

BUSINESS CARDS.

DR. BROCK

RESIDENCE The Stone House opposite Davidson's Old Marble Yard, Elora Road. Guelph, Oct 19, 1871.

OLIVER & MACDONALD

BARRISTERS and Attorneys-at-Law Solicitors, Notaries Public, &c. Office—Corner of Wyndham and Quebec-sts., p. stairs, Guelph, Ont. A. M. OLIVER, JR. A. M. MACDONALD, Guelph, Oct 27, 1871.

AUSTIN C. CHADWICK

BARRISTER, SOLICITOR IN CHANCERY, Notary, &c. Town Hall Buildings, Guelph, June 28, 1871.

STEPHEN BULL

ARCHITECT, CONTRACTOR and BUILDER. Planning Mill, and every kind of Joiner's Work prepared for the trade and public. The Factory is on Quebec Street, Guelph March 17 1870.

GEORGE PALMER

BARRISTER and Attorney-at-Law, Solicitor in Chancery, Notary Public and Conveyancer Office, over T. Harvey & Co's Drug Store—corner of McDonald street Guelph, 17th August.

WILLIAM HART

CONVEYANCER Land and General Agent, Negotiator of Loans, &c. Office hours from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Office: No. 4 Day's Block.

FREDERICK BISCOE

BARRISTER and Attorney at Law, Solicitor in Chancery, Conveyancer, &c. Guelph. Office—corner of Wyndham and Quebec streets, Guelph, August 3, 1871.

GUELPH ACADEMY

WILL OPEN ON MONDAY, JAN. 8, 1872. COMFORTABLE Accommodation for a few Select Boarders Terms on application at Dwy's Bookstore. JOHN MARTIN, Guelph, Dec 25, 1871.

GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN

Barristers, Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitors in Chancery, GUELPH, ONTARIO.

F. STURDY

House, Sign, & Ornamental Painter GRAINER AND PAPER-HANGER. Shop next to the Wellington Hotel, Wyndham street, Guelph, Feb 27, 1871.

NELLES, ROMAIN & CO.

CANADA HOUSE, General Commission Merchants and SHIPPERS, 34 South Clinton St., Chicago, Ill.

Soden's Public Cab.

THE Subscriber having purchased Mr. D Coffey's splendid Cab begs to inform the public that it will be at their service at all times, either by the hour, the day, or any other way, at the most reasonable rates. I will attend all the regular trains, also Concerts and Balls, and can be engaged for Marriages or Funerals on the shortest notice. Order plates kindly permitted at Mr Harvey's Drug Store, Parker's Hotel, and Hewer's Western Hotel. A careful and steady driver always with the cab. A share of public patronage respectfully solicited. Orders may also be left at the Owner's Grocery Store, Upper Wyndham Street. R. SODEN, Guelph, Oct 19, 1871.

PRIZE DENTISTRY

DR. R. CAMPBELL. LICENTIATE of Dental Surgery. Established 1854. Office next door to the Advertiser Office, Wyndham-st. Guelph. Residence opposite Mr Boul's Factory, Quebec-street. Teeth extracted without pain. References—Dr Clarke & Tuck, Medicine, Herod, McGeffer and Co., Guelph; Drs Buchanan & Pines, Toronto; Drs Elliott and Meyers, Dentists, Toronto. Telephone 18th Aug. 1871.

W M FOSTER, L D S,

SURGEON DENTIST GUELPH. OFFICE—Over E Harvey & Co's Drug Store corner of Wyndham and Macdonnell-sts. NITROUS OXIDE (laughing gas) administered for the extraction of teeth. THE HOT AIR which is perfectly safe and reliable.

DOMINION SALOON

FRESH OYSTERS IN EVERY STYLE. THE table supplied with all the delicacies of the season in a first-class manner. At the Bar will be found the choicest brands of Liquors and Cigars. DENIS BUNYAN, Guelph, Nov. 21, 1871.

Imported Berkshire Boar

THE subscriber has just imported by Mr Joseph Kerley, Halifax, the splendid young Berkshire Boar Swindon Duke, farrowed 18th April, 1871, bred by the Rev H G Bailey, Swindon, England, sired by "Milesion," dam "Sensation" by "Never too Late," True Love by "Never too Late," g d Miss Mott, by Mr Bruce's boar, g d Miss Mott, by Mr Bruce's boar, g d Miss Mott, by Mr Bruce's boar.

SWINDON DUKE

will serve sows this season Terms, \$4 cash. The Subscriber has also a good Berkshire boar, large breed, which will serve Sows. Terms \$4 cash. ALLAN SIMPSON, Guelph, Nov 22, 1871 dsw-wtf Blackmit

House and Lot for Sale

FOR sale, in Harrison, on easy terms, a square in the best part of the village, a granite lot with a commodious twelve room house, 17 x 56; kitchen 16 by 20; a good well. Apply to JOHN SMITH, builder, Harrison, Dec 29, 1871.

Guelph Evening Mercury

THURSDAY EVENING, JAN. 25, 1872

GUELPH TIME TABLE

Trains leave Guelph as follows Grand Trunk Railway, East 3.10 a.m., 7.35 a.m., 11.04 a.m., 3.45 p.m., 6.50 p.m. For the West 2.00 a.m., 9.50 a.m., 5.55 p.m., 8.30 p.m. \*This train only goes to Berlin. Great Western --- Guelph Branch Going South depart at 6.50 a.m., 1.05 p.m., and 4.55 p.m.; also by mixed train every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 1.40 p.m. Going North, depart at 11.45 a.m., 4.55 p.m., and 9.05 p.m.; also by mixed train every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 1.05 p.m. Trains leave Harrison every morning at 10 a.m., reaching Guelph at 1.05 p.m., and in addition a mixed train every Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday at 9 a.m., reaching Guelph at 1.40 p.m. The train which passes Guelph going north at 11.45 p.m., runs every day to Cliford, arriving there at 3.15 p.m., and a mixed train which passes Guelph every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 1.05 p.m., reaches Cliford at 5.50 p.m.

THIS MORNING'S DESPATCHES

BY TELEGRAPH

Two Children Burned to Death.

Reported Conflict in Mexico Confiscation Proposition.

Wellington County Council.

January 24. The Council met at 10 a. m., pursuant to adjournment. The Warden in the chair—Present all the members except Dr Orton. The Warden read the following Address.

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The Warden read a petition from Mr Nichols, Court House Keeper, for an increase of Salary. Referred to the Finance Committee.

