## GUELPH, ONT., CANADA, THURSDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 3, 1874.

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### Business Cards.

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Guelph, Oct.10, 1874 NDERSON'S DOMINION SALOON

The undersigned begs to inform the Public that he has leased the above Saloon, oppo site the Market House. ng experience in bu hopes to merit a share of the trade. Meals at all hours. Oyster and game sap pers got up on short netice. dc3dtf H. M. ANDERSON. and game sup

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

Notice of DISSOLUTION. Notice is he eby gives that the partner-ship lately subsisting between John W. Kli-gorr and Thomas M. Till, both of the Village till, expired on the Subt of Norember, by mutual consent. All abbs owing to the said partnership are to be presented to him for payment. JOHN W. KLIGOUR, Witness (ECO. WORT? Dated at Hillsburg, this first day of De-ember, A.D. 1874. (EdSWat N.B.-Parties indebted to late firm, either by note or book account, will please call and settle before 1st day of January next.

**CRAWFORD'S** Jewellery Stock is SELLING OFF **QUICK.** Parties wishing Watches, Clocks, or Jewellery, will save money by

## calling at his Store, next the Post Office.

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MAGAZINES and all kinds of books b plain and fancy styles, at CHAPMAN'S BINDERY, ARGES MODERATE. CALL AND SEE. or Mr. Hacking's Printing Office, d&m St. George's Square, Guelph.

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## New Livery Stable. JOHN & R. EWING

teg to notify the public of Guelph that ney have opened a new Livery Stable in. hory's old Stand, and have furnished it ith a first-class Stock of Horses and Car-ages, and are propared to furnish rigs on ne shortest notice. Everything first-class, bey trust by strict atts attion to business to crift a share of the public patronage. Cabs in connection. Cabs in connection. Guelph, Nov. 4, 1874.

WILL OPEN

\$2 and costs. d4w

At the regular meeting of Prince Ar-thur L. O. L., No. 1331, held on Tuesday or the ensuing year :-New Art Gallery

Weilington County Counci Dec. 2nd. The Council met at 3 p.m. The War

THURSDAY EVG, DEC. 5, 1874. Thursday and County News, LUTTER. M. P. Hanson, we under-stand, declines being a candidate for municipal honors next year. SUPPER TO-NIGHT. M. James Parker will entertain the County Council, the SUPPER TO-NIGHT. M. James Parker will entertain the County Council, the to we council, and members of the Press, at an oyster and tripe supper to-night at his hold. COMING. — ThelAgnes Wallace Troupe will be in Guelph on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 7th, 5th and 9th. STEREDOSOUPO. — We are obliged to Mr. The agant is now in town making at rangements, of which due notice will bg given. STEREDOSOUPO. — We are obliged to Mr. The artist is Mr. Esson of Preston. Mr. Anderson has a number of these views for sale at a low figure. POISONED WITH MATCHES. — A liftle git nearly 3 years old, daughter of Hegrin Soon after eating the puison, she became very sick, and vominde freely, and it was hoped that the danger of a fatal result was over. But on Wednesday afterncon she took a fit, and died in a few minutes Presons. — We understand that Mr. Wm. Young has returned from Fort

can get hold of them. PERSONAL.—We understand that Mr. Wm. Young has returned from Fort Garry where he has been stationed. He is a member of the Wellington Field Bat shortly after he succeeded in taking off a first-class certificate from the Kingston School of Gunnery, he enlisted in tho Dominion Artillery. He rose steadily in the ranks, and waen he left Fort Garry, was a sergeant in the above named corps. Should Mr. Young stay near or in Gulph and re-ume his duties in connection with the W. F. B., he will be a valuable ac-cession to<sup>\*</sup>.t. Y. M C. A.—The first monthly busi-

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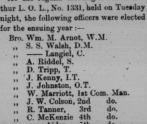
ess meeting of this Association unde he new constitution takes place to-night the new constitution takes place to-nigl This constitution requires the Execution Committee to report monthly, and the report embodies all the reports of the chairmen of standing Committees, their report will give the members and others an idea of what the Association doing. In this connection we work mention that the subject for debate the Literary Class to-morrow evening "Resolved that the Miser is less adva-tageous to Society than the Profligate Let the members turn out well to-night and all who can, whether members not, to-morrow evening.

