

Business Cards.

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

D. GUTHRIE, J. WATT, W. H. CUTTEN, Guelph, March 1, 1871. H. MACDONALD, BARRISTER AT LAW.

OFFICE—Corner of Wyndham and Quebec Streets, Guelph, June 3, 1874. LEMON, PETERSON & McLEAN, Barristers and Attorneys at Law.

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Guelph Evening Mercury

FRIDAY EVEN'G, JULY 17, 1874

Town and County News

NEW PREMISES.—We are requested to state that, owing to their new premises not being in readiness, Messrs. Tawes & Son will not open out therein until the 25th inst.

VALUABLE PLANTS.—We had a call to-day from Dr. S. P. Foster, who is in town with a collection of foreign plants which are pleasant to the eye, of elegant perfume, and possess also medicinal qualities.

ANNOUNCE THE COMET.—We are glad to notice that the Y. M. C. A. are making arrangements for a lecture on Comets, to be delivered by Rev. Dr. Davidson in the Baptist Church, on Friday evening next.

GREAT BASE BALL MATCH.—As will be seen by advertisement, there will be a grand International match between the Atlantics, of Brooklyn, N. Y., who beat the Boston Club twice this year, and the Champion Amateurs of the World—the Maple Leaf Club—on Monday first, on the Maple Leaf grounds.

BASE BALL.—A game has been arranged for to-morrow afternoon at two o'clock, on the grounds of the M. L. B. Club, between the Grain Buyers and Hotel Keepers of the town.

CONGREGATIONAL SOCIAL.—Between 150 and 200 persons assembled at the residence of Mr. James Goldie last evening, where a garden social was held by the ladies of the Congregational Church.

BURGLARS.—One night last week two suspicious characters were found prowling around the residence of Mr. George Weber, Perth Street.

THE BUTCHERS' PICNIC.—The picnic to Puslineh Lake yesterday was, as we anticipated, a most enjoyable affair. Altogether about two hundred persons were present.

BAD ACCIDENT.—On Thursday, as a newsboy named Fitzgerald was waiting in the Herald office for papers, he inadvertently took hold of the shaft of the Gordon press, while it was in motion.

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Jackon & Co's Organ Factory.

Messrs. John Jackson & Co. have lately been making extensive alterations and improvements in their Organ Factory on the East Market Square, which add considerably to the capacity of the works, and afford much greater facility in the different mechanical operations.

On the ground floor a large and commodious show room has been fitted up, in which the instruments when finished are shown to the best advantage. At the side is the office, and immediately behind the show room, where that very necessary part of the organ is made.

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Police Court. (Before the Police Magistrate.) July 17. Hugh Moon, for breach of By-law in placing stones on the street without permission from the Road and Bridge Committee, was fined \$1 and costs.

BASE BALL ITEMS. At the meeting of the Maple Leaf Club last evening, the President read a statement of the result of the recent tour, which showed that a very handsome sum had been realized.

Final arrangements were made for a game with the Atlantics, of Brooklyn, on Monday next, the 20th inst. A proposal was received from the Excelsiors, of Woodstock, and a game with these amateurs will probably be played within a week or so.

ONE MORE OF THE SCOTT MURDERERS GONE TO HIS REWARD.—The muddy waters of Lake Winnipeg have closed over the body of one of the Scott murderers. He left this part of the country at the time of the dispersion of the banditti from Fort Garry, and has been hiding about the country to the northwest ever since.

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TELEGRAPH TO THE MERCURY

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The Michigan Races. Large Fire in London. Bismarck's Wounds. Chicago Rebuilding. Crops in the U. S. Another Clerical Scandal.

Utica, N. Y., July 16.—A special to the Utica Herald from Fort Plain says an attempt was made this morning to wreck and rob the pay car of the N. Y. C. & B. R. Paymaster Reid left Albany with some \$60,000 and a force of six men. The would-be robbers had placed obstructions on the track at a secluded place, well chosen for such a crime, near a piece of wood, but the working train came along and discovered the obstructions in time to flag the pay car.

Saginaw, Mich., July 16.—The race at East Saginaw driving park to-day was for a special purse of \$5,000, divided as follows:—\$2,500 to 1st; \$1,500 to 2nd; and \$1,000 to horse which beat fastest time on record. Goldsmith Maid won three straight heats in 2:19, 2:16, and 2:16, the only contestee being Judge Fullerton, whose time was 2:20, 2:18, and 2:18. The track is one mile and three feet in length.

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Kissingen, July 17.—One of the wounds received by Bismarck in the wrist has healed; another, caused by burning wad of assassin's pistol which scorched the flesh, is still painful and the inflammation is slowly subsiding. Kullman has been removed from Kissingen to Weunsburg.

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THE FOLLOWING ARE THE DAYS AND HOURS OF EXAMINATION FOR SECOND AND THIRD CLASS CERTIFICATES OF QUALIFICATION FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS, commencing 20th July, 1874.

Monday, July 20th—2:00 to 4:30 p. m., Zoology, Botany, and Agriculture, (special).

Tuesday, July 21st—9:00 to 12:00 noon, English Grammar and Etymology; 1:30 to 3:30 p. m., Geography; 3:45 to 5:00 p. m., Bookkeeping.

Wednesday, July 22nd—9:00 to 12:00 noon, Arithmetic and Mensuration; 1:30 to 4:00 p. m., Education and School Law; 4:15 to 5:00 p. m., Dictation.

Thursday, July 23rd—9:00 to 11:45 am., Euclid; 1:30 to 3:45 p. m., History; 4:00 to 5:00 p. m., Composition.

Friday 24th—9 to 12 noon, Algebra; 1:30 to 4:30 p. m., Natural Philosophy.

Saturday, 25th—9 to 11 a. m., Music and Drawing; 1 to 3 p. m., Chemistry, Botany and Physiology.

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Canadian Bank of Commerce.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE SEVENTH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS, HELD AT THE BANKING HOUSE, TORONTO, ON TUESDAY, 14TH JULY, 1874.

The chair was taken at noon by the President, the Hon. W. McMaster, and upon motion of W. H. Stanton, Esq., of Toronto, seconded by James Blair, Esq., of Galt, the General Manager, W. N. Anderson, Esq., was requested to act as Secretary. The Secretary then read the following REPORT.

In submitting to the shareholders the results of last year's business, the Directors have the satisfaction of stating that the affairs of the Bank continue in a sound and prosperous condition. After covering the charges of management, writing off bad debts, and amply providing for contingencies, the net profits of the twelve months ending 30th June, amount to\$833,573 00 To which add balance of profit and loss account carried over from last year..... 20,142 40

From this has to be deducted: Dividend No. 13, of 4 per cent for the six months ending 30th Dec. \$20,341 01 Dividend No. 14, of five per cent for the six months ending 30th June, 1874..... 300,000 00 Transferred to "Rest" account..... 300,000 00 Transferred to reserve for rebate of interest on current discount..... 10,000 00 Balance remaining at credit of profit and loss account..... 7,733 49

It will be observed from the accompanying statement that besides providing for two half-yearly dividends of four and five per cent respectively, appropriating \$32,704 60 for accrued interest on deposits, and adding \$10,000 to the reserve of interest on current bills—which now amounts to \$75,604—the sum of \$300,000 has been carried to "Rest" account, making that fund \$1,800,000, and the balance of \$7,733.49 remains at credit of Profit and Loss account.

In view of such results from the operations of a year which has been marked by unusual depression in some of the leading branches of Canadian industry, the Directors felt that the time had arrived when a larger portion of the profits might, with safety, be divided amongst the Shareholders. A dividend was therefore declared at the rate of ten per cent per annum for the last six months; and looking to the Rest already accumulated—which is equal to 30 per cent upon the Capital—in connection with the valuable business established, there is no reason to apprehend any difficulty in paying the same dividend in future.

The business of the Head Office having assumed large proportions, it was found impossible for the Cashier to conduct its details and give to the branches that constant and minute attention so essential to safety. The Board have, therefore, appointed Mr. Jan. S. Lockie, the Inspector, Local Manager at Toronto, and have placed Mr. Anderson in the position of General Manager—an arrangement which they feel confident will promote the interests of the Bank.

The necessity for the Bank being directly represented at the seat of the Dominion Government having become apparent, the Directors decided on establishing a branch there, which is now in operation. Agencies have also been opened at two other points during the year, not so much with a view to an increase of business as to protect that which had previously been secured.

Increased vault accommodation and other conveniences being required at the Head Office, a considerable addition has been made to the building, and a first-class vault erected, the expenditure upon which, together with improvements of the Bank's property at other points, and the cost of fitting up the office at Ottawa, represents the sum of \$25,000 00 added to the Bank premises and furniture account.

The General Manager's continued unremitting attention to the affairs of the Bank fully entitle him to the entire approval of the Directors, and they are pleased to be able to state that the Inspector, Managers, Agents, and other officers, have generally discharged their duties in a satisfactory manner.

All of which is respectfully submitted. WM. McMASTER, President.

Then follows the general statement, giving full details as to the liabilities and assets of the Bank.

