERY!

**AT THE LOWEST PRICE,**

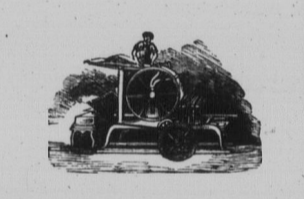
**AT DAY'S BOOKSTORE,**  
OPPOSITE THE MARKET.  
Guelph, 20th July, 1867.

## THE EVENING MERCURY

CHEAP BOOK AND JOB

## PRINTING HOUSE!

**McLACAN AND INNES,**  
Guelph, 20th July, 1867.



## REMOVED

Their Printing Establishment to more extensive and commodious premises, specially erected for the requirements of their extensive business.

## JOB PRINTING

In connection with the EVENING and WEEKLY MERCURY Newspapers we have the Largest and most complete JOB DEPARTMENT west of the City of Toronto. We have within the past few days added an immense assortment of

## Beautiful New Scotch Type,

Imported direct from Millar & Richards, Edinburgh. We have also in constant operation

## THREE POWER AND TWO HAND PRESSES,

This enabling us to turn out work on the shortest possible notice. Having such facilities at our command, employing none but the best workmen, and using good stock, we enjoy great advantages in the execution of all kinds of

## PLAIN AND ORNAMENTAL

**BOOK and JOB PRINTING.**  
Our charges in the future, as in the past, will be moderate, at least.

## 20 per Cent. under any other Office in the County,

While the style and quality of the work will be fully up to that of the large cities.

## THE BUSINESS MAN

Will find it specially to his advantage to give us a call and examine specimens and learn prices.

## All Orders by Post Promptly attended to.

**McLACAN & INNES,**  
EVENING MERCURY OFFICE.

## GUELPH POST OFFICE.

Arrival and Delivery of Mails.

DELIVERY.		CLOSURE.	
A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
Hamilton.....	8.00 12.30	6.30 4.15	
Great Western.....	8.00 12.30	6.30 4.15	
Grand Trunk, west.....	8.30 9.30		
Toronto.....	10.30 6.30 9.30 2.30		
Arkel,			
Eden Mills,			
Nassagawee,			
Campbellville,	6.30 10.30		
Lovville,			
Nelson,			
Wellington Square,			
Aberfoyle,			
Freelton,			
Greenville,			
Morrison,	6.30 10.30		
Puslinch,			
Strabane,			
Erinosa,			
Everton,	Monday, Wedly. & Friday,		
Ospingbe,	11.30 12.30		
Elom.....	8.00 1.50 12.30 9.00		
Fergus.....	8.00 1.50 12.30 9.00		
Marden.....	1.30 12.30		
Posnably.....	1.30 12.30		
Alma.....	8.00 1.30 12.30 9.00		
Wynford.....	8.00 1.30 12.30 9.00		
Montreal.....	10.30 6.30 2.30		
Grand Trunk, east.....	10.30 6.30 2.30		
Orangeville.....	10.30 6.30 2.30		
Way Mail, between	10.30 2.50		
Guelph & Toronto,			
Guelph.....	8.00 A.M. 4.15		
Berlin.....	10.30 3.30 P.M. 5.30		
Waterloo.....	10.30 3.30 9.30 5.30		

Guelph P. O., July 23, 1867.

## TRAVELLERS' GUIDE.

**GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.**

GOING EAST.		GOING WEST.	
Mail.	Day Express.	Day Express.	Mixed.
.....	9.45 a.m.	.....	9.45 a.m.
Day Express	2.55 p.m.	Eve. Express	3.33 p.m.
.....	4.45 p.m.	.....	4.50 p.m.
Night Ex.	2.45 a.m.	Night Ex.	2.45 a.m.

**GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY.**

ARRIVE AT GUELPH.		DEPART.	
Mixed.	Accommodation	Mixed.	Accommodation
.....	11.10 a.m.	.....	7.40 a.m.
.....	11.40 a.m.	.....	1.45 p.m.
Do.	9.10 p.m.	.....	4.50 p.m.

## PROSPECTUS

OF THE

## GUELPH EVENING MERCURY

HAVING removed to their new office in THE MERCURY BUILDING, Marlborough Street, opposite the Great Western Hotel Stables, the publishers have determined, in view of the elections, to issue an

**Evening Edition of "The Mercury."**

It will appear every afternoon (Sundays excepted) at 5 o'clock, and will be furnished to subscribers in town and country at 84 a year, paid strictly in advance. Subscribers in town will be taken by the carrier. Subscribers in town will be supplied by our own carrier boys, by leaving their names and residence at the office. Single copies 1d., and may be had of the boys on the street, or at M. Shewan's and T. J. Day's Bookstores.

The Mercury will contain the latest telegraphic news of every thing that transpires of importance from all parts of the country, including the daily despatches by the Atlantic cable, the New York, Montreal, Guelph, and other Markets.

Special attention will be paid to Local News. Full and impartial reports of all public meetings will be given, due notice will be taken of all public improvements, and everything of an interesting character transpiring in the town or county will be fully recorded in its pages.

General and Miscellaneous news, and reading adapted for the family, carefully selected with a view to their moral benefit, and the ordinary staff, will find their due place in THE EVENING MERCURY. The aim of the publishers is to make it a welcome and profitable visitor to every family in town.

Every care and attention will be given to its editorial columns. Besides the ordinary staff, arrangements have been made for occasional supply of editorial and other contributions, and correspondence from the most important points, and prospects under the newly inaugurated Dominion, the agitation of political parties in working out Confederation, and the results that such agitation will lead to, will be discussed in a temperate and impartial spirit. The great principles of Reform, by the exercise of which alone we believe the prosperity of this country will be secured, shall be on all occasions faithfully and earnestly inculcated. At the same time no abuse, no unseasonable language, nothing of a personal character, shall mark our discussion of public questions. We shall in short spare no pains or expense to make THE EVENING MERCURY an interesting and reliable newspaper, in every respect worthy of public patronage.

## TO ADVERTISERS.

As we have already secured a large subscription list, the advertiser will find it a valuable medium for communicating with the public. Advertisements will be inserted at reasonable rates, and a considerable reduction will be made for contracts for a lengthened period.

