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GUELPH, ONT., CANADA, MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 27, 1868.

AUCTION SALE, ALBION HOTEL: REAL ESTATE

MR. N. CROFT has instructed the undersigned to sell by public auction On Tuesday 28th of April,

on the premises, that most desirable Lot, known as Lot 785, corner of Suffolk and Dublin Streets, Canada Company Survey, in the Town of Guelph. The Lot is well fenced, with ornamental trees growing thereon, and is a first class one for building purposes. Also, Lot 9, on the London Road. The London Road of the London Road and well adapted for homesteads for business. Are well adapted for homesteads for business. The London Road of the London Road Office Road of the London Road of the

or on application to the process of the auctioneer.

W. S. G. KNOWLES, Auctioneer dtd

AUCTION SALE

Real Estate

THERE will be offered at Public Auction a the Market House, in the Town of Guelph

On THURSDAY, 30th of April byMr. W. S. G. Knowles, that desirable and bean til v. situated property known as the Cunning ham farm, being composed of Lots Nos, 7 and 8 in Division A, and part of Lot No, 24 in Division A, in the Township of Guelph, containing 8 acres, more or less. This valuable property is in close proximity to the business part of the Town of Guelph, is beautifully situated, and offers as inducement to purchasers very rarely met with. There will also be offered at the same time an place, Village Lots No, 26 and 27, on the Nort side of Mill street, in the Village of Eden Mills containing one-fourth of an acre each, more o less.

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Terms very liberal, and will be made known a me of sale. For further particulars apply to D cFarlane, Guelph, or Buchanan & Co., Hamilton Hamilton, April 18th, 1868 dw-2w

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE BY AUCTION

F. J. B. FORBES has been instructed to sell 'public auction the following valuable toy pure farm property:

1. That three story stone Hotel, opposite the market, in the Town of Guelph, at present occupied by James Lindsay, and known as Lindsay Hotel.

would form a profitable investment for captures.

Lot No. 1908s, on Paisley Street, adjoinin
the Primitive Methodist Church, quarter of an aer
of land, with frame house, stable, pump, well, &c
Also—Lots 1, 2 and 30, corner of Fleet an
Market Street, Emsilfs survey, eligibly locate
for a private residence. A good quarry could b

4. West-half of Lot 15, in the 14th Concessiof Peel, 100 acres, on the gravel road, and nimiles from Elora; about 80 acres cleare? an lenced, land of the best quality.

5. West haif of Lot 12, in the 15th Con, Township of Peel, 100 acres, principally hardwood land, some pine—valuable, being near to a saw mill. The above property will be sold without reservent the Town Hall, Guelph,

On Wednesday, 6th May, 1868,

Cerms of payment made known at the time of For further particulars apply to

THOMPSON & JACKSON,
Land, Loan and General Agents, Wyndham-st Guelph, 21st April, 1868.

Valuable Property FOR SALE.

OT No.|1, in the Town of Guelph, nearly a-ter of an acre of land, with three fr-situated between the Grand Trunk Station O'Neil's Hotel, well located either for Warehe or private residence.

PARK Lots Nos. 19 and 20, being part of the subdivision of Lot 1, in the 3rd Con, Division C, Township of Guelph, (11] acres in block), situated on the Grand Trunk Railroad, an adjoining Judge Mac lonald's property.

Also, a choice Farm in Erin

THAT valuable Farm, composed of the East balf of Lot No. 11, in the loth Concession of Erin, 100 acres, with about 80 acres cleared, fra from stumps and stores, well fenced and in a sexcellent state of cultivation; a good spring cree running through it; situated one mile from the village of Erin. There is a good frame hous containing five rooms, and a Woodhouse; also, frame bank barn 40×30, with stables, sheds an driving house, 2 pump wells, & z

Also, a Farm of 133 Acres.

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Land, Loan, and General Agents, Wyndham-s Liuelph, 21st April, 1868. dw3

Dominion Store!

(Late PostOffice Store.)

JUST RECEIVED, a large assortment of Em broidery for Ladies Underclothing. Also for Braiding on all sorts of Dress Goods Some of the Finest Patterns ever seen

Call and see them, they are for sale singly. -Stamping done to order on the shortest notice Also on hand an assortment of

New Oranges and Lemons.

For sale GATE'S & CO'S. VICTORIA SEWING Machines. Don't forget the stand, next to the Wellington Hotel.

MRS. ROBINSON, UpperWyndham Street, Guelph. daw NEW

Oyster Rooms

Guelph, 27th December, 1867

dw6m

GALLERY OF ART.

R. W. LAIRD, Looking Glass and Picture Frame

The Trade supplied with Washable Gilt and Imitation Rosewood Mouldings and Looking Glass Plate. Country orders promptly attended to Toronto 1st April 1868. dwly.

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Painter, Glazier, Paper Hanger, &c.

