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MISS WIGHTMAN begs to announce that her school will re-open on the 5th of April. Guelph, 27th March, 1869.

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The undersigned are requested to obtain Farm Securities for several thousand dollars, to be lent at moderate interest.

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### COPARTNERSHIP.

The undersigned beg to inform the public that they have entered into partnership for carrying on the business of contractors and builders, and are prepared to execute all orders for building in stone or brick. Any Quantity of Stone on Hand and Cut to Order. To suit purchasers. All orders left at store of Hirsch & Kennedy, Produce Merchants, West Market Square, Guelph, will receive prompt attention. PIKE & DAVIDSON. Guelph, April 1, 1869.

### SPECIAL NOTICE.

The subscriber, in returning thanks to his friends and the public generally for the liberal patronage bestowed on him during the past eight years, begs to announce that he has rented **WILLIAM GUELPH MARKET** where he will always keep on hand a choice assortment of **FRESH AND SALT MEAT** of all kinds, which he will sell at the lowest possible prices. JOHN TYSON, Butcher. Guelph, May 8, 1869.

### DOMINION SALOON.

### FRESH OYSTERS!

Of the best quality always on hand, and served up in all styles at short notice; also served by the keg, ocean. The larva supplied with Ligers, Wines, Ale, Cider, of the choicest brands, likewise with the favorite drink, Tom and Jerry. At LUNCH between the hours of 12 noon and 3 p. m. DENIS BUNYAN Guelph, 17th October

### UNFAILING EYE PRESERVERS.

LAZARUS, MORRIS & CO'S Celebrated PERFECTED SPECTACLES! AND EYE GLASSES. The large and increasing sales of these PERFECTED GLASSES as a sure proof of their superiority. We are satisfied that they would be appreciated here as elsewhere, and that the reality of the advantages offered to wearers of our beautiful frames, viz: the ease and comfort, the assured and readily ascertained improvement of the sight, and the brilliant assistance they give in all cases, were in themselves so apparent on trial, that the result could not be otherwise than it has, in the almost general adoption of our Celebrated PERFECTED SPECTACLES by the residents of this locality. With a full knowledge of the value of the assertion, we claim that they are the most perfect optical aids ever manufactured. To those needing spectacles, we afford at all times an opportunity of procuring the best and most desirable. D. SAVAGE, Watchmaker, Jeweller and Optician, Agent for the well-known Waltham Watches, Guelph, Has always on hand a full assortment, suitable for every difficulty. We take pleasure in notifying the public that we employ no pedlars, and to entitle them against those pretending to have our goods for sale. Guelph, 4th May.

### SPECIAL NOTICE

The subscriber, in returning thanks for the liberal patronage bestowed on him in former years, begs to announce that he has erected a NEW OPERATING ROOM at considerable expense, introducing all the improvements of the day, as well as

### New RUSTIC Accessories.

He is prepared to execute Photographs and Portraits of all kinds.

### From the Locke to Life Size

Equal, as regards finish and life-like appearance, to any that can be obtained in the Dominion.— Copying of PORTRAITS in all its branches as usual, done in a satisfactory manner.

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At any house in the trade.

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Special attention called to a lot of Northman

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CHEAP. WM. STEWART. Guelph, 18th April, 1869.

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EVERY DESCRIPTION AND STYLE suitable for the Spring & Summer Trade.

Ladies and Gents', Misses and Girls' Boys and Youths' Boots & Shoes!

In great variety, all home manufactured.

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HEAD OFFICE, WATERLOO, ONT. A comparison of our rates with the rates of any other Company either doing or purposing to do a legitimate business respectfully invited.

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First-class sample rooms for commercial travellers, with LIVERY STABLE

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DENTIST, - GUELPH. OFFICE—Over E. Harvey & Co's Drug Store, corner of Wyndham and Macdonell-sts.

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Fire Crackers, Torpedoes, &c.

### HUGH WALKER'S

Wholesale Dealer in Fruit and Fire Works, opposite the English Church.

### MONTREAL OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

CANADIAN LINE. Liverpool, Londonderry, Glasgow.