On motion the report was adopted and ordered to be printed.

The thanks of the meeting were given to the President, Vice-President and Directors, and also to the General Manager, for the efficient discharge of their duties.

The amended By-laws were read and approved of.

The ballot was then opened for the election of Directors, and at the close the scrutineers reported that the following were elected:

HON. W. McMASTER, ROBERT WILKES, Esq., F. W. CHMURLER, Esq., WILLIAM ELLIOT, Esq., ADAM HOPE, Esq., JAMES MICHIE, Esq., T. S. STAYNER, Esq., GEORGE TAYLOR, Esq., ROBERT WILKES, Esq., M.P.

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Terms cash—Sale at 1 o'clock. No reserve, as the proprietor is leaving town.
W. S. G. KNOWLES, Auctioneer.
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CAKES
of all kinds constantly on hand. Wedding cakes supplied at short notice.
A fresh lot of those superb BREATHE PILLS just received.
WM. WALDRON,
Next door to Patrie's Drug Store.

PAINTERS AND GLAZIERS,
HUMPHRIES & REYNOLDS
Beg to announce to the public of Guelph and surrounding country that they have received into partnership and intend to carry on the Painting Business in all its branches in their own shop, located west of the Township Office. They are confident that they can give entire satisfaction to all who may favor them with a call. Home and sign painting, glazing, sash hanging, &c., done at short notice. Estimates called in the best manner.
HUMPHRIES & REYNOLDS.
Guelph, June 9, 1874. *dw*

HOUSE AND WAGON SHOP FOR SALE—In Paisley Road, 2 miles from Guelph. A Blacksmith shop, a carriage shop, a hay and cattle scale, a hay rack, a building for horses, &c. &c. Apply to the proprietor, J. G. Gault, Guelph, June 11, 1874. *dw*

Guelph Evening Mercury

FRIDAY EVENING, JULY 17, 1874

Town and County News
NEW PREMISES.—We are requested to state that, owing to their new premises not being in readiness, Messrs. Tawes & Son will not open out therein until the 25th inst.

VALUABLE PLANTS.—We had a call today from Dr. S. P. Foster, who is in town with a collection of foreign plants which are pleasant to the eye, of elegant perfume, and possess also medicinal qualities. The Dr. will be in town till to-morrow night.

ASSENT THE COMET.—We are glad to notice that the Y. M. C. A. are making arrangements for a lecture on Comets, to be delivered by Rev. Dr. Davidson in the Baptist Church, on Friday evening next. We are sure everybody wants to hear about these "erratic visitors."

GREAT BASE BALL MATCH.—As will be seen by advertisement, there will be a grand International match between the Atlantics, of Brooklyn, N. Y., who beat the Boston Club twice this year, and the Champion Amateurs of the World, the Maple Leaf Club.

The match promises to be a most attractive one.

BASE BALL.—A game has been arranged for to-morrow afternoon at two o'clock, on the grounds of the M. L. B. V. Club, between the Grain Bayers and Hotel Keepers of the town. The following are the names of the teams: Grain Bayers, Sharpe, Balkwill, Murton, Moulton, Mackenzie, Hower, Merlihan, Ward, and Robins; hotel keepers, Deady, bookless, Heffernan, Fahrey, Rogers, Parker, Gunn, Mitchell, and Hines.

CONGREGATIONAL SOCIAL. Between 150 and 200 persons assembled at the residence of Mr. James Goldie last evening, where a garden social was held by the ladies of the Congregational Church. A very pleasant time was spent, and the strains from Lawrence's band added much to the enjoyment of the evening. The weather wasn't very good for ice cream, on account of the comet, or something which made the atmosphere somewhat frigid, and a great deal of the delicious beverage was left undisposed of.

BURGERS.—One night last week two suspicious characters were found prowling around the residence of Mr. George Weber, Perth street. Mr. Weber was awakened, and gave chase, and the would-be burglars—who are evidently not professionals—took refuge in an adjoining building, but when ordered out made good their escape up the hill on the other side of the river. It is said that an attempt was made also on Dr. Herod's house. We would advise our citizens to patronize the hardware merchants, and keep themselves prepared for emergencies.

THE BUTCHERS' PICNIC.—The picnic to Pasinck Lake yesterday was, as we anticipated, a most enjoyable affair. Altogether about two hundred persons were present. The spread was, as may be imagined, bountiful; so extensive, in fact, that a quantity of refreshments were brought home again. The best of order prevailed all day. Quoting, baseball, boating, dancing on the green, and similar diversions occupied the happy hours. A rowing match, we believe, was one of the features of the occasion, and Mr. George Hood claims the palm as the champion oarsman. The company returned at home about 10 o'clock, arriving here between eight and nine o'clock.

ROAD ACCIDENT. On Thursday, as a newsboy named Fitzgerald was waiting in the Herald office for papers, he inadvertently took hold of the shaft of the Gordon press, while it was in motion. The revolution of the wheel brought his hand into collision with the other parts of the machine, and in a moment three of his fingers were badly smashed. Dr. Herod was called, and found that the little finger of the right hand was smashed to a jelly, and the next to it was dreadfully broken. The doctor set them, hoping they would reunite; but the wound is of such a nature that they may have to be amputated. The newsboys should be more careful about things they don't understand, as it is only the other week since one of the Mercury carriers met with a similar mishap.

VISIT OF A MISSIONARY.—At the last meeting of the General Assembly of the C. P. Church, Dr. J. B. Frasse was appointed Medical Missionary for Formosa, an island lying off the coast of China, where the Rev. Mr. McKay is already laboring. The wish was at the time generally expressed that he should visit as many of the congregation of the church as he could prior to his departure. With the view of meeting this desire, and thus increasing the interest felt in the evangelization of the heathen, the Foreign Mission Committee of the Church have arranged that he shall spend two or three months in this manner. He will accordingly visit Guelph on the 20th of this month, and give an address in Knox Church on the evening of that day, to which all who are interested in missionary labor are invited. In order to help to defray the cost attending the sending out of a third missionary, there will be a collection towards Dr. Frasse's outfit and travelling expenses.

Jackon & Co's Organ Factory.

Messrs. John Jackson & Co. have lately been making extensive alterations and improvements in their Organ Factory on the East Market Square, which add considerably to the capacity of the works, and afford much greater facility in the different mechanical operations. Some time ago, by adding the building next to the Royal Hotel, the accommodation was doubled; and since the internal arrangements have been made, the different departments have been thoroughly classified and the Factory, as regards convenience and room, is now one of the best arranged in the Province.

On the ground floor a large and commodious show room has been fitted up, in which the instruments when finished are shown to the best advantage. At the side is the office, and immediately behind it the bellows room, where that very necessary part of the organ is made. Behind the show room is an apartment where the keys are made and fitted—on Up stairs on the second flat the trimmers are busy at work, and beside them the action makers are engaged in their particular department. Adjoining this is the tuning room, where, under the skillful manipulations of Mr. Wood, every instrument is carefully and correctly tuned and thoroughly tested before being pronounced ready for the market. On the upper or third story are the finishing and varnishing rooms, where the different parts of the instruments are put together, and where the delicate operations of varnishing and polishing are gone through.

In what was the adjoining building, but is now part of the factory, on the ground floor, we have the different kinds of machines, such as planers, shaping machines, jig saws, &c. where the stuff for the cases is cut up into proper form. It is the firm's intention soon to put more machinery into this department at considerable cost, so as to reduce all kinds of manual labour to the least possible amount. In rear of this is the engine-room and boiler, where the power is obtained for driving all the machinery on the main floor. Up stairs the case makers are located, and beside them the carvers are busy on all sorts of delicate and tasteful designs for the embellishment of the cases. Over them again we have the drying room, where all work is taken and allowed to remain, free from dust, till thoroughly dried and ready for use.

In the back premises and the adjoining yard there is ample room for storing all the kinds of wood used in the manufacture of the instruments; and after a look through the premises no one would fail to come to the conclusion that they are well adapted for the work carried on in them, and that the firm at considerable expense have provided everything which would facilitate the work, and ensure the manufacture of a first-class instrument. Their organs, as regards tone, power, finish and quality, are first-class, and we are glad to learn that the business is steadily increasing as the character of the instruments become known.

It is said that with increased facilities, there will be a proportionate demand for increased production, and that the factory will continue to prosper and retain its place as one of the most thriving institutions of Guelph.

TELEGRAPH TO THE MERCURY

Atte mp to Rob a Pay Train.
The Michigan Races.
Large Fire in Lodon.
Bismarck's Wounds.
Chicago Rebuilding.
Crops in the U. S.
Another Clerical Scandal.

Utica, N. Y., July 16.—A special to the Uta Herald from Fort Plain says an attempt was made this morning to wreck and rob the pay car of the N. Y. C. R. R. Paymaster Reid left Albany with some \$50,000 and a force of six men. The would-be robbers had placed obstructions on the track at a secluded place, well chosen for such a crime, near a piece of wood, but the working train came along and discovered the obstructions in time to flag the pay car. Later information is that the work train, after removing obstructions, left a man secreted to watch the track. Soon he saw two men come out of the bushes and place a huge net across the pay track. He started for them and they ran. The Superintendent was soon on the spot, the pay car was stopped, and the men gave chase, but failed to catch the rascals.