## THE WEEKLY MERCURY.

THE WEEKLY MERCURY has now been enlarged to 40 columns—ten columns on each page—thus making it by far the largest weekly newspaper published in Canada, out of Toronto. It contains a third more reading matter than any weekly paper published in the County. It contains a complete weekly summary of all the important news by special and other telegrams, the local and other markets, besides a large quantity of excellent and carefully selected miscellaneous family reading, and weekly instalments of a first-class story. It is published every Friday morning, and mailed to subscribers, or delivered in town at 84 a year, strictly in advance, otherwise 82 at the end of the year. No deviation from this rule. THE WEEKLY has now a far larger circulation than any other paper published in Guelph, and it is extensively read in all the surrounding Counties. It is the best advertising medium west of Toronto, as is shown by the fact that it has a large advertising patronage. It has enjoyed for more than five years. Advertisements inserted at the usual rates, and a liberal discount made to those who advertise by the year.

Copies of THE WEEKLY MERCURY are also for sale at the Bookstores of M. Shewan and T. J. Day.

**McLACAN & INNES, PUBLISHERS.**

Mercury Building, Marlborough-st., Guelph, July 20, 1867.

Weekly Exchanges inserting the above a few lines will be entitled to the Daily.

## Sardines & Lobsters

JUST RECEIVED  
A LOT OF

## Fresh Sardines AND LOBSTERS,

At **JOHN A. WOOD'S.**  
Guelph, July 22. dtf

## Pickled Beef!

**MUTTON & PORK.**

FOR SALE over 2,000 lbs. Pickled Beef, Mutton, and Pork, at

**At Five Cents per pound**  
Warranted sweet and of first quality. Always on hand, Hams, Bacon and Shoulders—Prime cured. A large quantity of leaf Lard on hand—the best in the market.  
At the Glasgow Ham Cure's, Wynham Street, opposite Hazleton's Furniture Warehouse.

## Evening Mercury.

FRIDAY EVENING, AUGUST 2.

## General News.

☞ Bread is seventy-five per cent dearer in New York than in England.

☞ The Sunday Gazette says: "It is expected that the Imperial Parliament will be prorogued about August 17th."

Sir Morton Peto's creditors are likely to get about three cents on a dollar of the fifty or sixty millions of dollars due them.

☞ In Bridgeport, Ct., the other day, a lad fell into the water and was frightened into a fit, so that respiration being suspended, he floated and was saved.

☞ Two American gents of the African persuasion are matched to eat liver for a prize in Ohio. The time allowed is 25 minutes, and the winner gains a silver-mounted toothpick.

At a christening, while the minister was giving the certificate, he happened to say—"Let me see, this is the 30th." "The thirtieth!" exclaimed the indignant mother; "indeed it is only the eleventh!"

☞ In accordance with the decision made to by the Trustees the General Hospital at Toronto was closed yesterday. It is surmised that another effort will be made to procure money sufficient to keep it open until Parliament meets, when it is expected that a grant will be made.

The Free Press, not satisfied with the now generally accepted nomenclature of the hybrid Cabinet—albeit conferred by Sandfield himself—(viz: the "Grand Patent Combination")—has set his inventive genius to work, and now dubs them "The Composites!" Bully for the Composites!

A country paper in Ohio prints this marriage notice—"Married up town the other day, at Mrs. Williams's, Mr. William Williams, of Williamsport, to his cousin, Miss Lizzie Williams. For further particulars see small Bills."

☞ A Mr. Rice, residing near Fredinburg, Ind., while in his cherry grove a few evenings since, was stung on the upper lip by a bee. He started for the house, calling to his mother for some remedy, laughingly remarking that a bee had stung him. The remedy was applied, but in half an hour the man was speechless, and soon after a corpse.

☞ A correspondent of the Perth Courier, in a letter discussing the actions of Mr. Macdougall, adds a postscript as follows:—"I would just mention a rather remarkable coincidence which I want my fellow electors to make a note of, and it is this: That the same week in which Macdougall forsook his party and joined the Tories, his family forsook the Presbyterian Church and joined a congregation ministered to by a Puseyite High Church Tory. Isn't this significant?"

☞ The Standard announces that the French Government had decided to revert, in great part, to the old style of uniform for the infantry. The short tunic will be replaced by one having ample skirts reaching to the knees, with pockets behind. The trousers will be without folds or braiding, and be supplied with pockets. The headress will be a casquette with a large peak. The reason for the change is the alleged superior healthiness, comfort, and elegance of the old uniform.

☞ It has been estimated that the number of Catholics in the United States in 1830 was 440,000; in 1840 it was 960,000, and 4,400,000 in 1860. According to these estimates the Catholics double in number every ten years, and in 1870 we shall have eight or nine millions, or one-fifth of the whole population. Seventy-five years ago the United States did not have a single Catholic Bishop.

☞ A report is now going round, that a meeting is to be held at Wyoming, in County of Lambton, for the purpose of nominating candidates to oppose Messrs. Alex. McKenzie and Pardee. Hon. Wm. McDougall will be present to argue with the people concerning duty. He might go to many a place where he would be more thought of.

☞ It is stated that from a single railway station at Cobden, Union county, on the Illinois Central Railroad, forty-two miles north of Cairo, there was shipped, chiefly to Chicago, between the 15th of May and the 16th of June, 260,920 quarts of strawberries. The average value of these berries was about twenty cents a quart, or over \$52,000 for the whole, a trifle more than one half of which went to the growers, making a very pretty little sum for a month's sales of the small fruits of a single neighborhood.

☞ In Paris it is whispered that a cloud has recently arisen between France and Russia, and that a certain degree of coolness in their relations is the consequence. The London Globe says: "We firmly believe that we shall soon see a great war in Europe, in which France and her allies will be opposed to the colossal power of Russia and Prussia. In such a contest we do not think it doubtful which way the sympathies of this country will go."

☞ A young fellow came to Chicago from Louisiana with ten thousand dollars last week, to marry a girl to whom he had long been engaged. He lost his all at a gambling table, and tried to drown himself in the river, but was rescued. He then went to hotel, ordered two bottles of wine, laid his revolver on the table, and wrote a note to a friend stating that he had killed himself. The friend rushed up there, and found him dead—drunk on the floor. He had apparently intended to kill himself while under the influence of liquor, but took too much.

Riot.—A disgraceful party fight occurred near Liverpool, on the 12th July. The Orangemen in the district of Helens made a demonstration on that day, and were walking in procession when they were attacked by a party of Roman Catholics, who had taken offence at the tunes played by the Orangemen, and made an attack on them. Fighting lasted, with swords and sticks, for several hours, and a large number received horrible wounds. Several parties were arrested.

