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GUELPH, ONT., CANADA, THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 23, 1874.

Suicide

PRICE-TWO CENTS.

Ausiness Cards.

TEPHEN BOULT, Architect, Con-tractor and Builder. Planing Mill, and erykind of Joiner's Work prepared for the The Factory is on verykind of Joiner's W rade and the public. Juebec street, Guelph.

OLIVER & MACDONALD, Barristers and Attorneys-at-Law, Soliitors, Notacles Public, &c. Office-Corne Wyndham and Quebec Streets, up sta Guelph, Ont.

GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN, isters, Attorneys.at-Law, Sol'citors in Chancery, Guelph, Ontaric.

GUTHRIE, J. WATT, W. H. CUTTE, Guelph, March 1, 1871. dw. WILLIAM J. PATERSON,

Official Assignes for the County of Wellington.

Office-Opposite Town Hall, Guelph. dw STURDY,

Touse, Sign, & Ornamental Painter GRAINER AND PAPER-HANGER.

Shop next to the Wellington Hotel. Wynd ham Street.Guelph. f97 dw RICE'S

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

Therooun has just been refitted in splen-did style, the tables reduced in size, and everything done to make it a first-class Billiard Hall. Guelph, Nov. 3rd, 1873.

THORP'S HOTEL, GUELPH — Re-modelled and newly furnished. Good second and the second second second second second second from all trains. First-class Livery in societion. my14 der JAS. A. THORP Proprietor

LIME,

BRICKS AND TILES FOR SALE.

The subscribers are prepared to fur-nish Lime in quantities to suit purchasers at the Kilns on the York Road, Guelph. Alao, constantly on hand first-class Bloks and Tiles, at their residence, Liverpool-st., Guelph. Guelph, March 31, 1874. 3m.

DOMINION SALOON

RESTAURANT,

RESTAUSE Opposite the Market, Guelph. The subscriber best to notify his friends and the public that he is now proprietor of the above saloon, and hopes by keeping non-but first-classify and eigars to receive a share of public patronage. Oysters in their salvon. Pitter. commodation for an DEADY, Proprietor. Auril 7,1574 11y

PARKER'S HOTEL. -DIRECTLY-

OPPOSITE THE MARKET, GUELPH.

First-class accommodation for travellers Commodious stabling and an attentive Commodious statung and an arrow hostier. The bost Liquors and Cigars at the bar. He has just fitted up a room where Oys-ters will be sorved up at all hours, in the favorite styles. Pickled Salmon Lobsters and Sardines.

HOTEL CARD. The Right Man in the Right Place.

Thomas Ward, late of the Crown Hotel' begs to inform the travelling public that he nas acquired possession of the Victoria Hotel, next do r to the nost office, where he hopes by courtesy, attention and good accommodation to merit a fair share of public patronage, both from old and new friends. The base of tiquors, Wines, Cigars, S., constantly on humi. A good hostler al-ways in attachance. Remember the spot-mert door to the post office.

ways in attoa lance. Remember the spot-next door to the post office. THOMAS WARD, Proprietor. Guelph, Dec.11 1872. LEMON, PETERSON & MeLEAN,

Barristors and Attornoys at Law, Solicitors in Chancery, Conveyancers and Notaries Public.

ffices-Brownlow's New Buildings, near the Registry Offices.

| H. W. PETERSON, | County Crown Atty A. LEMON, K. MACLEAN TRON CASTINGS Ofallkinds, made to orderat

CROWE'S IRON WORKS, Norfolk Street, Guelph. TO TN CROWE, Proprietor

CASH FOR WOOL, HIDES, SHEEP SKINS, CALF SKINS, AND WOOL PICKINGS,

The highest market price paid for the above at No. 4, Gordon Street, Day's old Block, Guelph.

SERVANT WANTED - Wanted, a Sinst-class servant. Apply at Anderson' 22-dif SOCIAL.-Remember the social this evening in the Wesleyan church. A good time is expected. W ANTED IMMEDIATELY-By a young lady in town, a private Board ing House. Address M.P.P., Guelph P.O. th W ANTED-Several Cabinet Makers at Burr & Skinner's. Apply at once. Guelph. April 17, 1874. d6t

17-dt

PONY FOR SALE. — Pony for sale. Fouryears old, quiet to ride or drive. Accustomed to children. Apply at this ai7, dtf.