### QUEBEC TO LIVERPOOL.

Norwegian ... .. 8th May  
Prussian ... .. 15th "  
Austrian ... .. 22nd "  
Moravian ... .. 29th "

### QUEBEC TO GLASGOW.

St. David (on or about) ... 13th May  
St. Andrew ... .. 20th "

### EDUCATIONAL.

MRS. W. M. BUDD, Organist of the Congregational Church.

Begs to inform her Pupils and friends that her School will re-open on MONDAY, 4th JANUARY, 1869. she will also be prepared to give Private Lessons on the Organ, Piano and Melodicon.

### W. M. MERRITT,

BARRISTER-AT-LAW, Solicitor in Chancery, &c. Office—No. 1, Day's Block, Guelph. Guelph, 4th May.

### The World Over.

The Imperial Government are about to connect St. George with the other batteries in Halifax harbor.

Ninety thousand dollars is the total for one month of the business of the New York post-office with European countries.

It is reported that the Duke of Montpensier recently visited Madrid incognito, and had a long interview with General Prim.

The Earl of Zetland has, at a Grand Lodge of Masons, held in London recently, been elected Grand Master for the 26th time.

A house at Point Levi was broken in on Sunday night by a quantity of rock falling from the cliff. The inmates narrowly escaped.

Michaux, the French velocipede inventor, nearly starved himself while trying to introduce his machines. He now employs five hundred men.

LYNX SHOT.—On Saturday last a young man named Anderson, while out pigeon shooting in West Lymbrook, shot a full-grown female lynx.

A Mormon bishop recently experienced one of the difficulties of having too many wives. He attempted to correct one of them, and the rest thrashed him.

All the master-bakers of Hamilton, with the exception of three establishments, have agreed on terms with the workmen who struck for higher wages.

Peach and cherry trees are in full blossom in the Niagara district, and the orchards will yield a very large crop of all kinds of fruit, if late frosts do not blight the trees.

For a picture of serene composure, go into a store that don't advertise, and observe the clerk asleep on the counter, with a rat and tan terrier snuggled up in the bend of his knees.

The municipal census of the Province of Ontario, for 1857, shows the number of animals as follows: Cattle, 944,882; sheep, 1,764,917; hogs, 651,000; horses, 351,000; dogs and bitches, 103,882.

One of the most remarkable facts in the diet of mankind is the consumption of tea and coffee. Upwards of 800,000, 000 pounds of these articles are annually consumed by the inhabitants of the world.

Reports received in Chicago from various parts of the northwest, are to the effect that the new wheat crop is in an excellent condition, and promises an abundant harvest. A much greater breadth of land has been put into wheat this year than ever before.

There are some people who will never die. Among them are the last survivor of Queenston Heights, the oldest inhabitant, the oldest freemason, the man that originated the idea of Confederation, the first settler of the Province, and the oldest subscriber of every newspaper in the country.

The golden spike and silver-mounted tie that our American cousins made such a fuss about had but a short-lived term of exaltation over their ordinary brother spikes and ties, being removed to safer quarters as soon as the first train had crossed it over them.

TRADE RETURNS.—In 1850 the total imports of the Province of Canada were seventeen millions; in 1858, after the great impetus to the business of the country, given by the construction of the Great Trunk, the imports had risen to twenty-nine millions; in 1857, the last year of provincial history, they rose to fifty-nine millions; which was, however, probably an excess of the wants of the country; and in 1858 they were fifty-seven millions; but still, doubtless, in excess, as 1859 has demonstrated.

WELL WHIPPED.—Toronto has a well named baby, who has undergone the following incidents: Thrown in the water at the Queen's Park for insulting a lady. Horses whipped by a father for insulting his daughter. Chastised by another well named O'Brien, in front of the Rossin House, owing to a quarrel over a lady. Kicked down stairs by the landlord of the Albion Hotel, for improper conduct in his house. Beaten on King street by a rival for the favor of a theatrical madame. If anyone can show a better title than this for the championship of being the "best whipped man in Canada," just trot him out.