☞ Our readers will doubtless remember the fact that an engine-driver of the Grand Trunk Railway recently saved the life of a child, at the risk of his own, by catching it up while the train was in motion. Some gentlemen, desirous of showing their appreciation of this noble act, subscribed various sums, which were transmitted to the Railway authorities to the amount of \$42, and we are glad to learn that Messrs. Brydges, Hickson and other gentlemen connected with the railway, added their subscriptions, by which on the whole, a sum was made up sufficient to purchase a small gold watch and chain. This has been presented to Mr. Garipey, after having a suitable inscription placed upon it, with a proper address.

☞ A writer to the New York Gazette contrasting Spurgeon with Beecher, says:—"No man in the world understands his physical system better than Mr. Beecher. His eating, sleeping, exercise all conform to the laws of health. He is thoroughly temperate in all respects. He has reached half a century with a sound constitution in a healthy body, and has twenty-five years service in him yet. Spurgeon is a young man. His fleshy appearance and the gout that has already overtaken him show that physical laws must be obeyed as well as moral. Mr. Beecher lives plainly, is simple in his dress and in his habits, and if met in the street would sooner be taken for an expressman in a hurry for the cars than a minister.—Spurgeon dresses in true English clerical style, is a free liver, dispenses an elegant hospitality, keeps his coach and coachman, lives in a fine mansion, and boasts as good a turn out as the Archbishop of Canterbury.

LOCATING THE HEAD WATERS OF THE OTTAWA.—A surveying party who left Ottawa in March last, under the direction of the government, to ascertain the length of the Ottawa river, and locate its head waters, has returned. The party reports the length of the river to be about a thousand miles instead of five hundred, as supposed. They found while ascertaining the course of the river, Lake Gros, said to be four hundred miles in circumference. They were met by a tribe of Indians, who at first refused to allow them to proceed; but after explanations they held a council of war, and the surveying party were allowed to pursue their journey. Navigation from Lake Temiscaming to Lake Grés is impeded by numerous rapids beyond Lake Gros to near the source of the Ottawa. The source of the Ottawa is said to be within fifty miles of the head waters of the Saguenay. The explorers encountered large quantities of ice on Lake Gros on the 24th of May. The natives are Pagans. The men have a plurality of wives.

WHAT WILL BRISTOL'S SARSAPARILLA DO.—Ask the question of the shroud of humanity, James Wyckoff, saved alive, nay, restored to health when half consumed by scrofula—of John West, of Rainsville, Indiana, who was dying of scrofulous consumption—of Erastus Cross, of Darien Centre, New York, for four years a sufferer from nasal cancer—of Mrs. Hannah Eddy, of East Hamburg, New York, distorted by chronic Rheumatism—of Mrs. Van Dooser, of Granby, Oswego Co., New York, who had fifteen running ulcers on her right knee—of Mrs. Whitney, of Buffalo, who was reduced to a live skeleton by external disease. They will answer, that after eminent physicians had pronounced their death-warrant, Bristol's SARSAPARILLA not only respited them, but restored and made them whole. In every city, town, and village in the Union, may be found men, women and children who will make the same response. For sale by all Druggists.

Under the penny postage system, the receipts of the British Post Office have increased prodigiously. In the estimate of Post Office revenue, in 1867-8, lately submitted to the House of Commons by the Chancellor of the Exchequer, \$23,250,000 was set down as the probable sum for the year; and from the revenue returns for the June quarter, just published, it appears that the anticipated income is likely to become fully realized, the quarter's receipts being no less than \$5,750,000. The London Times questions the policy of reaping so large an income from the Post Office, and suggests whether its surplus revenue might not be turned to account, and its operations made still more beneficial, either by reduced rates of carriage, or

## Local News.

☞ We are in receipt of the Guelph Evening Mercury, a well edited and neatly printed sheet which should be largely patronized.—Huron Signal.

☞ They have lately had a tremendous thunder-storm near Brockville, during which hailstones as large as pigeons' eggs came down doing an immense amount of damage.

☞ The By-law submitted to the rate-payers of the Township of Proton on Friday last, to grant \$15,000 to the Durham and Angus scheme, was defeated by a vote of something like two to one.

The proprietors of the Guelph Mercury have started a daily edition of that paper, which is quite in keeping with the thriving town of Guelph.—Montreal Witness.

☞ The Reformers of South Bruce are now perfectly confident of a glorious victory for Rastall and Blake. Such a canvass has never been witnessed in the County.

☞ It is reported that the contracts are to be let, and work immediately commenced, on the Durham and Angus Railway. Mr. F. Shanley is now exploring the route, preparatory to making an actual survey.

ROCKWOOD ACADEMY.—We beg leave to call attention to the advertisement of this Academy in to-day's paper. We have had occasion more than once to speak of this Academy in terms of the highest praise. It never was in a more efficient state than at present, and as the holidays will soon be over, this is an excellent time to make arrangements for starting with the new session.

☞ The Mount Forest Examiner has been shown a sample of fall wheat grown on the farm of Mr. John Mains, of Egremont. It is fully ripe, of good shape and colour, untouched by insects, and promises an abundant yield. Mr. McIntyre, of Egremont, has also shown us a splendid sample of wheat, not so ripe as Mr. Mains' but of excellent appearance, which, he estimates, will yield forty bushels to the acre.

☞ The employees of the Great Western Railway are having their great annual excursion and picnic to-day. The place where it is being held is Waubano, seven miles west of London. Prizes for superiority in various games are to be awarded, and among the rest is a \$50 gold medal. There are numerous others of value, such as rings, chains and scarfpins. This festival is always a grand affair.

☞ A mowing match took place on the farm of Mr. Henry Christian, near Elmira, between a machine made by Mr. Watson, of Ayr, and a Ball's Ohio, manufactured by Mr. Hall, of Oshawa. An attempt to cut the heavy, lying, matted grass with the Ayr machine failed, but Mr. Hall's agent accomplished the task with the greatest ease. This is considered a great triumph for Ball's Ohio.

FIRST NEW WHEAT.—To-day, (Friday) Mr. John G. Wright, of Woodwich, brought to market a load of midge-proof wheat, the first of the season, and the finest sample perhaps, that has been seen in the market for a twelvemonth. It was bought by Mr. A. H. R. Kennedy, for \$1.50 (silver) per bushel.