POLICE COURT.

(1 efore the Police Magistrate. Dec. 3. Alex. McDougall was charged by P. C. Turner with being drunk on Woolwich

street. Fined \$1 and costs. I. Ingles was charged by P.C. Dooley with being drank and disorderly. Fined

L. O. L. Guelph,



\$109,122 The County Debt during the year has lecreased \$55,250. The report was referred to the Finance lommittee. The Warden read communications from lev. George Smalling

The Warden read communications from Rev. George Smellie, Fergus, and from Rev. A. D. Macdonald, Elora, referring to services rendered as examiners at the July Examination of School Teachers ; also one from Rev. J. Kilgour in refer-suce to school matters. These were referred to the Education Committee.

Committee. A petition was presented from Arthu Village Council, asking to be allowed add certain lots to the corporation, order that it may contain the require number of acres. order that it may con-number of acres. Moved by Mr. Hollinger, seconded by Mr. Dawson, that the County Solicitor be instructed to draft a By-law in ac cordance with the petition, provided h-cordance with the petition, provided h-

nd the same in tute.—Carried. The report of the Comm he Gravel Road running t

Britain refuses to take part in Terrible disaster at sea.

## Great loss of life.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE MERCURY

Dr. Kenealy.

## Tee Jersey City Scandal.

LONDON, Dec. 3 .- The Lord High Chan llor, Lord Cairns, has removed the ame of Dr. Kenealy from the list of neen's Counsel.

A special despatch to the Daily News from Berlin, says it is reported there that Great Britain has formally and finally refused to take part in the Interna-tional Law Conference which Rassis pro-posed to re-open at St. Petersburg. The steamer La Plata, from Gravesend for Rio Grande, chartered by the Siemens Bros., to repair the telegraph cable, foundered off Ushant on the 29th of Nov. Sixty persons were drowned. Fourtee survivors were rescued by the Gareloch of lasgow, from a bost in which they had een floating 23 hours and were transferred to the steamer Anteror, which arrived in the Thames last night. The loss of the steamer is attributed to the shiftingof the heavygrappling apparatus. Of 250 miles of telegraph cable on board 150 had been paid out which had to be

abandoned in the unavailing attempt to ave the vessel by lightening. The cap tain, surgeon, three officers, engineer, seven stewards and cooks, eleven stokers, fourteen sesmen, and the whole tof cable staff, numbering 16, including Mr. Ricketts, the chief electrician, were

drowned. The chief steward who was saved reports that the fires were all out by 10 o'clock on the morning of the 29th. A heavy sea carried away two of the boats. The ship gradually settled by the stern and at 12:30 foundered stern first. The Captain and to record foundered stern first. The Captain and Doctor were on the bridges and having failed to clear the patent life rafts, went down with the crew. The decks burst as the steamer sank.

NEW YORE, Dec. 2 .- The case of the Rev. Jchn S. Glendenning, before the Jersey City Presbytery, concluded to-day, resulting in a verdict of acquittal on all the counts.

### Marshall's Photograph Gallery.

Mr. W. Marshall has just taken ossession of his newly fitted up Photoraph Gallery, next to Mr. Hogg's store the Alma Block. In all re whether we regard its cheerful appear nce, the taste and neatness displayed in fitting it up, its elegance and convenince-it is equal to any of the first establishments in the cities. On the main floor we have a well lighted and com-