New Advertisements.

WANTED, A GOOD GENERAL SER. vant. Apply to Thos. Dunbar. 3td

WANTED-A Cook. Apply to Mrs. Let

WANTED IMMEDIATELY - An Agent for the Town of Guelph, to sell the Tremont Washer, the best selling Washer in the markat. Apply to G. R. Gilroy, Wellington Hotel. TWO SOFT WATER TANKS FOR sale, lined with lead. Size, 6 ft, x 3 ft. (ft, 6)in; and 6 ft, x 3 ft., depth,

ale, lined with lead. Size, 6 it. 3 f 6in., depth, 4 ft, 6 in.; and 6 it. x 3 ft, depth 4 ft. Apply to Guelph, April 16, 1874. dtf GOOD PLAIN COOK WANTED.

Wanted a respectable woman quali-fied to serve as above. Wages liberal. Washing given out. Apply to Mrs. Palmer, Tyreathlen, Guelph. t-3d

Tyreathien, Guelph. t-3d GUSE TO BENT — Situated on Queen Street, (York Road). Good gar-den, well filled with fruit trees, and barn, House c-ntains 6 rooms, good celler, and every convenience. The party ronting the home can also have two or is a cress of land adjoining, at a moderate rent. Apply to Mrs. H. Giver, in house adjoining the above. Guelph, April 22ad, 1874 dt'.

H. H. FORTIER, Importer of the Choicest Brands of HAVANA CIGARS AND VIRGINIA TOBACCOS,

Meerschaum and Briar Pipes, wholesale AND RETAIL. a22-0d Opposite the Market, Guelph

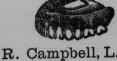
ONTARIO

School of Agriculture. Wanted for this Institution, a good plain ook; also a Laundress and General Ser-

vant. Applications to be made, in the first in-stance, to the housekeeper at the Institu-tion, either personally, or by letter, with copies of testimonials. opies of testimonials. Guelph, April 23rd, 1874 **d**2 A UCTION SALE OF

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE Mr. W. S. G. Knowles has received instruc-tions from Mrs. Petrie to sell by public auc-tion, on

Tuesday Ey'g, 28th April,



at her residence. Arthur street, all her stoads, tables, chairs, stoves, sofa, chiffon-ier, carriets, vhatnot, ba, kitchen utonsiis, and other articles. Terms cash. Sale to Commence at 7 o'clock pm. Guelph, April 23rd, 1874.

only thing we need now is some one to catch the critters and pound them.

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the Amerique's Mate. of The Suez Canal.

The Currency Bill Vetoed.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE MERCURY | Local and Other Items. QUIP is the name of a comic illustrated journal to be published in St. John carly in May.

A VOLUME of poems, essays and ora-tions of the late Hon. Joseph Howe, edited by his son, is being printed by Mr. Lovell, of Montreal.

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 Marce of the French steamship Amerique, has committed suicide.
 New Lifour.—The Oshawa Council has voted for ten new naptha lights, to cost \$20 each. They are said to consume about \$8 worth of fuel each in a year.

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The Herald says:—Another Appoint time...
The Sun says it is the smartest thing fracting as considerable gathering as the Fifth Avenue Hötel last night, the majority of whom approved of the veto. Bulls and bears were present in fore and some sales of stocks were made at a fraction below last night's closing prices.
A Washington despatch says the excent tempt will be made to effect some for compromise by which the House Bill can and the with which the deed was com are to be the absolute solute and this mach in the same sentenced to three the same and a quantity of coins. The blade of the with the same of the which the deed was com an altitud stacked Wm. Millbach, a commercial traveller, while riding rantitud stacks.
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The Oldest Stove in America.