BEGS to inform the inhabitants of Guelph and surrounding country that he is prepared to execute all manner of work in connection with his business at rates as low as

GOOD WORKMANSHIP

And MATERIAL will allo

Shop, - - Douglas Street,

MRS. DAVIS'S

FRESH GROCERIES

Remember the place-Upper Wyndhan Street, nearly opposite Hazelton's Furniture MRS. C. H. DAVIS.
Guelph, March 19, 1868.

STANDARD Life Assurance Company (Established 1825.)

Accumulated Fund £3,700,005 1s. 4d. Stg DAVIDSON & CHADWICK,

DEGS to amounce to the public that he has in the Holland MACIONNELL STREET.

The very best of Liquors, and choicest Cigars (The very best of Cyters always on hand, and reved up in all styles at short notice.

TOM and JERRY, and all kinds of any Driks prepared in the most appreved of Chapters. The presence of the most appreved of Chapters, and the most appreved of Chapters. The STANDARD is reported in the most appreved of the Market STANDARD is reported in the most appreved of the Market STANDARD strongly advocates the Bill now before the House under which insure now the property of the House under which insure now the property of the House under which insure now the property of the House under which insure now the property of the House under which insure now the property of the House under which insure now the property of the House under which insure now the property of the House under which insure now the property of the House under which insure now the property of the House under which insure now the property of the House under which insure now the property of the House under which insure now the property of the House under which insure now the property of the House under which insure now the house under which insure now the property of the House under which insure now the house of the House under which insure now the house of the House under which insure now the house of the House under which insure now the house of the House under which insure now the house under which insure now the house of the House under which insure now the house of the House under which insure the House under which insure now the house of the House under which insure the House under which insure the house of the House under which insure and the house under which insure the house of the house under which insure the house of the house un

Guelph, 18th April, 1868.

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

Potatoes of all Kinds a blow with a club, which for a time the blue cord round their necks, which im this country marks as Christian, interpreted him unconscious. They gagged him with his cap, bound him with a rope, and rifled his pockets of \$72, a watch and some other articles. He was found about an hour afterwards. Two parties have been arrested on suspicion of being the robbers.

West Market Square, Quelph.

The at Owen Sound—Early on Services and clothing. Many showing revolvers and clothing. Many showing the blue cord round their necks, which in this country marks as Christian, in the blue cord round their necks, which in the boundary country marks as Christian, in the blue cord round their necks, which in this country marks as Christian, in the country

West Market Square, Guelph. FIRE AT OWEN SOUND .- Early on Sa- two. turday morning a building on Poulett-st. owned by Miss Harrington, of Toronto, was totally destroyed by fire. One portion was occupied as a general store by T. C. Stephens, and the other by Spencer Bros., as furniture ware-rooms. Nearly all the goods were saved. Spencer Bros. were insured for \$300, which will cover eir loss. The adjoining premises of A M. Stephens & Co. had a narrow escape TORONTO. Two small stores on the north were also destroyed.

> that he has got a new hat—the said tile forwarding the Orangeville Tramway ly just left the nest. scheme. Mr. Ketchum is very generous, this being the second chapeau which he has given the editor of the Sun with way does not "march on" with more be "broad brims" or "glazers."

Eating House & Grocery lated for the mile shows the contractor's Mes. DAVIS begs to inform the public of Guelph and vicinity that at her Eating House meals can be had at reasonable prices.—
Also for sale OYSTERS, Fruits of all kinds, Con-

Town Hall Buildings. they were rescued.

ALBION HOTEL:

St. Peal-st., MONTRIEAL.

Mr. DECERT WAS and the whole the sunsqueed of the Alberg, the An Abyssinian "Cathedral Town."

in appreciation of his humble labours in Amos, Guelph township. It had evident-

Next door north of Wm. Hoover's Livery Stable, and directly opposite Wm. Brownlow's Understaking Establishment.

When not at the shop, orders to be left at Wm. Brownlow's.

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THOS. BREADON.
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Despatches to the Evening Mercury.

THE ABYSSINIAN WAR. TWO GREAT BATTLES.

THE STORMING OF MAGDALA

Glorious Victory British Valor still Triumphant.

KING THEODORE SLAIN.

Great Slaughter of the "Mokes.

THE BRITISH LOSS COM-PARATIVELY SMALL.

THE ENEMY CAPTURED! "HORSE, FOOT & ARTILLERY."

Capture of Immense Quantities of Money & Jewels.

THE CAPTIVES SAFE! AND AT LIBERTY.

THE WAR AT AN END.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

London, April 25—Further particulars state that the culprit who attempted to assassinate Prince Alfred is an Irishman named Farrell, known to be a Fenian.—The Prince was shot in the back and the ball was not extracted for two days. The wound is dangerous and painful, but the Prince is doing well. The affair 'took place at Sydney on 12th March. Madrid, April 25—It is announced that the policy of the new Cabinet will be identical with that of the late Prime Minister.

