

New Advertisements.

WANTED.—By Mrs. Lemon, a cook and housemaid. Guelph, Sept. 8, 1874.

HOT AIR FURNACE.—For sale, a Mill's Patent hot air furnace, new—coal furnace having been substituted. This may be had on reasonable terms. A. Lemon, Guelph, Sept. 8, 1874.

WANTED.—By the 1st of October, a Cook in a family. Apply to Mrs. Blace, Woolwich street, Guelph, Sept. 4, 1874.

HORSE AND LIGHT WAGON TO HIRE for light work around town. Apply to John M. Hart, Market Place, Guelph, Sept. 8, 1874.

COTTAGE TO LET.—To let, a new stone cottage containing six rooms in a good locality, within five minutes' walk of the market house. Apply to N. Burns, at Jackson & Hallett's, 57—dft.

M. C. A.—The articles unsold at the Young Men's Christian Association Bazaar last year will be sold by the ladies in one of Mr. Hear's new stores adjoining Joseph A. Torrell's Saddlery, St. George's Square, on Sept. 12th, 13th, 17th, and 18th. All articles to be sold very cheap so would advise an early call. 59—dft.

CAIRD.—Col. Kingmill not finding it possible to call upon all his friends and acquaintances in order to solicit them to become subscribers to his forthcoming work "Life at St. Helena during the exile of Napoleon," begs to inform them that he has left lists for signatures at the bookstores of Messrs. Day and Anderson, respectively. Guelph, Sept. 7, 1874.

MARE LOST.—Strayed from the subscriber in Guelph, on Thursday, Sept. 4, a sorrel mare, white hind legs, wearing a head stall, with broken shank. Any person returning the same will be suitably rewarded for the same. BERNARD KELLY, Guelph, Sept. 5th 1874. dft Cooper.

FOR SALE.—A splendid chance for a Market Garden. Brick house and five acres land, 5 miles from town. Apply to W. Robertson, Flour and Feed Store, Guelph.

WANTED.—A nurse with good references. Apply to MRS. WATT, Near G. W. Station, Guelph, Aug. 26th, 1874. dft.

RED MILL—Flour and Feed Store, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

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

RE-OPENING OF SCHOOL. Mrs. Budd begs to announce that she will re-open her English classes, for young ladies and little boys, on MONDAY, Sept. 7th. Woolwich Street, aud-dw-ws

EDUCATIONAL. The Misses McDonald will resume their classes for Young Ladies, Tuesday August 18th, corner of Norfolk and Suffolk streets. Terms and particulars given on application. Residence Queen St. N. B.—The Misses McDonald are prepared to give private lessons in Double Entry Book-keeping. Aug 13—indw-w

FOR SALE.—A very excellent Building Lot fronting on Paisley Street and running through to Oxford street—about half an acre. Apply to R. Easton, book-binder, St. George's square, Guelph.

10 acres of Land wanted, suitable for strawberries, near the town. Apply to the above. Guelph, July 15, 1874. dwtf

TO LET, FOR A TERM OF YEARS, "PENHURST,"

The residence of Rev. W. F. Clarke. The premises comprise a dwelling house containing 13 rooms, and an acre of land well stocked with ornamental and fruit trees. For further particulars apply to the proprietor. Guelph, Aug. 31, 1874. dft

WESLEYAN PEACH FESTIVAL. The Young People's Aid Society of the Wesleyan Church will hold a Peach Festival in the Drill Shed,

Thursday Ev'g, September 10. The proceeds are to aid the Building Fund of the new church. Vale's String Band have been engaged for the occasion. Admission, Ten Cents. Guelph, Sept. 5, 1874. dtd

RECEIVED. Ex. S. S. Caspian, 1 Cask Cutlery. " " 2 Cases Steel. " " 200 Bds Hoop Iron. " Scandinavian, 4 Casks Chains. " " 3 loose " " 1 Cask Hardware. " Memphis 250 boxes Canada/Plate Severn, 16 Rolls Oil Cloth. " Texas, 1881 Bds Iron. " Dominion, 11 Casks Hardware. " " 1 Case " " 10 Casks Chains. " " 3 loose Chains. " " 155 Bds Gas Tubes. " " 10 Kegs Nails. " " 5 Cases Borax.