☞ The Halton Herald says: The greater portion of the fall wheat throughout this County has been safely harvested, and a more bountiful crop has not been grown for years. The spring wheat is rather short, owing to the dryness of the season, but there will be an average yield. The great enemy to this crop, the weevil, has done little or no damage in this County, for which we should all be thankful.

## Police Court.

Before T. W. SAUNDERS, Esq., Police Magistrate.

This morning Hugh Moon charged Lawrence McFarrell with being disorderly, that is, that he made a most unseemly noise on the road opposite his house, on Queen street, at a very early hour on Thursday morning last. When asked if he had any questions to put to the Witness, he replied, "Not a ha'porth." Fined \$1 and costs.

## The Mormon Troubles.

The New York Tribune speaks as follows, concerning the troubles in Utah.—Not by any means for the first time in his remarkable career, Brigham Young is in difficulties, and he is meeting them with his usual boldness and sagacity. The short and ready resource of such a hierarch is to excommunicate his antagonists; and Brigham, we must allow, excommunicates with all the promptitude and audacity of a Hildebrand. He has already publicly consigned to damnation Hyde, the President of the Twelve Apostles, together with Lyman and Pratt, both of them apostolic gentlemen. There is a grand schism, with Young upon one side, and Joseph Smith, jr., upon the other—the first the leader of the Utah Mormons, and the second of the Western Mormons, who are not gathered into the fold. Smith has recently carried the war into Utah itself, and has had the impudence to make converts to his side under Brigham Young's own nose, ridiculing his sacred revelations, his doctrines of polygamy and blood-atonement, and his claims to be regarded as the head of the Church. This has aroused Young to unusual exertions, nor will he yield an inch of his power or his doctrine without making a good fight for the same. While he lives, it is not probable that in Utah his extraordinary hold upon the popular heart will be materially diminished. Authority like that which he possesses is neither to be won nor lost in a day. Of course, there is in Utah, as everywhere else, the usual proportion of sneaking knaves and of snuffling hypocrites, of men who merely like the coarse sensuality of the creed, and of women who feebly yield to its intellectual and moral absurdities to-day as they would accept others to-morrow; but a man cannot govern a community almost absolutely for many years, and especially an isolated community, without securing an habitual deference. This becomes fixed in the old, and is accepted without question by the young, and there is no reason why it should not last for the life-time of its object. Unfortunately, prophets are mortal. Brigham's weak point is that some morning he will be taken sick and die. All the most powerful prophets, both men and women, who have received this mortality, and

some of them in the century. But time wore on, and their word left grew smaller, and of them have emigrated are not learned in the we believe Brigham's second-coming; and the chances are according to appearance, part, and then we see Kilkenny scribbled Twelve Apostles' heads without shepherd leading of and the other emulating in his turn, ment becomes pro of the Saints, its diminished head and thin community, and we see nothing to

## TO-DAY TELEGRAMS

Special Despatches

## From Ten

New York, Aug. 2.—ville special says Brown-terror by 2,000 most radical ticket is elected no disturbance in the S

## From New

New York, Aug. 2.—ra reported in this city undoubtedly genuine.

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Cincinnati, Aug. 2.—elderly Scotchman, resur-ubs, was yesterday gu-bull.

## From San F

San Francisco, Aug. 1.—report mining news in Skirmishes with Indians, sionally. Gen. McDow- been called to the sal- by the troops to other slaughter them.

## From New O

New York, Aug. 2nd.—says information from Ne- cates that Admiral Tegel- will be futile, as the body has been already placed on off Vera Cruz.

Government has inform- British claimants of cotton settlement, as they are impounding of all their country.

## From Wash

The Tribune's special settlement of the Alab- acquisition of British O- abandoned, it having ticable.

The Herald's Wash- the public debt statu- contraction, while they be shown to be ab- lions.

## From St.

St. Louis, Aug. 1.—Allen was sunk in the near Claysville, yester-lued at \$65,000.

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London, Aug. 1.—leaders of the Reform have made arrange- grand meeting of the Reform in Hyde Park next, for the purpose against any cutting of chise extended by as it passed the Ho- An immense attend- To-day was the Goodwood Races, eluded the great on viz: the race for the The attendance was the scenes of "Vauban," the de- he had also won. The leading horses following order:—"V dal" 2; "Regal" 3. The bullion in the has increased 49 past week.

## From

Paris, Aug. 2.—Russian loan is market next week.

## From

Dublin, Aug. 1.—ported distress in Conemara, from much exaggerated now assumed aspect.

## From

Brussels, also, the Capital.

Vienna, France, of car-



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Office has been removed to the old Mercury building, and in rear of...

Mercury

ANG, AUGUST 2.

Mexico.

begun to make such a magnificent card-playing, and his wisdom has forsaken...

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The Yelverton Case.

Probably, as rascals, are usually rated by plain, blunt speakers, there is not at present in Her Britannic Majesty's dominions a greater rascal than Major Yelverton...

We remember reading carefully some years ago the voluminous report of the Irish trial, which went through all the facts in the case...

By what equity, then, can a man be allowed to plead his own wrong and to take advantage of his own crime? This is precisely what the Major does...

Two young lady missionary collectors entered a hotel in a town not fifty miles from Kingston, a few days ago, and appealed to the better principles of a couple of bachelor friends...

We are in receipt of several papers from Britain, sent us by some of our townsmen, now travelling there, but as the writing of even the initials of the party mailing a paper is now prohibited by law...

BIRTHS.

GREEN—In Mount Forest, on the 25th ult., the wife of Mr. James Gregor of a son.

MARRIAGES.

LILLIE WELLS—At Toronto, on the 21st ult., by the Rev. A. Lillie, B. D., A. W. Lillie, Esq., Solicitor, Guelph, to Mary, second daughter of the late Mr. George Wells, of Toronto.

DEATHS.

BUCKLAND—In Eboraco, on the 1st inst., of Typhoid Fever, Fannie E., eldest child of S. P. Buckland, teacher, aged 5 years.

New Advertisements.

STOLEN OR STRAYED.

STOLEN or strayed from Guelph, on the 28th of July last, a large RED COW, with large horns, and in good condition. Any person giving such information as will lead to her recovery will be handsomely rewarded.