Blake, made their escape from Belleville were received for the construction of that part of the Guelph and Elmita Boad, which the Company design to put under contract. The tender which has been accepted is that of Mr. John Lake, of Braniford. The estimate is given in for a certain rate jer yard, and when calculated for the mile shows the contractor's remuneration for the construction of that is given in for a certain rate jer yard, and when calculated for the mile shows the contractor's remuneration for the construction of the was committed for trial. Blake was indepoing a month simpliconment for great that the follors are again at large, lated for the mile shows the contractor's remuneration for the construction of the many of the state of the construction of the many of the state of th

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Southampton, 26.—Steamer Saxonia from New York has arrived.

Louisville, 26.—The wife of George D. Prentice died yesterday.

New York, April 27th.—The Herald's special, dated Zoula, 18th April, says the very latest reports from Magdals represent that 14,000 native troops had laid down their arms to Napier, and that the King had 500 soldiers killed and 1500 wounded in the late engagement. Advices from Napier's headquarters in Magdals, without date, are also to hand They state that the Europeans lately held captive there, numbering 60 souls, including men, women and children, were already en route to Zoula, for home, and that the entire force of Theodorus' army had either been killed, wounded or taken prisoners.

PAPAL ZOUAVES.—It is said that the contemplated departure of another detachment of Zouaves for Rome has been indefinitely postponed, and probably alandoned. Whether it is from remonstrances from the Federal Government, or discontent of the treatment experienced by the first levy in the Eternal City, is not positively known. However, it is rumoured that letters, not intended for the press, give, expressions of dissatisfaction which do not encourage the leaders in the movement to further effort. We should think that better use could be found for young men in Canada, than making ill-fed and poorly paid soldiers of them in a distant land, in the affairs of them in a distant land, in the affairs of them in a distant land, in the affairs of them in a distant land, in the affairs of the interfere.

Agricultural and Mechanical Muskum.

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Caicket. The Maple Leaf Base Ball Club Hamilton, will attend the grand National Tournament at Niagara Falls, in June. Their namesakes of Guelph have not yet decided whether they will take part in the tournament or not. We understand a meeting will shortly be held and their course determined.

EARLY FLEDGING.—The Frederickton EARLY FLEDGING.—The Frederickton and the province of the interpretation of the army to a peace footing will commence May 1st.

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Good Luck.—Brother Foley, of the Orangeville Sun, informs his admirers that he has got a new hat—the said tile being a testimonial from Mr. J. Ketchum, in appreciation of his humble labours in forwarding the Orangeville Tramway scheme. Mr. Ketchum is very generous, this being the second chapeau which he has given the editor of the Sun with which to keep in his learning and keep out the cold. Send a hat or two down this way, Mr. Ketchum, and if the tramway as great as it is at present, but an advance of the cold. Send a hat or two down this way, Mr. Ketchum, and if the tramway as great as it is at present, but an advance of the every cold ever rival we will pay full price for the tiles and guarantee them a notice from the Advertiser, particularly if they be "bond brims" or "glazers."

EXALLY FLEDGING.—The Frederickton the 15th inst., a nest containing three live, half fielded delicible with the vicinity of that city. We can equal that. One day last week a young grey bird, full-fielded, flew into the house of Mr John Amos, Guelph township. It had evidently be the second chapeau which he has given the editor of the Sun with which to keep in his learning and keep out the cold. Send a hat or two down this way, Mr. Ketchum, and if the tram-way as great as it is at present, but an advance of the cold of the second chapeau which he has given the editor of the Sun with the wild be the second chapeau which he has given the editor of the Sun with which to keep in his learning and keep out the cold. Send a hat or two down this way, Mr. Ketchum, and if the tram-way as great as it is at present, but an advance of the cold of the second chapeau which he has given the editor of the Sun with the second chapeau which he has given the editor of the Sun with the second chapeau which he has given the editor of the Sun with the has given the editor of the Sun with the has given the editor of the

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generally understood, however, that they will fight Mr Gladstone's resolutions one by one, as they are brought before the House; if defeated they will inform Her Majesty that they cannot recommend an affirmative reply to an address asking for the disendowment of the Irish Church, and will then appeal to the country. It is reported that the Queen has made a special request to Mr Disraeli not to resign during the present crisis, and that he has pledged himself not to do so. It is also said that Her Majesty considers that the oath taken by her at her coronation forbids her consenting to the disendowment of the Irish Church. Another story is to the effect that she does not consider the coronation oath an obstacle, but hesitates to part with any portion of the Reyal prerogative until she ascertains that it is the nation's will that she should do so.

A SETTLER.—Adolphus, [admired for his sentiment]—"Good night, beloved—may the drowsy god soon wrap that beauteous form in golden slumber—may delicious dreams hover o'er thy couch!" Emilly, [his betrothed, somewhat matter-of-fact]—"Good night. Be sure you turn the gas off, put your boots out, and—don't smore." Adolphus never tried it "no more again."

