

### Business Cards.

**OLIVER & MACDONALD,**  
Barristers and Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitors,  
Notaries Public, &c. Office—Corner of  
Wynham and Quebec Streets, up stairs,  
Guelph, Ont. (dw)

**FREDERICK BISCOE,** Barrister and  
Attorney at Law, Solicitor in Chancery,  
Conveyancer, &c. Office, corner of  
Wynham and Quebec Streets. (dw)

**STEPHEN BOUTL,** Architect, Con-  
tractor and Builder, Planning Mill, and  
every kind of Joiner's Work prepared for the  
road and the public. The Factory is on  
Quebec street, Guelph. (dw)

**CARVER & HATHERLY,** Contractors,  
Well Sinks and General Jobbers,  
Excavations of all kinds undertaken by the  
day or job. Residence, Liverpool St. near  
Ryan's ashery. (dw)

**THORP'S HOTEL, GUELPH,** remod-  
elled and newly furnished. Good ac-  
commodation for commercial travellers,  
Free omnibus to and from all trains. First-  
class Livery in connection.  
May 14 dwt JAS. A. THORP, Proprietor

**WILLIAM J. PATERSON,**  
Official Assignee for the County  
of Wellington.  
Office—Opposite Town Hall, Guelph. (dw)

**DR. BROOK,**  
OFFICE AND RESIDENCE  
Directly opposite Chalmers' Church,  
QUEBEC STREET. (d)

**LEMON & PETERSON,**  
Barristers and Attorneys at Law,  
Solicitors in Chancery,  
Conveyancers and Notaries Public.  
Office, over the Bank of Commerce, Guelph.

**A. LEMON, H. W. PETERSON,**  
CHAS. LEMON, County Crown Attorney

**GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN,**  
Barristers, Attorneys-at-Law,  
Solicitors in Chancery,  
GUELPH, ONTARIO.

**W. H. CUTTEN,**  
Guelph, March 1, 1873. (dw)

**IRON CASTINGS**  
Of all kinds, made to order at  
**CROWE'S IRON WORKS,**  
Norfolk Street, Guelph.

**JOHN CROWE, Proprietor.**  
151W

**S. T. URDY,**  
House, Sign, & Ornamental Painter

**GRAINER AND PAPER-HANGER.**  
Shop next to the Wellington Hotel, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

**BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL,** FOR  
YOUNG LADIES by the MRS. E.  
J. BERT. Terms: Board, instruction in  
English, Music, and Plain and Fancy Needle  
work, \$5 per term of eleven weeks. Drawing,  
French and Latin, extra if required.  
The school will open on the 26th of August.  
The books used by the different classes can  
be rented by those not wishing to purchase  
them. Address: Corner of Smith and Moir  
Sts., Elora. (H-4) dwt

**O'CONNOR'S BILLIARD HALL,**  
IN THE  
QUEEN'S HOTEL, GUELPH, OPPOSITE  
THE MARKET  
Refitted in the latest fashion. Finest  
style Phelan Tables. (d)

**NEW COAL YARD.**  
The undersigned having opened a Coal  
Yard at Guelph is prepared to furnish all  
kinds of  
**Hard and Soft Coal**  
At moderate prices. Orders left at the store  
of John A. Wood, Upper Wynham Street,  
will be promptly attended to.  
Guelph, Nov. 1, 1872. (dw)

**SEED GRAIN FOR SALE.**  
Farmers and others wanting to buy Seed  
Grain will find it to their advantage to call  
at  
**At Jas. McMillan's**  
Before purchasing, and examine his choice  
stock of Peas, Oats and Barley, which he  
will sell cheap for cash.  
He also has the highest quality of Potatoes,  
Wool, Hides and Skins.  
Remember the place, Day's old block, be-  
low the G. T. R. Crossing, next to Mc. T. J.  
Brill's warehouse, Gordon St., Guelph.  
JAS. McMILLAN, (dw)

**ROBERT CRAWFORD,**  
PRACTICAL  
Watch and Clock Maker, Jeweller,  
Wynham Street, Guelph.

Gold and Silver Watches, Chains, Brooches,  
Rings, &c., Hair Plait and Device Work,  
Clocks and Time Pieces, Jewellery repaired and  
made to order. Plated Goods in variety.  
Guelph, Feb. 12, 1873. (dw)

**JOHN SPIERS,**  
Veterinary Surgeon,  
M. O. V. C. Z.  
At the earnest solicitation of his numerous  
friends and patrons in Guelph, and sur-  
rounding vicinity, has been prevailed upon  
to continue his residence here, where, as  
usual, he will attend to all calls in the  
Veterinary art, with promptness and satisfac-  
tion.  
Office at Coulthart's Union Hotel, Macdon-  
nell street, Guelph. (H-4) dwt

**J. MARRIOTT,**  
Veterinary Surgeon,  
M. O. V. C. Z., R. V. M. A.  
Having lately arrived in Guelph from Eng-  
land, and taken up his residence here, in-  
tends continuing the practice of his profes-  
sion, and will attend to all calls in the  
Veterinary art, with promptness and satisfac-  
tion.  
Office at Coulthart's Union Hotel, Macdon-  
nell street, Guelph. (H-4) dwt

**PARKER'S HOTEL,**  
—DIRECTLY—  
OPPOSITE THE MARKET, GUELPH  
First-class accommodation for travellers  
Commodious stabling and an attentive  
hostler.  
The best Liquors and Cigars at the bar.  
He has just fitted up a room where Oysters  
will be served up at all hours, in the favorite  
pickled Salmon, Lobsters, and Sardines.  
Guelph, Feb. 1, 1873. (dw)

### New Advertisements.

**TWO GENTLEMEN WANTED**—As  
Boarders in a private family. Apply  
at this office. (dw)

**POCKET BOOK LOST**—Lost, on  
Thursday, a dark brown large pocket  
book, containing a sum of money, about \$30,  
and several papers. The finder will be lib-  
erally rewarded by leaving it at this office. (dw)

**BLACKSMITH AND APPRENTICE**  
WANTED.—Wanted immediately, a  
Journeyman Blacksmith. A good hand only  
need apply. Also, an apprentice to the  
Blacksmith business. Apply at once to Jas.  
Laird, Morrison. (dw)

**INVOICE OR JUNIOR CLERK WAN-**  
TED.—Wanted, a youth, aged from 16 to  
18. Must be well educated, quick at figures,  
and a good writer. Apply, with references,  
stating age, salary required, &c., to Jas.  
Laird, Morrison. (dw)

**SEWING MACHINES FOR SALE.**  
For sale, the "Wanderer," Locking and  
Howe Sewing Machines, all first class and  
cheap for cash. Enquire at the Mercury  
Office. (dw)

**TO LET**—With immediate possession,  
the stone cellars, rooms, offices, and  
upper story in Brownlow's Buildings, on  
Douglas street, near the Post Office. Ap-  
ply to John Horsman, or William Day.  
Guelph, Feb. 12, 1873. (dw)

**FOR SALE**—Lot 71, on Wynham-  
street, known as the "Wanderer,"  
smith Shop Lot. Clear title and immediate  
possession given. Also, a first-class stone  
house to rent. Apply to Deane Coffee,  
Guelph, December 27th, 1872. (dw)

**DWELLING HOUSE FOR SALE.**  
The subscriber offers for sale a Brick  
Dwelling House, containing seven rooms,  
with all necessary outbuildings, well sup-  
plied with hard and soft water. Apply to  
D. Kennedy, builder, Guelph. (dw)

**NOTICE**—Notice is hereby given  
that six Blank Promissory Notes,  
stolen from the Queen's Hotel, to which the  
name of W. Bookless is signed, are pro-  
vided to be paid or otherwise negotiated by  
any person, as no value has been received  
for the same. GEORGE BOOKLESS,  
Guelph, Feb. 24, 1873. (dw)

**TAKE NOTICE**—That an application  
will be made to the Legislature of Ontario  
at the present session, and also to the  
Legislature of the Dominion of Ontario and  
Quebec at its next session for an Act to incor-  
porate a Company for the construction of a  
railroad from some point on the Ontario and  
Quebec Railroad in or near the Township of Man-  
vers, through or near to Port Perry, New-  
market, Grandville, Arden, and through to  
Goderich on Lake Huron.  
Jan. 31, 1873. JOHN FOWLER, (dw)

**DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.**  
Notice is hereby given that the  
partnership heretofore existing and carried  
on by Thomas Dobbie and John Pattison, as  
Builders and Contractors, under the firm of  
Dobbie & Pattison, at the Town of Guelph,  
was this day dissolved by mutual consent.  
The business will henceforth be carried on  
by Thomas Dobbie, as only, he being  
authorized to discharge all debts, and to re-  
ceive all credits on account of the said part-  
nership.  
—THOMAS DOBBIE,  
JOHN PATTISON.  
Witnesses: George Bruce, Wm. Day.  
Dated at Guelph, the 19th February, A. D.,  
1873. (dw)

**HOUSED FOR SALE OR TO**  
RENT.—The Rev. R. Brown offers  
for sale or to rent, his homestead,  
beautifully situated on the banks of the  
Grand River in the Village of  
Douglas, Garafraza. It consists of ten acres  
of land on which are a two-story stone house  
with wood shed, barn, milk house, well  
and soft water cistern. A frame barn 24x36,  
with good stone stable under. Also a root  
house. There is also a fine young orchard  
with 200 trees, all thriving. For particulars  
come and see, or write (pre-paid) to John  
Hill, Garafraza P. O. (dw)

**NOTICE TO DEBTORS.**  
INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869.  
In the matter of John A. McMillan, an  
Insolvent.  
All parties indebted to the Insolvent Es-  
tate of John A. McMillan, either by note or  
book account are required to pay the same to  
the Assignee's agent, at the store of the  
Insolvent in Guelph, on or before the 24th  
date, otherwise their accounts will be put in  
suit for collection. WM. McLAREN, Assignee.  
Guelph, Feb. 24th, 1873. (dw)

**RESIDENCE IN GUELPH FOR**  
SALE.—First-class Stone house, hav-  
ing eight rooms, also wash house, stable,  
wood shed, &c., abundant hard and soft  
water, with 1 1/2 acres of land, stocked with  
choice young fruit trees. Terms easy. Fur-  
niture can be had at a valuation. For sale  
also, a milk cow, and sufficient feed for  
winter. Apply to A. G. Thorburn, Guelph.  
Guelph, Feb. 15th, 1873. (dw)

**INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869.**  
In the matter of John A. McMillan, of  
Guelph, an Insolvent.  
I, the undersigned, William McLaren,  
have been appointed Assignee in this matter.  
Creditors are requested to file their claims  
before me within 30 days, or their claims  
will be barred. WM. McLAREN,  
Of Wm. McLaren & Co.,  
MONTREAL, w2-34  
Montreal, Feb. 20, 1873. (dw)

**EMIGRATION**  
—OF—  
**FARM LABORERS.**  
PUBLIC MEETING!  
A meeting to consider the best measures to  
be adopted for assisting this district with  
the agricultural and other laborers so great-  
ly needed, will be held  
**In Guelph, on Tuesday Ev'ng Next,**  
**IN THE COUNCIL ROOM,**  
When John A. Donahoe, Esq., Immigration  
Agent, Toronto; G. T. Haight, Ontario Im-  
migration Agent, Quebec, and other gentle-  
men, will address the meeting. A full at-  
tendance is requested.  
JOHN HARVEY,  
Town Clerk,  
Guelph, Feb. 22nd, 1873. (dw)

**CARRIAGE**  
—AND—  
**Wagon Wheel Factory.**  
GUELPH, ONT.  
The undersigned her to notify Black-  
smiths, Carriage and Wagon Makers, &c.,  
that he has commenced and intends con-  
tinuing the manufacture of all kinds of  
Carriage, Heavy and Wagon Wheels, at  
his Factory, in the Town of Guelph.  
None but good workmen will be employed.  
The best of material only will be used,  
carefully selected, and thoroughly seasoned.  
A call from the trade generally is respect-  
fully solicited for the purpose of examining  
over Street, and ascertaining our prices before  
purchasing elsewhere.  
All orders that we may be favored with  
will be promptly attended to on short notice.  
Factory—Opposite the Agricultural Works,  
near the Farmers Iron Bridge, Guelph.  
ROBT. R. DALGLEISH & CO.,  
Guelph, Jan. 1, 1873. (dw)

### RAILWAY TIME TABLE

Winter  
Arrangement—On after Monday, 18th  
November:  
**Grand Trunk Railway**  
Trains leave Guelph as follows:  
WEST  
2:17 a.m.; 9:45 a.m.; 1:50 p.m.; 6:00 p.m.;  
8:33 p.m.;  
To London, Goderich, and Detroit. To Berlin.  
EAST  
8:05 a.m.; 7:30 a.m.; 11:00 a.m.; 4:12 p.m.  
and 8:33 p.m.  
Great Western—Guelph Branch.  
Going South—4:50 a.m., 12:35 p.m., 1:55 p.m.  
for Hamilton; 4:55 p.m.  
Going North—11:45 a.m. for Clifford; mailed  
1:15 p.m. for Clifford; 4:53 p.m. for Fergus;  
4:55 p.m. for Fergus.

### Guelph Evening Mercury

MONDAY EVENING, FEB. 24, 1873.

### Town and County News.

REMEMBER the meeting of the mem-  
bers of St. Patrick's Society, this even-  
ing, in Quinn's Hotel, at half-past seven  
o'clock.

MR. CHARLES DAVIDSON, on Thursday  
last, slipped on a piece of ice, in Elora,  
and received injuries of such a nature  
that he is confined to his bed ever since.  
One of his ribs is broken.

MR. JOHN ANDERSON has sent us the  
January number of the National Live  
Stock Journal, a valuable paper for farm-  
ers and stock-breeders. He has also  
sent us "The Day of Rest," a new period-  
ical published in England, specially suit-  
ed for Sunday reading. It will form a  
valuable companion to the Sunday Maga-  
zine. For sale at Anderson's.

INDIAN TEA-MEETING.—A tea-meeting  
came off at Walpole Island on Tuesday  
evening, 11th of February. It was got  
up by the Indians in order to raise money  
to buy a bell for the new Episcopal  
Church. The meeting was well attended  
by whites as well as Indians. Financial-  
ly it was a great success, as no less a  
sum than \$250 was realized on the occa-  
sion.

DURING the absence of Mr. Bookless,  
proprietor of the Queen's Hotel, here, on  
Friday afternoon, an adroit thief stole a  
cash box from a cupboard, behind the  
counter. He was not seen in the act,  
and enjoys his ill-gotten \$200, and a  
number of papers of no value to any per-  
son but the owners. If the thief has any  
honor in his composition he will, at  
least, return the papers to Mr. Bookless.

A GOOD SALE.—Mr. John S. Armstrong,  
of Ermosa, as a stock-breeder, is becom-  
ing more famous every year. Two gen-  
tlemen were deputed by the County of  
Bruce, last week, to secure a couple of  
young bulls, and after looking at the  
best stock in the county, purchased two  
Durham bull calves from Mr. Armstrong,  
for which they paid him the handsome  
sum of \$350. The animals were shipped  
to their destination on Saturday last.

DESPICABLY MEAN ACT.—A heavy  
iron gate is closed outside the glass door,  
in front of the store of Messrs. Robert  
Rae & Co., Alma Block. When the boy  
opened the gate this (Monday) morning,  
a large pane of glass at the left hand  
side of the entrance fell, breaking into  
pieces. The youth narrowly escaped  
from being severely injured, as the glass  
in its fall grazed his head. It would ap-  
pear that some evil disposed person  
threw a stone against the pane, shatter-  
ing it so that the least shake would  
cause it to fall, which it did when the  
iron gate referred to was only partially  
opened. Some persons were of opinion  
that the top of the gate came in contact  
with the glass when the boy opened it,  
but upon closer examination it was  
found that such could not have been the  
case. A considerable number of iron  
articles were broken in the window.  
The damage will amount to about one  
hundred and fifty dollars, as two large  
panes were broken, and plate glass has  
recently very materially advanced in  
price. A reward for the apprehension of  
the perpetrator might do some good.

SIMS PATENT BURNER AND LAMP.—Mr.  
M. Doran has shown us a new coal oil  
lamp, with Sims patent burner, which is  
a great improvement on the ordinary  
coal oil lamp. It is like an ordinary lamp,  
with this exception that one or more  
branches are carried from the lamp  
through which the wick (common candle  
wick) is inserted. Near the end there are  
four very small holes through which the  
flame is emitted, and it burns brightly  
without a chimney, and is entirely free  
from smoke. The oil used is common  
refined oil refined over again, and is not  
expensive. It gives a better and much  
cheaper light than the ordinary lamp,  
and is entirely free from danger. Mr.  
Doran is agent for the lamp for the  
County. The lamps and oil can be seen  
at his store West Market Square. This  
invention is well worth the attention of  
housekeepers and all requiring a safe and  
good light.