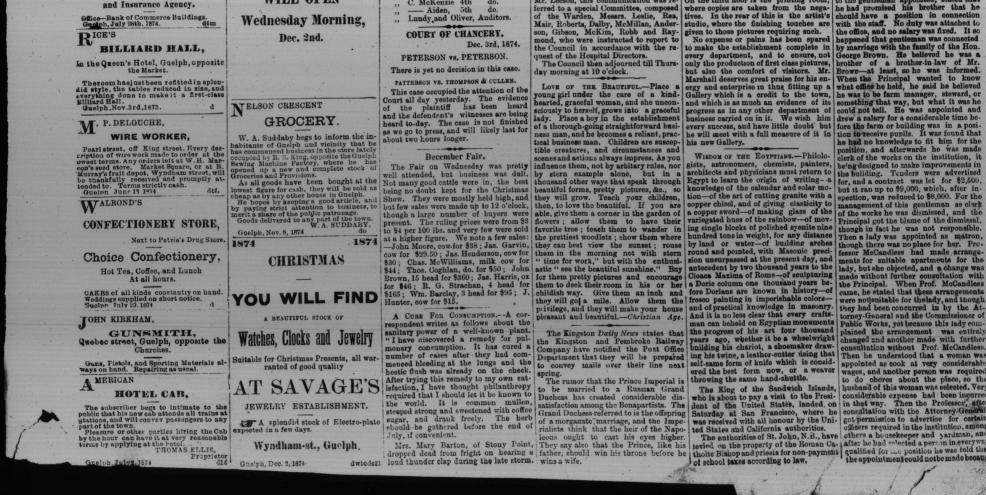
PRICE TWO CENTS

Ontario Legislature.

THE AGRICULTURAL COLLEG had the Pr nerpal and h nents in the Agric lph, and much bad ferent departments in the Agriculturat College at Guelph, and much bad feeling had in consequence spring up. A Com-mittee, comprising the Hon. Mr. Christie, the Hon. Mr. McKellar, Prof. MoLellan, and Mr. James Laidlaw, Warden of the County, decided to hear and take down the statement of the Principal first, and then to take the evidence of the heads of the Departments and of the pupile-which statement and evidence were car-fully reported, and at the close of their long and patient investigation the Com-mitte, submitted them to the Govern-ment, the consequence was that the Gov-ernment requested the Principal to hand in his resignation, which was dome; and whereas the irregularities in the said in-stitution have tended much to impair its past usefulness and to retard its progress; and whereas the Hon. Archibiald McKel-lar, in his place in this Honse, on being asked by a member in his place to cer-tain information, suggested that a Com-mittee of this House should be appointed to make enquiry into the management of the same musitution; therefora, be it re-solved, that a Committee be appointed, composed of Messrs. Boilton, Scott (Peterborough), Clarke (Wellington). Hödgine and Boulter, to enquire into the management, and whether any and what at Gu

lter, to er nt, and whether any any, existed, or still es, if any, exis or irregularities introl of the institu arities in the the institution impairing s, and the cause of the d Principal of the said Colle Committee be empowered ns, papers and docume ittee be reported to this House, id that the Agricultural College believed, taken a yer he believed, taken a very consi-hold of the people of this countr it was very desirable to see that administered satisfactorily, and thing which affected t Fore anything which affected the working and management of that in intion had its interest for the people its country. It was to be regretted coedingly that that institution had be very badly managed in the past. It was at that there had been some reform tion in the present, but that must be ve doubted, if the information which had as to the causes of the disagra-ment among officials and the inefficient of the institution were correct. That if formation came from a source which I believed to be available

hat are so the category of the institution were correct. That in-formation came from a source which he believed to be reliable. When this in-stitution was first established of course it was within the recollection of hon. gentlemen that it was designed to be at Mimico, but it was removed to Guelph for reasons which never appeared to be satisfactory to gentlemen on his side of the House or, he believed, to many gen-tlemen on the other. A considerable sum had been expended for the manage-ment of the institution, improvements had been made in the building, of the grounds, and in the salarise of the off-cials, and yet there were no results to be seen. He understood that the Govarn-ment were exceedingly anxious in their selection of the first Frincipal for the in-stitution. They had manifested a care which was commendable, a care for which they were entitled to very great eredit. which was commendable, a care to which they were entitled to very great eredit. A gentleman, he believed, came to this country very highly recommended, but they were not satisfied with the testi-monials which he produced in this coun-monials which he produced in this counstatute.—Carried. The report of the Commissiohers on the Gravel Road running through the Township of Minto and Village of Har-riston was read and referred to Commit-tee on County Roads. A petition from S. D. Hurley, sking for pecuniary assistance, he having lost the use of his left eye and being in poor health, consequent upon being shot by Haze last summer. A letter from Dr. Herod in reference to the case was also read. This was on motion referred to the Finance Committee. Mr. Heward read a letter from the Directors of the Guelph General Hospint al, asking the Council to appoint special Committee to inspect the build-ing, for the guepose of seeing if it had progressed sufficiently to receive the grant made by the Council at a former-formed sufficiently to receive the grant made by the Council at a former-formed sufficiently to receive the grant made by the Council at a former-formed sufficiently to receive the grant made by the Council at a former-formed to the require of the points as mers of hotographic area sufficiently to receive the grant made by the Council at a former-formed to the require of the points as for red to a special Communication, where copies are taken from the suffice for the state. Mr. Horos, this communication was re-formed to the oncil to the build-ing for the purpose of seeing if it had and gents' dressing room, and ladies and gents' dressing room, which is fur-session. On motion of Mr. Hood, seconded by Mr. Leeson, this communication was re-forred to a special Communication was re-formed to the second from the resent of the printing room, there communication was re-formed to a special Committee, composed to the result of the resent of the second the the resent of the brank the resent of the resent of the brank the resent of the resent of the brank the resent of the brank the rese