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PROBABLE COURSE OF TILE BRITTSH MINISTRY.—The course which the Diracel Ministry will adopt to the limit of the land the question, does not yellow the state of the land the course which the Diracel Ministry will adopt to the limit of the land the question of the land the land the course which the limit of the land the question of the land the question of the land the probabily twice as many forms and the land the probability of the land the probability of t

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The period for which the special constables were sworn in throughout England, in contemplation of Fenian complications, having expired, the Home Secretary has decided that they shall be disbanded, and their staves and badges returned. This shows a confidence on the part of the government that the cause for alarm has passed away.

"LA REPUBLIQUE," the clandestine French paper, bears at the head of its fifth number the startling announcement that a secret government, like that officiating in Warsaw in 1863, has been established in Paris, and will direct the movements that "will lead to the overthrow of the hated usurper."

A correspondent of the Chicago Journal states that Mr. —, one of the wealthiest men in Boston, becoming involved not long since, made over his property to his eldest son in order to save it. He passed through the crisis, however, without failure or prosecution, but when he came to demand the property back the son refused to restore it. The latter now holds the estate and lives in luxury, while the father has died of a broken heart.

A WAR MEDAL!—The Canadian Zouaves, at Rome have received from Madame la Marquise de Laguenille a roll medal, valued at \$100, in memory of "their passage through the city of yons," where they received very find menuets. It bears an inscription to that it. The memento is to be sent to da and placed in a church for pre-

THE ABYSSINIAN WAR.

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DIED.

Chowe-At Guelph, on the 26th April, Frederic Wm. Crowe, aged 22 years and 9 months. Friends are invited to attend the funeral of

New Advertisemenrs.

Senior Girls' School.

THE Senior Girls' School will be re-opened on MONDAY, 4th of MAY, under charge of Guelph, April 27th, 1868. d3w1 Secretary

Insolvent Act of 1864.

In the matter of John and Adam Kinnon, Insolvents.

To RENT, a Furnished Cottage, in a pleasant and central part of the town, for sixortwelve mouths, as may be agreed upon. For particulars apply at this office, or to D. Macfarlane, Esq., Guelph.

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR

At JOHN A: WOOD'S.

MAPLE SUGAR! FOR SALE Bradford House, Wyndham Street, Guelph, April 23, 1868.

At JOHN A. WOOD'S.

Arrowroot,

At JOHN A. WOOD'S.

AMBER SYRUP

At JOHN A. WOOD'S.

DAYS BOOKSTORE.

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Englishwoman,
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St. Pauls,
Cassel's Magazine, Argosy, Temple Bar, Cornhill,

SCOTTISH JOURNAL At Day's Bookstore,

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HOUSE AND SIGN

PAINTER,

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Shop on QUEBEC STREET,



Up to Saturday, 2nd May,

Wineand Cinger Nut BISCUITS DRY GOODS OF GROCERIES.

AT Terms cash, or approved credit.

PHILIP S. ROSS,

COLT STRAYED.

TRAYED from the premises of the subscriber. Lot 11, 4th Con., Pilkington, on Monday the both inst., a bay mare colt, with a white star on her face, medium sized, three years old this spring. Any person giving such information to Joseph Bauer, proprietor Union Hotel, Guelph, as will lead to her recovery will be suitably rewarded MICHAEL LAUBER.
Pilkington, April 24, 1868.

AND AMENDMENTS.

In the Matter of GEORGE ROYCE, of Dacotah, in the County of Halton, AN INSOLVENT

WILL be sold by Public Auction, in the Market ON SATURDAY, 2nd MAY, 1868, HAS NOW RECEIVED at his New Stort, next to John Horsman's, in Mr. Hogg's New Block, one of the Largest, Cheapest and Best assorted Stock of By W. S. G. KNOWLES, Auctioneer, one spa of Horses, without any reserve.

CHARLES SHARPE, Guelph, April 23, 1868. TO FARMERS.

WANTED by a young man, a situation with a respectable Farmer.

Notice to Builders.

A NY quantity of sand for sale at the Pit, next to the Cemetery, or delivered. Guelph, April 24, 1868. dw 1m

confident that, with Mr. Rutherford and Lewis,

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT!

GRAND OPENING OF

SHOW ROOM

BRADFORD HOUSE

SPEED LODGE NO. 180. Sewing Machines P H I I I

Will wear longer, and does not clog up the finest parts of the machine.

FRIDAY, the 24th of APRIL, 1868,

MANTLES & MILLINERY

Ladies should Call at once and Examine the Pattern

Insolvent Act of 1864 The above Department is superintended by a first-class artiste. Ladies can rely on having every attention by calling at the BRADFORD HOUSE, Guelph.

THE Stock-in-trade of ROBERT RUTHon the Dollar, of the Inventoried Prices. Goods and Inventory to be seen on the premises. Tenders will be seen by D. GUTHRIE, Esq., Attorney-at-Law, Guelph, or by the Assignee,

A. O. BUCHAM

ATTRACTIVE DEPARTMENTS.