Free Trade and Protection. We find in the Montreal Witness a very timely and sensible letter on free trade and protection from the pen of Goldwin Smith. We cannot give the letter in full, but will pick out for the benefit of our readers a few of the leading ideas it contains:-

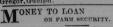
The Star --Base is a second sec

ir constant! Guelph, Jan 1, 1874. MOULTON & BISH,

W. M. FOSTER, M.D.S., Surgeon Dentist, Guelph.



ta NitrousOxidi Laughing gas) ad unistered for the perfectly safe and rollable. Reforeances kindly permitted to Dr. Gregor, Gueiph.



The undersigned have \$25,000 for invest-eners in Mortgages on Perms, in sums to ult borrower, with interest at Sporcent., or periods from 5 to 15 years. Early applications requested. LEMOS, PETRENON & MACLEN. Guelph. March 18, 1973

REMOVAL.

J. Kay, Brass Founder, Has removed for a few months in rear of r. Smith's Feed Store, Upper Wyndham-

reet. Guelph, April 8, 1874. d2m

NEW COAL YARD.

undersigned having opened a Coal in Guelph is prepared to furnish all

Kard and Soft Coal

at moderate prices. Orders left at the store of John A. Wood, Upper Wyndham street, will be promptly attended to. (HORGE MURTON, Guelph, March 1st 1871 dy. Proprietor

SEED BARLEY.-Seed Barley for sale at the Guelph Packing House, opposite the Grand Trunk Parsenger Station. Guelph, Fob. 28, 1874. d&wtf.

Drags, Perfamery, etc. of a super or and-interfy occupied by my popular pre-consor. G. H. MoRNYTRE, No. 3, Day's Block, Next door to J. F. McElderry's and directly or nosite John Herry's and directly in the sease of price, so they purpose raising the price of some other article to any in-crease of price, so they purpose raising the price of some other article to some ing the increase of trind. The sease of price, so they purpose raising the price of some other article to some other article and the sease of price, so they purpose raising the price of some other article to some ing the increase of trind. The sease of price, so they purpose raising the price of some other article to some ing the increase of trind. The sease of price, so they purpose raising the price of some other article to some ing the increase of trind. The sease their selling the articles speci-ling the increase of trind. The sease there are the sease of the raise. Is methics ed. Also a thoroughbred string the price of some other article to the prove fatal. The left leg was fearfully mangled from the ankle to about the Stratford. A new weekly newspaper, to be called the *Public Spirit*, will appear in Mani.
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will be out in September, is contradicted. The Academy says :-- "The Chief Justice is occupied with the correction of the proofs of his judgment in the Tichborne case ; and the manuscript of the Academy articles on Junius is in the state of readi-ness in which it was when the work was broken off by the Geneva arbitration." OSHAWA FAIR GROUND.-The ambitious willage of Oshawa wants to secure ground suitable for a fart that will rival our Contral Exhibition. Mr. W. H. Gibbs has offered ten acres at \$250 per aère, and Dr. McGüll, M. P. is willing to dis-pose of the best portion of his farm at \$400. The corporation is discussing the question, Which ?

The Town Council of Templeton, Onf., has passed a by-law prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors.

The Oldest Stove in America. A. Packard, now of Thorold, Ontario, but a nativo of Masselunsetts, a partiarach of over eighty winters, sends to the Springfield Republican a bit of historical reminiscence about the oldest stove in Arro, and still used to heat the State Orapitol at Richmond, Va., has been widely credited as forming the greatest antiquity. Mr. Packard, however, matches this rails with a specimen in Plymouth County of this State that, out-dates it by nearly half a century. In 1735, he says, a Quaker family by the name of Barker located in the old colony and built a block-house twenty feet square, intend-ed as a kind of fort or protection against histories from time to time as circum-stances required, till it has reached the model in effort marson. This with all its and is still in possession of one of the original descendants beening the same are and yet is a confortable residence. The room as first built has been kept as direumstances would permit, and has ceptaele for ancient relies. The original chimey has given place to a more match in its primitive state as time and direumstances would permit, and has restated satove, similar in construction in height farment relies. The original chimey has given place to a more modern one of brick. In this fire-place to the old Franklin, bearing on its front in leight farment relies. The original chimey has given place to a more match in its primitive state as time and proprietors know nothing of its former in leight farment relies. The original chimey has given place to a more more the date of its make. The resident proprietors know nothing of its former in leight farment relies. The original chimey has given place to a more mit of the stare of its make. The resident mit of the stare of its make. The resident modern one of brick. In this former is of the old Franklin, bearing on its former is of the old Franklin, bearing on its former is of the old the functon the base of the out-mit of the stare of its mak

A SALAMANDER.—George Murdock, lately in the employ of Ewing & Co., photographens, Toronto, induced the young lady in the counting room to leave for a short time on an errand, and in her absence forced the till and abstract-ed \$130. He is wauted.