GEO. PATTERSON, Libby's Hotel, (dw-1w) Guelph, 2nd Aug., 1867.

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The new anesthetic agents used for extracting teeth without pain.

R. TROTTER, W. K. GRAHAM, Guelph, 2nd August, 1867. (dw-1y)

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Guelph, 2nd August, 1867. (dw-2m)

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Ripe Tomatoes, Lemons, Cherries, &c. Also, a varied stock of General Groceries and Fancy Goods.

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Guelph, August 1, 1867. (dw)

JUST RECEIVED, One Ton Rannie's Celebrated Cheese!

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GEORGE WILKINSON, Guelph, 20th July, 1867. (d)

TO YOUNG MEN.

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W. B., Dentist, 81 King-st., East Toronto, Toronto, 17th July, 1867. 4n

FARM FOR SALE.

FOR sale, in the Township of Guelph, County of Bruce, 100 acres of splendid land, about 35 acres cleared, with log house and stables, being lot No. 24, 14th Concession of the Township of Guelph, 2 1/2 miles from Treasurer's, and near the gravel road. There is a fine spring creek running through the lot, and the timber is unsurpassed. It is in one of the finest wheat growing sections of Canada. The soil is limestone and clay loam. This eligible farm is now offered for the low price of \$1,700, for which a clear deal from the Crown will be given. Address (post-office) SAMUEL SORTLEY, Guelph, 20th July, 1867. (dw) Guelph P. O.

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McCAIG & McMILLAN, August 1, 1867. (dw 1u)

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S. CORNELL, Preston, 11th July, 1867.

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5th—Uniformity and conformity must therefore characterize the several parts in fulfilling the purpose for which they are made and brought together.

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9th—Proofs of the foregoing—the universal testimony of all Watchmakers who have sold, and the positive statements of the thousands in Europe, the United States and Canada, who have worn the RUSSELL WATCH.

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FRIDAY EVENING, AUGUST 2.

**NORAH CUSHALEEN**

**HAUNTED CASTLE.**

**CHAPTER IV.—THE SMUGGLERS' CAVE.—THE DISCOVERY.**

'Your father was unfortunate, then?' queried Hargreave.

'Troth and he was just that same,' answered Terry, a shadow darkening his face.

'He fell into difficulties?' added the youth.

'He was trapped into them,' said Terry, fiercely. 'Twenty years agoe Michael Cushaleen was as prosperous a man as lived in Dundarra, but that was in the colonel's time. His death was poverty to many, but it was ruin to ould Michael; but maybe yer honour knows something about it.'

'Who—? How should I?' asked Hargreave with a start.

'I ask yer honour's pardon, but I thought you might, as you are going to Dundarra.'

'Ah, true, but I know nothing of the place or the people. I never was in Ireland before, and have come now to spend a pleasant summer in yachting and sketching. I have heard that there is some fine mountain scenery in the neighbourhood of Dundarra.'

'None better in Ireland, yer honour, and that is saying a mighty great deal.'

'But pray tell me about your father, for I feel interested. Is he a tenant on the Dundarra-estate?'

'He was then, but a dirty-backguard ruined him, and sent me across the say to try and mend our fortunes. I have succeeded, and if the ould man is still to the fore, his evening of life will be better nor the afternoon has been.'

'Some unprincipled scoundrel and adventurer took advantage of his good nature to over-reach him, I suppose,' said Hargreave.

'No, yer honour, that wasn't it. It was an unprincipled scoundrel that took advantage of his power to crush him—one Jacob O'Brady, who got the management of the estate, and a purty management he has made of it.'

'Has he been an oppressor?' inquired the youth with apparent indifference, though a more acute observer than what Terry was at the moment, easily understood that the indifference was assumed.

'An oppressor?' echoed the Irishman, in a bitter tone. 'A blacker-hearted scoundrel doesn't walk on two feet. No sooner did the news come the colonel was dead, and that he had got all the power, than the rints were raised. My father had the best farm on the property, and O'Brady wanted it; so he raised the rint and raised the rint, till we were made beggars, and my father and Norah went to live in a little cabin, or he broke stones or cut hedges, or did any hard work that come. I could not bear to see him working side by side with those he used to hire, nor could I have kept my hands off the blackguard who had robbed us of our all, so I took myself off to the new world, and had a bit o' luck at diggings, and here I am back to ould Ireland to live and die.'

'But why don't the tenants at Dundarra acquaint the proprietor with their wrongs?' asked Hargreave, who seemed much interested in the matter.

'Where would be the use of that same?' rejoined Terry. 'Sure the colonel's son doesn't care anything about it. He couldn't have done anything even had he wanted afore he came of age, but that is some years now, only he's not an Irishman born, and never saw the country. If he gets the rint from O'Brady, that's all he wants with Dundarra. But yer honour had better go to sleep now.—You'll find any o' the beds soft and fresh. I'll sit and watch Norah.'

Acting on this suggestion, Hargreave sought repose on one couch, Andrew on another, and Dash on a third.

Terry took his place by the bedside of the mother and child, who still slept the calm sleep of innocence.

**CHAPTER V.—REVELATION IN SLEEP.—NORAH RETURNS TO CONSCIOUSNESS.—PLANS FOR THE FUTURE.**

For several hours Norah slept in calm tranquillity, and Terry watched by her couch with wakeful earnestness. During the silence, while all the others slept he was busy with conjectures as to his sister's position, and what the circumstances might be which had placed her in that desperate condition from which she had been rescued. Was it an act of self-destruction, or an act of murder? Terry was almost convinced that it was the latter, and fierce and bitter thoughts darkened his mind—thoughts of vengeance deep and deadly, to be taken on the author of Norah's wrongs, whoever he might be.

He was recalled from his gloomy, wrathful musings by Norah suddenly stirring in a restless, uneasy manner. He held a torch towards her face, and saw that its colour and expression had both changed. Its marble paleness was gone, and a flush had mantled on either cheek while an expression of terror, or of extreme horror, was spread over her whole countenance. Her hands began to twitch nervously, and her breathing grew short and spasmodic.

'Oh, Malv'in, Malv'in,' she said in an abrupt manner. 'You will not leave me to perish. Dennis says you want me dead that you may marry another.—This is not true, Malv'in. Oh, say it is not true. Ah, he is not here! He is gone—let me to sink in the boat. Dennis, Dennis, you would not be so cruel. You would not kill me and my innocent babe. For heaven's sake take me to land. I will never trouble him. I will go far away with my child, and nobody shall ever know that I am his wife—never, never. Oh, spare me! Have mercy, Dennis—mercy—mercy—mercy—mercy!'