Dress Goods, Straw Goods and Millinery, Jackets and Jacket Materials, Buttons and Trimmings in all the Newest and Leading Styles.

Ladies are invited to call and inspect our Stock.

Guelph, April 21, 1868.

A.O.BUCHAM.

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the Chancellor in the House of Commons a few days ago included an item of the batteries by the Brazilian fleet, it of five million pounds sterling for the does not appear that the Paraguayans expenses of the expedition, and the gold crowns, the jewels, and the other

generally understood, however, that they will fight Mr Gladstone's resolutions one by one, as they are brought before the House; if defeated they will inform Her Majesty that they cannot recommend an affirmative reply to an address asking for the disendowment of the Irish Church, and will then appeal to the country. It is reported that the Queen has made a special request to Mr Disraeli not to resign during the present crisis, and that he has pledged himself not to do so. It is also said that Her Majesty considers that the oath taken by her at her coronation forbids her consenting to the disendowment of the Irish Church. Another story is to the effect that she does not consider the coronation oath an obstacle, but hesitates to part with any portion of the Royal prerogative until she ascertains that it is the nation's will that she sentiment]—"Good night, beloved—my the drowsy god soon wrap that beauteous form in golden slumber—may delicious dreams hover o'er thy couch!"

A SETTLER.—Adolphus, [admired for his sentiment]—"Good night, beloved—my the drowsy god soon wrap that beauteous form in golden slumber—may delicious dreams hover o'er thy couch!"
Emily, his betrothed, and—don't sand were raised.] Such as shall not enroll themselves we want to form into a disorganization to take care of the wives an urgent appeal to Irishmen to entouch the graph of the sale of the sale. We are ready to be the sed, and the names would be enrolled of such as were ready and willing to join the armyst once. How will not give up, even though defeat and disaster stare them in the face. In conclusion, the speaker said that the good will be adolessed. The conclusion, the speaker said that the special constant of the care of the wives an urgent appeal to Irishmen to entour to take the field. Are you men of Chicago ready? [Cries of "Yes." Yes."] Then, if you are, when next we unful the green flag is shall not be further of the same of the conclusion, the speaker said that the conclusion, the speaker said that the speaker will be suffered they will fight Mr Gladstone's resolu-

Notwithstanding the successful passage have any idea of succumbing at present.

The River of the Dead.

expenses of the expedition, and the gold crowns, the jewels, and the other trophies found in Magdala will scarcely make up the amount. The loss on the Abyssinian side is represented as being heavy; the list of killed and wounded on the side of the British is comparatively small. It is somewhat singular that Theodore made his first stand at his capital, where most generals make the final one. The difficulties of the invading army were great, even when allowed to pursue their way unoppsed through passes which might have been converted into so many Thermopylaes, and that their progress was not disputed must be attributed to the fact that the King overestimated his own strength, or undervalued the courage and power of his foes. It was well he made the mistake, however, for had he acted different from what he did the British Army would not likely be turning its face homewrds, as the cable news informs us it is doing.

PROBABLE COURSE OF THE BRITISH MINISTRY.—The course which the Disraeli Ministry will adopt on the Irish Church question, does not yet appear to be fully decided. It is generally understood, however, that they will fight Mr Gladstone's resolutions one by one, as they are brought home and the propose of the pr

sar of, puryour boots out, and—and some more. Adolphus never tried it "no more again."

The period for which the special constables were aworn in throughout England, in contemplation of Fenian complications, having expired, the Home Secretary has decided that they shall be disbanded, and their staves and badges returned. This shows a confidence on the part of the government that the cause for alarm has passed away.

"LA REPUBLIQUE," the clandestine French paper, bears at the head of its fifth number the startling announcement that a secret government, like that officiating in Warsaw in 1863, has been established in Paris, and will direct the movements that "will lead to the overthrow of the lated usurper."

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the votes were illegal, and we are informed the court has decided such to be the case.

A new election must be held to fill the A correspondent of the Chicago Journal states that Mr. —, one of the wealthiest men in Boston, becoming involved not long since, made over his property to his eldest son in order to save it. He passed through the crisis, however, without failure or prosecution, but when he came to demand the property back the son refused to restore it. The latter now holds the estate and lives in luxury, while the father has died of a broken heart.

A WAR MEDAL!—The Canadian Zouvers, at Rome have received from Madame la Marquise de Laguenille a gold medal, valued at \$100, in memory of "their passage through the city of yons," where they received very fine cuets. It bears an inscription to that cit. The memento is to be sent to da and placed in a church for pre-

A Second and Final Dividend Sheet has been prepared, subject to objection till the Sixteenth day of May next. Dividend payable at my office on the 18th of May.

W. F. FINDLAY.

The Town of Guelph.

TENDERS WANTED.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the undersigned till MONDAY, 4th MAY, for removing the Weigh House, Scales and Market Clerk's Office, and for fencing in Cattle Yards in connection with the said Weigh House, Plans and Specifications can be seen and full information obtained, by applying at the Town Clerk's Office.