**Fire in Mount Forest.**  
Special to the Mercury.  
Mount Forest, Feb. 24.—The dwelling  
house belonging to John Robinson, rail-  
road contractor, and occupied by James  
Patterson, merchant of this place, was  
totally consumed by fire at three o'clock  
this morning. Mr. Patterson's loss is  
estimated at eight hundred dollars, which  
is partially covered by insurance. The  
dwelling valued at \$500, insured for \$300.

President Grant's inauguration ceremo-  
ny on 5th prox. are expected to be  
displayed since the review of  
the victor's armies of Generals Grant  
and Sherman in Washington during the  
spring of 1865.

### Local and Other Items.

THE St. Catharines Daily Times of  
Thursday says:—"News is a terribly  
scarce article just now." A glance at  
the sheet convinced us of the fact with-  
out being informed of it.

CONSOILING.—Husband—"I am going  
to have a skate this evening, my dear;  
so I don't suppose I shall be home before  
ten o'clock." Affectionate little wife—  
"Very well, dear, if you are not home by  
that time, I shall conclude that you have  
fallen in, so I shall not wait up after  
them."

A TERRIBLE EXAMPLE.—A party of  
friends travelling out the Port Dover  
road, stopped at Mr. John Carr's, Royal  
Oak, to partake of a dejection for the  
compounding of which that establish-  
ment has become famous. One of them,  
however, was a temperance man, and re-  
mained outside to give a critical inspec-  
tion to some lumber wagons which were  
standing at the door. While by the  
head of one of the horses the vicious  
brute seized him by the arm, and in jerk-  
ing away from it his foot slipped and he  
fell on his back. Fortunately he was  
not much hurt, and his waggon com-  
panions told him that his conduct was a  
terrible example to temperance men, for  
if he had been in the bar "taking a  
drink like another man" the accident  
would not have happened. So says the  
Hamilton Spectator.

SUICIDE IN CALEDONIA.—Mr. David  
Kean, broker, Caledonia, put an end to  
his life on Friday night. The deceased  
was in good health, comfortable cir-  
cumstances, and carrying on a profitable  
business. A slight misunderstanding in  
his family is supposed to be the exciting  
cause of the fatal act, though he had evi-  
dently contemplated the deed for some  
time, as he had carried about his person  
some strychnine for several weeks. The  
strychnine was taken in some water in  
the presence of his wife, who was told  
what he was going to do, but she could  
not believe he was in earnest. At the  
request of the dying man, who sincerely  
regretted his dreadful act, and earnestly  
wished to recover, Dr. McCarroll was  
soon after called in, but too late. In  
spite of the stomach pump and all the  
remedies which the utmost medical skill  
could bring to bear the fatal poison had  
done its work. Though he could scarcely  
be called an intemperate man, still it is  
likely that drink will be found to be the  
real cause of this melancholy affair.

PRESENTATION TO THOMAS GOLDIE, ESQ.  
On Saturday evening last, in the par-  
lor of the Queen's Hotel here, the mem-  
bers of the Guelph Base Ball Club met  
for the purpose of presenting their able  
and efficient secretary with some slight  
token of their esteem, previous to his  
departure for New York. The chair was  
occupied by Mr. Thomas Taylor who, in  
making the presentation, bore testimony  
to the sterling character of Mr. Goldie,  
and his indefatigable exertions on be-  
half of the Club. He then read the fol-  
lowing address, after which Mr. Goldie  
was made the recipient of a handsome  
gold chain and locket, as a token of the  
esteem in which he is held by the mem-  
bers of the Club.  
To Thomas Goldie, Esq.,

DEAR SIR,—Learning with regret of  
your intended departure from Guelph, we  
deemed it due to you and to the Maple  
Leaf Base Ball Club, of which you have  
so long been an efficient member and of  
whom we are proud to have you as one  
of our number, to express to you our  
esteem and regard in the only public  
and formal manner possible. Although  
we speak more directly for the Base Ball  
Club, we know that our citizens generally  
sympathize with us in the loss which we  
shall suffer by your departure to New  
York, for it is well known that largely to  
the indefatigable exertions put forth by  
you as Secretary, is due the proud po-  
sition which the Champions of Canada  
enjoy amongst the ball players of the  
continent. In the discharge of the duties  
of your position, you were called upon to  
attend to an amount of time, ability and at-  
tention there, that few amongst us could  
supply, and in this particular sphere  
your loss will be deeply felt by every  
member and every admirer of our  
organization.

But it is not alone as a promoter of  
the innocent and healthful sport of base  
ball that your continued presence in our  
midst would be desired by all; for, ir-  
respective of class, those of our citizens  
who have had the pleasure of your ac-  
quaintance will join in our regrets at  
your departure.  
However, time brings changes to us all,  
and the call which you have received to  
a wider sphere of labor is, we doubt not,  
designed for your ultimate benefit.  
Cheered by the reflection that we may  
have many happy re-unions in the days  
to come, we beg of you to accept this  
slight, but tangible expression of our  
esteem, and hopefully, though regretfully,  
to bid you farewell.  
Signed on behalf of the Guelph Maple  
Leaf Base Ball Club.  
THOMAS TAYLOR,  
President.

Mr. Goldie made the following reply:  
Mr. President, and Fellow-Members of the  
Guelph Maple Leaf Club.  
Gentlemen.—I thank you for this val-  
uable Gift and fine Testimonial, which,  
in your pleasure, you have seen fit to  
present me with.  
I trust nothing will arise to cause me  
to lose the esteem in which I am held by  
you, for without that high estimation of,  
and gentlemanly bearing towards me, at  
all times, I should not have prospered so  
well, as Secretary of our Club.  
Whenever I look upon this valuable  
chain, I will always think of the Donors,  
and all associations connected with the  
Club.  
Again, I thank you, and hope that the  
success we have had (as a Club) the last  
few years, will be again met by you in all  
your undertakings.  
I am, yours, &c.,  
THOMAS GOLDIE.

The appeal of Edwin James for re-ad-  
mission to the English bar has been re-  
fused.

The Dunkin bill has been carried in  
the Townships of Walsingham and  
Charlotteville.

### THIS MORNING'S DESPATCHES

#### University Tests Bill.

#### Partizan Agitation in Spain.

#### Portugal Arming.

#### Delay of Spanish Mails.

#### Welcome to Rev. Mr. Mer- milled.

#### Abolition of Capital Punish- ment.

#### Spain Purchasing Improved Small Arms.

#### Amadeus Sorry for Leaving the Spanish Throne.

#### Activity of the Carlists.

#### Dissatisfaction of the Army.

#### Burned to Death.

London, Feb. 22.—Mr. Disraeli, Lord  
Cairns and Gathorne Hardy, member  
for Oxford University, will meet the  
members of the House for Dublin to-day,  
for the purpose of discussing and deter-  
mining the course to be pursued by the  
Conservatives in Parliament on the Uni-  
versity Tests Bill.

Robert Vans Agnew, the Conservative  
candidate, has been elected to Parliament  
for Wighton. Mr. Agnew succeeds Geo.  
Young, Liberal, by whom he was defeated  
at the last general election by 120 in a  
poll of 8,148 votes.

The Times has advices from Spain to  
the effect that the partizan agitation is  
beginning to make itself felt in the new  
Republic and throughout the Iberian  
peninsula.

Portugal is arming in anticipation of a  
civil commotion, and fears of the Federals  
are everywhere uncertain.

The Spanish mails are several days  
overdue.

Paris, Feb. 22.—The Archbishop of  
Paris has tendered the hospitalities of  
his home and fraternal welcome to Rev.  
Mr. Mermilled, who was recently expelled  
from Switzerland.

Madrid, Feb. 22.—Senor Nicolas Sal-  
meron, Minister of Justice, will shortly  
present to the Assembly a bill for the  
abolition of capital punishment for all  
offences whatever.

In the Assembly yesterday, Senor Cas-  
tellar, Minister of Foreign Affairs, and  
Echegaray, Minister of Finance, made  
statements with reference to the condi-  
tion of the Republic, (tendered to ally  
apprehension concerning the movements  
of Carlists, and the course of reactionary  
partisans.

The Ministry presented a proposal to  
apply 10,000,000 reals from the war  
fund, for the purpose of procuring im-  
proved small arms. They also declared  
that the Government will punish with  
proper severity all excesses on the part  
of those who persist in insurrectionary  
violence.