FOUR GREAT EVENTS.—The present century has seen these four great events: Morse's invention of the telegraph; the laying of the Atlantic cable; the death of slavery in the United States; and the completion of the Pacific Railway. In twenty-five years the continent has been spanned by the wires of the telegraph. Ten years ago the lightning began to run beneath the sea. Five years ago the war for freedom ended, and slavery died. A week ago the iron track was made complete from Portland to San Francisco.

The young man of to-day, who has seen these things accomplished, will have tales to tell to his grandchildren such as no grandfathers of our day can summon from the stores of his memory.

ONTARIO RIFLE ASSOCIATION.—The Ontario Rifle Association will hold their first annual match at Toronto on the 22nd June, and next four succeeding days. Firing to commence each day at 9:30 a.m. In apportioning the money at the disposal of the Association the Council has kept the idea steadily in view that it is better to make four prizes of \$50 than to make one of \$200. With this in view, they have divided the \$2,500 at their disposal into 186 unequal parts—the lowest of which is of sufficient amount to pay the expenses of an economical man while here, and the highest something worth the trouble to earn.

The 186 prizes to be distributed include 16 Snider-Enfield prizes, with money added; but, independent of these, the prizes are all in money or cups, at the option of the winner. The special prizes presented are one of \$50 by the Governor General, one of \$100 by Major-General Stisted; one of \$50 by the Lieutenant-Governor, one of \$100 by the President of the Association, Mr. Gzowski; and one of \$50 by the Hon. D. L. McPherson.

### Dominion Parliament.

HOUSE OF COMMONS, OTTAWA, May 19.

Mr. Sturton enquired for the details of the payment of \$2,000, put as part of the sum voted for unfortress expenses, and what part of that sum was expended in connection with the assimilation of the laws.

Hon. Mr. Rose said something in reply, which was inaudible in the gallery, and then went on to say that a good deal of correspondence had taken place between the Governments of Quebec and Ontario and the Dominion Government, respecting arbitration between the Provinces.

He expected that the papers would be brought out to-morrow.

Hon. Mr. Galt hoped this settlement of the account between the Provinces and the Dominion would be speedily made.

Already it had dragged along two years, and he hoped the sooner it were wound up the better. Originally the arbitration was to be only between the two Provinces.

Hon. Mr. Rose said that, on the main bulk of the items, there would, he believed, be little or no difference. He did not apprehend much difficulty in the settlement of a good deal of the accounts of the arbitrators.

Several bills were advanced a stage, after which the House adjourned.

### BY TELEGRAPH

LONDON, May 19.—The London Times to-day continues to discuss the relations of Great Britain and the United States. After tracing the feeling of the Americans towards England in the past time, and the conduct of England during the rebellion, it says: "The Americans know that our conduct was intended to be void of offence. If private opinions or sympathies are to be made the subject of international litigations, the Americans must consider what counter-charge they are liable to in a case so founded. The wiser course would be to put aside such matters and confine the negotiations to affairs within the recognition of public law."

The Daily Telegraph also pursues the same theme. It says: "Having made our protest we may be well content to wait. It is undesirable to leave the question open, but in the present condition of American feeling no possibility of a speedy and satisfactory settlement is apparent, beyond the desire to act justly. This country has no interest in concluding a convention, save that such an agreement might protect our commerce hereafter from such depreciations as those committed by the Alabama, a convention not cordially accepted by the Americans, as a full discharge of their supposed grievances, would be valueless; and the execution of such a compact, if made at the present time, would be exceedingly doubtful. The honest and faithful exposition of the views of each nation will save the way to a conciliatory settlement."

The anniversary meeting of the Peace Society was held to-day. Resolutions were adopted, regretting the rejection by the United States of the Alabama claims treaty, hoping, if the statesmen of the two countries are unable to grapple with the emergency, that the regard and Christianity of the two great Anglo-Saxon nations may interpose to prevent war, and rejoicing in the activity and earnestness of the peace societies in America.