Chairman, Market House Committee.
Guelph, April 27, 1868. d 6 in

THOROUGH-BRED BULL.

THE fine thorough-bred Durham Bull, Royal-Dane, tred by Mr. F. W. Stone, will serve cows this season at the subscriber's farm, Lot 14, 4th Con. Eranosa. TERMs—Thorough-bred cows, to insu. e aff, 24; Grade, to insure call, 24, 25. The subscriber will show the pedigree if required JAMES BOLTON.

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C TRAYED from the premises of the subscriber. Lot 11, 4th Con., Pilkington, on Monday the 20th inst., a bay mare colt, with a white star on her face, nedum sized, three years old this spring. Any person giving such information to Joseph Bauer, proprietor Union Heldel, will lead to her recovery will be autiably rewarded.

MICHAEL LAUBER.

Pilkington, April 24, 1868.

AND AMENDMENTS.

In the Matter of GEORGE ROYCE, of Dacotah, in the County of Halton, WILL be sold by Public Auction, in the Marke

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Guelph Evening Mercury

OFFICE:.....MACDONNELL STREET

MONDAY EV'G, APRIL 27, 1868.

The Maiden's Choice OR, THE LAIRD OF BIRKENCLEUCH

A Tale of the Covenanters.

'Michty me l'ejaculated the Baronet.

'A shrewd guess,' cried Helen, 'but not difficult to make, seeing that Glencorthie is in this neighbourhood. You will have to tell us something more wonderful before I can admit your claims.'

'Shall I speak to you, then, of what is past?' he said, in the same hoarse voice, 'Will you believe me when I unveil your secret soul, and read there of perfigly and cruel deceit, of falsehood, treachery, and mercenary faithlessness?'

'Puddin's and painches! but yer wrang there, at ony rate,' exclaimed Sir Gilbert, who could not listen to such false charges. 'This lassie is as guid and as true a lassie as lives in Scotland. 'Ye may keen hantle, canny mad, but 'odd sake ye are guan ayout ver commission eago.'

'Let her say if I am,' rejoined the Hermit, 'Let her say if I am,' rejoined the Hermit,

Itves in Scotland. Ye may ken hantle, camy mao, but 'odd sake ye are guan ayont yer commission espo.'

'Let her say if I am,' rejoined the Hermit, with passionate vehemence. 'Look at her sir, the signs of guilt are in her fair but lalse countence.'

Helen was indeed wildly agitated and trembling violently, but not from the cause assigned. She had never ceased to search keenly the Hermit's face, to understand the extraordinary movements which the first sight of it had produced in her mind, and still as she gazed the dawning of a recognition struggled to present itself, but ineffectually, till her astonished ears listened to his last passionate words, when, in his excitement, the speaker forgot his counterfeited tone, and spoke in one which sent a flash of remembrance into Helen's soul, and recognition flashed in with it. With a loud joyous exclamation she sprang forward and grasped the Hermit's arm.

'Richard, Richard!' she shrieked. 'Oh, Sir Giibert, it is Richard!'

CHAPTER XXVIII.—A HARD STRUGGLE—A SWEET

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The scene that followed was indescribably

exciting.
With a fierce gesture, and a passionate ex-clamation, the seeming Hermit shook Helen from his arm, and, tearing from his head the streaming white hair and long snowy beard, stood revealed before them as Richard Way-

trom his arm, and, tearing from his head the streaming white hair and long snowy heard, stood revealed before them as Richard Wayland.

'Yes,' he thundered, 'I am the man you mame, the man you have wronged, whose heard you have stabbed, whose life you have blighted. Guilty, perjured, abondoned woman, can you, dare you stand in my presence unappalled?'

'Puddin's and painches!' exclaimed Sir Gilbert, breaking the spell of amazement which had for some moments transfixed him, and bounding forward he caught the youth in his arms, and hugged him with frantic excitement.

'Oh, ye rascal,' he burst out hysterically.' Ye rinawa' rogue, hae we gottin ye at last, after seekin' sae lang for ye. Oh, Richieman, Richie, if ye only kenned—'

'Release me, Sir Gilbert,' shouted the youth, 'I am in no mood for this behaviour. A hell of rage and hate has been kindled in my heart, which scorches, consumes, and maddens me.'

'Then let the devil that kinneled it pit it out again. Helen, ye gipsy, come and help me to smother the flames.'

'Release me, I say, and let me go, or I shall not answer for the consequences,' roared Richard, struggling desperately in Sir Gilbert's equally desperate and determined grasp. 'Do you hear me? If you would save me from madness, and yourself escape a madman's fury, quit your hold and let me free.'

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That's just exactly what I mean to hinder? was the panting reply. Noo that I've catched ye I'll keep ye.'

'Hear us, Richard! O, hear us,' cried Helm, imploringly.

'No, he yelled, 'speak but a word and I'll stifle your voice with curses.'