The Warden read a petition from certain ratepayers in the Township of Maryborough, praying for the sum of \$700 towards building a new bridge over Spring Creek at Edmunds. Referred to the Road and Bridge Committee.

Moved by Dr Orton, seconded by Mr Stevenson, that the Warden be instructed to telegraph to the Hon Mr Gov to ascertain whether the Government have decided to cancel the division of the County for Registration purposes. Carried on a vote of 17 to 11.

The Council then adjourned till tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

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Mr Flahiff's name was added to the Committee appointed to reply to Mr Julian's communication.

The Warden read a communication from the Treasurer regarding rates paid by Peel and Minto, and also that the biosworth toll-gate had been sold for \$40 and paid for.

The Warden stated that he had received no reply to the telegram addressed to Hon. Peter Gow, and that the County Solicitor would be prepared with his opinion on County Roads to-morrow.

The Warden read applications from Mr. W. G. Kidd, Kingston; Mr. Joseph Carbert, M.D., Orangeville, and Rev. R. Torrance, Guelph; for the office of Ex-aminer.

The Warden read a communication from the County road of Middlesex regarding disposal of surplus Government Fund.

Moved by Mr. Massie, seconded by Mr. Roberts, that the following gentlemen be a Committee for the purpose of dealing with the construction of drains and water courses demanded them. Referred to a select committee consisting of Messrs. Leslie, Connell, Darby, Roberts, Broadfoot, Stevenson and Eanson.

The Warden read accounts for printing from Messrs Culloden and Shaw, and M's Pirie. Referred to the Finance Committee.

The Warden read a communication from Mr Johnston regarding an account for expenditure on roads and bridges under his charge as Commissioner appointed by the Council. Referred to the Road and Bridge Committee.

The Warden read a report of the Commissioners on the Town Line between Peel and Nichol. Referred to the County Roads Committee.

The name of Mr Piper, by request, was taken off the County Roads Committee and placed on the Road and Bridge Committee.

The Council then adjourned to 3 p. m.

Knox's Church Sabbath School Soiree.

The annual Soiree of the above Sabbath School took place in the church on Wednesday evening. There was a large attendance of children as well as parents and others connected with the congregation. After all had partaken of the refreshments so plentifully provided in the basement, the company adjourned to the church, where after devotional exercises the Superintendent, Dr McGuire, gave a very suitable opening address. Mr Maclean, the Secretary, then read the annual report. Although there has not been a large accession to the number of scholars during the past year, the attendance has been fair, considering the sickness prevalent among children during the year. The attendance averaged from 120 to 150. Last Sabbath it was 167—83 boys, and 84 girls. During the year 40 new scholars were admitted, and 80 have been appointed during the year. There are on the roll 115 boys, and 110 girls, and from this number there should be a larger attendance than there generally is. Parents would greatly strengthen the hands of the teachers if they would insist on the regular attendance of their children. There have been 200 volumes added to the Library, which now contains 700 volumes. A large number of the Band of Hope, British Workman, Children's Paper, and Sunday School Worker have been distributed during the year. The report refers to the excellent effect of the Sunday morning meetings, having, in having the subject thoroughly discussed and explained. The Treasurer's Report was also read, which was very satisfactory. \$10 was given to Knox College; \$10 to Foreign Missions; \$5 to Red River Missions, \$10 to French Canadian Missions, \$5 to Kankakee Mission, and \$20 to Home Missions.

The programme was then gone through, which consisted of singing by the infant and other classes, all of which was admirably done; also recitations by Herbert Dunn, Janet, Mary and Agnes Anderson, Jas Hunter, Minnie Ball, Willie Ellis, Ellen Wilkie, Geo. Ball, Bessie Wilkie, Albert McMillan, Lydia Beckland, and others, which were greatly enjoyed and applauded. In the course of the evening Mr Wm Wilkie also gave an interesting address on the working of Sabbath Schools in the old country. The Company separated at a seasonable hour, after spending a most pleasant evening.

SMALL-POX.—The small-pox is decreasing in Montreal; 23 deaths last week. A bad case of small-pox occurred in Toronto on Monday evening. A young lady in a boarding house on Bay street was taken bad, and the doctors insisted on her instant removal for fear of the contagion spreading. The Hospital was full, and the patient had to be removed to an unfinished room in the House of Refuge, where a bed had to be made on the floor, and she was left without medical attendance or a nurse till the following morning. Owing to neglect in the early stage of the disease, the doctors have small hopes of her recovery.

WARDEN OF WESTWORTH.—We congratulate Mr. Jas. Somerville, of the Dundas Banner, on his election as Warden of Westworth. He will discharge the duties of the office with great ability.

Annual Meeting of South Riding Wellington Agricultural Society.

Concluded on yesterday.

Classes B4 and B5—Fine arts were well filled, both in the professional and amateur lists, many of our first artists sending their best paintings and drawings for competition. This part of the Exhibition far exceeded the anticipations of the most sanguine. There were no less than 282 entries, and although what was considered a large space, had been set apart for these productions, still it was too small to accommodate to advantage all that were exhibited, and the Committee had a hard task to arrange so that each might have a fair share of space and light, but we think those gentlemen accomplished their task to the general satisfaction of exhibitors.

Class 36—Ladies' work, braiding, embroidery, &c.

In this class the competitors were, in every sense of the word, spirited, each section being filled beyond precedent. The large number of entries will testify to the interest taken in this department by the ladies, the number exhibited being 454. This was considered by all to be the best display of ladies' work ever exhibited at any Exhibition (excepting the Provincial one) in this Province, and reflects great praise on the ladies who with such commendable spirit entered their different articles for competition.

Class 37—This department of ladies' work, although not as well filled as the preceding one, still showed a strong spirit of emulation among our young and elderly ladies. In the more artistic articles exhibited in this class—such as flowers made from silver wire, feathers, wax, seeds, &c.—there were some very handsome specimens, which were most creditable to the fair makers. In the section for worsted work in Berlin wool, there were no less than 56 entries; this large number was, to a certain extent, no doubt, owing to the handsome prize offered by J. B. Thornton, of an illustrated Bible, valued at \$25. The number of entries in this class were 290.

Class 39—Sewing machines.

As usual in this department there was a very keen contest between the different establishments represented, each eager to carry off the much-coveted first prize. Of late years great improvements have been made in this very useful domestic machine, and the manufacturers put forth his claim as having the best one in use, consequently, when they meet for competition, every effort is made to establish the claim.