#### Guelph Evening Mercury ner of a local mem-ner of Public Works THURSDAY EV'G, DEC. 3. 1874.

McCandless' Slanders.

through the influence of a local mem-ber, the Commissioner of Public Works had appointed another-person who, ac-cording to the representation of the Pro-fessor, was totally unfit for the position. = Then he was told that another officer was to be appointed. Mr. Skitron, a young man, son of Mr. David Skitron, the representative in the Commons of South Wellington—a person who was entirely unfit for the position. Another gentlemen was appointed for the same position, but it was quite impossible for two men to discharge the duties when there was not work for either. Another commissioner of Public Works addressed latter to Professor McCandless repre-senting to him that a must mike the work as il in as possible for Mr. Stir-tuon that students were permitted to get intoxicated and come into the insti-tution at all hours of the insti-tution at all hours of the sidents, momale no report to her yindrikes in-regularities on the part of the students, no made no report to the Principal. Tho Principal had been appointed to make an investigation. That Government, but shough the Attorney-General felt dis-posed to listen to these complaints, he found that his colleagues were not. A Commission had been appointed to make an investigation. That Commission, in-stand ot aling evidence in the ordinary way, had examined the witnesses whi ad complaints against the Principal, in in the absonce of the genterm, and so with evidence against other officials. The Professor was not yet aware what eharges against him. The Commission had, he (Prof. McCandless) stated that he comert and he and hear led to believe that the report was favorable to hum, and he was requested to resin. But be-most and he had hear led to believe that the report was favorable to hum, but as arequested to resin. But be-mas and he had hear led to believe that the report was favorable to hum but was that they had turned against him, at the was requested to resin. But be-

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## Knowing as much as we do of the agement of the Agricultural College and Model Farm, we have no sitation in saying that McCandle letter, a copy of which he furnished to the leader of the Opposition, is crammed full of misrepresentation and falsehoods, which the Committee appointed by the House will find out in due time. The *Globe* in speak. ing of it says very justly that

ing of it says very justly that "no gentleman would have read it in a deliberative assembly, and no gentleman would have published it in a newspaper. This remark is founded on the portion of the letter referring to the matron. If the statements in that portion of the letter were as true as they are false, no man of decent conceptions of conduct would have given them publicity. But false as they are, and are known to be by the clever fellows who think that they will earn the confidence in the small-est matters of private life, no words could be too strong to characterize the policy of the four men who do not shrink from making public any meanness of mendacity, any foulness of defamation, which exhales from the disappointed, poisonons purlieus of their own corrupt heart." The Matron referred to, who is

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## Ontario Legislature.

## NEW KID GLOVES.

## A. O. BUCHAM

Begs to intimate to the Ladies of Guelph that he has just opened a large and fashionable stock of NEW KID GLOVES im norted direct for our own trade, and invites attention to the following list :

Ladies' White Kids, Single Button, in every size, at 50 cents per pair. Ladies' White Kids, Double Button, in every size, 75 cents per pair. Ladies' White Kids, Four Buttons, in every size, 81 per pair. Ladies' Lavender Kids, Single Button, in every size, 60 cents per pair. Ladies' Lavender Kids, Double Button, in every size, 75 cents per pair. Ladies' Lavender Kids, Three Buttons, in every size, 81 per pair. Ladies' Light Evening Shades, Double Button, in every size, 81 per pair. Ladies' Black, Mid and Dark Shades, Best Rouillon Kids, warranted first quality, in every size, \$1.10 per pair.