'Then hear me, Richie, hear me. Puddins' and painches. Wall ye no listen tae yer ain faither?'

"My father! Ha! Then you are my father," cried the youth, his frenzy increasing still more.

"Yes, Richie, I am your father, and ye are

*Yes, Richie, I am your father, and ye are my son, my son.

'Yes, Richie, I am your father, and ye are my son, my son.

'Then from the depths of his outraged nadar your son curses you—yes, ten thousand curses light on you, the sinful author of my being, the author of my wretched life?

'God help us. Richie, yer ravin', ye dina ken what yer sayin'.

'Not yet, I am not mad yet, but I soon will be, and for what mag happen then yours be the responsibility.

'Ye are mad noe, Richie. Hear me, only hear me, and yer madness will leave ye.'

I will not hear you; let me go.'

'No I wunna.'

By heaven, you shall not keep me.'

By heaven, you shall not keep me.'

And Sir Gilbert twined his strong arms around him with most resolute and determined energy. Richard was not a feeble youth, and the passion which surged through his heart animated him with a desperate power. But the Baronet was the stronger and heavier man of the two, and he likewise was possessed by feelings of the most powerful kind. He was therefore able to keep his hold, and resist nichard's struggles to free himself, though these became so furnous that he could no longer wrestle and speak at the same time.

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All this while Helen looked on in a state of great distress and agitation, striving to utter-words which would make Richard understand matters sufficiently to cause him to give them a quiet hearing. But so terribly did the gusts of passion sweep his soul that no entrance could be found for that still small woice, whose utterance, if heard, had power to allay the tunult, and say 'Peace be stilk'

power to allay the tunnilt, and say 'Peace be still.'
When at length the strength of the two had been for some time reduced to silent but vehement struggling, Richard cried out 'What boots this useless holding of me? You casnot keep your grasp for ever, and the moment you quit me I am gone.'
'I-kee that—brawly,' gurgled Sir Gil-bert,' his ruddy face grown purple with ex-ertion.

ertion.
'Then how long do you mean to hold me?'
'Just until ye hear us, and when ye dae
hear us, ye'll no seek tae gang awa.'
TO BE CONTINUED.

EMIGRATION EXTRAORDINARY.—A correspondent in Cork writes:—The extraordinary number of emigrants passing through this city on their way to the New World via Queenstown is almost unexampled. To-day nothing could exceed the busy animation on the various wharves where the emigrants are embarked at Queenstown and where upwards of 1,800 people will leave this day and to-morrow. The railroad running from this city to Queenstown suddenly found their resources exhausted, and were obliged to use first-class carriages for the use of the emigrants.

"SLIPPERY JACK" IN INGERSOLL.—It

nse of the emigrants.

"SLIPPERY JACK" IN INGERSOLL.—It is generally believed by many of the citizens of Ingersoll that the veritable and irrepressible "Slippery Jack" has transferred his residence from London to Ingersoll. Early on the morning of Wednesday, the residences of P. J. Brown and Mrs Cavanagh, and the Royal Exchange and Trick's Hotels, were entered, but no articles were stolen. Who the mysterious individual is, nobody, of course, seems to know. The citizens are now on the look out, and hope, by "keeping their powder dry," to give "Jack" a warn reception; thould be repeat his nocurnal visits.

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There is but ittle news of imporance respecting the assessination.—
A girl who had been living as a servint at Scarlon's, Montreal, was
prought up from that city by Detective Bouchard on Saturday morning.
She was questioned privately by M.
O Reilly, and it is understood that she
will give testimony confirmatory of
Turner's evidence respecting Whalen,
Murphy, Enwright and others frequenting the house in which she lived.
There is a report that Whalen will be
tried by a special commission. It is
said the present enquiry is being concluded under the direction of Sir
John A. Macdonald, and that Mr.
Sandfield McDonald has so far not
interfered in the matter. whose internal deservative the women's whose internal deservative the women's and the control of the women's and the control of the women's and the women's and the women's and the women's work of the work of the women's work of the women's work of the work of th

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Loomis's Tenariss on Metronology.—This is well written work by E. Loomis, L.L.D.; rofessor of Natural Philosophy and Astronomy in Yale College. It contains chapters all the important phenomena connected with the subject of which it treats, and is rritten in a style that brings the information it embodies within the comprehension fewery intelligent reader. It is published by the Harpers, and is for sale at Day's bookstore, opposite the market.

JEANE'S QUIFE LIES.—This is another addition to the Library of Select Novels. It is sesentially at English story, and the author salready known in the literary world by a number of clever works of fiction. The duction is free and graceful, and the narrative incressing. For sale at Day's bookstore.

R. J. JEANNERET. IMPEACHMENT —Mr Boutwell, on Wednesday, began the delivery of the opening argument of the summing-up on the side of the Managers of Impeachment, and concluded on Thursday. The Senate has voted to permit as many of the Managers and the President's counsel as desire to do so to file arguments, or address the Senate. Under this decision we shall probably have arguments from Messrs Stevens, Williams, and Logan of the Managers, and from Judge Curtis and Mr. Grosbeck. Mr Stanberry, it is thought, will not be able to attend the trial any further.