Saginaw, Mich., July 16.—The race at East Saginaw driving park to-day was for a special purse of \$5,000, divided as follows:—\$2,500 to 1st; \$1,500 to 2nd; and \$1,000 to horse which beat fastest time on record. Goldsmith Maid won three straight heats in 2.19, 2.16, and 2.16, the only contestant being Judge Fullerton, whose time was 2.20, 2.18, and 2.18. The track is one mile and three feet in length.

London, July 17.—The Gabriel timber wharf, at Rotherhithe, covering a quarter of an acre, was destroyed by fire last night. Thirty-five gallons of crocoite were burnt. Loss not stated, but must be very heavy. Three persons injured during the fire.

Kissingen, July 17.—One of the wounds received by Bismarck in the wrist has healed; another, caused by burning water of assasin's pistol which scorched the flesh, is still painful and the inflammation is slowly subsiding. Kullman has been removed from Kissingen to Weursburg.

Chicago, July 17.—Thus far seven persons are known to have lost their lives by the fire. Strenuous efforts are being made to furnish those deprived of homes with the necessities of life. Re-building has already commenced, and contracts made for many fine structures to replace those destroyed.

Milwaukee, July 17.—The Sentinel publishes advices from about 30 counties in this State showing the condition of the crops. With reference to the wheat crop there is a belt extending through Green Rock and Jefferson counties where the heads have not been filled at all. The average of oats is fair, crops being short in only a few places. Barley is light, but rye is an average yield. Winter wheat is already harvested and generally good. There is a good yield of hay.

New York, July 17.—Jersey City furnishes a clerical scandal this morning based on the arrest of the Rev. John S. Glendenny, pastor of Prospect Avenue Presbyterian Church, for bastardy, the complainant being an orphan girl named Miss Annie Pomeroy, organist of the church. The parties were long opposed by friends to be engaged, but Glendenny, after being arrested and confronted with complainant, who fell fainting in his arms, was asked if he would marry the girl, and replied no. The Church is among the most fashionable in Jersey City.

To Teachers.
The following are the days and hours of examination for second and third class certificates of qualification for Public School teachers, commencing 20th July, 1874.
Monday, July 20th—2.00 to 4.30 p. m., Zoology, Botany, and Agriculture, (special).
Tuesday, July 21st—9.00 to 12.00 noon, English Grammar and Etymology; 1.30 to 3.30 p. m., Geography; 3.45 to 5.00 p. m., Bookkeeping.
Wednesday, July 22nd—9.00 to 12.00 noon, Arithmetic and Mensuration; 1.30 to 4.00 p. m., Education and School Law; 4.15 to 5.00 p. m., Dictation.
Thursday, July 23rd—9.00 to 11.45 am, Euclid; 1.30 to 3.45 p. m., History; 4.00 to 5.00 p. m., Composition.
Friday 24th—9 to 12 noon, Algebra; 1.30 to 4.30 p. m., Natural Philosophy.
Saturday, 25th 9 to 11 a. m., Music and Drawing; 1 to 3 p. m., Chemistry, Botany and Physiology.

ONE MORE OF THE SCOTT MURDERERS GONE TO HIS REWARD.—The muddy waters of Lake Winnipeg have closed over the body of one of the Scott murderers. He left this part of the country at the time of the dispersion of the banditti from Fort Garry, and has been hiding about the country to the northwest since, and until the last trip of the Chief Commissioner. He took passage on board that steamer from Mossy Portage on the Saskatchewan, saying he was one of the murderers of Scott, and wanted to come to Fort Garry to deliver himself up to justice. He seemed very uneasy from the time he got on board the boat, and probably releasing the step he had taken, jumped overboard on Monday night last, and was drowned. We have not been able to learn accurately the name of the deceased.—*Manitoba Free Press, June 27th.*

WIFE BEATING.—The Toronto papers give harrowing accounts of the sufferings of a wife who has beaten regularly three times a week until the last beating on Friday night resulted in death and put an end to her sufferings that night. The woman's name was Emma Learing. A coroner's jury brought in a verdict of willful murder against her husband.

Canadian Bank of Commerce.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE SEVENTH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS, HELD AT THE BANKING HOUSE, TORONTO, ON TUESDAY, 14TH JULY, 1874.

The chair was taken at noon by the President, the Hon. W. McMaster, and upon motion of W. H. Stanton, Esq., of Toronto, seconded by James Hain, Esq., of Galt, the General Manager, W. N. Anderson, Esq., was requested to act as Secretary. The Secretary then read the following REPORT.

In submitting to the shareholders the results of last year's business, the Directors have the satisfaction of stating that the affairs of the Bank continue in a sound and prosperous condition. After covering the charges of management, writing off bad debts, and amply providing for contingencies, the net profits of the twelve months ending 30th June, amount to..... \$833,573 00
To which added the balance of profit and loss account carried from last year..... 20,142 40
..... \$853,715 40

From this has to be deducted:
Dividend No. 13, of 4 per cent for the six months ending 31st Dec..... \$25,341 91
Dividend No. 14, of five per cent for the six months ending 30th June..... 309,000 00
Transferred to "Reserve" account..... 390,000 00
Transferred to reserve for interest on current discounts..... 10,000 00
Balance remaining at end of year..... \$139,373 49
Profit and loss account..... 7,573 49

It will be observed from the accompanying statement that besides providing for two half-yearly dividends of four and five per cent respectively, appropriating \$32,704 60 for accrued interest on deposits, and adding \$10,000 to the reserve of interest on current bills—which now amounts to \$75,000—the sum of \$300,000 has been carried to "Reserve" account, making that fund \$1,800,000, and the balance of \$7,373 49 remains at credit of Profit and Loss account.

In view of such results from the operations of a year which has been marked by unusual depression in some of the leading branches of Canadian industry, the Directors felt that the time had arrived when a larger portion of the profits might, with safety, be divided amongst the Shareholders. A dividend was therefore declared at the rate of ten per cent per annum for the last six months; and looking to the Rest already accumulated which is equal to 30 per cent upon the Capital—in connection with the valuable business established, there is no reason to apprehend any difficulty in paying the same dividend in future.

The business of the Head Office having assumed large proportions, it was found impossible for the Cashier to conduct its details and give to the branches that constant and minute attention so essential to safety. The Board have, therefore, appointed Mr. J. S. Lockie, the Inspector, Local Manager at Toronto, and have placed Mr. Anderson in the position of General Manager—an arrangement which they feel confident will promote the interests of the Bank.

The necessity for the same being directly represented at the seat of the Dominion Government having become apparent, the Directors decided on establishing a branch there, which is now in operation. Agencies have also been opened at two other points during the year, not so much with a view to an increase of business as to protect that which had previously been secured.

Increased vault accommodation and other conveniences being required at the Head Office, a considerable addition has been made to the building—a first-class vault erected, the expenditure upon which, together with improvements of the Bank's property at other points, and the cost of fitting up the office at Ottawa, represents the sum of \$23,000 97 added to the Bank's premises and furniture account.

The General Manager's continued unwilling attention to the affairs of the Bank fully entitled him to the entire approval of the Directors; and they are pleased to be able to state that the Inspector, Managers, Agents, and other officers, have generally discharged their duties in a satisfactory manner.

All of which is respectfully submitted,
Wm. McMaster,
President.

Then follows the general statement, giving full details as to the liabilities and assets of the Bank.

On motion the report was adopted and ordered to be printed.

The thanks of the meeting were given to the President, Vice-President and Directors, and also to the General Manager, for the efficient discharge of their duties.

The amended By-laws were read and approved.

The ballot was then opened for the election of Directors, and at the close the scrutineers reported that the following were elected:
HON. WM. McMASTER,
NOAH BARNHART, Esq.,
F. W. CUMBERLAND, Esq.,
WILLIAM ELLIOT, Esq.,
AVAM HOPE, Esq.,
JAMES MORLEY, Esq.,
T. S. STAVANER, Esq.,
ROBERT TAYLOR, Esq.,
GEORGE WILKES, Esq., M.P.

At a meeting of the newly elected Board of Directors, held subsequently, the Hon. W. McMaster was re-elected President, and Robert Wilkes, Esq., M.P., was elected Vice-President, by an unanimous vote.

DR. LIVINGSTONE'S SERVANTS.—At the close of the anniversary meeting of the Royal Geographical Society of London, recently, the President, the Rt. Hon. Sir B. Frere, called Sidi and James Chumak to him, and in the name of the Society presented the bronze medal to each of them, telling them how highly their fidelity to their late master, Dr. Livingstone, was appreciated, and with what gratitude every one regarded the bravery and devotion which had been shown by the whole band of his servants, when they saved his writings and bore his body to the coast. The President added that a silver medal is in course of preparation, which will yet further mark the esteem in which the doctor's followers are held by the Society.