- Ladies' Black, Mid and park shades intervalues, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6.
  Misses' White Kids, Single Button, in Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6.
  Misses' Light Evening Shades, Single Button, in Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6.
  Misses' Light Evening Shades, Single Button, in Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6.
  Misses' Light Evening Shades and Black, in every size.
  Gents' White Kids, in the following sizes, \$1 per pair: ---71, 73, 8, 84, 85, 83 and 9.
  Gents' Lavender Kids, in the same sizes.
  Gents' Mid and Dark Shades and Black, in every size, first qualities.

We also invite attention to our stock of Evening Flowers, Lace Handkerchiefs, Lace Sashes, Lace Vests, Lace Pelerines, Lace Ties, Sash Ribbons, Promenade Scarfs, Shetland and German Wool Shawls and Squares for evening wear, White and Colored Tarlatans, Grenadines, Silks, etc.

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Coal Scittles. Vascs and Pardonians. Fire Irons and Stands. Skates, Sleighs for Boys and Girls. Snow Shovels, Sleigh Bells. English Whips, Bird Cages. Also a large assortment of

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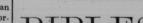
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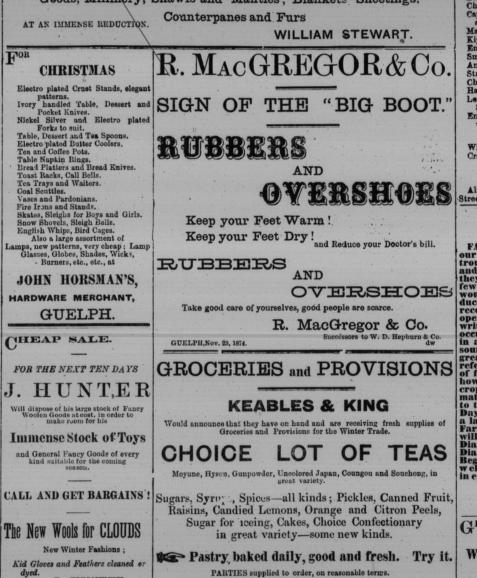
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Hand Lamps, Table Lamps,

Pendent Lamps, Bracket Lamps, OF NEAT DESIGNS AND

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Wyndham Street, Guelph.

Guelph, Nov. 16, 1874 ob

NEW GOODS

The following invoice of Goods has just cen received from the Celebrated Estab-shment of Crosse & Blackwell, of London, nd as it comprises goods such as are ned rought to Guelph by any other house you re invited to inspect them :--

Wax Moons for Carriage Lamps, Night-lights, 6 and 8 hours, Cadbury's Cocoa Essence, Raspberry and Strawberry Jam, Raspberry Nucear, Calresfoot Jelly, Lemon, Madeira, and Vanila Jelly China Preserved Ginger, Capt. White's West India Pickle, and Curry Paste, Mang Relish, Pickled Onions, Kippered Herrings, English Yarmouth Bloaters, Smoked Cods, Roes, Anchovy and Bloater Paste, Strasburg Meats, Potted Ham, Chicken and Game, Harvey's Sauce, Les & Perrin's Worcestershire Sauce,

Sauce, English Malt Vinegar, and Anchovy Sauce.

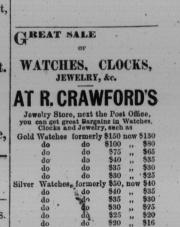
ALSO,

White Clover Honey, in Comb, Cranberries from Lake Superior,

AT JOHN A.WOODS,

Alma Block and Lower Wyndham Street, Guelph. 012-do.

FARMERS' DIARIES. — If our farmers knew how little trouble it is to keep a diary, and with what satisfaction they would look over it in a few years, we feel sure they would, many of them, be in-duced to begin one. A simple cecord of the weather and the operations of the farm, the writing of which would not occupy two minutes a day, will, in after years, be not only a source of pleasure, but also of great practical benefit; by reference back to the record of former years, one can see how late he planted certain crops, and at what time they matured, also items of Interest to the family prices, &c. At Pay's Bookstore will be found a large stock of Diaries and Farm Account Books. Day will sell you a large foolscap Diary for 35 cents, and Pockets Begin pow, and it will pay you well for the few minutes'lost in entering your day's work.