Class 41—Musical instruments.

In this class the principal competition was in organs and melodions, there being only three or four pianos shown. In the former sections, however, there was a fine collection of handsome, well finished instruments, which gained for the makers well merited commendations. The principal exhibitors were Messrs. Bell & Co. and McLeod, Wood & Co., who have gained many prizes at all the exhibitions of late years, both in this and the sister Province of Quebec, and have established for themselves a name that will ensure success in their manufacture.

Class 43—Book-binding, printing, &c.

Some excellent specimens were exhibited. The competition, however, was small, and another year we hope to see a greater interest taken in this department.

Saddlery the show was small, but the carriage and team harness, which for workmanship and finish were well worthy the honors gained.

Shoe and bootmakers work good, but poorly represented, there being only a few entries, and they by two manufacturers.

Class 46—Leather.

This was the most meagre part of the Exhibition, there being scarcely any entered. We are sorry to see so little interest taken in shows of this kind by manufacturers of this important article of commerce, but hope in future years they will manifest a better spirit.

Class 47—Woolen, flax and cotton goods, furs, &c.

Some sections in this class were well represented, while in others no entries were made. In factory made goods the firm of Armstrong, McCrae & Co. stand alone; whether this arises from indifference on the part of other manufacturers, or whether they are afraid to compete with a firm that takes all the first prizes at our Provincial and Central Exhibitions, we cannot tell, but certain it is that few compete in this class of goods.

In domestic manufactures, the show was not up to the mark in point of numbers, but the articles were good. We noticed a fine collection of leather gloves and mitts, made in Acton and Waterloo by Messrs. Story and Henry, which did them great credit; some of the ladies' gloves were really first-class goods, and got up in superior style.

Geo. Murton, Secretary. Jas. Anderson, President.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Table with columns for Receipts and Expenditures. Receipts: To cash balance last audit, \$271.94; Government grant, 700.00; Guelph Township Council, 250.00; C. & A. Sharpe, 30.00; County Grant, 3000.00; Sale of Booths, 285.00; John Risk, 10.00; Punch Count Grant, 22.00; W. D. Hepburn, returned Judges fee, 6.00; Armstrong, McCrae & Co, 10.00; J. T. Brill, 20.00; Receipts at gate, 4465.11; County Grant, 300.00; Guelph Township Agricultural Society, 224.00; County Subscriptions, 1112.50; J. A. Wood, 15.00; J. C. Buckland, 20.00; George Sleeman, 25.00; Henry Metcalfe, 22.00; Superintendent's account rent of stalls, &c. &c. 237.94. Total Receipts: \$11,001.49.

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Table with columns for Balance and Receipts. Balance: Arthur Murton, \$300.00; Secretary, 30.00. Total: \$330.00. Net balance: \$281.00.

ELDON DISTRICT ORANGE LODGE.

This Lodge met at the Orange Hall, Marsville, on the 9th inst., when the following members were elected for the present year:—Joseph Edgar, D. Master; Robert Conn, D. D. Master; Leonard Allan, D. Secretary; Alexander Burke, Treasurer; Richard Innesworth, Chaplain; William Magwood, Director of Ceremonies. It was then moved and carried, that the semi-annual meeting be held at the Union Orange Hall, Waldemar, on the first Tuesday in July, at 2 o'clock, p. m.

Toronto Correspondence.

Toronto, Jan. 25, 1872.

The explanations made by the Hon. R. W. Scott, in the Ontario Assembly, on Friday last, brought on a debate, which was continued yesterday, and served to air the eloquence of sundry members, without advancing public interests in the slightest particular, and retarded legislation which ought now to be gone on with. In the Imperial Parliament, such a matter would have been disposed of, not merely in a single sitting, but in two or three hours. The leader on both sides of the House would have spoken, the statesman and reply would have gone to the contrary, and public curiosity would have been satisfied. Here a grand field day is made out of the merest trifle, and hours are wasted in useless and uncalculated talk, which after all, is but a repetition, a little better or a little worse said, of what has gone before. The great oratorical effort of the new leader of the Opposition, Hon. M. C. Cameron, in reply to R. W. Scott, on Friday night, occupied five mortal hours, and although relieved by a few flashes of fun, mixed with a good deal of personality fell with as little effect upon the House as it must upon the country. He attempted to prove—after shirking the charges previously preferred against Mr. Scott—that the new Administration is a Coalition; that the late Opposition based its attack upon the late Government upon the ground of its mixed character, and that the Reform party is therefore inconsistent in giving its support to Hon. Mr. Blake, and that because of this inconsistency the new Government is maintaining the confidence of the country. To give weight to his remarks he quoted Globe after Globe for hours, and addressed, and speech after speech, until his audience grew weary, and no one listened to his very undignified personalities.

When a leader of an Opposition feels himself in a list of argument, reduced to the necessity of resort to Billingsgate, his case is hopeless, and that such were the only tactics left to the high-toned leader of the Anglo-Saxons was evident when he descended from his lofty pedestal and stigmatised the Reform followers of the Hon. E. Blake as pigs, and sneeringly said that he apologized to the four-legged brutes for the comparison, as ordinary pigs were not quite so obstinate, and had much more foresight.

Since the days when little Cartier spoke of codfish as more valuable and important than Western Canadians, the people of Ontario have not received a more marked insult than the one conveyed in the choice language of the new leader of a disorganized Opposition. That disorganization prevails in the Opposition ranks is evident enough. Independent members rose during the debate, one after the other, sandwiched with three or four Ministerial followers, and in almost the same words, declared their intention to give the new Administration a fair trial, and to judge it solely by its measures—all of which means that, if things are made satisfactory, the Hon. E. Blake may confidently rely upon their support. To be sure, they all prefaced their remarks with a gentle castigation of the unfair advantage taken by the late Opposition in regard to the vacant seats, and so forth, but invariably expressed their willingness to condone that outrageous offense if things are made right, you know, and the measures of the administration are in accordance with their declared policy.

Scott, too the *bona fide* of last week. He now the good man, making the present Cabinet deserving their confidence; and for his sake, if for no other, they are quite prepared to extend a generous support

Evening Mercury

THURSDAY EVENING, JAN. 25, 1872

Report by Chief Superintendent of Education for 1870.

We have been favoured, through the prompt consideration of the Hon. Mr. Gow, with the annual report of the Normal, Model, Grammar and Common Schools of Ontario for the year 1870, by the Chief Superintendent of Education, and we transfer from its pages to our columns the following information for the benefit of our readers who may feel interested in the educational state and progress of the Province.