The discussion of the bill for the abo-  
lition of slavery in Porto Rico was con-  
tinued yesterday, but no progress is re-  
ported.

New York, Feb. 21.—A special from  
London says in the considerations that  
induced Amadeus to abdicate, the possible  
declaration of the Spanish Republic was  
never for a moment contemplated. It  
was a complete surprise, a veritable  
coup d'etat. Amadeus would not have  
abdicated had he deemed the consequen-  
ces of his act in any degree probable, in-  
asmuch as two Latin nations, France and  
Spain, having each a Republican Govern-  
ment, would have enormous influence on  
the third Latin nation, thus directly en-  
dangering his father's throne. Amadeus  
abdicated in expectation that he would  
be recalled by the army, whose side he  
had taken against the Ministry. For this  
he remained in Portugal. Artillery offi-  
cers are all Monarchists, all members of  
old families. He believed that as he  
cast away the throne, rather than act  
with a Ministry who attempted to humiliate  
the army, they would pronounce in his  
favor, and he would return at their head,  
his hands being free from constitu-  
tional trammels, but he was completely  
checkmated by the turn of events. Ap-  
parently it was some suspicion of this  
kind, induced many members of the  
Cortes, not Republicans, to vote with the  
Republican party, in order to overreach  
the royal manœuvre. Amadeus, however,  
seems not to have relinquished his hopes  
for recall. The Spanish Republic is a  
source of uneasiness at Berlin. The  
Emperor now regrets his false step in  
France, and is sorry he did not re-es-  
tablish Napoleon or some other monarch,  
and accept payment of a slight indemnity  
rather than let things take their course.

He regards the Spanish Republic as a  
consequence of the French Republic, and is  
uncertain where this desire for Republics  
will stop.

Madrid, Feb. 22.—The excitement is  
increasing, particularly among the work-  
ing men. There is an apprehension of  
barrenness appearing and Red Republi-  
cans arguing extreme measures. The  
Carlists in their operations and intrigues  
are very active, and the army is dissatis-  
fied.

Washington's birthday reception, by  
American Ministers, became a Republican  
demonstration.

Reactionists are extravagant in expres-  
sions of hostility to American Ministers,  
whom they regard as officiously active in  
Spanish politics.

Buffalo, Feb. 24.—At the residence of  
Mrs. Fargo, jr., yesterday, while Maggie  
McGowan, the nurse, was kindling the  
fire, her clothes caught fire, causing her  
death a few moments after. She formerly  
resided in London, Ont.

Chicago, Feb. 23.—The thermometer  
this morning ranged from 16 to 20 de-  
grees below zero. Now moderating.

### Ontario Legislature.

#### THE FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

#### (Continued.)

But in the shape of visible representa-  
tion in respect to Provincial expenditure  
since 1867, they had this large sum which  
had been mentioned, and which, being ad-  
ded to the cash on hand and invested,  
amounted to \$5,019,827. In other words,  
the Province could clearly claim to own  
property and value in cash investments  
to the amount of five millions and up-  
wards. Taking the 1st Dec., 1872, and  
looking at the position of the Province  
at that particular it would be found that  
the amount invested had increased to  
\$4,297,872. He next came to the casual  
revenue, from which he expected \$22,000,  
the amount received last year. After  
making allowance for the expense of his  
maintenance, he looked to public  
institutions for a revenue of \$24,500.  
From the Dominion, including the amount  
of \$35,000 for marriage licenses, he would  
receive \$1,089,900. He had taken a less  
amount than the Commissioner of Crown  
Lands had furnished him with, as the  
probable receipts from the Municipalities  
Fund, clergy reserve lands, and Common  
School lands. The amount from these  
sources he put down at \$185,000. This  
would make the gross probable receipts,  
for 1873, \$3,089,401. Hon. members  
would now be curious to know how much  
of that was to be expended in connection  
with the service of the Province for 1873.

In the estimates brought down they  
would find that the annual total of these  
estimates was \$2,771,028. They would  
also find that \$271,000 was included in  
connection with the municipalities fund  
and the land improvement fund, and  
\$80,000 in connection with the expendi-  
ture of last year, which required to be  
covered by a vote of the House, making  
some \$350,000. The House would find  
that the estimates were in excess of last  
year, although last year should properly  
be charged with \$80,074 that appeared in  
this year's estimates, which should be  
deducted by that amount; and, cor-  
rectly speaking, the amount to be pro-  
vided for

need, and when it goes further and extends the very large sums he had mentioned, in the establishment of every kind of institution which an intelligent and civilized people ought to possess, could any paper conversant with the facts, could any man accustomed to lead the public mind, venture to say that this was not a self-reliant community? He went further and said that the advice which was conveyed in this article in respect to our taking up our freedom was ignorantly given by a writer who knew nothing of our true position. He said further that if there was a country in the world which had long ceased to be in a position of apprenticeship it was the Dominion of Canada. Did not we each and all of us protest ourselves, and were we not ready to go further and make that protection an actual one? Was there amongst the millions upon whom we could now rely in connection with our defence a man who would not be prepared to die—the last man in the last ditch—for the defence of his country? He went still further and said that in regard to our freedom it could not possibly be said that in consequence of any possible change in our political position this Province could be any more free than it is now. Was there not an intelligent public opinion? That public opinion had been stifled by influences which he was glad to say were fast disappearing—influences which had placed the government of this country, and until a short time ago the government of this Province, in the hands of men unworthy to control it—men who knew nothing of the aspirations of the Canadian people, and who were unable properly to control its destinies. He would say that there was a public opinion in this country, which, so far as this Province was concerned, had been exercised in such a way as to thoroughly show that we belonged to the "true North," of which the Poet Laureate sang, which was faithful in its position as a dependency of the British Empire, and that we assert ourselves as freemen in full possession of our freedom.

**Guelph Evening Mercury**

MONDAY EVENING, FEB. 24, 1873

**The Financial Statement.**

The financial statement made by the Hon. Mr. Crooks on Friday will be regarded as a full, clear and satisfactory exhibit of the position of the Province. Although he has held the office of Treasurer for only a few months, he has made himself fully acquainted with every financial detail, and these he has presented in a light which cannot fail to be understood. He next explains the position of the Province in relation to the Dominion. The assumed debt of Ontario to the Dominion is \$5,833,333, but against this sum had to be placed valuable assets from debts due by railways, from various school lands and other funds, which when realised would reduce the debt of the Province to a very small sum indeed. Proceeding to discuss the question of revenue and expenditure, he estimated our total revenue for 1873 at \$2,680,900. This is nearly \$400,000 less than our actual income for 1872, but then the money received last year from the sales of timber limits and other extraordinary sources must be taken into consideration as having gone to swell our income to this large amount.

He then proceeded to explain in detail his estimates of expenditure for the current year, which shows a large increase compared with the expenditure of 1872. The Treasurer puts the total estimated expenditure at \$2,771,028. Of this amount nearly \$271,000 is included in connection with the municipalities fund and the land improvement fund. From the total amount \$80,074 in connection with the expenditure of last year has to be deducted, which the Treasurer claims will reduce the actual expenditure this year to \$2,690,954, or about \$100,000 more than the expenditure of 1872. The chief items of increase are as follows:—Under the head of Civil Government an increase of \$18,995; for Colonization Roads an increase of \$66,594. This excess is mainly due to the fact that the Government intend during this year to open up a large portion of the Lake Superior country by constructing roads, and thereby developing and enhancing the value of the immense lands in that region. A large sum will also be spent in running roads into the Lake Nipissing district, and the present system of Colonization roads in the Eastern section of the Province will also be extended. In the administration of justice there is an increase of \$31,285 which increase will be required for the first time in the payment of witnesses who are forced to attend the trial of criminal cases. In the maintenance of public buildings there is a decrease in the estimated expenditure, as compared with last year, of \$56,438. In public works there is an excess of \$49,280; and in asylums and public institutions, maintenance, \$16,941. This increase arises in part, from the consideration that a number of pupils in the institutions referred to will require to be supported at the public expense. In education there is an increase of \$44,195, the total being \$470,215. The total amount asked for emigration is \$125,824, being an increase of \$55,824. Some of these figures look large, but when we compare the estimates of this year with those of 1872, we find that the total increase is only \$402,257. When we consider that this increase is mainly due to more extended operations on Colonization Roads, Public Works, maintenance of Public Institutions, in promoting Immigration and in Crown Lands expenditure,

the people will be inclined to justify the Government in the large amounts asked for, if these sums are judiciously spent.