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APFAIRS IN EUROPE.—The Paris correspondent of Le Minerce says that, in the Southern Provinces of Prussia, the elections to the Zollverein pariament have not been entirely satisfactory to M. Bismarck, and that some opposition is made to the ideas of unification of that minister. The correspondent of Le Minerce says that, in the Southern Provinces of Prussia, the elections to the Zollverein pariament have not been entirely satisfactory to M. Bismarck, and that some opposition is made to the ideas of unification of that minister. The correspondent of Le Minerce says that the democratic to propose Prussian aggrandisement. This union hardly seems in accordance with the usual denunciations of the church against all democratic principles. Condemning them in one country and helping them in another, does not seem very honess or logical. The same writer informs us of the rumored illness of King Victor Emmanuel, also of the great feeling of the content deplaced by the cytilons to the Songs have been written expression of Prance at the new law for recruiting the army. It is said the Emperor Napoleon is much affected by the evident signs of a diminished popularity. He feels particularly sore at the cool reception his book entitled, "The titles of the Napoleon dynasty," has met with from the public in general, and the severe critiques which have assailed it in the literary world. General elections to Rome and to Mexico, and the severe critiques which have assailed it in the literary world. General elections to Rome and to Mexico, and the composition of the Legislative Rody. We expect that the expeditions to Rome and to Mexico, and the composition of the Legislative Rody. We expect that the expeditions to Rome and to Mexico, and the composition of the legislative Rody. We expect that the expeditions to Rome and to Mexico, and the composition of the legislative Rody. We expect that the expeditions to Rome and to Mexico, and the compos

Her Majesty's Theatre is to be re-built. The Prince of Wales will lay the first stone on his return from Ireland. Mr. Chas. Lee is to be the architect, and the cost is to be £65,000, which is covered by the insurances.

COMMERCIAL.

Guelph Markets.

MERCI	CRY OF	FIC	E, (GUEL	PH.
	April	12	7. 1	868.	
Flour, \$ 100 ths				a	8 4
Fall Wheat, & bush		1	70	at	1
Spring Wheat & bus	sh		60	æ	1
Oats & bush		. 0	58	@	0
Peas do		0	70	æ	6
Barley do .			20	a	1
Hay pton		15	00	(ct	16
Straw			00	@	5
Shingles, & square		1	00	@	1
Wood, B cord		3	00.	æ	3
Wool		. 0	27	æ	0
Eggs, & dozen		- 0	12	a	. 0
Butter, firkin, 13 tb		0	20	. @	0
Geese, each		0	25	a	0
Turkeys each		0	50	@	0
Chickens, pair		0	20	a	0
Ducks, do		0	20	0	0
Potatoes			80	0	0
Apples, & barrel		0	00	0	2
Lamb, & tb			06	a	.0
Beef			00	0	8
Beef, ≥ th ·		0	05	@	0
Pork, \$2 100 fbs.		- 5	00	@	5
Sheep Pelts, each			50	0	0
Lambskins			40	@	0

Money Market.

Jackson's Exchange Office. | Guelph, April 27 1868. Gold, 1883. Greenbacks bo't at 71 to 711; Sold at 72 to 721. Silver bought at 41 to 5 dis.; sold at 31 to 4. Upper Canada Bank Bills bought at 65c. to 65c.

MONTREAL MARKETS.

ood, Livingstone & Co's, report by Special Telegraph to 'Evening Mercury.')

Heigraph to 'Evening Merkett, Yi MONTREAL, April 27, 1868. Flour—Fancy, \$7, 85 to \$0, 90; Superfine No. 1. 25 to \$7, 55; Welland Canal, \$7, 62. Bag flour, 3, 60 to \$8, 75. Oats 48; eto 49c. Barley \$1, 15 to 1.9 Butter—Anlary 18c to 20c; istore packed 18c 22c. Ashes—Pois \$5, 90 to \$, 6, 90 pearls \$6, 20 5, 50.

20. lour—Receipts 4900 barrels, Market quiet but triffing business done. Rates generally changed. Grain—No sales reported.

TORONTO, April 25, 1868,
Flour— Receipts, 300 brls; No. 1, at \$7 00
\$7 15 Fall Wheat—\$1 85. Spring Wheat—\$1 64
\$\$1 65, Oats—69c. Barley—\$1 35 @ \$1 45.
Peas—\$8c.

HAMILTON, April 25, 1868.
Fall wheat,—\$1 02 @ \$1 72. spring do—\$1 55 @ \$1 62 pet bushel. Barley—\$1 55 @ \$1 40. Oats—\$0 @ 70c Peas—\$5c @ 90c. Pork—\$6 00 @ \$5 50.

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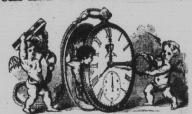
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