The total receipts for all common schools purposes for the year were nearly two millions of dollars, or an increase of \$116,338 over the preceding year. Of this large amount \$1,792,232 were apportioned from the Legislative Grant; \$385,284 were raised from Municipal Assessments; \$951,099 from Trustees' School Assessments, of which sum \$44,905 were collected in fees charged for pupils; and from other sources, including Clergy Reserve balances, \$369,416.—In all these items there is an increase over the sums realized from the same sources in 1869, except fees, on which there was a decrease of \$804, showing that the popular mind was becoming more and more inclined to the free school system, and was ripening, if not altogether ready, for that part of the School Act passed in February last, making the schools free throughout Ontario.

The expenditure of these, nearly two millions is accounted for in the following manner:—\$1,222,681 have been paid teachers as salaries; \$33,891 for maps, globes, prize-books and libraries; \$207,500 for school sites and buildings; \$61,860 for rent and repairs; \$186,127 for school books, stationery, fuel and other expenses, or a total expenditure of \$1,712,060, leaving an unexpended, or unpaid balance at the end of the year of \$232,303.

The number of children of school age in the Province is reckoned to be 483,966, and of these 420,488 attended school for a longer or shorter period of the year. 31,265 are reported as not attending any school, so that there must be nearly as many receiving instruction at private institutions. It is to be hoped that through the growing intelligence of the community, an increased interest in the intellectual training of the young, and the power given by the recent School Act to compel all parents to send their children for some months of each year to school, there will soon be a child of whom it can be said, "he is not attending any school whatever."

In the 4,566 schools reported, 5,165 teachers have been employed, of whom 2,753 are males, and 2,412 females. Of these 869 belong to the Church of England; 592 to the Church of Rome, 1,589 to the different branches of the Presbyterian Church; 1,509 to the different classes of the Methodists; 282 to the Baptists; 76 to the Congregationalists; 21 to the Unitarians; 14 to the Quakers; 47 to the Christians and Disciples; reported as Protestants 117; Unitarians 4; other persuasions 11; not reported 31. It is known to our readers that the Roman Catholics have their own schools, but of the 592 teachers belonging to that denomination only 236 are employed in such schools, and 356 are engaged in the Public Common Schools. Of 5,061 teachers reported as licensed 319 hold first class and 349 second class Provincial certificates; not 700 that have gone through a Normal School training, although that institution has been established for nearly thirty years; 1,561 hold county Board certificates of the old standard 1st class; 2,102 2nd class; and 320 3rd class. 104 are not reported as classified. 11 certificates were annulled, a fact which we think speaks favourably as to the general moral character of those engaged in teaching the young.

The largest salary paid to any male teacher in a county is \$600, the lowest \$100; in a city, highest \$1,000, lowest \$250; in a town, highest \$1,000, lowest \$225; in an incorporated village, highest \$1,000, lowest \$264.

On page 7 the Chief Superintendent argues in favor of giving school prizes and merit cards.—Through his arguments we cannot follow him, but we fully approve of the principles involved.

The number of Roman Catholic Separate Schools is 163, showing a decrease of two during the year. To these \$8,996 were apportioned from the legislative grant to separate schools, \$31,845 were raised by rates from the supporters of separate schools, \$17,065 were realized from subscriptions and other sources. The total amount received from all sources was \$58,906. Of this amount \$41,738 were paid to 236 teachers, 96 of whom were males and 140 females; \$1,766 for maps, prizes, books and libraries, and \$14,994 for other school purposes.

We may state before passing from this subject that according to the last general census there were 464,315 children of school age in Ontario. Of these it must be assumed that at least 70,000 are the children of Roman Catholic parents. Of this number only 20,652 attend the separate schools; the other two thirds (even allowing that 10,000 do not attend any school) go to the public schools, in which no fewer than 356 Roman Catholic teachers are employed.

At the Grammar (now High) Schools, 101 in number, 7,351 pupils attended, showing the large proportionate increase of 743. The total expenditure for the year was \$137,566, being an increase of \$23,063. Of this sum \$105,153 were paid as salaries of masters and teachers, \$20,330 for building, rent and repairs, \$8,648 for fuel, books and contingencies, and \$3,554 for maps, prize books, apparatus and libraries. The total receipts for grammar school purposes were \$145,607, of which \$19,375 were received from pupils fees, \$43,597 from municipal grants, and \$56,043 from legislative grant. On referring to the proper table, we find that 28 High Schools had a larger average attendance and drew more from the legislative grant, for the first half, and 24 for the second half of 1870, than the High School in our town.

The educational summary shows the

following result:—Number of educational institutions in the province, 4,970; number of students and pupils attending them, 459,161; amount expended for all educational purposes, \$2,173,711, showing an increase of \$113,927; amount available, \$2,414,056.

We cannot enter upon the other matters contained in this document, although all of them are interesting. A considerable portion of it is devoted to an exposition of the School Laws Improvement Act of 1871. We presume the Chief Superintendent felt himself called on to discuss that measure, and vindicate it in consequence of the excitement caused in the legislature when it was under consideration, and a feeling of uneasiness that unquestionably prevails through the country regarding some of its provisions. Now, however, that it has become law let it have a fair trial. We have said nothing regarding the Normal or Model Schools, nor of the provision proposed for superannuated teachers, we believe the most unpopular clause in the Act.

Social Supper.

Last (Wednesday) night Mr. James Anderson, ex-President of the South Wellington Agricultural Society, entertained the President and Directors of the Society for this year, along with the Local Committee of the Central Exhibition, and other gentlemen, at an oyster supper in the Queen's Hotel. Mr. Anderson occupied the chair, and Mr. James Laidlaw, President of the Society, discharged the duties of vice-chairman. After the good things had been disposed of, the chairman made the usual happy and patriotic toasts. Mr. Anderson's health was then proposed, and reference made to his valuable and efficient services as President last year, in connection with the Central Exhibition, to which he made a suitable reply. Mr. Stirling responded on behalf of the President and Directors of the Society. He endorsed all that Mr. Stirling had said, and promised that Guelph would give the Society all the aid in her power in connection with this year's Exhibition. Mr. Laidlaw and others responded, and promised that they would do their share of the work in making the Exhibition this year all that its most sanguine friends hoped for it. The Guelph Exhibition Committee was next given, and suitably responded to by Mr. Wm. Allan, Mr. Higinbotham, and Mr. John Stewart. The health of Mr. Geo. Murton, Secretary, was proposed in complimentary terms, and duly responded to by that gentleman, who made several excellent suggestions with regard to the management of this year's Exhibition. The health of Mr. John C. Allan, and other toasts were given, and altogether a most pleasant evening was spent.