DUBLIN, May 19.—An ugly riot has taken place in Tralee. It commenced in a fight between two crowds. The police interfered, when the opposing crowds joined against the police and threatened to overthrow them. Revolvers and muskets were discharged into the crowd with fatal effect. One rioter was instantly killed, and several wounded. Three police were wounded, one is not expected to recover. The mob soon dispersed, and several were arrested.

HONG KONG, April 28.—A placard has been extensively posted up throughout the Chinese Empire denouncing the Christian Missionaries in violent terms. It was rumored that a Chinese official, of high rank in Peking, in a fit of anger slapped the French Ambassador on the face, and that the flag over the French Legation had been hauled down. The Chinese Government is very uneasy in consequence of further encroachments on Chinese territory by the Russians.

The Philosophy of Dull Times.

We take the following from the New York Tribune:—We infer the summer before us will be one of moderate trade and we rejoice in believing it. For dull times in cities, with many houses to let, argue that the tone and sinew of our country, the producers of its wealth, are busy on their farms, and resolved not to spend the proceeds of their crops in luxuries and dissipations before they are gathered, and harvested—a very sensible resolve, in our opinion. If one-half the population of our cities, finding times dull, were drawn or driven out from their straitened lodgings into the broad free country, and there employed in tilling the soil, or in mechanical vocations subsidiary thereto, it would be better for us.

Yes, we hope to hear the summer just before us characterised as one of the dulllest ever known. For dull times do not imply June frosts, nor destructive tempests, nor deadly epidemics, nor even national decay. These are dull times wherein the heedless majority are drinking and dancing and dining in reckless extravagance, intent only on the gratification, and reckless of impending ruin. Dull times imply sobriety, caution, frugality, and hint that the prodigal has taken the back track, or at least ceased to go ahead on the down hill grade. He may only have tried to check his fearful momentum, and this too late to avoid the crash; but better even this than rushing recklessly on. So let us welcome dull times with a cheerful face, as a sedate, fatherly uncle, who has come round to see how the boys get on, and who, if he does not find them doing their level best, is almost certain to leave them in a wholesome mood of mind. The best medicines are not apt to be toothsome; yet sensible persons take them without contortions of visage or exhibition of internal disgust, in the confident hope of feeling better by-and-by. So let us, if we must, greet the advent of dull times.

The news from Jamaica is very encouraging. The prosperity of the island is rapidly approximating to that enjoyed prior to emancipation. The statistics of the first year of the new regime show that the total revenue was \$388,444; the expenditure being \$383,125. The abolition of universal suffrage has been attended with excellent results; the negroes are more industrious and contented, and the crops are consequently larger than they have been for many years.

ARRIVAL OF EMIGRANTS.—A body of emigrants to the number of 707, arrived in Toronto on Thursday. They were all dockyard artificers, with their families, sent out by the British Government in the troopship Serapis. About 300 of them were sent off to Hamilton, and next morning the greater bulk of them were detached for all parts of the Province.

The emigration of miners from Cornwall threatens to affect the future working of the mines in the country. The emigrants consist of miners in employment, but who have been much dissatisfied with the rate of wages. Another inducement for them to emigrate is the reported prosperity of mining in Australia and America.

King John of Saxony has completed his translation of Shakespeare's "Hamlet," and recently said to a bookseller that if he lived long enough he might translate the whole works of Shakespeare. The old monarch is exceedingly active and industrious. He rises at six in the morning, and often works until after midnight.

### THE GUELPH POLICE COURT.

Before T. W. Saunders, Esq., Police Magistrate. THURSDAY 20th.—John Powers and his wife were charged by Wm. Teahan with assault. Case dismissed with costs. Patrick Egan was charged by the same plaintiff with assault and battery. Fined 50 cents and costs.

In Great Britain there are nearly as many milliners and dressmakers for the women as there are boot and shoe makers for men and women together, and many thousands more than the whole army and navy of the United Kingdom; more dressmakers than solicitors and attorneys; more makers of plated straw goods than there are people in the entire civil service of the government; more seamstresses and shirtmakers than bricklayers or butchers or bakers; more washerwomen than there are men in all the learned professions together. These great interests are not heard of in social or political life, yet their economical value is not trifling.—The making of cloth is one of the chief industries of the kingdom; shirting itself is a trade which employs many tens of thousands of people; yet, as Dr. Lyon Playfair has shown, every dozen of shirts made ultimately brings to the washerwoman, on the average, \$44, or more than twice as much as the producer of the cotton, the spinner and the weaver of the cloth and the shirtmaker altogether get to divide among them.