**TO BE CONTINUED.**

Pompey, an individual of sable hue,

**New Advertisements.**

**REMOVAL.**

**THE MISSES ELLIS** will continue to carry on the Straw and other Millinery work, at their residence, next to Mr. Pirie's, East Market Square. Guelph, 30th July, 1867. [dw]

**NOTICE.**

**ALL parties are warned** against negotiating for a note drawn in favor of John C. Burwell for the sum of twenty-five dollars (\$25), as I have received no value for the same. The note was drawn at one year, from 31st May, 1867. HUGH BLACK, 31a

Ermosa, 18th July, 1867.

**MARE STRAYED.**

**CAME to the premises of the subscriber,** on Sunday the 14th instant, a brown mare.—The owner can have her by proving property and paying expenses. ANGLUS SMITH, Lot 30, 4th Concession, Erin. 3-1w

Erin, 25th July, 1867.

**MRS. BUDD'S SCHOOL.**

**MRS. W. BUDD'S** pupils will re-assemble on Monday the 19th of August. Music, French and Drawing by first-class teachers. Norfolk-st., Guelph, 1st Aug., 1867. (dw-1w)

**To Whom it may Concern.**

**DO you know that McLAREN** is selling Men's, Women's and Children's Boots and Shoes at Wholesale Prices. Call see, believe. W. McLAREN, Manufacturer and Wholesale Dealer. Guelph, 20th June, 1867.

**MISS WHYTE'S CLASSES.**

**WILL commence on MONDAY, the 2nd of September, 1867. A first-class DRAWING Teacher in attendance.** Guelph, 18th July, 1867.

**Team, Waggon & Harness FOR SALE.**

**FOR SALE** a good Team of Horses, with Waggon and harness, all in good order. Apply at THE MERCURY OFFICE, Macdonnell Street. Guelph, July 23, 1867. daw-4f

**Hotel in Fergus To Let.**

**TO LET for a term of five years,** from the 15th December next, as may be agreed upon, that well-known Tavern in the Village of Fergus, known as the ST. ANTHON'S HOTEL. Possession given on the 15th December. The house is first-class. In fact it is one of the best Hotels with accommodations in Fergus. Size of Stable 136 feet deep—Driving Shed 50x2. Apply to ROBERT SCOTT, Lot 14, 9th Con., Nichol, Barnett P. O. Fergus, 27th June, 1867. 714

**CENTRE RIDING OF WELLINGTON.**

**To the Electors of the Centre Riding of Wellington.**

**GENTLEMEN**

As a representative of a large part of your Riding in the late Parliament of Canada, and the nominee of the Convention which met at Fergus on the 4th of April last, I beg to offer myself as a candidate in the Liberal interest, for the representation of the Centre Riding in the House of Commons of the Dominion of Canada.

Our new Constitution—the British North American Act—transfers the control of some interests from Parliament to the Legislatures, but enlarges the area and importance of those which remain, and adds others of grave consequence to the happiness and prosperity of the country. Confederation enlarges the field of Parliamentary action, but adds no new principle of government, which is to be conducted on "the well understood principles of the British Constitution." Vested in these long established principles, we may discard all pleas of necessity or expediency for new modes or unnatural alliances in Parliament or the Cabinet. The change or novelty of the situation need not, therefore, embarrass or deter us from forming clear notions upon the general features of the policy which should govern the new Dominion.

I will resolutely oppose any movement or agitation tending to dissolve the Confederation or divide the Dominion from the Empire, with a view either to independence or foreign alliance.

I will sedulously seek, by a fair spirit of compromise and concession, to reconcile sectional and individual interests where present, that this Union may become indissoluble and our new Constitution a success, gradually but surely promoting the prosperity and contentment of the whole people.

I will give my best consideration to such measures and such revision of our fiscal and commercial system as will secure a fair incidence of taxation, encourage agriculture, commerce and production, and open to our people an equitable and honorable terms the markets of the neighboring Republic, and of other foreign countries.

While holding liberal opinions on banking and currency, I will vigilantly watch and oppose any growing connection between any Banking Institution and the Government, or any measure which would bring the circulation and trade of the country under the control of a Private Corporation.—Any sound proposal to relieve the business of the Dominion from the inconvenience of a circulation of foreign coin will receive my warm support.

I will uniformly support the utmost economy in all branches of expenditure consistent with the public service and interest, and will oppose unnecessarily public works or improvements, and all extravagance in those undertaken. I hold that under ordinary circumstances, the first rule of sound finance is the maintenance of a revenue adequate to the charges upon it.

The present appropriation of the fertile portions of the North-west I consider an untimely misstep against which I am prepared to enforce the right of colonization, and to support such measures as will foster their settlement and civilization.

I will heartily support in connection with the mother country, such measures for the defence of the Dominion as its resources will permit, or as aggression or danger may demand. Under ordinary circumstances, I consider the volunteer system, liberally and efficiently maintained—simple, defensive provision.

The apportionment of local affairs to a separate Government and Legislature, removes them from the control of Parliament; but I will, by hearty co-operation with your representative in the Legislature, where possible, promote every local enterprise and improvement; and will further seek the promotion of local prosperity by supporting a prudent and economical but progressive policy in the affairs of the Dominion.

Over two centuries of parliamentary government in England have established the necessity or expediency of parties and political systems. Custom and experience are safer guides than new-fangled theories or the sophistries of desperate political doctrines. I believe the Confederate Government can be so wisely or successfully administered by the active but moderate conflict of parties, and I see no reason why our system should be required in its permanence and modification at its introduction. Government may be conducted without parties in a Republic, but not under the British system, which was made the corner stone of the Quebec Resolutions and the British North American Act. On these grounds, if there were none other, I should be opposed to the present Privy Council, because professing a non-party government. But the past public history of six of the nine Ministers representing Upper and Lower Canada, repels all thought of confidence in them as future administrators and legislators. The other three, by their recent display of a disaffected party spirit, I consider guilty of such a flagrant breach of party fidelity and honor as to be wholly unworthy of confidence in the new position. On constitutional principles and personal intimacy I have, therefore, no confidence in the present Privy Council. But that the people may judge, I will accord them single opportunity to develop their policy, before making in their judgment upon the present Local Government an outrage upon Upper Canada, and circumstances warrant us in presuming that it was formed under the unconstitutional interference of the Privy Council.