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The Militia.

While the Hou While the House was discussing the estimates on Wednesday_night, Mr. Mackenzie speaking of the appropriation asked for militia purposes, stated that the Government had been seriously considering how they could as the other, and it is right that the seriously considering now mey count as the other, and to is ingle includes the subjected to force in Canada. It is well known strutiny, and if both are found that for a long time the Volunteers bave been in a semi-disorganized THE INFLATION BILL. --President THE INFLATION BILL. have been in a semi-disorganized state, and that the policy pursued by the late Government tended to dishearten this valuable body of men, and utterly to demoralize the force. The Government now propose to place the whole militia force under the command of a Major General, who will be selected from the British army, and in whom the men will have thorough confidence. The force is to be reduced in number, but the and engineering tactics, as they do and engineering tactics, as they do at West Pomt in the States. This school will be located at either Kingston, Montreal or Quebec. By such a course of instruction it is hoped that a greater degree of efficiency in officers and men will be secured, and that while still civilians they, will become valuable to the State as soldiers, should their ser-vices in such a capacity ever be re-quired. We think that the recom-mendations of the Government are timely and judicious, and we trust they will be carried out without delay and with spirit. The men be longing to the force require some encouragement, and something done to put them in good heart, for dur-ing the late Administration hey were neglected and their services undervalued. were neglected and their services undervalued.

The London Advertiser says :-- "Dr. Orton, the accidental member for Centre Wellington, is the recognized butt of the House. His ignorance of Parliamentary rule and etiquette, and overweening concei', make him an easy victim for his joke loving companions.

The Tory papers delight in telling their readers about once a week that Mr. Blake and Mr. Mackenzie are not pulling one way, and that the former is not at all friendly to the Government. Mr. Blake gave the lie to all these stories when he said in the House on Monday that he had as much confidence in his friends of the present Administration as was possible for him to have ih any Gov. nment.

It is amusing to notice how quickly the bottom gets knocked cut of the very few charges the Tory press try to fasten on the Dominion Government. The latest instance is a Tory " fact" copied from a New Brunswick paper, which has been going the rounds, to the effect that the Government has been advertising for tenders for cars which had already been contracted for-the call for tenders thus being hogus and for The Hon. Mr. Mackenzie gave the story a flat contradiction on Monday night, and so the fact has been changed like all the others into purest fiction.

THE NORTH-WEST COMMITTEE. __This Committee is still sitting, and if report speaks true, is obtaining evidence of a most important character in reference to the troubles Manitoba in 1870.71. It is reported that among other startling revelations Bishop Tache in giving his evidence disclosed the extraordinary fact that at the time the Ontario

this, as they have done throughout in regard to my conduct at Ottawa.³¹ Will these journals now be magnani-mous to give Mr. Glass credit or his independence and integrity ? An important feature in the new Controverted Elections Bill is that the defeated candidate is liable to be petitioned against, as well as the elected one. The one might be guilty of acts of corruption as well

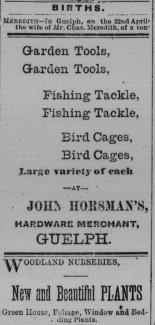
Grant has vetoed the bill passed

by Congress for the issue of more paper money. He does so in response to the almost universal de-mand of the press in the Union for a reduction of the paper issue, and a return as scop as possible to stacle return so soon as possible to specie payments. The question now is, what will Congress do—acquiesce in the decision of the President, or carry through some other scheme?

