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GUELPH, ONT., CANADA, TUESDAY EVENING, JUNE 9, 1874.

Business Cards.

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R. OLIVER, Barrister, Attorney, Solicit Notary Public, etc. Office-Corner of Wyndham & Queb Guelph. A.H. MACDONALD,

BARRISTER AT LAW. -Corner of Wyndham and Que

Guelph, June 3, 1874. d&wt EMON, PETERSON & McLEAN.

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Four first-class Joiners wanted.

WITH FIVE STOPS.

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(M.D., Edinburgh, and M.R.C.S., England) naving assisted Dr. Glarke in his Practice luring the last tyelve montas, has now commenced Practice on his own account at the house formerly occupied by Dr. Herod, Jushee Stract East, Guelph, Guelph, May 27, 1574. dw3m

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A. LEMON, H. W. PETERSON, K. MACLEAN, County Crown Atty WILLIAM J. PATERSON,

OfficialAssignee for the County of Wellington.

Mice-Opposite Town Hall, Guelph. dw TEPHEN BOULT, Architect, Con-tractor and Buildor. Planing Mill, and very kind of Joinor's Work preparedfor the rade and the public. The Factory is on Quebecstreet, Guelph.

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Opposite the Markes, Guelph. The subscriber begs to notify his friends and the public that he is now proprietor of the above saloen, and hopes by keeping none but first-chassilguors and cigars to receive a share of public patronage. Oysters in their season. First-classac commodation for suppor parties. MDEADY, Proprietor. Guelph, April 7,1574 dly

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In the Queen's Hotel, Guelph, opposite the Market.

Theroom has just been rofitted in spleu-did style, the tables reduced in size, and everything done to make it a first-class Billiard Hall. Gualph. Nov.3rd,1873.

HOTEL CARD. The Right Man in the Right Place.

The regist man in the Right Place. The register of the Crown Hotel' begate inform the travelling public that he nas acquired possession of the Victoria Hotel, next dour to the post office, where he hopes by courtesy, attention and good accommodation to merit a fair share of public patronage, both from old and new friends. Tabless of Liquers, Wines, Cigars, & ... constantly on hand. A good hostleral-waysin, atten lance. Rememberhe spot-met door to the post office. THOMAS WARD Proprietor. Gentph, Dec.11 1872.

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OPPOSITE THE MARKET, GUELPH. First-class accommodation for travellers. Commodious stabling and an attentive

hostler. "The best Liquors and Gigars at the bar. He has just fitted up a room where Oys-ers will be served up at all hours, in the favorite styles. Pickled Sulmon Loostors and Sardines.

New Advertisements. OUSE TO LET-To let, a dwelling house near the Great Western Sta-ion, 5 rooms. Apply to John McCrea, Era-mis-diff. TUESDAY EVENING, JUNE 9, 1874. **Town and County News** HOUR EXPERIENCED DRESS. FOR MANITOBA.—Messrs. James Morri-on, of Guelph, and Stephen Nairn tockwood, left town on Saturday on s isit to Manitoba.

ERS wanted immediately at the ble West End. Apply to Miss A. O. BUCHAM, 30-dtf

WANTED-A smart active girl, about 14 years of age, to take care of a baby, and make herself generally useful. Apply at J. Anderson's bookstore iddt WANTED-By an elderly lady, two unfurnished rooms, with a quiet family. Address X. Y. Z., Post Office, Gueiph. jollw

COUNTERS AND SHELVING - In the store lately occupied by E. O'Don-nell & Co. for sale cheap. Appip to JOHN A. WOOD. Guelph, June 8, 1874 - 24 The subscriber has on hand a number of boats to let by the hour or day. Apply at the boat house above the Dundas Bridge. P. KRIBS.

WILL BE SOLD CHEAP FOR CASH

One is as good as New. We have also on hand a number of new Pianos of the best makers, being agents for some of the best Canadian and American Manufacturers. W. BELL & CO. Guelph, June 9, 1874. d6w

SPLENDID CHANCE FOR INVEST on last evening, were the following sion last evening, were the following items :-David Allan, property in West Ward reduced by \$280; George J Grange assessment on barn reduced by \$200,lots 129, 130, and 131 placed on non-resident roll, and lot 166 assessed to Thomas Coleman, Benjamin Fairley, lot No. 9; Ontario street, put on non-resident roll; Thos. H. Lynch entered as tenant for Jot 392 Eases street; Martin Deady ass-essed for Dominion saloon, James H. Spears assessed for lots 34 and 35, Wool-wich street, St. Andrew's Glebe; John Hower and sons, income reduced from §1200 to⁶ \$400; George Bookless and Thomas Gaylor assessed for Royal Hotel. The Court adjourned till Friday, 19th June; at 7.30 p. m. The very desirable property situated on Paisloy street, near the Western Station, consisting of White Brick two storey dwel-ling house, with four bedrooms, front and back parlor, dining toom and kitchen, with large soft water cistern, also two large dry cellars. The land comprises two-fifths of an acre, well stocked with fruitteres in full bearing. Forterms, etc., apply to D.SAVAGE, Guelph, March 27th 1874.