SANSÓN VOTED DOWN.—At a meeting of teachers in Drampton on Thursday, a motion pleading their delegate to support Goldwin Smith, or any other candidate than Dr. Saugter, was carried by a vote of 22 to 9.

Immigrants Homeward Bound.

It is a somewhat remarkable fact that for several months past the steamships sailing from New York have carried out thousands of emigrants who have returned to Europe. This is distinctly traceable to the panic which occurred in the States last fall, which was followed by a dearth of employment in every kind of labour. This proved disastrous to the inexperienced emigrants, who after struggling as best they could for months to obtain work or means of support, were reluctantly compelled to turn their faces homeward.

The Tribune of Tuesday, in speaking of this new phase of emigration, says:—At the same time that reports are coming in of an enormous falling off in the numbers of incoming steamer passengers, it is found that outward-bound steamers are filled with steerage travellers as never before. Nearly 2,000 steerage passengers sailed from New York last Saturday for Queenstown, Liverpool, and German ports. This is more than twice the number that would be expected from a comparison with the records of former years, and another large company will sail on Wednesday. In a single steamer, the Britannic, of the White Star line, more than 400 passengers had engaged passage on Monday at noon. The books were then closed and the Company refused to sell any more tickets, though \$2 was offered for a passage, the nominal price of which was only \$15. On other steamers there is also a large demand for tickets. The class of emigrants who are thus filling the outward-bound steamships is similar to that which is each day arriving at Castle Garden.

Such is the state of affairs across the lines. Happily we have a very different condition of things in Canada. All able bodied immigrants who arrive on our shores can find employment of some kind, and the demand for agricultural labourers continues as brisk as ever. Of course, this reaction in the States may be only temporary, but it must give a check to immigration to that country which will be felt for some time to come.

PENDING ELECTIONS.—Four elections will be held on the 25th of July—two in Quebec, one in Ontario, and one in Manitoba. Mr. Geoffron, the new Minister of the Interior, stands for Vercheres, and it is thought there will be no opposition to his election. For Napierville, Chief Justice Dorion's old constituency, it is thought his brother will stand in the Reform interest. Mr. Colin McDougall is the Reform candidate for East Elgin, and will be opposed by Mr. Jenkins, the Conservative nominee. The election for Provencher, Reil's old county, comes off on the same day, and it has been announced that he will not run again, which is a very wise course. Another election must soon take place in that Province, for Marquette, as a member will have to be elected in room of Mr. Cunningham, deceased.

ADVERTISING FOREIGN LOTTERIES AND GIFT CONCERNS.—Several newspapers are publishing advertisements of foreign lotteries, and gift enterprises. This is in direct violation of the law of Canada. For every offence publishers can be brought up and heavily fined. One-half of the fine, we believe, goes to the informer. Publishers who are aware of this, and yet continue to insert such advertisements, render themselves liable at any time to a fine of not less than \$40. They had better refuse to insert all such advertisements, and save themselves trouble and expense. That is the principle we are acting upon, but we notice that many of our cotemporaries continue to insert the advertisements about these lotteries and gift enterprises.

DOMINION BOARD OF TRADE.—This Board met at St. John, N. B., on Thursday. There was a large attendance from all the Provinces. W. H. Howland, of Toronto, President, occupied the chair. After an address by the President, a motion favouring the construction of the Bas de Veite Canal without delay was passed. The Committee appointed to consider the Bankruptcy Law was reappointed. An invitation from the Associated Chambers of Commerce of Britain to send delegates to their meeting was read. The Reciprocity Treaty will be discussed on Saturday.

MADAM VON KOEHLER, who has done much in the way of forming a Female Immigration Society, is in Ottawa on her way back to Europe. She has already induced a number of good settlers from Switzerland and Tyrol to settle in Canada.

HON. MR. CARTWRIGHT arrived home on Tuesday. His host of friends and supporters congratulated him heartily on the success of his financial mission to London, and were pleased to see him in the very best of health.

MISADVENTURE IN HARRISTON.—On Saturday, 11th inst., as Mrs. Matland and her daughter were driving into Harriston a horse started off, throwing Mrs. Matland heavily upon the ground, her head coming in contact with a stone, the wheel passing over her legs. In this position she lay insensible until picked up. The horse ran some distance further, throwing the girl out, injuring her about the head and body pretty badly.

The Election Court.

This court opened on Thursday, Chancellor Strong and Chief Justice Richards on the Bench. The following decisions were given:

North Victoria.—That all paragraphs in the petition except the twelfth stand, and all preliminary objections to the petition except the first and eighth are overruled.

Cerdwell.—All preliminary objections to the petition are overruled.

North Simcoe.—The first preliminary objection being a matter of fact is left to the judge; second and fourth disallowed; fifth left to the judge.

London.—The decision in this case is postponed until the first election trial is decided.

The principal election courts will be held between the 2nd and 20th of September, and continue to sit during the term.

Dr. Dunlop's Will.

We give below a copy of Dr. Dunlop's will. It has, at various times, been extensively published, but those who have read it before will be amused to read it again. Dr. Dunlop lived near Goderich, and in 1841 he was elected to represent the County of Huron in the Parliament of Upper Canada. His opponent was a Mr. Strachan, of Toronto, son of the late Bishop Strachan. Mr. Strachan was declared the elected candidate, and, we believe, took his seat, but was ousted on a protest by Dr. Dunlop. The Doctor continued to represent that County until he received a Government appointment in connection with one of the canals, when he was succeeded by Mr. Cayley, and not long after he died. He was considered at that day rather clever, and was at all times a jovial, kindly man, and those who remember him say the dry, sarcastic humor of the will was characteristic of him. The following is the will:—

In the name of God. Amen.

I, William Dunlop, of Gairbread, in the township of Colborne, County of Huron, Western Canada, Esquire, being in sound health of body and mind, which my friends, who do not flatter me say is no great shakes at the best of times, do make my last will and testament as follows, revoking of course all former wills: I leave the property of Gairbread and all other property I may be possessed of to my sisters, Helen Boyle Story and Elizabeth Boyie Dunlop, the former because she is married to a minister who may God help him—she henpecks; the latter because she is married to nobody, nor is she likely to be, for she is an old maid and not much of a wife. And also I leave to them and their heirs my share of the stock and implements on the farm, providing always that the enclosure round my brother's grave be reserved; and, if either of them should die without issue, the other is to inherit the whole. I leave to my sister-in-law, Louisa Dunlop, all my share of the household furniture and such traps, with the exceptions hereinafter mentioned.

I leave my silver tankard to the oldest son of old John, as the representative of the family. I would have left it to old John himself, but he would have melted it down to make temperance medals, and that would have been a scurrilous fellow. I leave him my big horn snuff-box; he can only make temperance horn spoons out of that.

I leave my sister Jenny my Bible, the property formerly of my great-grandmother, Betsey Hamilton, of Woodhall, and when she knows as much of the spirit as she does of the letter, she will be a much better Christian than she is.

I leave my late brother's watch to my brother Sandy, exhorting him at the same time to give up Whiggery and Radicalism, and all other sins that do most easily beset him.

I leave to my brother-in-law, Allan, my punch bowl, as he is a big gamey man, and likely to do credit to it.

I leave to Parson Chevassie my big silver snuff-box I got from the Simece Militia, as a small token of my gratitude to him for taking my sister Maggie, whom no man of taste would have taken.

I leave to John Caddell a silver teapot, to the end that he may drink tea therefrom to comfort him under the affliction of a slatternly wife.

I leave my books to my brother Andrew, because he has been jingly wally, that he may yet learn to read them.

I leave my silver cup, with the sovereign in the bottom of it, to my sister, Janet Graham Dunlop, because she is an old maid and pious, and, therefore, necessarily going to boarding; and also my grandmother's snuff-box, as it looks decent to see an old maid taking snuff.

I do hereby appoint, &c.

WILLIAM DUNLOP,
Huron County, C. W.

TO FEED A CIRCUS.—Messrs. Satchell Brothers, of Ottawa, in one day sent to Barnum's Camp 475 lbs. of meat for the use of the people; 1,400 lbs. of ice; 50 lbs. fish for the marine animals; many amount of rough meat for the carnivorous tribes; hay, carrots, and turnips; (the latter for the elephants, &c.) and tubs; so this goes to show that running a circus is no sinecure so far as the catering thereof is concerned.

NEW STATION ON THE G. W. R.—In compliance with the urgent request of the citizens of St. George, the Great Western Railway Company have decided to establish a station there, and the first sod of the new station was turned on Monday last. It is expected that the station will be opened to the travelling public in about a month.

THE WESTERN DIOCESE.—At a meeting held in Hamilton to raise subscriptions for the Endowment Fund of the proposed Western Bishopric, the sum of about \$4,000 was provided. The amount for Hamilton to raise is \$10,000, and there is every prospect that the whole sum will be collected.

THE YACHT FOAM.—There is now no doubt that this yacht, with her crew, has been lost. Great distress has been caused to the friends of the missing company.