Our new Constitution, wisely and prudently administered, will, I solemnly believe, confer immense advantages on these Provinces. But the candid as the gentlemen now controlling the Privy Council conducted the affairs of Canada from 1854 to 1862, it can only result in disappointment, dissatisfaction and irreconcilable evil. A fair confidence, you may rely on my strict adherence to these views, and a general conformity with them on other subjects. I will dispassionately consider every new question as it arises, and decide to the best of my judgment for the present and future welfare of the Dominion.

I have the honor to be, Gentlemen, Your obedient Servant,

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Good Words  
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At DAYS'S, Guelph, 22nd July, 1867.

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**R. HOPKINS & CO.,**  
RESPECTFULLY inform the inhabitants of Guelph and surrounding country, that they are prepared to fill all orders for any quantity of  
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Guelph, July 23, 1867. daw-4f

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**FOR sale or rent,** the large and commodious old established Wellington Hotel, in the Village of Rockwood. The Hotel is now rebuilt, having recently been destroyed by fire. Stone Stables, Driving and Wood Sheds, and good Garden attached. For particulars apply to the proprietor.

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**ALEX. FERGUSON**  
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Licentiate of Upper Canada and Graduate in Medicine of University of Victoria College. Office and residence, Ainslie's Brick Building, opposite Knox's Church, Norfolk-St., Guelph. Special attention paid to diseases of Women and Children. Consultation days, Tuesdays and Fridays till noon. 674

**WILLIAM BROWNLOW,**

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**THE subscriber begs to return thanks for past favors, and hopes by prompt attention to business and moderate charges, to merit a continuance of public confidence. Coffins on hand or made to order, and funerals attended. All orders will receive prompt attention. A Hearse for hire.**  
Guelph, 6th June, 1867.

**EXECUTORS' NOTICE.**

**THE undersigned having been appointed sole Executors under the last Will and Testament of Richard Hewat Henderson, late of the Township of Guelph, in the County of Wellington, deceased, hereby give notice that all parties having claims against the Estate will oblige by lodging the same with them, and all parties indebted to the Estate will please call and settle without delay.**

**JOHN AMOS, ROBERT MCINTOSH, Executors.**

Guelph, 18th July, 1867. 717-4m

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INSOLVENT ACT OF 1864.  
PROVINCE OF CANADA, IN the County Court of Wellington.  
In the Matter of JAS. KIERAN,  
AN Insolvent.  
NOTICE is hereby given that the undersigned has filed in the office of this Court a deed of Composition and discharge, executed by his Creditors, and that on MONDAY, the first day of AUGUST next, at ten of the clock, in the forenoon, or as soon as counsel can be heard, he will apply to the said Court

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As a guarantee to the public of the reliability of Messrs Trotter & Graham as Dentists the following gentlemen are a few among the many leading men of this city who have had the opportunity of judging during the last ten years and are prepared to testify to their skill.  
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IN CANADA.  
Messrs. Young & Chamberlain:  
GENTLEMEN.—I, Wilson Storms, of Brighton, C. W., make oath and say: I feel anxious to let you know what the Great Shoshonee Remedy has done for me. I was afflicted with Consumption and died; I was also afflicted with the same disease, and after her death I continued sinking just as she had done. I had very severe Night Sweats; coughed nearly all night, and every night could not sleep unless a little towards morning; I raised over a quart of matter every 24 hours; had severe pain in the left lung, &c., and was greatly debilitated. In fact, I was going as fast as a coach. I was taking medicine from a regular physician, but it did not even relieve my cough. I went to the village one day, about a quarter of a mile, which took me to go and come about two hours. While there I saw Squire Wellington, and happened to say to him I wish you could give me something to relieve my cough. He said: "There is a Great Indian Remedy, which I have used; Dr. Baker has it for sale, and I believe it will cure you." I took his advice, and the next morning with me took a teaspoonful at once, which I felt through my whole system. At night I took a table spoonful and rested well all night, and continued to rest well every night. The cough, night sweats, raising of matter, pain in the lung, &c., gradually left me, and I got hearty and strong. I took only three bottles, and I am well as ever now, and I am as hearty and well as ever I was in my life. My sister-in-law was with me for a while, who had been afflicted with the same complaint. She has taken the remedy and is well. This certificate you may show to the world if you please.  
WILSON STORMS,  
Brighton, C. W.  
Sworn before us at Brighton, C. W. this 25th day of August, 1867.  
J. B. YOUNG, J. P., Reeve.  
I. M. WELLINGTON, J. P.

DOCTOR DAVIS,  
Physician and Surgeon.  
OFFICE—Merrick-st.,  
between the McNab Methodist Church and the Royal Hotel, or stairs, at the first crossing of the street, opposite the Market. Entrance on Merrick Street.  
He is consulted at all hours day and evening, on all Chronic Diseases. Diseases of Women and Children, Midwifery, &c., together with those of a private nature. He has devoted over thirty years to the treatment of the above named diseases, and the success so far has been without a parallel, as may be seen from the numerous testimonials in his possession.  
Private Diseases.  
It is well known that this branch of the medical profession has been much neglected, from the fact that it is most represented by quacks, who invariably practice under an assumed name. Dr. D. has devoted his whole time to the various forms of this disease, and by his improved remedies the worst stages are brought under subjection in from four to ten days. The many who are afflicted with this disease in both sexes permanently eradicated.  
No Mercury Used.  
Patients at a distance can be treated by corresponding with the Doctor, stating the symptoms of the disease, age, length of time afflicted, &c., and receiving the necessary remedies by express, or as otherwise directed, securely packed from observation. A reasonable remittance on all such applications will be required.  
Dr Davis' Celebrated Female PILLS.  
For irregularities, Suppression of the Menstruation, Leucorrhœa or Whites, and all female difficulties, have been before the public for the last ten years, and are universally admitted to be the best remedy for which they are recommended of any now in use. Thousands have used them without single instance of their failing to have the desired effect. Printed directions accompany each box. Sent by mail to any part of the country on receipt of one dollar.  
The doctor can be consulted at all times with the utmost secrecy, as his office is so arranged that it is impossible to see each other, unless by consent. No charge for advice when obtained at the office by letter, one dollar.  
All letters must be addressed (pre-paid) to Dr. Davis, M.D., Hamilton, and to contain a postage stamp when an answer is required.  
Hamilton, Oct. 19, 1867.