Guelyh Evening Mercury Local and Other Items. BY TELEGRAPH TO THE MERCURY THE report that Mr. Desbarats, late publisher of the Canadian Illustrated News, had been placed in the Lunatic Asylum in consequence of his recent failure in business, is without founda-

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McArthur has been arcested on a charge first article of the Bill utroduced in May, of forgery, it being believed that this 1873, providing that the Government charge brought by him against Taylor, was for the purpose of screening himself from the charge hanging over him for some time past.

W. M. FOSTER, U.J.D.; urgeon Dentist, Guelph. President-Co'. A.C. De L. Harwood, D.A.G. Vice President-Win. Angus, Esq. Managing Direc or and Secretary — Ed. H. Goff, Fsq. Inspector James H. Smith Co's. Drug This Company has been or ne express purpose of insurin The company has been organized for he express purpose of insuring Farm Pro-erty and Private Residences, and it is the etermination of its Directors to confine its portations strictly to 'his class of business, has avoiding heavy losses from sweeping uses and heavedow vides. indly permitted to Dra Keating, Cowan, and Methes and hazardous risks. An arrangement has been completed by rhigh this Company takes over the Care Company takes over the Cam-is and lienewals of the Agricul-ance Company of Watertown, at once places the Company in of a large and profitable busi-R. Campbell, L.D.S. Having recovered from his recent illness, is again prepared to attend to the wants of all office at the old stand, Wyndham street. Guelph, June 5th, 1874. dwim UVESLEY MARSTON. ph, April 23rd, 1874 dw THOS. WORSWICK MANUFACTURER OF MACHINISTS' TOOLS Complete, with bestmodernattachments. Job Work of all Kinds. STEAM ENGINES Shop on Tarmout's street, opposite Nelson Of a superior class, with variable cut off. Also cheap Portable in 1 Stationary Engines. rinting O.flass, and others requiring shall Jobbing will Receive Careful NOTICE. Attention. THOS WORSWICK Guelph. Ont. d& wiv Dec' 17, 1873 RICHARD AINLEY, Nelson Crescent, Guelph; Has been adpointed by the Hudson River Wire Countany an accent for their new BRADED WHITE WIRE CLOPHESSIAN. Clothes reals for putting the wire on furnish-ed also at reasonable rates. Gachph, March 3, 1874. wiy

Earl of Yarborough Missing The Catholic Cause in Ireland Death from a Mine Explosion

she had associated and worked of an was arrested at the instigation of a ped- night by Lewis Swift, of this city. It is esteemed friend. Besides her compan- dler named A. D. McArthur. The charge near the camel leopard's breast, is quite

esteemed friend. Besides her compan-ions in labor, the members of her class in the Primitive Methodist Sabbath School accompanied the hearse on toot, the whole forming a large cortege. Court or REVISION.—Among the prin-cipal business done at the Court of Revi-sion last evening, wore the following Market Ma

PRICE TWO CENTS

Board of Education.

The Board held its ordinary meeting n Monday evening. Present, Messrs. Sell, Marton, Inglis, Keating, Newton nd Harvey. Mr. Knowles in the chair. Mr. Newton acted as secretary pro-m., and read the following

FINANCIAL ESTIMATE FOR 1874.

A Trip to the Maritime Provinces. On Monday evening the Rev. W. S. Ball sentatives and the President of the Republic. If the Committee rejects the article, the Left Centre will move in

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A construction of the accessing himself.</l THORP'S HOTEL, GUELPH – Re moleliet and novig furmisicel, Good accommodation for commonstil travellers. Free omnities to and from ultravellers. First-cia, Licry in connection. had quarters at Fors and men 250 horses with have benefiting of the Fores and men 250 horses with have benefits of the Fores for one year on the Plains, and stores and mer benefits of the Fores for one year on the Plains, and stores taken on at Detroit. To additional horses taken on at Detroit. To additional horses taken on at Detroit. To appearance the man was between 35 and 40 years old, and was farly that he was insting and the braits exposed. Salem, June 91. To appearance the man was between 35 and 40 years old, and was farly that he was not killed by the train, but that he had either committed suide of the received. Upon examination it is thought that he was not killed by the train, but that he had either committed suide of befores. The bolt of the was discharged. Same Att on the train of the Court of the train. Att on the train the doese train. Att on the train. Att on the train. Att on The set of the marked compared to the set of the Layor Ast on the set of the set of the set of the Layor Ast on the set of the set of

The Mission to British Co-lumbia.