DEPUTATIONS .- The Finance Minister Is to be reduced in humber, but the same amount will be expended on it, and it is expected that by following out this plan greater efficiency will be secured in those who remain in its ranks. The Government also propose to establish a military col-lege or school, where students can get a thorough training in military and engineering tactics, as they do

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had peppered the seat of his pants. PENNY POSTAGE. — Great Britain re-ceived the penny postage system in an odd sort of way. Rowland Hill saw a poor woman whose husband was away, look earneetly at the cutside of a letter from him and then decline to take it— the postage was too great. He expressed his sympathy, but when the postman was gone, she explained that the letter was 'all outside.'' Her husband and she had agreed upon signs and tokens to be conveyed by lines and dots and varia-tions of the address, so that she could learn without fees that he was well or ill, was coming home scon, or would send her money next week, and so on. The future reformer thought it a pity the poor should be driven to such shifts, and undertook to secure cheap postage for the people, and did it almost unaided.



Prunella. Child's American Fancy Slippers & Shoes We have also a large assortment of Boys and Youths' Spring Wear. The undersigned are prepared to supply healthy flowering plants at low prices. Having facilities to grow a large quantity of plants, we are in a position to fill a wart that was felt in Guelph. All our stock has In the Custom Department

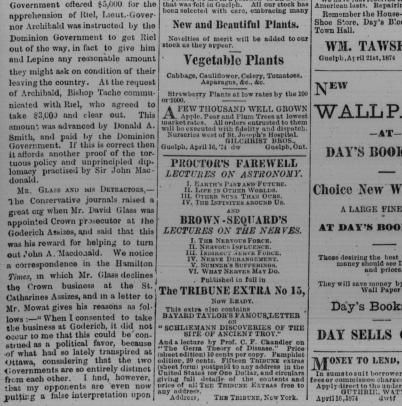


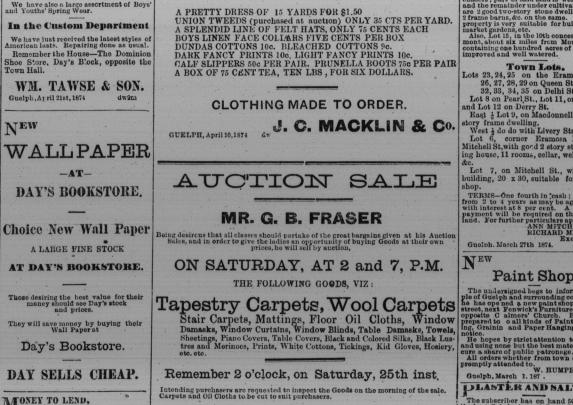
William Stewart **NOW OPENED** First Lots New Goods for Spring! Piles of Plain Lustres, Lots of Striped Dress Goods, The Newest Colors and Patterns. **Print Department** IS CROWDED With the Latest Productions in Colours and Styles, and at LOWER PRICES THAN LAST YEAR WM. STEWART. JEWELLERY. **ROBERT CRAWFORD** ng abon ness, will a. Russell Watches, Watches, English Watches, Gold Chains, Gold Chains, Silver Chains, Clocks, Jewelry, etc. in Price The thanking his friends and the public, for their kind patronage in the past, when A FINAL BENEFIT as the whole of his valuable stock must be turned into money. Call and see for yourselves, as har-gains will be given such as were never be-fore seen in Guelph. Store next the post office. B. CRAWFORD. Guelph, March 31, 1874. dw **Property for Sale** TOWN OF GUELPH n accordance with the last Will and Tes tament of the late John Mitchell, the res idue of the estate is now offered for sale viz : Farm Property.



Government offere 00. for the apprehension of Riel, Lieut.-Governor Architald was instructed by the Dominion Government to get Riel out of the way, in fact to give him and Lepine any reasonable amount they might ask on condition of their leaving the country. At the request of Archibald, Bishop Tache communicated with Riel, who agreed to take \$3.000 and clear out. This Smith, and paid by the Dominion Government. If this is correct then it affords another proof of the tor-tuous policy and unprincipled dip-lomacy practised by Sir John Mac-donald. amount was advanced by Donald A.