As a local application in the numerous diseases to which the skin is liable, Dr. Briggs' Allevator will prove superior to all the lotions, washes, liniments, cerates or ointments, commonly in use for its purposes. The Allevator, in its composition is designed to accomplish a twofold object, namely, through its emollient properties to soften and soothe inflamed and irritated surfaces and allay the distressing itching that accompanies all eruptive diseases, and through its healthy stimulating effect to alter diseased and unhealthy skin to resume its normal condition. There is nothing so desirable as a healthy and beautiful skin; therefore, a remedy that produces it, driving away all impurities, should be used at once. Sold by E. Harvey & Co., Guelph. Dr. J. Briggs & Co., proprietors, 205 Broadway, N. Y., and No. 6 King Street, West, Toronto.

FIRE IN MITCHELL.—About three o'clock on Tuesday morning a fire broke out in a large flour mill owned by Mr. Francis Holland, totally destroying the building and contents. Loss \$9,000. Insured for \$3,800 in the London, Liverpool, and Globe Company. The cause of the fire is unknown.

### HOTEL ARRIVALS.

COULSON HOUSE, GUELPH, May 20, 1869.

The following are the arrivals at the Coulson House up to 10:30 this morning: W. J. Wilson, Colour; T. Dickenson, Hamilton; J. McNab, Dumfries; Oliver Goodfellow, Beverly; J. Colwell, Arthur; A. Drading, Galt; A. Hendry, Conestogo; J. A. Johnston, Berlin; R. C. Stinson, Hamilton; D. Cowan, Toronto; G. Keating, Galt; W. Donnelly, Huston; J. Gillen, London; H. B. Allen, New York; G. N. Jessop, Omaha, Nebraska; T. V. Caddy, Walkerton; Miss McCannell, Coatswood; T. Yeomans, Mount Forest; H. W. Woods, Brockton, N. E.; E. Rogers, Toronto; H. McGuire, Toronto; J. Martin, Toronto; E. Oliver, Woodstock; J. Hessel, Durham; Miss Fulton, Harrison; W. Riddle, Beverly.

THE NEW INSOLVENT ACT.

The following are some of the provisions of the new Insolvent Act:—The 98th section sets forth that a deed of composition and discharge executed by the majority in number of those creditors of an insolvent who are respectively creditors for sums of one hundred dollars and upwards, and who represent at least three-fourths in value of liabilities of the insolvent shall be binding on the remaining creditors.

Mr. MOTLEY'S MISSION.—The Tribune special says:—It is understood that the instructions to Minister Motley are about completed. Senator Sumner had a long interview with Secretary Fish on Saturday, when the questions of these instructions were talked over pretty freely.

WHOLESALE CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE ESTABLISHMENT.—The new store of Messrs. Rae & Co., Alma Block, is now finished, and the immense stock of crockery, glassware and cutlery, which has lately arrived, is being got as rapidly as possible into place.

COUNTERFEIT ON THE ROYAL CANADIAN BANK.—We were shown this morning a most skilfully executed counterfeit \$10 on the Royal Canadian Bank. It was well calculated to deceive any person except one possessing the knowledge of a banker.

SALE OF AN INSOLVENT'S STOCK BY TENDER.—The Toronto Telegraph says: Pursuant to an advertisement, six tenders were received on Monday last, by Mr. John Kerr, special assignee, at so much in the dollar, the cost price, of the stock in the shop furniture, belonging to the insolvent John Henderson, of Elera, an assignee.

ALLAN'S BRIDGE.—This bridge is now passed for teams. Mr. Barclay and men were engaged at it yesterday, and it may now be considered quite safe.