Eramosa Council.

The Council elect of the Township of Eramosa met at the Centre Inn, on the 15th inst. The Poll Book used at the election on the 1st inst. was presented by the Clerk, from which it appeared that John Rea was duly elected Reeve, John McKerlie Deputy Reeve and Wm. Duffield, John R. Harris, and John Dickson were elected Councillors, and these gentlemen being present made and subscribed the declaration of qualification and office and took their seats as the Council for 1872, the Reeve in the chair. The Clerk, Treasurer, Assessor, Collector, Auditors, and Inspector of Licenses were re-appointed to their several offices. \$2 was ordered to be paid to the Poll Clerk for his services at the late election. Relief was granted to the following indigent persons, viz:—\$5 to Rosa Ellis, \$10 to Elizabeth Cross, to be expended for her benefit by J. M. Aree; \$10 to Mrs. Jones, to be expended by G. Scott; and \$10 to John Brennan, to be expended by Wm. Parrish. An account of \$41.31 from the Guelph Herald for printing was ordered to be paid. The Clerk was ordered to notify the Auditors to meet at the Treasurer's house on the 1st Feb., to audit his accounts, and the Collector was directed to make his returns on or before that day. The Clerk was instructed to notify the different tavernkeepers in the Township to be ready with their applications for certificates for license by the 29th Feb., on which day the Council will meet, and the Inspector of Licenses to visit the different taverns already licensed previous to that meeting. \$9.20 was ordered to be refunded to Walter Swanstone being an overcharge of taxes owing to a mistake in the amount of assessment in the roll of 1871. \$1 was refunded to Wm. McFarlane, having been assessed by mistake for a dog. After some business of minor importance was transacted the Council adjourned till the 29th inst., when Poundkeepers, Fenceviewers and Road Overseers are to be appointed.

J. A. Davidson, Clerk.

Minto Township Council.

The newly elected Council met pursuant to statute, at 12 o'clock, on Monday, Jan. 15th, and the following gentlemen having severally made and subscribed the necessary declarations of office and qualification, took their seats, viz: Jas. Connell, Reeve; John Prain, Deputy Reeve; Wm. Hughes, Richard Heard and Miles Bateman, Councillors. Mr. H. C. Kaye was appointed Clerk, and Mr. Wm. Taylor, Treas., at salaries of \$150 per annum each. Mr. Thos. Dunbar was appointed assessor at a salary of \$100 per annum. Mr. Alex. Macready and Mr. Thos. Bowie were appointed auditors. Moved by Mr. Bateman, seconded by Mr. Heard, that John Henry be collector for East division, at a salary of \$38.50, and with S. Lount Haight, Hugh Shannon and W. Henry as his securities for such sums as may be satisfactory to this Council, and that Rich. Bride be collector for West division, at a salary of \$44, with satisfactory securities. Carried. Moved by Mr. Prain, that Donald Guthrie, Esq., be re-appointed township solicitor. Carried. Moved by Mr. Prain, seconded by Mr. Bateman, that the Clerk having certified the non-resident collector's rolls for school sections for 1871, the Reeve give his order in payment thereof, as follows: To School Treasurer \$8, \$8, No. 4, \$1,420; do, No. 5, \$11.50; do, No. 6, \$37.95; do, No. 7, \$64.33; do, No. 8, \$37.95; do, No. 9, \$13. Moved by Mr. Heard, seconded by Mr. Bateman, that Angus McConnachie be granted \$6 as charity.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Prain, seconded by Mr. Hughes, that this Council do now adjourn to Monday, 20th inst.—Carried.

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Tannery for Sale or to Rent THE Subscriber will either Sell or Rent his Tannery, on Surrey Street, Guelph. Possession to be had in 1st March. Apply on the premises to JEHU CLARK, Proprietor. j19-d

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Berkshire Boar "John A." THE Subscriber begs to notify the breeder of Swine that he has purchased the above Boar, imported from England by George Roach, Esq., of Hamilton, which will serve some this season. Terms \$4 cash. Pedigree—John A. was sired by Sampson out of Swindon 1, by 2nd Duke of Gloster; Dan Sniper 1, out of Bobtail 1, by Tim Whittier. W. A. BOOKLESS, Royal Hotel Guelph, Dec 8, 1871. Proprietor dtw

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Wellington, Grey & Bruce Railway SOUTHERN EXTENSION Notice to Contractors!

TENDERS are invited for the construction of the Southern Extension of the Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railway FROM LISTOWEL In the Township of Wallace, TO LUCKNOW

In the township of Kinloss—a distance of 42 miles. Plans and Specifications may be seen at the Office of the Company, Canada Life Assurance Buildings, James street, Hamilton, on and after the 27th inst. Tenders marked "Tenders for Construction of Southern Extension," addressed to the Secretary, will be received up to noon of Friday, the 16th of Feb., 1872

W. MCH LLOCH, W. MCGIVERN, Secretaries. Hamilton, Jan. 27, 1872 dt

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Guelph, Jan 5 1872 dt

LUMBER NOTICE

WE, the undersigned, beg to inform the public that we have sold out our Lumber Yard on Upper Wyndham Street to

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### Guelph Evening Mercury

THURSDAY EVENING, JAN. 25, 1872

### HELEN MOIR

Love and Honour.

A TALE OF THE CLYDE.

CHAPTER XII.

THE APPROACHING SHADOW SEEN AND FELT HELEN'S YEAR AS SHE ENTERS THE CLOUD.

Ritchie was still at work among the flowers in the garden. A happy man had Ritchie Dunlop been during those delightful days at Ardenham. He had found an agreeable variety of work, which had kept away his natural horror of idleness. The ornamental ground round the villa kept him always well employed when he was not out with the boat, but he was generally several hours a day, rowing Mrs. Allerton and Helen to various points of the loch—to Strone, to Blairmore, to Cove, and oftentimes of all down the water toward Dunoon, where Mignon Lessing and Madame Rheinbach would meet them and enjoy the pleasure of their society.