Elora Correspondence. The Fair in Elora on Tuesday hat was not a very large one, and most of the cittle brought in were not very fat. Anything like beef was quickly bought up, and considerable trading was done between farmers for cattle that wanted feeding. Several yokes of oxen were on the ground, selling af from \$00 to \$110. Some few horses were offered for sale. A large quantity of wood was brought in, selling at from \$32 to \$3.25 per cord. More grain was on the ground than any day this fall before, selling af from \$00. to \$5c, to spring, and \$5c, to 95c, for fail. Barley sold at \$1 to \$1.05. It was a good fair taken altogether, but there is no doubt many fat cattle ary blace on the 15th inst. We have good alto fing, and business is much better than it has been this fall. A Masonic social will be held on Wed-he slay evening Dec. 9.

many a day. HENTELET & MECHANICS' INSTITUTE.-Mr., A. J. Brewster, Principal of the Hespeler school, assisted by Mr. Conaway, has organized evening classes in connection with the Mechanics' Institute, which p.omise to be largely attended.

ANDERSON'S BOOKSTORE, East Side Wyndham Street, GUELPH.

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Wyndham Street, Guelph.

Family and Pastry Flour, and all kinds of Feed delivered in any part of the Town. R. W. ROBERTSON, Goelph. Sept. 1, 1874. dtf

REMOVAL. The undersigned have removed to more commodious offices, over the Bank of commerce. Money to Lend. MacMILLAN & O'CONNOR.

FOR SALE — A splendid chance for a Market Garden. Brick house and five acres land, 5 miles (rom town. Apply to R. W. Robertson. Flour and FeedStore, Guelph

& PERRIN'S WORCESTER SAUCE. HARVEY'S SAUCE. READING SAUCE. MUSHROOM CATSUP. BEEFSTEAK SAUCE. CALF'S FOOT JELLY. CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S JAMS AND JELLIE S POTTED MEATS (all kinds.) ANCHOVY PASTE. DUTCH ANCHOVIES. ENGLISH MALT VINEGAR. Cranberries, Finnan Haddies, Bloaters, Fresh Oysters, &c. EXTRA VALUE IN TEAS AND SUGARS. INSPECTION INVITED. LOCH & WEIR, McQuillan's Block, Upper Wyndham Street GUELPH, Nov. 26, 1874

New Havana Oranges, Malaga Lemons, Malaga Grapes, Cocoanuts, 100 brls Choice Winter Apples. The Best Oysters in Canada CANNED OR IN SHELL WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. HUGH WALKER.

Guelph, Nov. 17th, 1(7)

Wyndham-st., Guelph.

\$20 ,, \$16 \$18 ,, \$14 \$12 ,, \$10 do R. C. finds that bis time is too much divided between his Factory and Store, and he has resolved to go out of the store by the new year. He has determined to sell his valuable stock at such prices as will effect an entire clearance. Coall and examine for yourselves. Money Charles and the set of the store of the store of the set Store next the Post Office, Guelph. Oct. 31, 1874. dw HOR SALE\_ TYRCATHLEN LOTS.

The Venerable Archdeacon Palmer has placed in my hands for sale the Lots in his new survey, immediately in rear of his resi-dence and lying on the north side of Grange street. The situation cannot be surpasses in the town-course beaution of the surpasses of the two-course of the surpasses of the situation of afferent sizes, and well suited for private dwellings, with a first-class soil for gardening. Theose lots on Tyroathlen Terrace are well adapted for genteel residences, (and will only besold to those who will bargs in to put up good buildings. Them of the Lots can be seen at my office and particulars learned. Terms very liberal. Purchases made this Sall, interest on balance of purchases more, will not commence until let April. If deside the lots will be pointed out on

money will not commence until its april next. If desired, the lots will be pointed out on the ground. Also, 17 other lots lying to the north of Paimer street, in Macdonald's survey, and on Queen and Arthur streets. An early call is solicited. CHARLES DAVIDSON, Land and General Agent, Town Hall Building, Gnelph. Guelph, Aug. 31 1874



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THE BRIDE'S SACRIFICE.

CHAPTER VIII.

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was her usual way of winding up an ad-dress. "Annt Ben," said Jessie, "lot me go." "You! Are you crazy? How are you goin't og o?" "Mr. Clinton is gong over to Craig's End this evening, and he wanted me to go with him," said Jessie, turning away to hide a rising blush. "I can casily get it there." "So you can," said Mrs. Ben, consider-ing; "but will Mr. Clinton reture carly?" "Yos," said Jessio; he has some slight business to transact, and then he is com-ing immediately home. The sail will be pleasant by moon-light, and I would like to go."