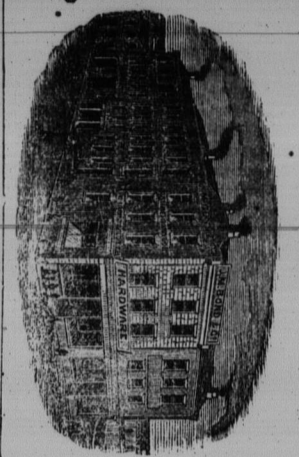
CHIEF JUSTICE WOOD, of Manitoba, has passed sentence of death upon Joseph Misband, who so cruelly murdered a man named James A. Brown, formerly a resident of Hamilton.

JUST RECEIVED.

Picnic or Lunch Baskets
Cherry Stoners,
Preserving Kettles,
Clothes Wringers,
Ice Cream Freezers,
Refrigerators,
Ice Picks,
Ice Tongs,
Baths,
Bird Cages,
Floor Oil Cloths
MATS, &C.

JOHN HORSMAN'S,
HARDWARE MERCHANT,
GUELPH.

Bargains in Hardware



John M. Bond & Co.

Hardware Importers,
Wyndham street, Guelph.

KENNEDY'S
Marble Works,
Opposite side from Mills & Goodfellow's Foundry, and
Near Eramosa Bridge,
Guelph.
ALL KINDS OF
MONUMENTS!
Tomb Stones, Mantel Pieces,
&c. made to any size or design,
and put up in any part of the
country.
Scottish Granite Monuments
imported to order.
P.S.—A. Kennedy is a practical
marble cutter.

FARMERS, ATTENTION.

The subscribers are prepared to do all kinds of
REPAIR TO
Farming Implements,
Mowers, Reapers, Threshing Machines,
etc., etc., on short notice, and on
reasonable terms.

PLOUGH kept on hand, PLOUGH
CASTINGS made to order, also
BRASS CASTINGS.
HARLEY & HEATHER,
UNION FOUNDRY,
Near J. C. Presant's Mill,
Guelph, July 7th, 1874. Gm-wm

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned, under the name of Wright, Armstrong & Co., as Carpet Manufacturers, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to Andrew Armstrong, and all claims against the said partnership are to be presented to the said Andrew Armstrong, at Guelph, by whom the same will be settled, if found correct.
GEO. WRIGHT,
A. W. WRIGHT,
D. W. WRIGHT,
JOHN ARMSTRONG,
AND W. ARMSTRONG.
Guelph, 7th July, 1874. dow1

THE business will be conducted by
John and Andrew Armstrong.

PRESTON
Mineral Baths

—AND—
Artesian Springs.

The above mentioned Mineral Baths are now open to the public. Hot, cold, and shower baths, together with all conveniences, accommodations, and amusement usually found at such places, such as billiard parlor, croquet ground, apparatus for giving combined exercises, and amusement; also facilities for fishing.

The above baths are in connection with the North American Hotel, and now under the management of an American gentleman of experience in the business, and the public may rest assured that he understands catering for them in every respect.

The proprietors also built a race course which may be used as a driving park. A railway in connection. An omnibus and from all trains.
Preston, July 17, 1874. dow2

PIC-NIC
THE ANNUAL PIC-NIC
OF THE
Guelph Wesleyan Methodist
Sabbath School

Will be held on the Grounds of H. W. PETERSON, Esq.
On Thursday, 23rd Inst.

Tickets, adults 25c; Children under 12 years of age, 15c; to be had at the gate.
A. O. BUCHAM, Secy.
Guelph, July 13, 1874. dd

MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS.

HARRISTON—Friday before the Guelph Fair
BOSWORTH—Saturday before Guelph
BRAXTON—Saturday before Guelph
ELORA—The day before Guelph
DOUGLAS—Monday before Elora Fair
GUELPH—First Wednesday in each month
CLIFFORD—Thursday before the Guelph fair
TEVIOTDALE—Friday before the Guelph fair
NEW HAMBURG—First Tuesday in each month
BRANFORD—Second Tuesday in each month
ELMIRA—Second Monday in each month
WATERLOO—Second Tuesday in each month
MOUNT FOREST—Third Wednesday in each month
HARROVER—Monday before Durham
DURHAM—Tuesday before Mount Forest
FERGUS—Thursday following Mount Forest
ORANOVILLE—Second Thursday in January, March, May, July, September and November.
MOSO MILLS—Third Wednesday in January, April, July and October.
ERIN—First Monday in January, April, July and October.
MASONVILLE—First Tuesday in February, May, August and November.
BRAMPTON—First Thursday in each month.
LITTON—First Friday in each month.
ELIZABURGH—Second Tuesday in January, March, May, July, September and Nov.
MOOREFIELD—Monday before Guelph
HAMILTON—Crystal Palace Grounds, the day after Guelph.



20 cents

On the Dollar Saved at
Day's Bookstore.

We commence Stock-taking
Aug. 1st. Until then 20
cents on the Dollar will be
allowed on all sales of Wall
Paper at Day's Bookstore.
Now is the time to buy.

Another case of Ryan

Dead Balls just received
at Anderson's bookstore.
Sole agent for the Dominion.

BASE BALLS

The Largest and Cheapest Assortment
AT J. HUNTER'S
EMPORIUM

Of Wall Paper, School Books, Jewellery,
Wools, Toys, and
Fancy Goods!

Dead White \$1.25, worth \$2.00
Bonding Rock, 1.15, " 1.75
Atlantic, 1.15, " 1.75
Cock of the Walk, 1.15, " 1.75
Danuttless, 1.15, " 1.75
Dominion Regulation, .75, " 1.25
Star, .75, " 1.25
Practice, .65, " 1.00
Junior, .50, " .75
Boys, from 12 cents.

LACROSSE AND RUBBER BALLS

Of all kinds cheaper than ever.
Full lines of Fancy Goods, Wools, Jewellery and Toys,
Hair Goods, Combs and Small Wares
AT J. HUNTER'S
Berlin Wool, Fancy Goods and Toy Store
Wyndham Street Guelph.

FRUIT, FRUIT!

Strawberries,
Cherries,
Currants,
Gooseberries,
Tomatoes,
Green Peas,
Beans,
Pine Apples, Bananas;
—ALSO—
20,000 Cigars for Sale

To the Trade at City prices at
R. EVANS'
Cheap Fruit Store,
WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH,
Next to Jackson & Hallett's.
June 23rd, 1874. do

A HOTEL CAB.

The subscriber begs to intimate to the public that his new cab attends all trains at stations, and will convey passengers to any part of the town.
Pleasure or other parties hiring the Cab by the hour can have it at very reasonable terms by applying at the hotel.
THOMAS ELLIS,
Proprietor.
Guelph, July 2, 1874. day

New Advertisements.

Co-Operative Store.

REDUCED PRICES OF SUMMER GOODS

LINEN COATS, \$1. REDUCED FROM \$1.25 and \$1.50
STRAW HATS 50c " 65c, 80c and \$1
FELT HATS, 75c " \$1 25, 1 75 and 2 25
TWEEDS, 75c, " 87c, and \$1
PRINTS, 12c, " 14c, 15c and 16c
BROWN HOLLANDS, 20c " 25c per yard
WILL SELL THE HOLLANDS BY THE PIECE FOR 15c.

SUGAR, SUGAR, SUGAR!

Come and get samples and quotations.
J. C. MACKLIN & Co.
GUELPH, July 16, 1874. dw

CHEAP GOODS,

CHEAP GOODS,
ALL THIS MONTH
AT THE

FASHIONABLE WEST END

CHEAP DRESS GOODS,
CHEAP MANTLES,
CHEAP SHAWLS,
CHEAP MILLINERY,
CHEAP PARASOLS,
CHEAP PRINTS,
CHEAP MUSLINS,
CHEAP LAUNNS,
CHEAP DRESS LINENS
A. O. BUCHAM,
Fashionable West End Dress, Mantle, and Millinery Establishment.

REMOVAL OF PREMISES

WM. TAWSE & SON

Beg leave to intimate to the inhabitants of Guelph and surrounding country that they have leased the store lately occupied by Messrs. E. O'Donnell & Co.,
East side of Wyndham Street,
Which they will open with an entire new stock of Boots and Shoes on or about Saturday July 25th, 1874.

ALSO, THAT PREVIOUS TO THEIR REMOVAL THEY WILL HAVE A
Great Cash Clearing Sale for Four Weeks,

During which time the entire stock of Boots and Shoes in the store now occupied by them (opposite the Town Hall) will be cleared out regardless of cost
Intending Purchasers will consult their own interests by calling and examining our Goods and Prices before purchasing elsewhere.
Remember the House,

The Dominion Boot and Shoe Store, opposite the
Town Hall.

Guelph, July 10th, 1874. dw
WM. TAWSE & SON.

On Draught and in Bottle.

BARCLAY & PERKINS'

IMPERIAL

LONDON STOUT

HUGH WALKER.

Guelph June 23, 1874
Wyndham-st., Guelph. dw

To the Inhabitants of the Town
of Guelph and surrounding country.