Engaged in these light, agreeable occupations, Ritchie was full of satisfaction and content—the essence of which, however, lay in the bright prospects of his darling Helen. In her love, in her betrothal, in her anticipated marriage he had sources of unalloyed delight. In these he saw rich and abundant fruit proceeding from his long, unwearying self-denying efforts in her behalf. Her happiness and welfare, which had ever been the chief object of his endeavor, were to all appearance secured, and his thoughts about her future, once so anxious, were now set at rest. So, like a man who had successfully accomplished an arduous work, he felt greatly at ease, and was correspondingly satisfied—dreading no more than the others, the evil that was approaching.

As he bent now over the heavily laden branch of a rose bush which needed support, his name was called in what appeared a strange, unknown voice, and looking up he saw Helen at the gate beckoning to him.

"I want you to take me out in the boat," she cried, and, turning round, without further word, crossed over to the landing place on the beach, where the nice newly painted boat was fastened—not the one which had failed them so signally and strangely a few evenings before, but a strong little skiff which Edwin Allerton had procured at Dunoon.

Ritchie at once left his gardening operations and joined Helen on the beach. It did cross his mind that she was changed from her usual air and manner; but, he knew of nothing that should irritate her, it was but a passing impression, which took no hold of his mind.

"This is just a day for the loch," he observed, as he manifested the boat.

"It is indeed warm and fine," she mechanically replied, without looking up from the book, which was open in her hand.

"In ye go then, my pet, and I'll shove her off," was his next remark, and at once Helen stepped into the boat and seated herself at the prow, where she was at the back of Ritchie when the latter had taken his place at the oars, and still seemed to be intently engaged in the perusal of her book.

"Is there any place ye wad like to gang?" asked Ritchie, speaking to her over his shoulder, after they had got fairly out upon the loch.

"Yes," she answered in a low tone, "row across to Kilmun. We shall pay a visit to the churchyard."

"Very well, my dawtie."

And not another word was spoken till the keel of the boat grated on the opposite beach, where the grey old pile stood among the shadows of the trees.

Helen was ashore before Ritchie had shipped his oars, and calling to him to follow her to the churchyard as soon as he had made the skiff fast, she ascended the slope, and made her way to the stile which gave access to the sacred enclosure.

In a few moments Ritchie followed her, still dreading nothing, and dreaming not that she had any special object in bringing him to the side of her mother's grave.

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Being West half of Lot 2, in the 15th con. Township of Peel, consisting of 100 acres, 50 cleared, frame house, barn, and sheds. The sawmill is on Comestoga River, and is in good working order. This is a rare chance, as the present owner is about to retire from business. Terms as may be agreed on. Apply to the undersigned, or address to Horwath P. O., p. 21.  
Jan. 25, 1872. JAMES SCROGGIE.

**AUCTION SALE of Farm Stock and Implements.**—Mr. Wm. Nepper has instructed Mr. S. B. Lester to sell by Public Auction on his premises, Lot 25, 2nd con. township, North-west, on FRIDAY, the 2nd of February, at 12 o'clock noon, the following farm stock and implements: 2 horses in full, 8 cows in milk, 4 two year old steers, 3 one year old steers, 2 two year old heifers, 5 calves, 1 gilt pig, 1 single wagon, and 1 cutting box. Terms, 50 and under, cash; over that amount 11 months credit on approved joint notes.  
Guelph, Jan 10, 1872.

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JOHN KIRKHAM, dtf

Guelph, Jan 10, 1872.

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Stock ever Shown in Guelph

Which we guarantee to sell so as to effect a saving to our customers of at least 25 cents on every dollar, under any house in the County.

### CHANCE & WILLIAMSON,

THE ONLY DRYGOODS IMPORTERS IN THE TOWN

### PATERSON & CO.

Successors to James Massie & Co.

### Importers and Wholesale

Grocers,

ALMA BLOCK, WYNDHAM STREET,

ARE now receiving at their warehouses the: Fall Importations of

Choice New Crop Teas

Fine Coffees

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Wines and Liquors

and General Groceries

To which they invite the special attention of the Trade.

Pateron & Co. dw

Guelph, October 10th, 1871

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Provincial, Lancashire and Phœnix.

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Lower rates than any Loan Co. in Ontario.

JOHN McCREA, Agent.

Office over Bank of Commerce Buildings, Guelph, Guelph, Nov 25, 1871.

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### Positively a Fact!

Mustard's Catarrh Specific

CURES Catarrh, Cold in the Head, Neuralgia, Toothache, Nervous and Sick Headache, Weak and Sore Eyes. The specific is a new remedy, prepared from Medicinal Berberis, Root, Gum, and Flowers. Free from poisonous Drugs, it is harmless, novel, and Philosophical in its operation. Try it if you are afflicted with the above Diseases. It is also one of the best Cough and Croup Remedies Ever.

Mustard's Vegetable Pills should also be used in connection with the Specific for Sick Headache, and Catarrh; and the whole afflicted with Rheumatism should use Mustard's King Oil.

Sold in Guelph by McCullough & Moore, Druggists.

Manufactured at Ingersoll by N. H. Mustard, Proprietor. nov. 25—adv

### Holiday Goods

AT MRS. WRIGHT'S

### VARIETY STORE!

JUST Received a nice Stock of Goods suitable for

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### DOLLS, TOYS

And other good things for Children in endless variety, and will be sold cheap.

Wools and Fancy Goods OF ALL KINDS

WYNDHAM STREET

Next to the Wellington Hotel.

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THE Subscriber begs to notify the public that he has purchased the above Livery from Mr. G. W. Jessop and will continue the business as heretofore. Having made considerable improvements he will be able at all times to meet the wants of the travelling public.

First-class Turnouts ready at the Shortest Notice.

W. J. WILSON, dtf

Guelph Dec 6, 1871

### Medical Dispensary

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### Worm Powders

The safest and most reliable Worm Medicine now in use. Prepared only by

MCCULLOUGH & MOORE,

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### WINE OF CALISAYA

A pleasant and gently stimulating tonic containing all the valuable properties of the best Calisaya or Yellow Bark united with other aromatics in a vinous medium. It is particularly adapted to females, children, and those with weak or delicate stomachs.

PREPARED BY

MCCULLOUGH & MOORE,

Dispensing Chemists.

Guelph, Jan. 20, 1872.

### JOHN SPIERS,

### Veterinary Surgeon

(Member of the Ontario Veterinary College.)

Hirsch's Union Hotel,

Do-23 GUELPH dw

Lots for Sale in the Town of Guelph.

