

TRAVELLERS' GUIDE.

GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY. (SOUTHERN EXTENSION OF W. O. & N. Y. R.)

PORT DOVER AND STRATFORD HURON RAILWAY. GOING SOUTH.

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LISTOWEL STANDARD. FRIDAY, JUNE 14, 1878.

MR. McDERMOTT'S CANDIDATURE.

It is now pretty generally understood that Mr. McDermott, Reeve of Wallace, is the Conservative standard-bearer for the Local Legislature in opposition to the present sitting member; and it is a matter of congratulation to the party that so efficient and trustworthy a representative as Mr. McDermott in all probability will be secured for North Perth.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

By an explosion in a Lancashire coal mine last week, a terrible loss of life was incurred. The number of persons killed outright is stated to be in the neighborhood of 250.

The Emperor of Germany is rapidly convalescing from the recent attack upon his life. The Government is taking strong measures to suppress the Socialistic movement, and the number of arrests for treasonable utterances continue to increase.

Mr. Wilson, the doctor who arrived at the doctor's office, was on his way to the doctor's office, and was on his way to the doctor's office.

SERIOUS RIOTS IN QUEBEC.

A very serious riot has just taken place in Quebec. On Wednesday the city was virtually in the hands of the mob for a time. The riot was occasioned by the recent strikers' march.

ST. MARY'S POISONING CASE.

Sudden Death of Robert Guest under Very Peculiar Circumstances - Dr. Ford, Esq., accused as the Poisoner - The Poisoning - Evidence of His Guilt - Lodged in Stratford Jail.

A thrill of horror went through the citizens of St. Mary's on Wednesday morning last week, when the sudden death of Robert Guest, second son of the late R. Guest, Esq., was announced.

As the facts of the Guest poisoning case are revealed, the public are more and more struck by the peculiar nature of the case, and the fact that the poison was administered by a well-known and respected citizen.

The stomach of the deceased was forwarded to the coroner, Dr. Ellis of Toronto, on Friday morning.

The following is the principal evidence taken at the inquest: Walter Crosswhite, sworn - Knew deceased; saw him about 10:30 in the morning; sat beside him, asked him how he felt; he said he was all right.

Mr. C. W. Jones, of St. Mary's, appeared for the prisoner Mr. Hayes, County Attorney for the prosecution; and Mr. Williams of Stratford, is engaged in working up the case.

All the penitentiaries will have arrived at Berlin on Wednesday except the Turkish, who cannot reach there before Friday or Saturday.

THE BERLIN CONGRESS.

The opening Proceedings. The Turkish, who cannot reach there before Friday or Saturday. The penitentiaries will be received at Berlin in state audience by the Crown Prince.

MITCHELL.

LIBEL CASE - Mr. W. R. Davis, editor of the Advocate, and Mayor of the town, brought Mr. T. H. Rae, proprietor of the Recorder, before a criminal charge of libel.

The death sentence passed on Duncan McDonald, the Port Albert murderer, has been commuted.

The death of Rev. J. H. Jones, for some time past, of St. John's Church, Tilsonburg, is announced to have taken place recently at Dixon Illinois.

GREY.

Mr. Alex. McDonald, of the 2nd line, has the largest and best bred flock of sheep in this municipality, if not in this county.

TROWBRIDGE.

ACCIDENT - Mr. John Eversall, who lives about half a mile from Trowbridge, met with a serious accident on Tuesday last.

MOLESWORTH.

Considerable improvement is being effected this season in the way of barn cleaning in the township of Molesworth.

BRUSSELS NEWS.

Rev. H. M. Paynter has gone to Wingham. While here he did much good in the way of religious instruction.

NEWRY.

GRANERS PICNIC - The picnic held here on Saturday last by the Granagers of the town, was a most successful one.

OBITUARY.

William Dixon, whose accident was reported in the last issue of the Standard, died on Tuesday last.

GENERAL NEWS.

The Shady of Persia has arrived at Paris. On Sunday 14th persons visited the Paris Exhibition.

The case of Rev. Robert Bell of Hamilton, Ontario, who was convicted of the murder of a young girl, was recently heard at the Court of Sessions at London.

The fourth annual meeting of the Essex Agricultural Society will be held on the 1st of July, 1878, will be given in prize.

Messrs. T. Lalley, of Toronto and Angus, Ontario, have caught eighteen dozen trout, weighing from half a pound to a pound and a half each, at Kinloss, one day recently.

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HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.

The undersigned offers for sale a house and lot situated on Wallace Street, and with a frontage of 25 feet on the street.

GREAT REDUCTION.

The greatest possible reduction in the prices of SEWING MACHINES has been made by ALEX. MORROW.

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Burton & Foster,
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where he is prepared to supply all who may call upon him with a choice selection of

Pure Drugs,
Patent Medicines,
Horse & Cattle Medicines
Toilet and Fancy
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&C-, &C-

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carefully prepared at all hours, from PURE DRUGS.

J. H. MICHENER, M. D.

Listowel, June 13th, 1878.

MY LITTLE WIFE AND I

We are travelling 'er 'er's road together. My little wife and I. We are having a fair share of the weather.

New York Fashions

PLAIN ROUND BASQUE, OVER-SKIRT WITH SIDE PLEATS, WITH BOWS, FLEATS, AND DEMI-TRAINED FASHIONS.

Something About Pearls

Queen Victoria displayed some magnificent pearls. On the same occasion the Emperor of the French exhibited a collection of four hundred and eight pearls.

The Horrors of War

Religious scruples against amputation. And owing to this some died whose lives, humanly speaking, might have been saved.

Hamilton Iron Works

REID & BARR, 64, 66 & 68 Rebecca St. Hamilton. CTEAM ENGINES AND BOILERS OF ALL KINDS AND SIZES.

Don't Fail to Visit Toronto on Dominion Day

Count Basilevski, regarded as the richest man in Russia, and who had for many years past enjoyed an income of 5,000,000 roubles.

W. Dentist

W. Dentist, 219 King Street East, Toronto. Nitrous oxide gas, painless extraction of teeth.

Hamiton Bridge & Tool Co., Iron Highway Bridges

Hamiton Bridge & Tool Co., BUILDERS OF IRON HIGHWAY BRIDGES. The present low price of iron affords a good opportunity.

Smaller Details

The small articles which are so much to be made in making up elegant outfits are now selected in Paris by modistes with the same care and search for novelties that they devote to the more important articles.

Personal

The Earl of Powis is a decent old man of 60, eminent in mediocrity, who, having been reported in the "Standard" as a man of great divinity, was made high steward of Cambridge University.

Stylish Suggestions

The swallow-tail jacket is affected by nobody but the very few who are not afraid to wear it. No loopings in black draperies are worn by fashionable women.

Business Items

A RARE CASE (Among modern novelties). The Victoria Hydro-motor is emphatically a new fad.

Floral Poetry

Some little time ago, when the funeral of a business man was being prepared, the bereaved family had been much impressed with the floral funeral show in his own home.

S.M.O.K.E.

THE OLD MAN'S FAVORITE. None Genuine Without Stamp. AWNINGS, AWNINGS, STORE FRONTS & PRIVATE DWELLINGS.

White Wine Goods

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White Dresses, etc.

Modistes who make a specialty of white goods, lingerie, etc., import white dresses and trimmings of the most beautiful designs.

Cardinal Manning

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