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"Well, go then ; and don't be gone any longer than you can help. Get two poun's of Bohea at M. McPherson's."
"Yes, ma'am," said Jessie, taking the money, and putting on her hat and shaw, in a trembling, aguitated sort of way that at any other time Mrs. Ben must have noticed.
She hurried out, and on her way met Herbert coming up to the house.
"Well, has Mrs. Ben given you permission?" he asked, in pleased surprise. Jessie related her errand,
"The gods favor us I' he eried, gsily." See, Jessie, the sun is approaching the work, and before it dies out of the sky you will be what heaven destined you for —my wife!"
"Mot to be that for an hour is bliss enough to pay for a whole life of misery." is he said, earnesily.
"With my own Jessie! Will I ever be able to repay yon for this greatest earthip blessing that heaven could bestow upon me," he said, fervently.
"The knowledge of your love more than repays me; for I have made no sacrifice," is he said, a low reached the boat, took the care, and rowed away.
But other eyes they dreamed not of wave of the hig character, whill may be sup of the boat, took the sam, and rowed away.
But other eyes they dreamed not of wave of the high chambers of Graham's Lodge, ol Allie-fand her son Evan were taking observations.
"There they gol—off a sailin'. What will Miss Helena say to that?" observations.
"Their sail, for a son as more son and a sond be rowed.
"Goin' out sailin' doesn': signify nothin?. The young gentleman wants somebdy to talk to as he rows."
"Their sail Mr. Clinton would get tired o' one lassie — most young men do —and take up with another, in high duggeon; ''as if any lassie'd look at you, you fool. Mr. Clinton will get hiereff into a horne's nest the letters with the aftections of Miss Helena. I shalt take upon mysel to inform. Miss Helena is the triffee with the aftections of Miss Helena. I

his goings-on as soon as over she arrives. There '' And having settled the matter to her own entire satisfaction, old Allie descen-ded to the kitchen, and soon forgot all sublumary things in the celestial blies of a sound snore before the kitchen fire. Meantime, the erring young pair were swiftly skimming over the bright waters in the direction of Straithmore. The la-bor of rowing precluded the possibility of conversation, and both were silent and thoughtful. Urged on by his intense de-sire of completing what he had so suc-cessfully begun — urged on, perhaps, by F te, the boat seemed fairly to fly over the sparkling, sun-bright waver. Ere the last ray of sunlight had faded from the sky the beat touched the oppo-site shore; and drawing Jessie's arm within his own, Herbert set of rapidly in the direction of the town of Craig's End. And having reached if, he led Jessie in the direction of the lown enderse

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And having reached if, he led Jessie in the direction of a little, obscure church, where he left her to seek for a licence and a chargemen



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Haw and allow them to pass, and thus afford a reasonable prospect of a more abundant supply of venison in time to eone.
TARTIDORS, GROTEE ON PRASANT—It is pretty difficult to say which—for they are all one and the same bird here—seem very plentiful during the now by gone fall, and very few of them have been killed. This facts is, that the ground to be gone over in search of them is very favourable for their secape. They are mostly to be found on the edges of swamps. And although one can hear them fly—whirr—whirr—whirr—they are frequently not seen, and almost always under safe cover before the hunter can bring his gun correctly to cover them. It does not seem to be true that the sound of railway whistles of the railway cars dashing through the bush frightems these birds from the neighbourhood, for they were frequently found during the same quiely sunning themselves in close proximity to the track and in the oarly morning and the track and in the oarly morning and states. Have be and the seen stratting about on the track itself.
BRASE BAND.—An effort is being made for the formation of a band, to be quaranteed. There would have been no difficult which were in procuring subscriptions yeterday afternoon resulted in the promise of over S170, and there is little doubt that the necessary sum will soon be guaranteed. There would have been no difficult whaver in procuring the amount required had it not been for the sum which the subscriptions what the adable scheme—just this once. There are lets of musical talent in the rvillage, as the writer can their is intended to place the proposed new one on a more permanent shall we allowed to proceet of proceets of the struments which the subscriptions the is nech as land the base for the struct and should be scheme—just this once. There are lets of musical talent in the rvillage, as the writer can there is not the track and the members choose to quarrelamong themselves the instruments and all yand gratuitously by a very creditable band of mouth corganiste, some