The amount to the credit of the Province is one of the most gratifying features in the financial statement. There are under investment \$4,297,979; cash, \$952,991; Public Works, \$1,475,427; and there had been drawn from the Railway Fund, \$372,786. These sums amounted to \$6,499,184, showing an improvement in the year of \$1,479,596. From the foregoing has to be deducted the sum of \$1,627,214 still due to the Railway Fund, leaving a balance of \$4,871,970. Another gratifying feature the Treasurer adverted to was the fact that since 1867 the bank deposits in Ontario had doubled, while the discounts and loans had more than doubled. This he attributed to the general prosperity, partly due to Confederation, and to the impetus given to all kinds of industrial pursuits since that period. The Government aid to railways so far had been only about \$400,000, but altogether there had been expended in the Province for the construction of railways close on nineteen millions of dollars, and over sixteen and a half millions more would have to be expended in the completion of railways already commenced.

Rev. Mr. Dumoulin has declined to accept the Bishopric of Algoma.

Four Queen's Council are appointed; all of them are Nova Scotians.

Hon. Mr. Chauveau has been appointed speaker of the Senate, in place of Mr. Cauchon resigned.

Subscribers to the dinner to be given to Sir Hugh Allan in Montreal are so numerous that the list was closed to-day (Monday).

The nine pounder field guns ordered in England, for the Dominion Artillery, by Sir George Cartier, will be distributed to the field batteries, it is said, in time for next annual drill.

The Canada Gazette to-day contains the appointment of Judge Caron to the Governorship of Quebec, also Taschereau to Puisne Judge of Queen's Bench of the same Province, and Tessier to the Judgeship of the Superior Court.

The policy of the Dominion Government, adapted to meet the exigencies arising from the better terms demand of New Brunswick, is said to be to appoint a committee of Parliament to investigate and report upon the question involved. This does not altogether satisfy the New Brunswickers, who think Sir John ought to do as much in return for their support as he did for Nova Scotia on a similar occasion.

A sand pit at Meadowdale caved in on Friday and smothered a man named Thos. Cook.

**MARRIED**  
 MISS M. LEAN—On the 20th inst., by the Rev. Alexander McLeay, M.A., at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. John Kerr, of East Flamboro, to Miss Ann McLean, second daughter of John McLean, Esq., of Pictouline.

**McCULLOUGH & MOORE.**  
 Notice of Dissolution.

The partnership heretofore carried on by the undersigned, as Chemists and Druggists, at the Town of Guelph and Village of Rockwood, under the style and firm of McCullough & Moore, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts due to the Guelph Store are to be paid to Mr. G. B. McCullough, who will settle all liabilities, and those due to the Rockwood Store to John H. Moore.

**GEO. B. McCULLOUGH,**  
 JOHN H. MOORE.  
 Witness, FREDERICK BISCOE.

With reference to the above, I beg to inform the patrons who have so largely patronized the late firm of McCullough & Moore, that I intend carrying on the business of the late firm, at the Town of Guelph, and trust, by strict attention to business and keeping always on hand the very best articles of every description in the Chemist & Druggist line, to merit the confidence heretofore shown the late firm.  
**GEO. B. McCULLOUGH.**

The partnership heretofore carried on by the late firm of McCullough & Moore, at the Village of Rockwood, having been dissolved by mutual consent, I beg to notify the customers of the late firm that I intend carrying on the business, and hope that by constantly attending to the wants of customers and keeping none but the very best articles, to merit a continuance of their patronage.  
**JOHN H. MOORE.**

**RECEIVED DAILY**  
 BY EXPRESS AT  
**Pickard's Fruit Store,**  
 Alma Block.  
 Fresh Codfish.  
 Haddock.  
 Mullett,  
 Flounders,  
 Herrings,  
 Salmon Trout,  
 etc. etc. etc.

**Pickard's Fruit Store,**  
 ALMA BLOCK.  
 Guelph, Feb. 22nd, 1873

**NEW BUTCHER SHOP.**  
 The public are respectfully informed that the undersigned has opened a Meat Shop, in Hata's Block, and will supply customers with meat of the best quality, at the lowest rates. Meat delivered in any part of the Town.  
**CHAS. FENNEL,**  
 Guelph, Dec. 20, 1872.

**New Advertisements.**

**GREAT SALE**

**Of Bankrupt Stock!**

The whole stock of  
**BOOTS AND SHOES**

Belonging to the Insolvent Estate of John A. McMillan will be sold at a tremendous sacrifice. The immense stock, amounting to \$5,000.

**Must be Cleared Out within ONE MONTH!**

The greatest Bargains ever offered in Guelph!  
 Special inducements to retail merchants and jobbers, who desire to secure job lots.

The sale is now going on at the old stand, Wyndham Street.  
**WM. McLaren, Assignee.**  
 Guelph, Feb. 22, 1873.

**BUSY STOCKTAKING**

AT THE  
**FASHIONABLE WEST END!**

Extraordinary Bargains for the next Two Weeks.

200 pieces Early Spring Dress Goods to be sold off at once to the Ladies of the Town of Guelph, at 25c, 30c, and 35c a yard, the cheapest lot of Dress Goods ever shown in any house in this town.  
 50 pieces New Black Lustres, our usual superior make, cheaper than ever, to be sold at 25c, 30c, and 40c, from 50c to 100c per yard under regular prices, and the best goods for the money we have ever sold.  
 150 pieces "Royal New Prints" first quality, to be sold at 12 1/2 cents, all choice and select patterns.

**JUST OPENED—**  
 1 case Lustres.  
 30 New Toppin Dresses—beautiful designs.  
 1 case Sewed Muslins, Laces, Edgings, Frillings, &c. &c.  
 30 pieces Splendid White Cottons, to be sold at 12 1/2 cents per yard.  
 25 pieces Brown Hollands at 15c, 20c and 25c.

LADIES WILL PLEASE REMEMBER THAT  
 Our Sale of Dress Goods commences on Monday morning, the 24th inst., and as we are determined to clear the lot within the next two weeks, intending purchasers may come expecting to receive decided Bargains.

**A. O. BUCHAM,**  
 Fashionable West End Dress, Millinery and Mantle Establishment.  
 Guelph, Feb. 22, 1873.

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Take much pleasure in directing attention to the fact that notwithstanding the severe tests applied by skillful judges, when in competition with other machines, at the Fairs held throughout the Dominion, the Gardner Patent

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**Lungair & Fairgrieve,**  
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 Guelph, Feb. 11, 1873.

**J. E. McELDERRY**

No. 2, Day's Block, Guelph.

**Still a-head! See the Prices:**

A CHOICE JAVA TEA, very strong and sweet ..... 40c per lb  
 EXTRA FINE YOUNG HYSOON, new crop ..... 50c per lb  
 FINE BLACK TEA ..... 50c per lb  
 EXTRA FINE BLACK TEA, English Breakfast, ..... 75c per lb  
 CHOICE YOUNG HYSOON, best value in town ..... 80c per lb  
 A fresh lot to hand of our Famous Mixed Tea at ..... 50c per lb

**11 lbs. Good Bright Sugar for \$1**  
**20lbs. Good Currants for \$1.**  
**Good Family Washing Soap, - - 12c per bar.**

The above Goods are no old stock, but fresh goods, which are daily arriving at

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NEW RAISINS ..... 5 cents per pound  
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 WALKER'S SOAP ..... 15 cents per bar  
 GOOD PRUNES ..... 30 pounds for \$1  
 10 pounds of the BEST BRIGHT SUGAR ..... for \$1  
 11 pounds of GOOD COOKING SUGAR ..... for \$1.

**First-class TEAS!**  
 OUR VERY BEST GREEN TEA ..... for 80 cents per lb  
 A VERY FINE BLACK TEA ..... for 75 cents per lb  
 A NICE YOUNG HYSOON TEA ..... for 50 cents per lb

All orders will be delivered at your houses. Give us a call.

**E. O'DONNELL & CO.**  
 Guelph, Jan. 23, 1873  
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 Berlin Wool, Fancy Goods, and Toy Store,  
 Wyndham Street Guelph.

**NEW**  
**Boot and Shoe Store.**

The subscriber begs to announce to the Public that he has opened a first-class Custom Shop, where he is prepared to

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All kinds of Boots and Shoes on the shortest notice. A neat fit and good leather guaranteed.