MR. GLASS AND MIS DETRACTORS,-The Conservative journals raised a great cry when Mr. David Glass was appointed Crown prosecutor at the Goderich Assizes, and said that this was his reward for helping to turn out John A. Macdonald. We notice a correspondence in the Hamilton Times, in which Mr. Glass declines Crown business at the St. Catharines Assizes, and in a letter to Mr. Mowat gives his reasons as fol-





Improved and well watered. **Town Lods.** Lots 23, 24, 25 on the Eramosa Road. 26, 27, 28, 29 on Queen Street. 32, 33, 34, 35 on Delhi Street. Lot 8 on Pearl St., Lot 11, on King St. and Lot 12 on Derry St. East ± Lot 9, on Macdonnell St., with 2° story frame dwelling. West ± do do with Livery Stable. Lot 6, corner Eramosa Road and Mitchell St., with good 2 story stone dwell-ing house, 11 rooms, cellar, well, cistern, &c.

Lot 7, on Mitchell St., with frame uilding, 20 x 30, suitable for a work-

building, 30 and shop. TERMS-One fourth in 'cash; balance in from 2 to 4 years as may be agreed upon. with interest as 8 per cent. A large cash payment will be required on the timbered land. For further particulars apply to ANN MITCHELL, NICHARD MITCHELL, Executors. dwt

Guelph. March 27th 1874.

Paint Shop.

The undersigned begs to inform the peo-ple of Guelph and surrounding country that has opened a new paintshop in Guebec street, next Fenwick's Furniture Shop, and opposite C aimcer's Church. He is now prepared to o all kinds of Painting. Gias-ng, Grainin and Paper Hanging on short

notice. He hopes by strict attention to business, and using none but the best materials to se-ure a share of public patronage. All orders whether from town or country yomptly attended to. W. HUMPHRIES, Guelph, March 1.187. dwSm

DLASTER AND SALT.

G. B. FRASER,

WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH.

The subscriber has on hand 500 tons of the best Galedonia and Paris Plaster and Land Sait. Also on hand, seed grain of all kinds. The highest price paid for potatoes and turnips. GEO, BALKWILL. Gordon street, near the G.T. R. crossing. Guelph, Feb. 25,1674. Smd&w

sumsto suit borrowers. No solicitor fees or commission charged. Apply direct to the undersigned. GUTHRIF, WATT & CUTTEN, April16,1874 dwtf Guelph

es' Wear-all styles in Goat, Kid and

Guelph Gvening Mercury

THUR 3DAY EV'NG, APRIL 23, 1874. DOMINION, PARLIAMENT.

Ottaws, April 22. In reply to a question put by Col. liginbotham.

Mr. Mackenzie stated that the Gov-mment could not, whilst providing all the tacilities in their power, undertake so expensive an arrangement as the free assage of immigrants from Quebec to the North-west. In the case of the Men-nomites, a special contract had been made.

In answer to the same hon. member, In answer to the same hon. member, The Minister of Militia stated that he question of Brigade Camps was now againg the attention of the Govern-out

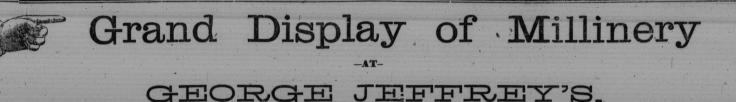
engaging the attention of the Govern-ment. Mr. Ryan (Montreal) on a motion for papers, brought up the question of the dismissal of the late Harbour Com-missioners of Montreal. He supplemented his motion by a long speech in defence of the action of the late Commissioners. Mr. Mackenzie rebuked Mr. Ryan for what he declared to be a gross and scan-dalous attack on the Hon. John Young, calculated only to excite unutterable disgust. The papers when brought down would speak for themselves. It appeared that certain parties, favored by the late Commissioners, proposed to do work under contract for \$60,000, while an English firm offered to do the work for \$35,000. The first named firm, being afterwards allowed by the Com-missioners to rovise their tender, offered to take the work for \$37,500, and in the face of this the Commissioners awarded it to the same persons, a Chicago firm, for \$40.000. The result was the dismis-