JOHN HOGG'S
NEW STORES

Will be Opened for Business by the 1st
of September, 1874,

WITH THE
Newest Goods that the Fashions of the day present

And the community may look forward with great joy at the prospects of
once more getting

GOOD GOODS, CHEAP GOODS,
And the best value in the Dominion from

JOHN HOGG.
Proprietor.
Guelph, July 2, 1874. day

NOTICE OF REMOVAL!

GEORGE JEFFREY

Having to give up possession of his store by the FIRST OF JANUARY, has decided to clear out the whole of his valuable stock at greatly reduced prices. Great Bargains will be given as the stock must be sold without reserve.

GREAT BARGAINS IN DRESS GOODS!

The quantity of Goods sold in this Department is immense.

Over \$10,000 worth in Stock of the Latest Fabrics, at 25c per yard, town price 50.
Over \$5,000 worth in Stock of the Latest Fabrics, at 12c per yard, town price 25c.

MILLINERY AND MANTLES:
PARASOLS:

GRENADES AND MUSLINS ALMOST GIVEN AWAY.
The balance in this Department will be cleared out regardless of cost.

About 200 lined Parasols to be cleared at 37½c, worth 75 cents.
The stock is too large to enumerate every article, but will issue a circular every week, giving due notice of the articles to be brought prominently forward at the reduced prices. Don't forget to call early as the whole stock will be sold.

GEORGE JEFFREY, GUELPH.

PREPARING FOR THE FALL TRADE

OPENING
At THE LION
TO-DAY



OPENING
At THE LION
TO-DAY

Direct from Britain several Cases and Bales of **NEW GOODS!**
Shipped by our Agent with the last **ALLAN STEAMSHIP.**

100 pes Horrocks' best Brand Cotton at 12½c a yard ;
1000 pes Dark Prints for Fall Wear, 8c, 9c, 10c and 12c., the very Best Quality. | 500 pes Lovely Dress Goods, and will be sold at less than Montreal Wholesale Prices.
25 Bales of **CARPETS**, splendid designs and colors.

The **CARPET ROOM** is the 3rd flat of **THE LION**—the largest Carpet Hall in the Dominion, where a grand display will be seen. 400 pieces new make double finished **BLACK LUSTRES**—an extra Bargain for 25c., worth 40c.

New Tweeds, New Hats, New Flannels, New Shirts, New Blankets, New Ticks.

BY ALL MEANS SEE THOSE NEW GOODS AT THE LION.

J. D. WILLIAMSON.

Golden Lion, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

GREAT CLEARING SALE

Preparatory to the Departure of Mr. Thos. Heffernan for Europe!

Bargains, Bargains, Bargains! Prices never before Equalled! The Paragon Cheap Sale! Commencing Saturday, June 20th.

HEFFERNAN BROTHERS!

Beg to announce the **GRAND CLEARING SALE** of 1874, commencing on Saturday, June 20th, when they will be prepared to offer Bargains never before equalled in Guelph. No effort will be spared to make this **CHEAP CASH SALE** the great event of the season.

An Immense Stock of New and Fashionable Dry Goods in value amounting to over \$100,000 to be sacrificed in order to make room for European Importations.

Dress Goods ranging in prices from 6c. to 25c., regular prices from 15c. to 65c. A monster stock of Canadian Tweeds at 80c. per yard, sold elsewhere at \$1.25.

Carpets, Curtains, Sheetings, and a general stock of House Furnishings at less than manufacturers' prices.

Ready Made Clothing, Hats, Caps, Shirts, Ties, &c., at Panic Prices.

Millinery, Millinery!

A magnificent display of Trimmed Hats and Bonnets at less than one half the regular prices.

1,000 pieces new 17c. and 20c. prints at One York Shilling per yard.

1,000 pieces 12½c. and 15c. prints at 10c.

This Great Sale will continue for **Four Weeks Only**, and positively no goods will be charged except at regular prices.

HEFFERNAN BROTHERS,

Britannia House, Guelph.

NOTED FOR CHEAP DRY GOODS.
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MOUNT FOREST TOWN HALL.—The contract for erecting the new town hall in Mount Forest has been awarded to Mr. Bodley, whose tender was \$9,725. The tender of Mr. R. McDowell was lowest, being \$9,660, but he declined doing the work. The building is to be of red brick, with white facings, 30 x 84, 26 feet high, and is to stand lengthways on Wellington street, across the front of the present market house.

Special Notices.

IT IS NOT WHAT YOU EAT BUT what you digest that makes you strong. Unless the food taken is perfectly dissolved, assimilated and converted into pure blood, general nervous and physical prostration inevitably result; the whole system is impoverished; degeneration of the organs and tissues follows, and if there be hereditary predisposition to scrofula or consumption it will surely be developed and the constitution gradually broken down. The foundation of good health and a sound mind is a vigorous stomach and perfect nutrition. Dr. Wheeler's Compound Elixir of Phosphates and Calceola is Nature's own remedy for derangements of the digestive organs, purely physiological, harmless, and positively certain to restore nervous and muscular force.

BEARINE

For the Hair!

Prepared from the pure grease of **The Canada Bear.**

It produces a luxuriant growth. It beautifies and strengthens the Hair. It makes the Hair soft and pliant. It imparts to the Hair a rich glossy finish. It is perfectly harmless—not sticky or unclean. It stimulates the roots of the Hair. It enlivens brassy and weak Hair. It prolongs vitality.

SOLD BY DRUGGISTS. Price 50c per bottle.

Perry Davis & Son,

Sole Proprietors, 57, Front Street, Montreal, Prov. Quebec.



Mrs. Wilson's MYSTIC PILLS.
Cure LEUCORRHEA (or Whites) PAINFUL MENSTRUATION, Ulceration of the Uterus, Ovarian Diseases, Abused Medication, and all diseases known as Female Weakness. They are prepared with the greatest care, under the personal supervision of a physician who has made female diseases a special study for many years, and they are a medicine on which **MARRIED LADIES** can depend in the hour and time of need as an unfailing **FEMALE REGULATOR.** Sold by all druggists everywhere. Price, one box, 25c; six boxes, \$1.25, sent by mail free of postage, securely sealed from observation. For full particulars write for our pamphlet, which we will send in sealed envelopes to any address on receipt of post stamp to pre-pay return postage. Address all orders for pamphlets or pills to **WILLIAM GRAY & CO.,** Windsor, Ont. Sold in Guelph by E. Harvey, and all druggists everywhere. Northon & Lyman, Toronto, and J. Winer, Hamilton, Wholesale Agents.

GUELPH CLOTH HALL.
SHAW & MURTON

OUR SPRING STOCK

Is now fully assorted in every department.

CLOTHS,
HATS AND CAPS,
GENTS' FURNISHINGS
READY-MADE CLOTHING.

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

Shaw & Murton,

GUELPH, March 21, 1874. MERCHANT TAILORS

REMOVAL.
G. B. FRASER

Has removed directly opposite his old stand, where he has opened with a brand new stock at much lower prices than could be bought earlier in the season.

G. B. Fraser is too modest to advertise that he is selling much cheaper than those who make a great show. Still facts are stubborn chiefs, and a discerning public pronounce Fraser's to be the cheap store to deal in.

G. B. Fraser gives his old friends a cordial invitation, and invites all who wish to save money to call and see his new stock.

G. B. FRASER,

Wyndham Street, opposite his old stand. Guelph, May 2, 1874.

1874 **SPRING IMPORTATIONS.**

JAS. CORMACK

Tailor and Clothier,

No. 1, Wyndham Street,

Is now receiving a large and beautiful assortment of

Goods suitable for the Season, consisting of Plain and Fancy Woolens in the best and newest patterns.

Hats, Caps, Shirts, Collars, Ties, &c

IN GREAT VARIETY.

JAMES CORMACK,

Guelph, April 21, 1874.

GINGER ALE

—AND—

SODA WATER

—AT—

JOHN A. WOOD'S

Belfast Ginger Ale,
Montreal Ginger Ale,
Schweppes Soda Water
Montreal "
Schweppes Seltzer Water
Montreal " "

—AT—

JOHN A. WOOD'S
Guelph, May 20, 1874.

Remember the New Wholesale and Retail

DRY GOODS STORES

That are to be opened this ensuing Autumn,

On Upper Wyndham Street, Guelph,

BY JOHN HOGG

COUNTRY MERCHANTS

Will be supplied with Staple and Fancy Dry Goods at

Montreal, Toronto or Hamilton Wholesale Prices

The stock for the Wholesale Department being entirely bought from the Manufacturer and for Money, my friends will be placed on the best possible footing in making their purchases. I will guarantee prices and value against any Wholesale House of Montreal, Toronto or Hamilton.

JOHN HOGG.

June 24-draw-wst

THE NOTED TEA HOUSE

SUGARS, SUGARS!

A Large Lot now arriving, and will be sold Cheap during the Preserving Season.