**Ladies, Misses and Children's Boots and Shoes made in the neatest style.**

Repairing done with neatness and dispatch. Give us one trial and you will be sure to call again.  
 Remember the Shop—Next to McElderry's Grocery Store, Wyndham Street.  
**D. TRIPP,**  
 Guelph, Feb. 6th, 1873.

**FRASER**

**\$34,600**

brought to Guelph will be offered for Sale in Lots to suit Merchants, Hotel Keepers, and others, on and after Monday, the 13th inst., at the Cheap Store.

MR. FRASER having bought a Wholesale Bankrupt Stock, in Montreal, at Fifty Cents in the Dollar, will sell the same at less than the goods could be bought for in England. Seeing is believing.

**GOOD NEWS—The Largest Wholesale Bankrupt Stock ever**

**Books,**  
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Day has a large stock, and sells cheap.

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**Young Ladies Journal**  
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Opposite the Old English Church,  
 East side  
**WYNDHAM STREET.**

**AUCTION SALE**

**Kinnettes Farm,**  
 MANSION AND GROUNDS.

On THURSDAY, 20th February next, at 2 o'clock, at the Market House, in the Town of Guelph, will be offered for sale by Auction the above properties:  
 The Farm comprises 126 acres, being part of Lot 8, on the North West side of the Grand River, in the Township of Nichol, in the County of Wellington, nearly all cleared and well cultivated.  
 The Mansion is adjacent to the Farm, well built upon a plot of three acres, which are a part of said township lot.  
 The above properties are beautifully situated between the flourishing villages of Elora and Fergus on the Grand River.  
 They will be sold together or in parcels, under powers of sale contained in three mortgages thereon, default having been made in payment.  
 Terms Cash—Title good and immediate possession given.  
 For further particulars, and conditions of sale, reference is made to  
**LEMON & PETERSON,**  
 and  
**W. S. G. KNOWLES,**  
 Auctioneer.  
 Guelph, Jan. 25, 1873. dlaw-wtd

**FRASER**

**AUCTION SALE**

**Homestead, in Guelph,**  
 on  
**Thursday, 27th of Feb'y, 1873,**  
 at TWO P.M., AT THE PREMISES.

Mrs. R. CORBET will offer for sale her residence, corner of Norfolk and Oxford streets, Town of Guelph, comprising one quarter acre of land, Stone Dwelling of two stories, having Drawing Room, Dining Room, Parlor, Library, and seven upstairs Bed Rooms in a 10 rooms; also kitchen, wood shed, &c. A stable for two horses, also a never failing well of pure water, and large cistern with pump.  
 The Garden is stocked with choice Fruit Trees.  
 These premises are in excellent condition, sufficient for a large family, and situated in the most pleasant part of the Town, within five minutes walk of all the Churches and Market.  
 Guelph being widely known for its healthy situation, enterprise, and excellent market, an opportunity rarely equalled—is now presented to persons desirous of procuring a property not only of increasing value, but one which will prove a most agreeable homestead.  
 Terms—One-third cash, and the balance in five years at 7 per cent interest half yearly, secured by mortgage and fire policy. Possession given by the 1st May next, or sooner. Title good.  
 Intending purchasers are referred to  
**LEMON & PETERSON, Auctioneers,**  
 or  
**W. S. G. KNOWLES, Solicitor.**

N.B.—The premises may be inspected every Wednesday afternoon.  
 Guelph, Jan. 17, 1873. dwd

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 The best Liquors and Cigars always in stock.  
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**Breakfast—Epps's Cocoa.**—By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavoured beverage which may save us many heavy doctors' bills. It is simply boiling water or milk. Each packet is labelled "Epps's Cocoa," and is made in the "Cassell's Household Guide," 4306mdw.

An eminent divine says:—"I have been using the Peruvian Syrup. It gives me vigor, buoyancy of spirits, elasticity of muscle." J. P. Dinsmore, 86 Day St., New York, will send free, a pamphlet of 32 pages, containing a full account of this remarkable medicine, to any one sending him their address.

No organ of thought or action can be employed without the assistance of the blood, and no organ can be employed safely or with impunity without a supply of healthy blood. With healthy blood the exercised organs become well developed, whether they be muscular or intellectual. By the use of Fellow's Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites the blood is vitalized and purified, and so made capable of producing a sound mind and a sound body. "Persons suffering from impure blood, or whose health is giving way, either as ministers or those who study closely, will find in the Syrup the material to build them up and the tonic to keep them there." Dr. CLAY.

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SKATES, latest styles,  
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LANTERNS,  
STOVE VARNISH,  
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PICTURE VARNISH,  
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CINDER SIFTERS,  
CRUET STANDS, a large variety,  
MEAT CUTTERS,  
MINCING MACHINES,  
CLOTHES WRINGERS,  
CASH BOXES,  
At John Horsman's.

**COMMERCIAL.**  
**GUELPH MARKETS.**  
Mercury Office, Wednesday, Feb. 24, 1873.

Four per 100 lbs.	83.50 to 83.75
Flour, per bushel	1.25 to 1.35
Wheat, per bushel	1.25 to 1.35
Spring Wheat	1.25 to 1.35
Oats	0.90 to 1.00
Peas	0.60 to 0.70
Barley	0.50 to 0.60
Hay, per ton	17.00 to 20.00
Straw	5.00 to 7.00
Wood, per cord	4.00 to 4.50
Maple sugar	0.25 to 0.30
Butter, per lb.	0.12 to 0.15
Eggs, per doz.	0.15 to 0.20
Apples, per bushel	0.50 to 0.60
Wool, per lb.	0.10 to 0.15
Dressed Hogs, per cwt.	5.00 to 5.50
Beef, per cwt.	4.00 to 4.50
Clover Seed, per bushel	0.90 to 1.00
Timothy Seed	0.90 to 1.00
Plates, per doz.	0.50 to 0.60
Apples, per bushel	0.75 to 1.00
Dressed Hogs, per cwt.	0.00 to 0.00
Wool, per lb.	0.00 to 0.00

**HAMILTON MARKETS.**  
HAMILTON, Feb. 23, 1873.

Spring Wheat, per bushel	1.25 to 1.35
Wheat	1.25 to 1.35
Flour, per bushel	1.25 to 1.35
Barley, per bushel	0.60 to 0.70
Oats	0.40 to 0.50
Peas	0.50 to 0.60
Barley, per bushel	0.40 to 0.50
Plates, per doz.	0.60 to 0.70
Apples, per bushel	0.75 to 1.00
Dressed Hogs, per cwt.	0.00 to 0.00
Wool, per lb.	0.00 to 0.00

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**FARM FOR SALE, CHEAP FOR CASH.**—The undersigned offers for sale, Lot 27, in the 15th Concession of Front, County of Grey, consisting of 50 acres, over 100 acres cleared. The lot is within three miles of the proposed route of the Northern Extension of the Toronto, Grey & Bruce Railway, now being constructed, from Orangeville. The farm is one of the best in the Township, and has a lot of dwelling-house and barn situated on it. The title is indisputable. For particulars apply to  
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Organ Manufacturers, Guelph,  
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Would remind the public that he is now ready for the Spring Work.

The attention of owners of Horses is called to my

**Shoeing Department**  
Which is under the superintendence of Mr. McKensie, a superior workman, and who has had large experience in some of the most extensive shoeing forges in Britain and America.—A call is solicited.

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are superior to any in this section of the country. First-class workmen and the best material.  
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Office over E. Harvey & Co's Drug Store, Corner of Wyndham and Macdonnell-sts. Guelph.  
Extraction of teeth without pain, which is perfectly safe and reliable.  
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Established 1864.  
Office next door to the "Advertiser" Office, Wyndham-st., Guelph.  
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**Cigar Factory.**  
Enlargement of Business.  
**S. MYERS,**  
Having recently enlarged his Cigar Factory, having in his employment the best workmen in the Province, and being constantly in receipt of fresh supplies of the finest Havana Tobacco, is now prepared to receive orders for his famous Cigars in any quantity.

**Country Orders**  
Left at the store of Messrs. Massie, Paterson & Co., will be promptly and satisfactorily filled.  
Ask for the "M. P. C.," the best Cigar in the Dominion.  
**S. MYERS,**  
Proprietor  
Guelph, Dec. 4, 1872.