LOTS from 9 to 23, being the front on the E. Elora Road of the Catholic Church Glebe, in lots to suit the buyers. For terms and particulars of sale, apply to Messrs. McMillan & O'Connor, B. 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

Wanted to Purchase,

FROM 2 to 10 acres of Land, in the immediate neighborhood of Guelph; if with house and buildings, preferred. Address

Noticed—Any person sending the answer to the above to the Agent, D. SAVAGE, GUELPH, within the next thirty days, will receive an order from L. M. & Co., for a pair of their superior new pattern Eye Glasses.

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### GENERAL

### Fire and Life

Insurance Agency.

OFFICES REPRESENTED

The Royal Fire and Life Insurance Company

CAPITAL \$12,000,000

Scottish Imperial Fire Insurance Company

CAPITAL ONE MILLION STERLING

Andes Insurance Company

CAPITAL \$1,000,000, all paid up

Isolated Risk Insurance Co's of Canada

CAPITAL \$500,000

insures only Detached Residences and Farm Property.

Agricultural Insurance Co.

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Etna Life Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn.

Accumulated assets over \$15,000,000

Travellers' Accident Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn.

The Hamilton Provident and Loan Society

Head Office, Hamilton, Ont.

To the Owners of Real Estate who want to borrow money, the above Institution offers facilities and advantages which can be obtained from no other Company or Private Lender in the Province.

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GENERAL AGENTS

GUELPH, ONT.

### HIGINBOTHAM & WALKER

Real Estate Agents

HAVE THE FOLLOWING

VALUABLE PROPERTIES FOR SALE

THAT excellent farm situated on the Grand River, within 2 miles of the Village of Fergus, consisting of 200 acres, 200 cleared, the balance in good hardwood. The place well fenced; with a plentiful supply of water. The buildings consist of one roughcast dwelling house, two workmen's houses, bank barn, stables and outhouses under the same, all in good condition; there is also an excellent orchard with trees in full bearing. This is without exception one of the finest farms in the County of Wellington and well adapted for stock raising. Terms easy.

SMALL FARM, situated in the Township of Ganaraska on the Grand River, within three miles of the Village of Fergus, consisting of 68 acres good land, with barns, &c. Will be sold cheap.

SMALL FARM situated in the Township of Fergus, consisting of 73 acres excellent land, 58 cleared and the balance in hardwood. Well fenced; with a good supply of water. The buildings consist of a good dwelling house, frame barn, with stone foundation, stables and outhouse. The floor of the stables are paved with stone, all in good condition. Terms easy.

170 ACRES in the Township of Hargreaves, County of Bruce, about 4 miles from the thriving village of Port Egin, an important station on the Wellington, Grey and Bruce R.R. 30 acres cleared, the balance covered with hemlock and hardwood, with a log house and double log barn. There is also a good water privy on Snake Creek, with 14 feet head.

FARM for sale, 2 miles from Guelph, fronting E. Elora Road, 109 acres, 80 acres free from stumps, well fenced, 45 acres seeded down with timothy and clover. Superior two storey stone dwelling with lawn and orchard. Commodious barn and outbuildings.

Also, a number of lots of good wild lands in the Counties of Wellington, Grey and Bruce, some of them situated near the line of the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway. To be sold cheap.

Terms and full particulars of above can be obtained on application from

HIGINBOTHAM & WALKER,

Real Estate and Loan Agents, Guelph

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THE HOUSE ON TUESDAY NIGHT

Who's the Opposition? "I," says Mat. Cameron; "No one else—duce a one—In the Opposition?"

Where are the Tories? Dead every one of them—Each mother's son of them—Barring Mat. Cameron.

Where's the 'Axo-grinder? No such a creature now; Grit every feature now; Voting with Blake!

What will the upshot be? Victory everywhere; John A. will shortly shake the fate of his shadow.

On the death of one of England's most eminent physicians, all his effects were sold by auction, and among other things was a sealed packet, marked "Advice to Physicians," which brought a great price.

THE USE OF TOBACCO causes indigestion, palpitation, slowness of intellect, a desire for strong drink, and an intermittent pulse; it destroys the vitality of the blood, produces dizziness, disturbs the sleep, makes a man miserable, and prematurely old.

FEW PEOPLE unacquainted with physiological chemistry are aware of the quantity of iron in the blood, but all should know the importance of keeping up the supply, for debility, disease and death are sure to follow when the quantity becomes too much reduced.

BREAKFAST—EPH'S COCOA—GREENE and COFFEEING—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 flavored beverage which may save us many heavy doctor bills.

COMMERCIAL. GUELPH MARKETS. MERCURY OFFICE, GUELPH, January 25, 1872.

HAMILTON MARKETS. HAMILTON, January 24, 1872.

TORONTO MARKETS. TORONTO, January 24, 1872.

BY TELEGRAPH. Rockwood Markets. Acton Markets. Hespeler Markets. Elora Markets. Fergus Markets. Harriston Markets. Clifford Markets.

Husband—What do these certificates amount to? Wife—They prove that Perry Davis' Pain-Killer is safe to use under any circumstances, that it is not only a Liniment to rub on Bruises, Cuts, Scalds, Burns, and external complaints with untiring relief, but that it has done miracles in curing Colic, Cramps, Spasms, Heartburn, Diarrhoea, Dysentery, Sour Stomach, Dizziness, Sick Headache, and also that it was the Pain-Killer that cured John Sparkler of the Fever and Ague; you know he had it for over a year.

NEW GOODS AT William Stewart's

NEW Breakfast Shawls and Sontags.

NEW Waterproof Tweeds—Cheap.

NEW Lavender Kid Gloves.

NEW Dress Goods—some special Lines.

NEW Gloves and Hosiery

NEW Table Linens and Table Napkins.

NEW White Quilts and Toilet Covers.

NEW Fur Sets—really good and cheap.

NEW Shirting and Scarlet Flannels old prices.

NEW Ties Bows and Shirts for Gentlemen.

NEW Harvard Shirtings

NEW Clouds and Scarfs

NEW Hats, Feathers and Flowers.

NEW Vestings—choice patterns.

NEW Coatings & Trousing

WM. STEWART. Guelph, Dec 7, 1871

JUST ARRIVED J. HUNTER'S New Chignons BRAIDS AND SWITCHES

NEW JEWELLERY In Jet, Vulcanite and Bog Wood, Gold, Plated, Marquise, and Silver.