J. E. McELDERRY,
2 DAY'S BLOCK,

THE NOTED TEA HOUSE

Deaf and Dumb Instruction.
The Eighth Annual Convention of the instructors of the deaf and dumb, opened at Belleville on Wednesday, in the Ontario Institution for the Deaf and Dumb. Delegates and visitors were present from different places in Canada and from almost every one of the United States, even so remote a portion of the Union as California being represented. The number present was about one hundred and fifty, and the Convention was the largest yet held. A greater proportion than usual of the delegates were trustees of Institutions. A large proportion of the delegates were ladies, and quite a number of them were themselves deaf and dumb. The proceedings of the convention were interesting to visitors. One of the delegates, Rev. Dr. Galland, officiated as translator into the sign language, for the benefit of deaf members, of everything that was read, and it may be said that the extraordinary facility and rapidity with which it is possible to communicate, was very apparent. Not only did Dr. Galland translate all the remarks made as they were uttered at the speaker's usual rate of speed, but he kept up with the reading of the resolutions, and of the long list of names given when they were read in the report of the Committee on Credentials. That nothing might be lost to the deaf members of the Convention, even the prayer which opened the proceedings was translated as it was delivered. Dr. Henry Landor, Superintendent of the Insane Asylum, London, was appointed temporary chairman, and Mr. D. H. Coleman, of the Ontario Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, temporary Secretary. A committee was appointed to nominate permanent officers, and Rev. W. Turner, Connecticut, was elected President. He has been fifty-three years engaged in the work of teaching deaf mutes.

Mr. W. MILLER, merchant, in Bothway, sold to a Montreal buyer 100 kegs of butter, which realized the handsome sum of \$1665.54.

MANUFACTURE OF COCOA.—We will now give an account of the process adopted by Messrs. James Epps & Co., manufacturers of dietetic articles, at their works in the Easton Road, London. See article in *Cassell's Household Guide*.

CONNECTION.—In the list of prizes to the Wellington Battery, published on our first page on the 9th the names of James Elliott and P. Quillman should be substituted for Andrew Elliott and P. McQuillan.

Mr. HANEY, of Orangeville, was rather unceremoniously shunted off in a railway car near Shelburne, the other day, and in consideration of the little accident has just received \$250 from the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway Company.

PRESENTATION.—On the 18th ult., the Rev. J. Morrison, of Cedarville, was made the recipient of a very handsome buggy and set of harness, valued on the whole at \$120.

BEARS.—From our up-country exchanges we learn that bears are very common in the townships. In Garafraxa, Luther and Proton numbers of them have been seen, but very few captured.

A CROWN OF GLORY.—Nature's dowry to her children is a fine head of hair. Kings cannot give, nor wealth purchase this inestimable gift. Take care of it, less you lose it. Bearine is a healthful invigorating Dressing.

A COMPLIMENT.—When the Mount Forest Company of volunteers returned home from the camp here, Captain Winfield, in conjunction with Mr. James Watt, supplied them with a substantial tea and other refreshments, in Evans' Hall. The men speak very highly of the treatment they received from the authorities and residents of Guelph.

THE RESULT OF INATTENTION.—Referring to the accident on the 9th inst., by which a child of Mr. Louis Shelly, cooper, of Winterbourne, was drowned, our correspondent says: "At the point where the mishap occurred, the road runs across the valley of the creek on a high embankment and bridge, which forms a dam, and which on account of the noisy mills on one side and the deep water of pond on the other, with the absence of any posts or railing on either side, has always been considered a dangerous place for horses, though no accident had as yet happened. It is high time that this and similar places in the country were rendered safe to human life."

RAILWAY TIME TABLE.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.
Trains leave Guelph as follows:
1:45 a.m.; 1:55 p.m.; 5:00 p.m.; 8:10 p.m. *To London, Goderich and Detroit. *To Berlin and Galt.
8:05 a.m.; 11 a.m.; 4:30 p.m.; and 7:35 p.m.

GREAT WESTERN—GUELPH BRANCH.
Going south—8:40 a.m.; 2:30 p.m. and 4:15 p.m.
Going north—11:45 a.m. for Southampton mixed 1:45 p.m. for Chatham 3:15 p.m. for Harrisville; 9:45 p.m. for Ferguson.

Commercial.

Guelph Markets.

MERCURY OFFICE, July 17.	
Flour, per 100 lbs.	83 00 to 83 50
White Wheat, per 100 lbs.	2 00 to 2 10
Red Wheat, do.	1 75 to 1 85
Spring Wheat (Glasgow), 100	1 92 to 1 98
Spring Wheat (red chaff) 100	1 75 to 1 78
Oats, do.	52 to 50
Peas, do.	1 00 to 1 10
Barley, new, do.	0 90 to 0 90
Hay, per ton	9 00 to 12 00
Straw, do.	3 00 to 5 00
Wood, per cord	4 00 to 4 50
Eggs, per dozen	10 to 12
Butter, dairy packed	17 to 18
Butter, rolls	18 to 19
Potatoes, per bag	50 to 70
Apples, per 100 lbs.	60 to 1 50
Beef, per cwt.	4 00 to 7 50
Wool, do.	35 to 00
Lamb, per skin each	35 to 30
Pelts each	25 to 30

Toronto Markets.

TORONTO July 16.	
Fall Wheat, per bushel	1 24 to 1 33
Spring Wheat, do.	1 00 to 1 09
Barley, do.	75 to 74
Oats, do.	52 to 53
Peas, do.	75 to 77
Dressed Hops, per 100 lbs.	8 00 to 8 50
Butter, lb rolls	23 to 21
Butter, tub dairy	18 to 20
Eggs, fresh, per doz.	13 to 15
Apples, per barrel	4 00 to 6 00
Potatoes, per bushel	30 to 35
Hay, per ton	10 00 to 21 00
Straw do.	16 00 to 18 00
Wool	40 to 49

Hamilton Markets.

HAMILTON, July 16.	
White wheat, per bushel	1 21 to 1 22
Red wheat, do.	1 10 to 1 12
Delia, do.	0 90 to 0 91
Fall wheat, do.	1 18 to 1 18
Spring wheat, do.	1 12 to 1 14
Oats, do.	58 to 61
Peas, do.	1 30 to 1 45
Barley, do.	65 to 68
Corn, do.	70 to 70
Clay, do.	67 to 70
Stock wheat, do.	60 to 62 50
Clover, do.	3 25 to 3 75
Butter, fresh, per doz.	14 to 15
Butter, tub, do.	14 to 15
Eggs, per doz.	11 25 to 11 50
Potatoes, do.	1 25 to 1 25
Apples, do.	54 to 36

IMPORTANT

SALE OF PIANOS

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

JOSEPH F. RAINER,

WEST MARKET SQUARE, GUELPH,

Will offer them at a considerable reduction on cost on reasonable

TERMS OF CREDIT

The stock consists of about

40

First-class Instruments!

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

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

An inspection invited.

A competent person will be on the premises, near Mr. John Harris's, who will show the instruments.

Guelph, March 18, 1874. dwtf

LONDON, QUEBEC and MONTREAL

1874

Temperley Line

Composed of the following, and other first-class Iron Steamships:

St. Lawrence, Thames, Delta, Scotland, Severn, Helios.

The steamers of this line are intended to sail as follows during the season of navigation of 1874, to and from London, Quebec and Montreal, calling at Plymouth, outward, for passengers.

FROM LONDON
Delta..... Wednesday, June 17
Helios..... Wednesday, July 1
St. Lawrence..... Wednesday, July 15

FROM QUEBEC
Thames..... Thursday, July 2nd
Delta..... Thursday, July 9th
Helios..... Thursday, July 23rd
St. Lawrence..... Thursday, Aug. 6th.

Through tickets, from all points west, at Reduced Rates. Certificates issued to persons desirous of bringing out their friends. Through bills of lading issued on the continent and in London for all parts of Canada, and in the United States to Detroit, Milwaukee, Chicago, and other points in the west. For freight or passage, apply to Temperley, Carter & Drake, 21 Billiter st., London; W. Y. Weeks & Co., Barbican, Plymouth; Ross & Co., Quebec; David Shaw, Montreal; or

G. S. DAVIDSON, Town Hall Buildings, Guelph. dwtm

ALLAN LINE.

Speed, Safety, Comfort,
GREAT REDUCTION.

Steerage Rates from Guelph
to Liverpool, Londonderry, and Glasgow, only **\$27.10**

Average passages nine and a half days from Quebec; three in smooth water.

Patronize the Canadian Route.

Cabin, state rooms, tickets, and all information furnished by

G. A. OXNARD,
Agent G. T. Railway.

ANCHOR LINE.

Steamers from New York every Wednesday, and Saturday.

Passenger Accommodation Unsurpassed.
Rates of passage from Suspension Bridge or Buffalo

To Glasgow, Liverpool or Londonderry, Queenstown or Belfast.

Cabin \$65 to \$90 gold, according to steamer, and location of berth.

Return tickets issued at reduced rates. Interchange and Steerage as low as any other line.

For passage or further information apply to Henderson Brothers, 7 Bowling Green, New York, or their Agent, 25-26 W. J. BRYCE, Express Agent, Guelph.