**JAMES CORMACK,**  
No. 1, Wyndham Street,  
Has just received and opened out a large and superior

**STOCK OF CLOTHS**  
Which he will make to order in the most fashionable styles.

**ALSO: READY-MADE CLOTHING,**  
With youths and boys suits in great variety at very low prices.

Underclothing, Dress Shirts, Collars, &c. Tailor Shirts with Collars, Scarfs, Ties, Gloves, &c.

A Lot of Tweeds bought very low, will be sold by the piece or yard, considerably under the present value. Call and examine, before purchasing elsewhere.

**At James Cormack's,**  
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**Chopping and Gristing**  
Carefully attended to, and satisfaction promised.

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Of all sorts for sale at the old Stand,  
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Having our own Mill parties dealing with us can rely that our Flour, Feed, &c. is fresh and as cheap as any place in Town. Buckwheat Flour for sale. Orders promptly attended to.  
MOWATERS & BUTT  
Guelph, Oct. 31, 72.

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**The Right Man in the Right Place.**

**THOMAS WARD,** late of the Crown Hotel, has acquired possession of the Victoria Hotel, next door to the Post Office, where he hopes by courtesy, attention, and good accommodation, to merit a fair share of public patronage, both from old and new friends. The best of Liquors, Wines, Cigars, &c., constantly on hand. A good hostler always in attendance. Remember the spot—next door to the Post Office.  
**THOMAS WARD,**  
(Late of Crown Hotel)  
Proprietor.  
Guelph, Dec. 10th, 1872. dw

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**PERUVIAN SYRUP**  
MAKES THE WEAK STRONG.

**The Peruvian Syrup, a Protected Solution of the Protochloride of Iron, is so combined as to have the character of an aliment, as easily digested and assimilated with the blood as the simplest food. It increases the quantity of Nature's Own Vitalizing Agent, Iron in the blood, and cures a thousand ills, simply by putting up, incorporating and vitalizing the system. The enriched and vitalized blood permeates every part of the body, repairing damage, and waste, searching out a void secretions, and leaving nothing for disease to feed upon.**

This is the secret of its undoubted success in the remedy in cases of Dyspepsia, Liver Complaints, Dropsy, Chronic Diarrhoea, Biliousness, Nervous Affections, Glands and Fevers, Humors, Loss of Constitutional Vigor, Diseases of the Kidneys and Bladder, Female Complaints, and all diseases originating in a bad state of the blood, or accompanied by debility or a low state of the system. It purges from the blood, in any form, its energizing effects are not followed by corresponding reaction, but are permanent, increasing strength, vigor, and new life into all parts of the system, and building up an Iron Constitution.

Thousands have been changed by the use of this remedy, from weak, sickly, suffering creatures, to strong, healthy, and happy men and women; its effects are so palpably irresistible to give it a trial.

See that each bottle has PERUVIAN SYRUP blown in the glass. Pamphlets Free.

**J. P. DINSMORE, Proprietor,**  
No. 30 Day St., New York.  
Sold by Druggists generally.

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SEWING MACHINE  
Prize List for 1872

**VICTORIOUS EVERYWHERE**  
Gold Medal at Lyons, France for Complete Perfection.

**Osborn First Prizes.**  
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**Family Sewing—First Prizes.**  
Hamilton, Guelph, Almonte, Berlin, Crosshill, Clairville, New Hamburg.

**Osborn Second Prizes.**  
Hamilton, Woodstock, Parkhill, Markham, Port Hope, Perth.

**OSBORN**  
25 First Prizes, 3 Second Prizes and 2 Diplomas, for 1871

At each competition the contests were keen, the leading Machines of Canada and the States being represented.

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THE OSBORN is warranted for three years and will do every variety of sewing, and the fact that it has been the highest award at the Provincial, Central, Western, and other leading Exhibitions, which no other Machine in Canada has yet done, attests its superiority over all competitors.

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Give "THE OSBORN" a trial before purchasing any other; you are certain to be pleased with its work.

Machines given against easy terms of payment.

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**GEORGE BEATTIE,**  
SADDLER  
AND  
HARNES MAKER  
AND DEALER IN  
Trunks, Carpet Bags,  
Whips, Spurs, Brushes, Horse Clothing, Horse Combs, Bells, and all other articles usually kept by Saddlers.  
Repairing done as usual.  
GEORGE BEATTIE,  
Market Square  
Guelph, Feb. 7, 1873. 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, ONT.  
July 12, 1871 dw

**The Guelph Cloth Hall**  
Is the Oldest Establishment in Town for  
**READY-MADE CLOTHING**  
EVERY ARTICLE OF WHICH IS  
MANUFACTURED ON THE PREMISES.

**Cloths and Woollen Goods of all Kinds.**  
ARMSTRONG, McCRAE & CO'S FIRST PRIZE UNDERCLOTHING.

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And a general assortment of Goods for Men's Wear.

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**BRITISH AND FOREIGN**  
**IMPORTING HOUSE,**  
48 and 50 Yonge Street,  
TORONTO,  
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196 and 198 McGill Street,  
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Full lines of the following goods of this season's importation or manufacture offered to the jobbing trade by the package, or to general merchants in any part of the Dominion.  
TERMS—CLOSE, and discounts liberal to prompt men.

Table Cutlery, Pocket Cutlery, Nickelite Silver Spoons, Electro-plated Spoons, Sterling Silver Spoons and Forks, Dixon's Shot and Powder Flasks, Japanned Trays and Walkers, Walker and Bly's Gun Caps, Celebrated Periscope Spectacles, Musical and Patent Albums, Violins and Accordions, Watches, Ballroom and Fancy Clocks, Connecticut and French Old Bull Violin Strings, Bohemian Glass Ware, German Morocco Pocket Books, Toys in wood, tin and iron, Baskets, Family and Market.

Fancy China Ware, Goussin's Brushes and Soap, Meerschaum and Briar Pipe Work boxes and writing Cases, Ladies' and Gent's Dressing Cases, Shell and Pearl Card Cases, Jewellery, Gold and Pated, Jewellery, Gold and Pated, Crystal Looking Glass Plate

**Fancy Goods generally, the largest stock in the Dominion.**  
Sept. 24, 1872. dw

**ROBT. WILKES.**  
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COMPLETE SUCCESS!  
TEN FIRST PRIZES  
Two Exhibitions!

**W. BELL & Co.**  
GUELPH, ONT.  
Received Every First Prize for

**Organs and Melodeons**  
At the Provincial Exhibition, Hamilton, and Central Exhibition, Guelph.

This grand success, in addition to last year's record of  
**Silver Medal,**  
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**and 12 First Prizes,**

Prove that our Instruments in the opinion of competent judges are incomparably superior to all others.  
Sole Proprietors and Manufacturers of the

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Containing Scribner's Patent Qualifying Tubes, acknowledged by all to be the greatest improvement yet introduced. Their superiority is conceded by other makers from the fact that at Guelph they withdrew from competition, thus acknowledging their inability to compete with them.

Every instrument fully warranted for five years. Sent for catalogue containing fifty different styles of instruments.  
Guelph, Oct. 15, 1872. W. BELL & Co.

**NELLES, ROMAIN & Co.,**  
PASADENA HOUSE,  
General Commission Merchant  
AND SHIPPERS,  
34 South Clinton St., Chicago, Ill.

REFERENCE: Sir John Rose, Banker, London; England; F. W. Thomas, Esq., Banker, Montreal; The Marine Company of Chicago, Bankers; Hon. John Carling, London, Ontario; Messrs. Gault Bros., Merchants, Montreal; Senator Frank Smith, (Frank Smith & Co.) Toronto; J. Morton Milner, Esq., Perth, Ont. (late W. J. M. Miller & Co., Commission Merchants Chicago); Walter Watson, Esq., Banker, New York; D. Butters, Esq., Montreal; Joseph Whitehead, Esq., M. P., Hamilton, Ont. (late Magill, Esq., M. P., Hamilton, Ont.); T. C. Chisholm, Esq., Toronto; Samuel E. Foster, Esq., Quebec.

**LEA & PERRINS'**  
Worcestershire Sauce,  
Declared by Commissioners to be THE ONLY GENUINE SAUCE.  
Caution against Fraud!

The success of this most delicious and unrivalled Condiment having caused certain dealers to apply the name of Worcestershire Sauce to their own inferior Compounds, the public is hereby informed that the only way to secure the genuine is to see that the wrapper, labels, stopper and bottle.

Some of the foreign markets have been supplied with spurious Worcestershire Sauce, upon the wrapper and labels of which the names of Lea & Perrins have been printed. It is given notice that they have furnished their correspondents with power of attorney to take instant proceeding against any person who may be guilty of any other imitations by which their right may be infringed.