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AT THE SIGN OF  
THE ELEPHANT!

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WATCHES, CLOCKS AND JEWELRY.  
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ENGRAVING DONE ON THE PREMISES.  
Guelph, 25th July, 1867.

FRASER & HENDERSON  
BEG to announce the return of their Mr. FRASER from the Markets, where he has purchased a large and varied assortment of Fashionable and Staple Dry Goods, of the most approved fabrics, styles and colors, suitable for the Spring Trade, which will be ready for inspection forthwith.  
They solicit an early call from their friends and customers.  
Montreal Warehouse, 18th April, 1867.

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Express Buildings, 55 YORK-ST., TORONTO.  
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FRESH GROCERIES ARE CONSTANTLY ARRIVING AT  
JOHN A. WOOD'S  
HIS STOCK OF IMPORTED  
Brandies, Wines, Porter, Ale, &c.,  
Is very choice selected and good. Three Hundred Dozen INDIA PALE ALE, very fine for SUMMER DRINKING. There is still left a few cans of Fresh Peaches, Strawberries, Fine Apples and Tomatoes.  
Anchor Paste, Bloater Paste, and MARMALADE  
A nice relish is a pot of Anchovy Paste, Bloater Paste, or some of that delicious Marmalade, such as is kept by  
Guelph, 20th June, 1867.

NOW ARRIVING  
AT NO. 10,  
A VERY LARGE STOCK OF  
Fresh Teas and Groceries!  
ALSO, AN EXTENSIVE STOCK OF CHINA, CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, FANCY GOODS, BASKETS, &c.  
A Prime Lot of CHEESE and Dried Apples.  
The whole of the above stock being bought very low, customers may depend upon getting Cheap Goods.  
C. & T. MEREDITH,  
Guelph, 18th April, 1867.  
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WINE AND SPIRITS!  
QUEBEC STREET, GUELPH,  
(Next door to Messrs. Drs. Clarke & Orton.)  
BY THE QUART, GALLON, OR BARREL.

GREAT SPRING AND  
Summer Medicine!  
ESTABLISHED IN 1832.  
Bristol's SARSAPARILLA!  
In quart Bottles.  
The Best Purifier of the Blood.

Are you afflicted with Boils?  
Purify the Blood.  
Have you the Itch or Tetter?  
Purify the Blood.  
Have you an Abscess or Ulcer?  
Purify the Blood.  
Have you Scald-head or Scurvy?  
Purify the Blood.  
Have you an Old Sore or Tumor?  
Purify the Blood.  
Have you Scrotula or King's Evil?  
Purify the Blood.  
Are you a martyr to Salt Rheum?  
Purify the Blood.  
Are you annoyed with foul eruptions?  
Purify the Blood.  
Have you Syphilis or Venereal Diseases?  
Purify the Blood.  
Are you suffering with Fever and Ague?  
Purify the Blood.  
Are you troubled with White Swellings?  
Purify the Blood.  
Are you the victim of the excessive use of calomel?  
Purify the Blood.

Bristol's Sarsaparilla  
Is the only sure and safe  
PURIFIER of the BLOOD,  
It never fails. Contains no minerals, And is safe for infants and delicate persons. Full directions how to take this most valuable medicine will be found around each bottle.  
For sale by A. B. Petrie, J. Harvey, junr., N. Hiclinbotham, and also by all respectable Druggists in Canada.  
REMOVED TO TORONTO  
OLD DR. ANDREWS' Dispensary for Private Diseases  
where he continues to treat in both sexes with unlimited success, all diseases of a private nature, &c. Chronic complaints, all sorts of skin eruptions, &c. Hours of Consultation from 5 to 10 P.M. Toronto, 22nd Nov. 1866.

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TO CALIFORNIA!  
North American Steamship Comp'y  
will despatch one of their Fast and Elegant Steamships from NEW YORK.  
Every Twenty Days.  
Rates for First, Second and Third Cabin VERY LOW.  
For Special Berths, Tickets, &c. apply to  
J. W. MULLTON,  
General Passage Agent.  
Hamilton, 18th April, 1867.

LUMBER, LUMBER  
GOWDY & STEWART,  
Wellington Lumber Yard, Guelph.  
BEG to inform retail dealers and the public generally that they have started a general Wholesale Yard at Georgetown, on the Grand Trunk Railway, where they will keep constantly on hand all kinds of Lumber, Lath, Shingles, &c. Also, out to order, kinds of bill stuff, and shipped to any station on the line of railway.  
Our Lumber Yard in Guelph will be carried on as usual, under the superintendence of Mr. FRANCIS SMALL, where everything can be found in the shape of Lumber that is kept in a retail yard.  
Flour and Feed as Usual.  
The subscribers trust that by strict attention to business and moderate charges that they will receive in the future, as in the past, a liberal share of public patronage.  
All orders for Lumber to be sent to any station but Guelph must be addressed to Georgetown, where Mr. Gowdy can be seen personally from Monday morning to Thursday evening, and in Guelph from Friday morning to Saturday evening.  
GOWDY & STEWART,  
Guelph, 20th June, 1867.

PICTURES.  
W. MARSHALL  
BEGS to announce to his customers and others that he has engaged the services of  
A First-class COPYIST,  
for a short time, and would intimate that those wishing to have copies of Deaurotypes, Ambrotypes, Photographs, Oil Paintings, Pencil Drawings, or any other kind of Pictures can have them done in the most artistic style at his Rooms. Pictures can be copied the original size, or larger or smaller. Also, you can get the  
BEST PHOTOGRAPHS,  
of any size, at MARSHALL'S. Please remember the place—  
No. 5, DAY'S BLOCK,  
Opposite the Market House, Guelph.  
W. MARSHALL,  
Guelph, 18th April, 1867.

LAW PARTNERSHIP.  
THE Undersigned have entered into partnership in the practice of the Law in all its branches, under the name, style and firm of  
ROBERT MITCHELL & PATRICK MCCURRY,  
Guelph, 30th May, 1867.

DEPARTMENT OF CROWN LANDS.  
OTTAWA, 27th June, 1867.  
THE Department will be closed at Ottawa on and after the 1st of JULY.  
The Department of Crown Lands for the Provinces of Quebec and Ontario will be open