being atterwards allowed by the Com-missioners to revise their tender, offered to take the work for \$37,500, and in the face of this the Commissioners awarded it to the same persons, a Chicago firm, Mackenzie held was an act rendered in pratively necessary by the circum-stances. The motion was then agreed to. The motion was then agreed to. The motion the propriety of establish-ing the commissioners which Mr. Mackenzie held was an act rendered in pratively necessary by the circum-stances. The motion was then agreed to. The motion was then agreed to consider the standard of the propriety of establish-ing down a measure to the effect the object desired. The House went into Committee on the estimate. The House went into Committee on the estimate. The House went into Committee on the setimate. The House went into Committee on the setimate. The House went into Committee on the stimate. The House went into Committee on the setimate. The House went into Committee on the setimate. The House went into Committee on the stimate. The House went into Committee on the setimate the Militia should, if less numerous on paper, be better paid and organized, so as to secure a more efficient available arm of defence. It was ho said of the scheme of the force. Ho desired in fature to place the whole force under hofters and mor rather than by military confidence in their chief, and it was proposed in fature to place the whole force under british armitiary college on the west Point plan, if not so extensive as the testablishment, for the thorough training of officers. These young men worter branches of the public service, there were land and buildings now in possession of the Government at Kingeton, Mortreal, took part in a sense general for the is institution. The acomitter of a Major General of the granized of file and buildings now in possession of the Government at Kingeton, Mortreal, took part in sense science, the covers carried. The

ATTACKS ON THE TAXES. - The Ottawa Times says: -- In the days of Cæsar

ATACKS ON THE TAXES.—The Ottawa *I imes* says:—In the days of Casar Augustus, we are told, every one, in re-sponse to his decree, went to his own oity to be taxed. Times are changed, for in the days of Queen Victoria, every one comes to Ottawa to escape taxation. We have deputations here at present, objecting, Ist, To the sugar tax. 2nd, To the tea tax: 3rd, To the tea tax: 3rd, To the tea tax: 3rd, To the tea tax: 5th, To the cheap wine. 6th, To the tokeot tax. The day that any Finance Minister impress a tax that will not be plended against by those concerned, we shall ex-pectit to grow dark with surfise, and that water will run up bill. But taxa-tion is like other evils, one that people must submit to, and one to which they sooner or later get accustomed. Yet, some of the people now protesting against these duties, have been abusing the Government for not rushing into an undertaking that would have cost a hundred and fifty to two hundred mil-lions. THE ENGLISH-RUSSIAN BARGAIN.— By

HODS. THE ENGLISH-RUSSIAN BARGAIN.— By the treaty between the Queen and the Emperor of Russia for the marriage of the Duke of Edinburgh with the Grand Duchess Marie Alexanderowna of Russia, it is stipulated that Her Imperial High-ness shall not be in any way bindered in the full, free and unrestrained exercise ness shall not be in any way hirdered in the full, free and unrestrained exercise of the religious worship of the Ortholox Church in which she has been brought up. Nevertheless, " of her own free will" she shall accompany her august Consort to the churches established by law in England and. Scotland. The children are to be brought up as Protestant. The Emperor of Russia assigned to his daughter two marriage portions of one million rubles, each to bear interest at five por cent. If the Duchess becomes a widow the English Parliament has pro-vided that she shall be paid 26,000 per annum. <text><text><text>



GEORGE JEFFREY has much pleasure in informing his numerous friends and the public generally that his Show Room is now open, and is

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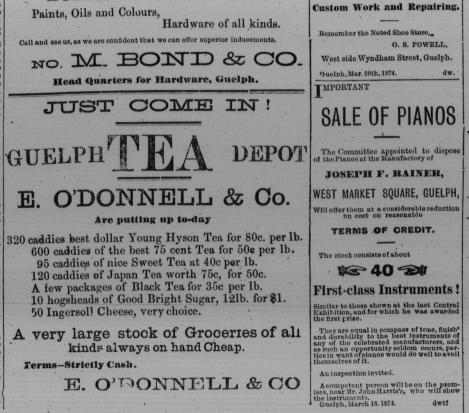
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