WESTMINSTER REVIEW.—We have received from the Leonard Scott Publishing Company, of New York, the Westminster Review for the quarter ending April. Its contents are: South Africa, the Gladstone Government, Liberty and Light, Domestic Fireplaces, Alfred de Musset, Mr. Mill's Speech on Capital Punishment, the Philanthropy of the Age in relation to Social Evils, Primary Education, National Duty, Contemporary Literature. For sale at the Bookstores in Town.

DIRECT IMPORTATIONS.—T. J. Day, opposite the market, has received ex steamships Prussian and North American, and ex ship Lake Superior, from Liverpool, several bales and cases paper hangings, all new patterns and good styles, which will be sold very cheap.

THE LONDON "ADVERTISER."—Mr. Gillian, agent for the London, Ont., Daily and Weekly Advertiser, is in town endeavoring to promote the interests of that paper.

Mrs. Eleanor Kirk remarked, at the Woman's Rights Convention in New York the other day, that "this was the first time she had ever felt proud of being a woman." At that moment the whole congregated mass of females around her were stamping, shouting, hissing, coughing, and crowding down a person who differed in some opinion from a previous speaker.

"Miss K, what is your opinion of the weather?" "I think it intends to clear, and I wish some folk would follow the weather's example and clear too." Mr. C. seized his hat, and has not been seen in that streetsince.

A veteran beggar is reported to be passing through the country soliciting alms of women whose men folk are not at home, at the point of a large and ugly-looking knife, with uniform success.

New Advertisements.

ATTENTION! GUELPH ARTILLERY.

A FULL attendance at Drill on FRIDAY NIGHT, to make arrangements for the Queen's Birthday.

PARCEL LOST. Lost between Wald's Hotel and the Market Clerk's Office, on Thursday, a small parcel containing a piece of Broad Cloth.

TEMPERANCE SOCIAL.

THE GOOD TEMPLARS.

ON FRIDAY EVENING, 21st MAY, in the basement of the Primitive Methodist Chapel.

TOWN OF GUELPH. COURT OF REVISION.

On Tuesday Evening, 25th of May.

GLASGOW HAM CURER.

A large stock of Beef, Pork, Roiled Spiced Hams.

A Splendid Lot of Smoked Hams Lard, &c.

GARDEN TOOLS.

LADIES' GARDEN TOOLS, BOYS' GARDEN TOOLS, CHILDREN'S GARDEN TOOLS.

J. HORSMAN'S.

HARD TIMES vs. SOFT ONES.

OWING TO THE HARD TIMES A Softening of Prices has taken place.

JOHN MCNEIL'S.

RAYMOND'S SEWING MACHINES.

ALLAN'S BRIDGE.

WILLIAM BROWNLOW UNDERTAKER.

FUNERALS.

WAGGON FOR SALE.

HOUSE WANTED.

STRAYED COW.—Strayed from the premises of the subscriber, Erasmus Road, Guelph, on the 8th inst., a cow, three years old, giving milk.

WHITEWASHING.

JACKSON'S EXCHANGE OFFICE.

CHEAP FARES.

FIRE WORKS.

DOMINION STORE.

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY.

ATTENTION!

GOODRICH POTATOES.

WITNESS OUR HANDS THIS 12th DAY OF MAY, 1869.

FOR TEN DAYS!

CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE.

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ROBERT RAE & CO. Are now receiving part of their SPRING IMPORTATIONS, And will be prepared to Show on TUESDAY NEXT, 25th MAY. THE CONTENTS OF 302 PACKAGES of CROCKERY CHINA, GLASSWARE, CUTLERY AND FANCY GOODS.

VICTORIA, Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Defender of the Faith. TO HER TRUSTY BAILIFFS, RICHARD CONGOU, THOMAS PEKOE, JOHN HYSON, and HER WELL BELOVED STEWARDS of HER HOUSEHOLD, HERNY SOUCHONG and CHARLES GUNPOWDER.

For Ten Days! AN IMMENSE REDUCTION IN THE PRICE OF CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE. The Whole to be Rushed Off At Tremendous Low Prices!