Wholesale and for Export by the Proprietors, to all parts of the world, by Messrs. Lea & Perrins, Ltd., London, Ont., and by Grocers and Oilmen universally. 112-47

**ELECTRICITY!**  
**THOMAS'**  
**EXCELSIOR ELECTRIC OIL!**  
Worth Ten Times its Weight in Gold!  
"Pain cannot stay where it is used."

It is the CHEAPEST MEDICINE EVER MADE. One dose cures common Sore Throat. One bottle has cured Bronchitis. Fifty cents worth has cured an Old Standing Cough. It positively cures Catarrh, Asthma, and Croup. Fifty cents worth has cured Grief in the Heart and the same quantity Lame Back of eight years' standing. It cures Swelled Neck, Tumors, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Contraction of the Muscles, Stiff Joints, Spinal Difficulties, and Pain and Soreness in any part, no matter where it may be, nor from what cause it may arise, it always does you good. Twenty-five cents worth has cured bad cases of Chronic and Bloody Dysentery. One teaspoonful cures Colic in fifteen minutes. It will cure any case of Piles that it is possible to cure. Six or eight applications is warranted to cure any case of Excoriated Nipples or Inflamed Breast. For Bruises, if applied often, and bound up, there is never the slightest discoloration to the skin. It stops the pain of a Burn as soon as applied. Cures Frost-bite, Boils, Warts and Corns, and Wounds of every description on Man or Beast.

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None—Electric—Selected and Electricized.  
Sold in Guelph by W. Bell & Co., A. E. Petrie, McCullough & Moore, and all medicine dealers everywhere. m-11

**PLASTER, PLASTER.**  
JUST RECEIVED,  
**500 tons Paris and Calcutta Plaster!**

Also, a large quantity of Land Salt, Water Lime, and Seed Grain, at the Montreal Warehouses, below the Railway Crossing, Guelph.  
GEO. BALKWILL, dwam  
Guelph, Jan. 29, 1873.

**RAGS AND WASTE PAPER.**  
Wanted, and must be had by the 1st of January, Fifty Tons of Waste Paper, old Newspapers, old Pamphlets, or Waste Paper of any kind—for which the highest price in cash in the Dominion will be paid, at the Bag and Waste Paper Depot corner of King and Queen streets, Address "RAGS or WASTE PAPER," No. 216 and 218 King Street West. Will receive from 1lb. to 10,000lbs.  
D. MURPHY  
Hamilton Dec. 14, 1872. dw

**CASH FOR WOOL HIDES, SHEEP-SKINS, CALF SKINS, and WOOL PICKINGS.**  
The highest market price paid for the above at 4 Gordon Street, Day's Old Block.  
Fleeters' Hair constantly on hand for sale.  
MOULTON & BISH,  
Guelph April 19, 1873. dw

**ROBERT MITCHELL,**  
**LAND, LOAN,**  
**Insurance and General Agent,**  
Conveyancer, Commissioner in Queen's Bench, &c. Issuer of Marriage Licenses,  
Arthur, Ont.

**LANDS FOR SALE.**  
VILLAGE OF ARTHUR  
A number of Village and Park Lots.

**TOWNSHIP OF ARTHUR**  
3rd Division of Lot No. 23, east O. S. Road with the Gore in the rear, 94 acres, and the west half of the north half of Lot 18 in 3rd concession, 50 acres, in all 144 acres 110 acres are under cultivation, excellent frame and other buildings, lying on the Gravel Road, about 6 miles from Arthur village.

2nd and 3rd Division of Lot 25, west O. S. Road, with the Gore in the rear, 148 acres 100 acres under cultivation, 2 story brick dwelling house, with 1000 feet of car frame barn and other buildings, No. 29, from Arthur village.

3rd and 4th Div. of Lot 5, E. Owen Sound Road, 1074 acres, 75 acres cleared and in a good state of cultivation, good lot buildings, and will be sold together, or separately.

1—2nd and 3rd Division of Lot 34, east O. S. Road, 100 acres, 80 under cultivation, good frame buildings.

2—4th Div. of Lot No. 31, east O. S. Road, 50 acres nearly all under cultivation; good lot dwelling house, frame barn and other buildings.

3—1st and 2nd Division of Lot No. 35, east O. S. Road, 100 acres, 80 under cultivation, brick dwelling house, frame barn, and other buildings.

These three farms are contiguous, lying on the Gravel Road, about 11 miles from Arthur Village, and will be sold together, or separately.

North half of Lot 27, in 1st concession, about 100 acres, 80 acres or thereabouts cleared, and under a regular state of cultivation; a large frame barn and frame stable nearly new, and a good lot dwelling house, 1/2 miles from railway station at Arthur.

UNIMPROVED LANDS.  
Lot 21, 1st Con. 100 acres.

**TOWNSHIP OF LUTHER**  
South half of Lot No. 1, in 3rd concession, containing 104 acres, all under cultivation, frame dwelling house, 2 frame barns and other buildings. About three quarters of a mile from the Railway station at Arthur. East half of Lot 12, in 7th concession, about 100 acres, 40 under cultivation, good new dwelling house and lot buildings, 2 miles from the railway station at Arthur.

Lot No. 1, and west half of 2, in 3rd concession, 300 acres, 100 under cultivation, good lot dwelling houses, frame barn and stable. Can be divided into two farms, well arranged for convenience, stone roof house 54 feet long, stable 60x24 feet; good orchard, spring creek. The fences are all cedar, staked and ridged. Land of the best quality. This Farm is convenient to the Guelph Gravel Road, and will be sold in all the improvements are worth more than the price asked for the farm.

UNIMPROVED LANDS.  
South 1/4 of Lot 15 in 1 Con. 100 acres.  
North 1/2 of 27, in 5th Con. 100 acres.  
Lot No. 3, in 9th Con. 200 acres.  
Lots 14 and 15, in 11th Con. 400 acres.  
Lot 18, in 12th Con. 200 acres.  
North 1/2 of 32, in 12th Con. 100 acres.

**TOWNSHIP OF GARAFAXA.**  
Lot No. 3, in 4th concession, 200 acres, unimproved.

The above lands will be sold on very reasonable terms, only part of the purchase money required down, the balance to suit purchasers.  
**ROBT. MITCHELL,**  
Arthur Village, Feb. 19, 1873. w

**REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.**  
**Farms, Hotels, House Property, and Town Lots.**

A Valuable Farm of 63 acres in the Town of Guelph, convenient to the Great Western Railway Station, with good frame house, frame barn, and stone stable, well and pump, and soft water cistern.

A Farm of 215 acres in the Township of Nichol, being Lots 13 and 14, 3th con., of which 160 acres are cleared, first class, well timbered with hardwood and cedar. The buildings are very superior, consisting of a two-story stone dwelling 60x60 feet, kitchen 12x20 feet, stone milk house 12x30 feet, stone cook house 12x20 feet, bank barn 80x45 feet, stone stable under 1000 feet well arranged for convenience, stone roof house 54 feet long, stable 60x24 feet; good orchard, spring creek. The fences are all cedar, staked and ridged. Land of the best quality. This Farm is convenient to the Guelph Gravel Road, and will be sold in all the improvements are worth more than the price asked for the farm.

A Farm of 68 acres, composed of part of Lot 7, 2nd Con., Div. B, Township of Guelph. Excellent dwelling, log barn, frame stable and sheep house; good orchard, tearing.

A Farm of 100 acres, being lot 12, 1st con., Div. G, Township of Guelph, adjoining the Town, 85 acres cleared, first class, well timbered in valuable timber; well watered! The buildings consist of a frame barn, frame stable, granary, and cow stable.

Several excellent farms in Arthur Township, being from 40 to 60 acres cleared, with log buildings; all prime land.

A valuable Hotel Stand in the Town of Guelph.

A Good Brick Tavern on the Eramosa Road.

Four Dwelling Houses in the Town of Guelph.

A number of Choice Building Lots in the Town of Guelph.

A Good Stone Quarry, 47 acres, within ten minutes walk of the Market Square, Guelph.

26 Acres of land, 3 miles from Guelph.

24 Acres opposite the Catholic Cemetery, Guelph.

11 Handsome Building Lots near the Fergus Sewing Machine Factory, at \$25 per lot.

2 Houses in Rockwood, &c. &c.

For particulars apply to  
**HENRY HATCH,**  
Land and Loan Agent, Guelph,  
Guelph, Dec. 11, 1872. haw

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