able band of mouth organists, some half-doezn of times already during the present winter. CONCERT.—A concert in connection with the opening of the Temperance Hall, was given on Monday night. The weather was not very favorable, but the attendance was large—so large that standing room could scarcely be obtain-tained. Excellent speeches were de-livered by the lev. Messrs. Scott, Me-Lennon and others, enunciatory of tem-perance principles. The various picces of music by, and under the guidance of Miss Thompson, were well executed, and duly extelled in other places by num-bers of these who have not litherto given their adhesion to the cause, for the purpose of setting in their minds what they had heard, and the proceed-ings cannot fail to have a lasting impres-tion on the public mind. Proceeds of the chimney tops and higher up. On the ground the snow must be nearly two feet deep—it lies ten inches deep on the top of the fence posts; but there has a web been no real cold weather. THE MARKETS.—The price of wheat romains much the same as last week. For an Saturiay went up to \$7.80 per hundred, but yeaterday it was down to \$7.5. Balely from \$1.03 to \$1.08. Harriston, Dee 1, 1874.

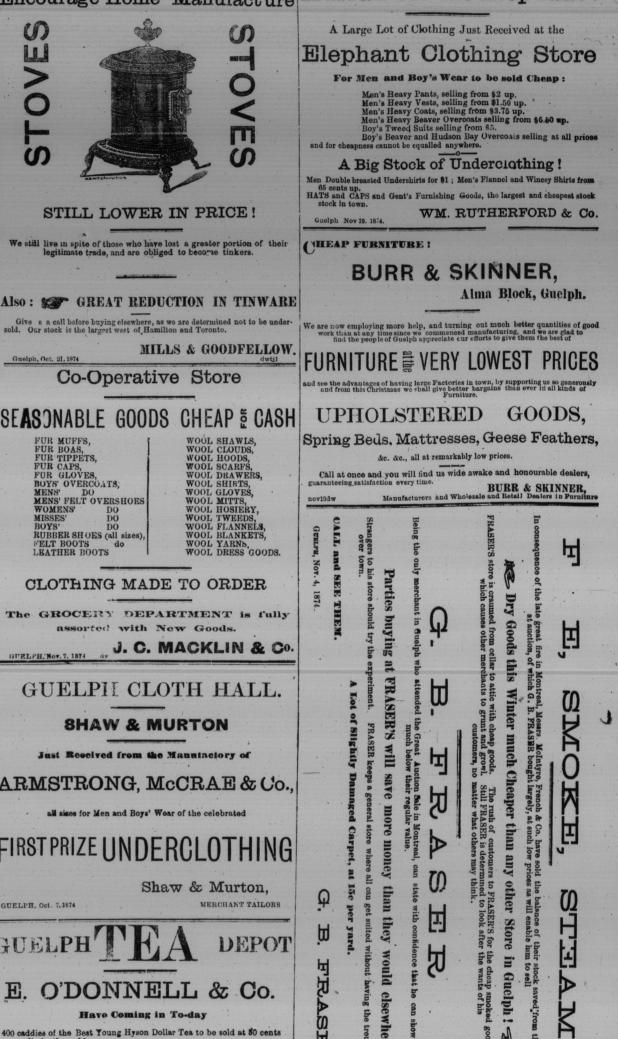
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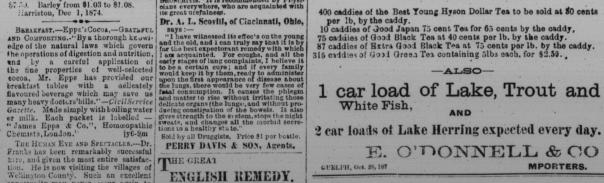
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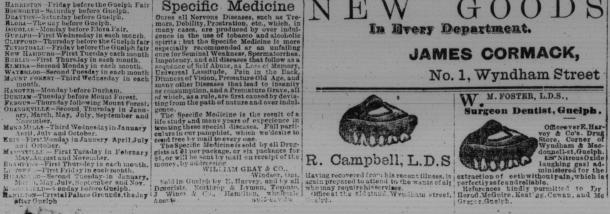
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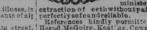


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