HUGH WALKER. Everything in the line equally cheap. Splendid Stoneware Tea Sets, \$2.50 Handsome Stoneware Toilet Sets, \$1.50

MAGAZINES FOR MAY RECEIVED At DAY'S BOOKSTORE, Opposite the Market. Bow Bells People's Magazine, Englishwoman's Magazine, The Sunday School Teacher, English Mechanic, Argo, The World of Fashion, Leisure Hour, Cornhill, Temple Bar, Good Words, The Quiver.

New Crop Teas! FRESH TEAS. 1000 Half Chests NEW CROP TEAS. The subscribers are now receiving a large and well selected stock of NEW CROP TEAS (to which they beg to call the attention of the trade), comprising: Young Hysons and Hysons, Hyson Twankays, Twankays, Imperials, Gunpowders, Souchongs, Congous, Colored Japans, Natural Leaf Japans, Oolongs.

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**Jeannie Sinclair,**  
OR  
**THE LILY OF THE STRATH.**

CHAPTER XXVII.  
TRACKING THE ROBBER—LITERARY LETTER  
FROM THE STRATH.

"Killed him!" cried William. "Did you say Sir Fergus is killed—positively dead?"  
"I fancy so." "But we'll see what Maggie says, for the first sentence knocks me down like a shot, and I had a power to read a word more. Let me see—where's the place? My hand is trimlin' sae I canna see the writin'. Aye, here it is. 'An awfu' thing has happened here sin ye left. Maister Lyndoch has murdered Sir Fergus. He followed him to the Falcon's Cleuch and the Reiver's Feal, and hung him doon the waul.'  
"Oh, the monster!" interpolated Watty, as he paused and looked up from the letter. "I judged him capable of any crime," remarked Robert.

"But was the Baronet killed or drowned in the waul—is he positively dead?" asked William, who, Heaven forgive him, was chiefly concerned to know this one fact.  
"And will Lyndoch be convicted?" inquired Robert as eagerly and breathlessly—this being the point of most interest to him.  
Watty could answer the questions only by going on with the reading of the letter, which he did forthwith.

"Naebody wad have kenned anything about it if it hadna been for a gipsy callant that was up among the ivy seekin' for hoolees, and saw and heard everything, and cam' an' telt' the folk that was seekin' for the missin' Baronet. They got roped in and caud' see the waul, and got Sir Fergus lyn' there—"  
"Dead?" burst in William impetuously.

"Lord, hoo ye fricht a body!" cried Watty, starting so violently as to drop the letter. "For heaven's sake, be quick and let me know if he was dead," said the agitated youth, snatching up the paper and handing it to his owner. A minute of intolerable suspense, which to William seemed an age, elapsed ere Watty could again find the place and resume—

"—got Sir Fergus lyn' there, blashed and stiff and dead."  
"Ah!" ejaculated William, with a long breath—and again we require to say Heaven forgive him for the feeling which accompanied the sigh was not a feeling of sorrow or disappointment.  
"But is there proof to convict?" enquired Robert.

"Go on, Watty, and see if the letter says anything about that," they exclaimed. "If the only evidence is the young gipsy, we fear the villain will escape."  
Thus admonished, Watty resumed the reading of the epistle—

Maister Lyndoch was tried yesterday, and—  
"And what, Watty?" cried Robert, breathlessly.  
"There's a blot here. I canna mak' it out."

"Oh, confound it. Let me see if I can't make it out?" cried Douglas, snatching in his uncontrollable impatience the letter from Watty's hands. In a moment his quick eye deciphered the words at and after the blot, thus: "And was found guilty, and is to be hanged in three weeks."  
"Bravo, I'm glad of that," said the youth with a tone of unguessed satisfaction handing back the letter.  
"Glad that a man is to be hanged?" observed Watty, unsophisticatedly.

"Doesn't he deserve it, the wretch?" most richly deserves it. Three weeks—why, 'tis three weeks since the letter was written. In all probability this is the very day of execution."  
"Glad sake, only think o' that!"