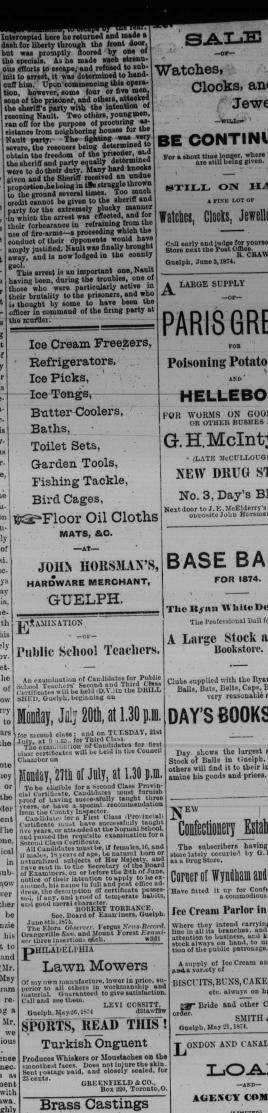
It seems to us, after reading the correspondence relating to Mr. Edgar's mission to British Columbia, that the Government of that Pro-vince pursued a course which does not redound to their credit, and will not raise them in the estimation of the people of the Dominion. More than that, they acted discourteously toward the Dominion Government and to Mr. Edgar, their duly accre-

coast with a letter from the Premier, in which it was stated that he was specially sent out to confer with the Local Government on questions late-ly agitating the public mind in that Province, and particularly to ascertain their views on the construction of the Pacific Railway. The Premier informs the Attorney-General that one of the members of the Govern-

mission but for the early assembling of Parliament. He also assures that gentleman that it is the desire of the Government to act not only justly but generously towards their Province, but that both Governments " should act with a reasonable appreciation of difficulties which are unvoidable, and devise means to over me or remove them." To this end he says the Government resolved on sending Mr. Edgar out as their agent, in preference to entering on a lengthened, and it might be, unsatisfactory correspondence.

Provincial Government for particu-Government in regard to the construction of the railway, and a reply by telegraph from the Secretary of State at Ottawa, that it was impossi. ble to commence with the construction of the road until the surveys were completed. On the same day Mr. Edgar, who was then in Victoria sent a long letter to Attorney-General Walkem, explaining at length the policy of the Government in this matter, and showing conclusively that it was impossible for the Gov ernment to adhere to the strict lettes of the terms as laid down in the Union Act for the construction of the road, but that in order to show their sincerity and desire to carry out it's spirit, they were willing to spend a million and a half dollars every year in the Province for the

The Local Government in a note cannot confer with him officially, or discuss the proposals made, for the reason that they did not consider him properly accredited as the Agent of the Dominion Government. The excuse seems to us a very flimsy one, and made on the merest technical ground. The Lieut. Governor in order to get more light on the subject telegraphs to Ottawa to know whether Mr. Edgar is fully empower ed to act as their agent, and whether propositions made by him will be considered binding. Mr. Mackenzie in reply refers the Governor to his letter which Mr. Edgar took out to Attorney-General Walkem, and moreover informs him that he (Mr. Edgar) was on that date_20th May -recalled. A subsequent telegram came from the Lieut. Governor repeating the questions, and asking a more definite answer, which Mr.







the agent of Ramsdell's Patent Wood Gas Company. It is stated that by this new process a cord of basswood will produc 22,000 cubic fect of gas, while according to the old process a ton of coal gives only about 10,000 feet. There are no expensive purifying processes required,

be worth more than the wood consumed The gas is said to be purer than coalgas, and produces a more brilliant light. It is proposed to organize a joint stock company for the purpose of supplying the town of Collingwood with gas. The cost of retorts and say 6,000 ft. of main pipe is estimated at less than \$10,000. THE MENNONITES.-Mr. Hespeler has

eived a letter from Hamburg inform ing him that of forty-five families that had started for this country, twenty eight have been induced to abandon their original intention and go to the United States. The Northern Pasific P-4 The Northern Pacific Railway have an agent stationed at that port, who was instrumental in bringing this about, by his stories of misrepresentation about Canada. The Dawson Road was one of the bug bears which he held up, setting forth that while a strong man might get through alive, women and children scarcely could. We understand that