INMAN LINE

STEAMERS

BETWEEN

New York and Liverpool

Consisting of Sixteen of the Best Equipped and fastest steamships in the world. Sailing from New York every Thursday and Saturday.

Return tickets from Guelph to Liverpool, Cork, or Glasgow, and back to Guelph, **For \$50.**

Single tickets only \$27.

First-class passage given to New York by rail. Apply to

H. D. MOREHOUSE,
Exchange Office.

ALSO, Agent for the
Michigan Central and Erie Railroad.

Passengers booked to all points in the United States. 1194

MARKET SQUARE, GUELPH.

NEW

Confectionery Establishment.

The subscriber having rented the store lately occupied by G. B. McCullough as a Drug Store,

Corner of Wyndham and Quebec-sts.

Has fitted it up for Confectionery, with a commodious

Ice Cream Parlor in the Rear,

Where he intends carrying on the above line in all its branches, and hopes by strict attention to business, and keeping a good stock always on hand, to merit a due portion of the public patronage.

A supply of Ice Cream and Soda Water, and a variety of

BISCUITS, BUNS, CAKES, CANDIES,
etc. always on hand.

Bride and other Cakes made to order.

JOHN SUTTON,
Guelph, June 20, 1874. dwt

TURNIP SEED!

G. & A. HADDEN

Have now on hand a full supply of all the leading varieties of Turnip Seed, THIS SEASON'S IMPORTATION

Warranted fresh and true to name, which they have every confidence in recommending to their customers and the public generally.

Also just received a large shipment of finest

NEW SEASON TEAS

In Moyune, uncoloured, Japan, Gun Powder, Souchong and Congous, to which they would direct special attention.

The Unrivalled Excellence of our Teas is Universally Admitted.

TRY THEM.

New Sugar in Crushed, Loaf, Ground, Porto Rico, Demerara and Refined.

G. & A. HADDEN.
Guelph, May 27, 1874. d2w-w

GUELPH TEA DEPOT

E. O'DONNELL & Co.

Have just received in their New Grocery Store

20 hds of Good Sugar that they are going to rush off at 13lbs. for \$1—this beats everything.

350 caddies of extra quality of Young Hyson Tea, they are selling for 80c. per lb. by the caddy.

100 boxes Soap, 2 1/2 lb bars, to be sold at 15c per bar; the other stores sell the same soap for 20 cents.

A big lot of Smoking and Chewing Tobacco at 50c per lb.

The finest stock, the largest stock, the cheapest stock, of Glassware and Crockery in Guelph at E. O'Donnell's big new Grocery Store.

E. O'DONNELL & CO
Wyndham Street, next door to their old store.

Elephant Clothing Store.

C. E. PEIRCE & CO.

ARE NOW OFFERING

GREAT BARGAINS
IN CLOTHING!

Linen, Mohair, and Lustre Coats selling Less than Cost.

PANTS FROM 50 CENTS PER PAIR UP.

Boy's Clothing selling at half price.

ALL GOODS WARRANTED.

HATS AND CAPS

In all the latest English and American styles.

C. E. PEIRCE & CO.,
GUELPH, June 27th, 1874. dw

NEW AND CHEAP

Look to your Interest by buying your Furniture from

BURR & SKINNER

AT THEIR
Large Warerooms, Upper Wyndham Street.

FINE MIRRORS of all sizes in
Gilt Frames;

Rose and Gilt Ornamental Frames, and Walnut and Ebony Gilt Frames all at the lowest prices; also

A LARGE STOCK OF WHATNOTS
Of New and Elegant Designs

And all kinds of Fine and Plain Furniture at the very lowest prices.

Come direct to the Headquarters for your Furniture.

BURR & SKINNER,
Manufacturers and Wholesale and Retail Dealers in furniture
June 1st dw

GOOD BOOTS AND SHOES
R. MACGREGOR & CO.

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

The quality of the Goods we sell is our best advertisement. We have the largest stock in town! Keep the best goods and sell at the lowest paying prices.

R. MacGregor & Co.
GUELPH, May 19, 1874. dw

W. ARMSTRONG & SONS

CARRIAGE FACTORY

The Subscribers beg to inform their customers and the public that they have now in stock a number of

BUGGIES
WAGGONS, &c.

all made of the best material and finished in a class style.

Those requiring anything in our line should give us a call, and inspect our stock, as we are sure in giving them satisfaction

Ordered Work turned out Promptly

Repairing, re-painting and re-trimming done the best manner and on short notice.

W. ARMSTRONG & SONS
Woolwich-st., near the Court House
Guelph, April 22 dwtf

J. H. ROMAN & Co.,
Successors to Nelles, Roman & Co.,
CANADA HOUSE,

General Commission Merchants.
AND IMPORTERS,
26, City National Bank Building,
Chicago, Ill.

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GUELPH BOOKBINDERY, St. George's
Square, opposite Anderson's Bookstore, Robert Easton, Proprietor. Received the first prizes for Bookbinding, Binding and Blank Books at the Guelph Central Exhibition, 1873. Encourage a home trade. w

William Stewart

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THE

First Lot's New Goods
for Spring!

Piles of Plain Lustres,
Lots of Striped Dress Goods,
Fancy Goods.
The Newest Colors and Patterns.

THE

Print Department

IS CROWDED

With the Latest Productions in Colours and Styles, and at

LOWER PRICES THAN LAST YEAR

WM. STEWART.
March 23, 1874. dw

R. CRAWFORD'S
SALE

Watches,
Clocks, and
Jewellery

BE CONTINUED

For a short time longer, where bargains are still being given.

STILL ON HAND
A FINE LOT OF
Watches, Clocks, Jewellery, etc.

Call early and judge for yourselves. Store next the Post Office.
R. CRAWFORD, dw
Guelph, June 3, 1874.

POWELL'S
Boot and Shoe Store

NEW SPRING GOODS

Men's English and American style of

Gaiters and Shoes;
Ladies and Children's

GOAT, KID AND PRUNELLA!

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

Particular attention paid to

Custom Work and Repairing.

Remember the Noted Shoe Store,
G. S. POWELL,
West side Wyndham Street, Guelph.
Guelph Mar. 20th, 1874. dw

A LARGE SUPPLY

PARIS GREEN

FOR
Poisoning Potato Bugs,
AND
HELLEBORE

FOR WORMS ON GOOSEBERRY
OR OTHER BUSHES AT

G. H. McIntyre's
(LATE McCULLOUGH'S)

NEW DRUG STORE,
No. 3, Day's Block,
Next door to J. E. McDermid's and directly opposite John Horsman's. dw

RAYMOND'S
SEWING MACHINES

Family Sewing Machine (single thread)
Hand Lock Stitch (double thread)
No. 1, Foot Power.
No. 2, for heavy work.

Furnished with plain tables, half, or Cabinet Cases, as required.

CHARLES RAYMOND,
GUELPH, ONTARIO

LONDON AND CANADIAN

LOAN
—AND—
AGENCY COMPANY
(LIMITED)

(Unrivalled and Unsurpassed)
The only reliable powder in the market. Awarded
EXTRA FIRST PRIZE
At the Provincial Exhibition London 1874.

NEW GOODS.

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Just received, a large and carefully selected stock of articles suitable

FOR THE YOUNG FOLKS

BERLIN WOOLS

And all kinds of Fancy Goods in stock as usual. All orders promptly attended to.

MRS. WRIGHT,
Upper Wyndham St., next to the Wellington Hotel.

W. M. FOSTER, M.D.,
Surgeon Dentist, Guelph.

Office over R. Harvey & Co's. Drug Store, Corner of Wyndham & Macdonnell-sts., Guelph. Nitrous Oxide (laughing gas) administered for the extraction of teeth without pain, which is perfectly safe and reliable. References kindly permitted to Dr. Herod, McGuire, Keating, Cowan, and McGregor, Guelph.

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Conveyancers, Land, Loan, Insurance, and General Agents, 4 Day's Block, Guelph.

All business entrusted to us will receive prompt and strict attention. Deeds, Mortgages, Wills, Leases, etc. etc. neatly and correctly prepared. Money always on hand in sums to suit borrowers, on mortgages or good personal security. No delay or extravagant charges. Our list of Town and Farm Property is large and varied, and parties in want of real estate of any kind should call on us before purchasing elsewhere. Agents for the Commercial Union Assurance Company of London, England.

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4 Day's Block, Guelph, Ont.

CASH FOR WOOL, HIDES, SHEEP SKINS, CALF SKINS, AND WOOL PICKINGS.

The highest market price paid for the above at No. 4, Gordon Street, Day's old Block, Guelph. Plaster it constantly on hand for sale.

Guelph, Ja **MOULTON & BISH** dw

NEW COAL YARD.

The undersigned having opened a Coal Yard in Guelph is prepared to furnish all kinds of

Hard and Soft Coal

at moderate prices. Order left at the store of John A. Wood, Upper Wyndham street, will be promptly attended to.

GEORGE MURTON
Guelph March 1st 1874 dw Proprietor