Fancy Woollen Goods, WOOLS, &c. J. HUNTER, Berlin Wool, Fancy Goods and Toy Store, Guelph, Jan 13, 1872

Undertakers! MITCHELL & TOVELL, SIGN OF THE HEARSE

NOTICE AT Crawford's Store

WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELLERY

Silver Watches from \$8 to \$35 Gold Watches from \$35 to \$40 ALL WARRANTED.

JOBBING DONE AS BEFORE. Agent for the American Elgin Watch, which is followed by practical men to be superior to any watch now made.

GUELPH TEA DEPOT

E. O'DONNELL & CO. HAVE just received Three Car Loads of Teas and other Groceries—the Bargains we are now giving are Wonderful:

TEAS, TEAS, TEAS! 427 Caddies containing 10lbs. each of 80 cents Young Hyson Tea for \$6.

250 caddies very fine Young Hyson containing 6lbs each for \$3; 600 caddies of Japan Tea, Black Tea, Pekoe Tea, varying in price from 40c to 75 cents per lb.

E. O'DONNELL & CO. WYNHAM-STREET, GUELPH

WONDERFUL SUCCESS AHEAD OF ALL COMPETITION

W D HEPBURN & Co. THE LARGEST Boot and Shoe Manufacturers

W. D. HEPBURN & Co's Boots and Shoes give entire satisfaction, and do not need any putting to sell them as they are manufactured out of the best material, and by the best workmen in the Dominion.

Repairing done Neatly and Punctually

CO-OPERATIVE STORE. Price List for December

DRY GOODS. Blankets, per pair, \$2 00; Full Cloths, from 45; All wool Tweeds, 65; New Winceys, 10; 36 inches Horrocks Cotton, 12 1/2

CLOTHING. Boys Overcoats, \$2 75; Men's do, 4 50; Men's All wool Pants, 2 00; Boy's All wool Vest, 1 00; Cardigan Jackets, 1 25

BOOTS and SHOES. Boy's Long Boots, \$1 50 and \$2 00; Men's Stogies, 2 25 and 2 50; Men's Rip, 2 75 and 3 00; Men's Overshoes, 1 50 and 1 75; Women's do, 1 25 and 1 50; Children's do, 70

GROCERIES. New Raisins, Currants, Figs, Nuts, Sardines, Tobacco, &c. Will be sold retail almost as low as the present wholesale prices.

J. C. MACKLIN & CO. Guelph, Dec. 9 1871

New Goods for the Holidays AT JOHN R. PORTE'S

Fine Gold Sets Brooch and (Ear-rings) Fine Gold Necklets; Brooches, Earrings, Guards, Alberts; Lockets, Finger Rings, Studs, Cuff Buttons

GOLD PLATED JEWELLERY Silver Thimbles, Tea Spoons, Chains, ELECTRO-PLATED WARE

RODGER'S TABLE CUTLERY Remember the name and place— JOHN R. PORTE, Wynham-Street, Guelph.

CHRISTMAS GOODS. Fine new London Layers Fine new Valencia Raisins Fine new Seedless Raisins

Choice New Currants Choice New Figs Lemon, Orange and Citron Peels A Splendid assortment of WINES and LIQUORS selected Especially for the Holidays, at No. 2, DAY'S BLOCK. J. E. McELDERRY, (Successor to E. Carroll & Co.) No. 2, DAY'S BLOCK.

NEW GROCERY STORE

Next to Petrie's Drug Store. SCROGGIE & NEWTON

Groceries, Glass, Crockery and Earthenware WINE AND LIQUORS, &c

CHOICE TEAS, comprising all the favorite brands NEW FRUITS TOBACCO, smoking and chewing. WINES AND LIQUORS.—The finest Port and Sherry Wines, Brandy, Rum, Gin, Ale and Porter. The finest Rye, Malt and Toddy Whiskies.

Direct Importations! JAMES CORMACK No. 1, Wynham-st.

English and Canadian Woolens

Ready-made Clothing AND FURNISHING GOODS.

JAMES CORMACK, Guelph, Oct 1, 1871

BUY AT THORP'S LIVERY STABLE

JOHN M. BOND & Co GUELPH, Ont

Thorp's Livery Stable STILL IN OPERATION AT THE OLD STAND

FIRST-CLASS HORSES and RIGS can be had at all hours, by applying at THE STABLE

OPPOSITE THE GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY STATION JAMES A. THORP, Guelph, April 5th, 1871.

FOR DISPEPSIA, DEBILITY, DROPSY, AN IRON TONIC, PERUVIAN SYRUP

Guelph Lumber Yard WE, the undersigned, beg to inform the inhabitants of Guelph and surrounding country that we have purchased the stock in trade of the Guelph Lumber Yard,

UPPER WYNDHAM-ST. LUMBER Lath, Shingles, Waterlime, AND— Flour and Feed as usual

COAL, COAL MURTON & REID, Ontario COAL YARDS,

COAL of all sizes. Egg, Stone, and Chestnut in first-rate condition, clean and dry.

MONEY! MONEY! MONEY! TO LEND, at reasonable rates, on security of real property, in sums to suit borrowers.

TO FARMERS AND OTHERS. GUELPH Agricultural Implement Works

Door, Sash and Blind Factory, AND PLANING MILL NELSON CRESCENT, GUELPH.

LEVI COSSITT The Paris Straw Cutter For hand or horse power, uncrushed by any in the Dominion;

The Little Giant Straw Cutter For hand-power only; Cossitt's Turnip Cutter Cossitt's Double Improved Canadian Sifter

Doors, Sash, Blinds, Mouldings, Door and Window Frames, Planing, & Planing & Matching WITH DISPATCH—NELSON CRESCENT. Guelph, Sept 23, 1871

RAYMOND'S SEWING MACHINES Family Sewing Machine, (single thread) Hand Lock Stitch (double thread) No 1 Foot Power do No 2 for heavy work

WILLIAM BROWNLOW Undertaker GUELPH

FOR Eave Troughs, etc. Cast Iron Sinks, Iron Well and Cister Pumps, Lead and Iron Pipes,

At Howard's Where you can get the Best Value for your Money be had in Guelph.

MONTREAL OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY CANADIAN LINE FOR LIVERPOOL

QUEBEC TO LIVERPOOL. Through Passage Tickets, Return Ticket European Pre-paid Passage Certificates issued lowest rates.

CASH FOR WOOL Hides Sheep Skins, Calfskins and Wool Pickings.

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Guelph, Nov 8, 1871