"Any more news of a general kind, Watty?" asked William, his face strangely flushed, and his eye unnaturally bright.  
"Once more Watty gazed his eyes to the letter—

"Be shure to tell Maister Robert 'a'bout this, and Maister Denman sae. Miss Ellen is quite weel, and is mair extraordinary," sae is Miss Jeannie, for a Sir Fergus has been killed. Noo, is that no strange, Watty, seein' that she was tae have been marrit to Sir Fergus? I'm shure I wadna be quite weel if any o' these wild California folk was tae kill you; but, however, I ha'e my main thoughts at the meaning o' it. And noo, Watty, I fancy I maun answer the question ye speired in yer letter, gif I loe ye as much."  
"Ay," said Watty, suddenly stopping short and colouring crimson, "that's a' the letter that's o' general interest."

The others laughed and went outside. Here the young men's eyes met, and instinctively they grasped each other's hands.  
TO BE CONTINUED.

**American Despatches**

Ithaca, N. Y., 19.—Prof. Goldwin Smith, to whom Senator Sumner alluded in his recent speech on the Revere Johnson treaty, delivered a reply to that speech this evening before the members of Cornell University, and a crowded assembly of citizens, among whom were several distinguished men from different parts of the country. Mr. Smith promised that he spoke both as an Englishman still loyal to his country and also as one hoping to make his home for many years in America. He first briefly touched on the relations between the United States and England during the war, and then analyzed Senator Sumner's speech argument by argument. He denied that England had in any way acted in bad faith, and asserted that the Palmerston government, like the Gladstone government, was only anxious to do justice to this country. England was willing to let Canada go when she pleased. Everybody in Great Britain would consider the loss of the West India Islands a gain, and he, if it could prove that Ireland would be happier disunited from England, would vote for her independence; but no Englishman would ever consent to relinquish any of these countries as any equivalent for such claims as those set up by Mr. Sumner. Senator Sumner had not treated England justly; he omitted to state that England rejected the offer of France to join in a political recognition of the Confederacy. This was secretly done to effect the escape of the Alabama. Senator Sumner throughout was influenced by his hatred of slavery, and lugged by rancor against that dead institution into every political sphere. His taunts against England have struck a heavy blow at the very men, like John Bright and others, who have always opposed slavery, and been the warmest friends of the Union. They would feel its effect while the Tory party—the enemies of America—would be encouraged by the speech. He closed with a warm appeal for justice and peace.  
New York, 20.—Letters from Neuvitas state that the Republican government have been fully organized by the Insurgents in Cuba. Cespedes was elected President, Aquilar Vice-president, and Quesada Commander-in-chief of all the forces.

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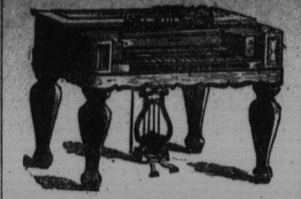
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Guelph, 4th May, 1869. FRANCIS SMALL, dw

There is trouble in the Government printing office, Washington, on account of the son of Frederick Douglass, the eloquent colored lecturer being objected to by the white printers. The decision of the matter has been postponed until the 19th of June. It is a pity there should be any difference, now that the coloured man has been admitted to the franchise in the District of Columbia.

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Guelph Markets.

MERCURY OFFICE, GUELPH. May 29, 1869.

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Table with columns for commodity names (Flour, Wheat, Oats, etc.) and prices per bushel or hundred.

MONEY MARKET.

Table showing interest rates and exchange rates for various currencies.

MONTREAL MARKET.

Kirkwood, Livingstone & Co's report by telegraph to Evening Mercury, Montreal, May 28, 1869. Flour—Extra, \$4.00 to \$4.20; Fancy, \$4.50 to \$4.70.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, May 19. Fall wheat, \$0.95 to \$1.00; spring wheat \$0.95 to \$1.05; Hour, No. 1 super \$4.05, extra \$4.25; barley \$1.00; peas, 75c to 75c.

HAMILTON MARKETS.

HAMILTON, May 19. Barley, 0.90 to 0.95; peas, 0.70 to 0.75; oats, 0.85 to 0.90; spring wheat, 0.90 to 0.95.

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