Merc expected by every Steamer this month.

John M. Bond & Co. Direct Hardware Importers, Wyndham street, Guelph.

WALBOND'S CONFECTIONERY STORE, Next to Petrie's Drug Store.

Choice Confectionery, Ice Cream and Soda Water.

CAKES of all kinds constantly on hand. Weddings supplied on short notice. Guelph, July 23, 1874. dft

VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE. The farm occupied by the late James Forster, being the southeast half of lot No. 7, in the 3rd concession of Eramosa, 100 acres, 60 cleared, the remainder good hard wood, chiefly beech and maple. There is a nursery of choice fruit trees ready for transplanting, and a never-failing spring well. The buildings consist of a frame house, a large frame barn, shed and stabling, with other useful buildings. This property is situated two miles from the village of Brockwood, and six miles from Guelph. For further particulars apply on the premises, or if by letter to Brockwood P.O. MRS. JAMES FORSTER. June 3, 1874.

Guelph Evening Mercury

WEDNESDAY EV'G, SEPT. 9, 1874. APPRENTICE WANTED.

Wanted, a good active boy, about 16 years of age, to learn the printing business. Must have a fair education. Apply at once to this office.

Town and County News

The Grand Champion Base Ball match to-morrow. Tickets can be had at Anderson's Bookstore.

MAGAZINES.—Young Ladies' Journal for October, Good Words, Sunday Magazine, Young Men of Great Britain, for September, just received at Day's Bookstore.

The Rev. Mr. Howie, of Guelph, has intimated to his congregation in Ayr, that owing to old age and its necessary accompaniments, he must discontinue his charge in that place.

SUCCESSFUL.—Mr. W. T. Parke, of Seneca, passed a very successful examination on the 5th inst. in matriculating for medicine. He was prepared in eleven weeks at the Georgetown Academy.

THE FASHIONABLE WEST END.—Mr. Buchan announces in our advertising columns to-day that he has just concluded an extensive and profitable purchase of rich Black and Coloured Silks, and that he will have a grand clearing sale all next week.—See adv't.

PIC-NIC.—A picnic of the people residing in the vicinity of the boundary line between Guelph and Waterloo townships, took place on Saturday last, and was well attended. Pualinch Lake was the scene of the action. A jolly time was spent.

THOSE PEACHES.—Didn't we go for those Peaches? They were most delicious. We don't get such a treat every day. Thanks to Mr. Murray's generosity. Mr. Murray expects to be able to supply every man, woman and child in the County with Peaches for the next three weeks. Try him!

QUITS.—A double match at quots was pitched at Milton on Tuesday, between H. Deansberry, Acton, and J. Dobson, of Milton, Dobson winning both matches with ease, Deansberry seeming to be out of the play from the first. Dobson showed good play all through. Scores.—First match, Deansberry 20, Dobson 51; second match, Deansberry 10, Dobson 41.

VICTORIA BRIDGE.—The contract for the building of this bridge across the Eramosa branch of the Speed was let on Monday to Messrs. Simpson & Wanless. They agree to complete the work at the following rates, viz.: superstructure, \$11 per lineal foot; piles, 30 cents per foot when driven. The length of the bridge is 260 feet.

PERIODICALS.—We have received from Mr. John Anderson, the September numbers of Good Words and the Sunday Magazine. They contain a large amount of very interesting reading matter and are well illustrated. Also the October number of the Young Ladies' Journal. Copies of the above magazines for sale at Anderson's Bookstore.

COL. KINGMILL'S BOOK.—Our readers will have noticed by the card in another column that Col. Kingmill is about to publish a book, to be called "Life at St. Helena during the exile of Napoleon." It cannot fail to be interesting and full of reminiscences. Those intending to subscribe for the work can do so at Day's or Anderson's book-stores.

RAILWAY PIC-NIC.—The first annual picnic of the employees on the Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railway will be held at Southampton on Friday first. The train will leave Guelph at an early hour, taking up those going to the picnic at the several stations. There will be games and all sorts of amusements at Southampton, and knowing well the jolly disposition of railway men, we are sure the party will have a very pleasant time.

HOME.—We were pleased to have a call to-day from Mr. James Massie, who arrived in Guelph on Tuesday night from his trip to the old country. He looks hale and hearty, has enjoyed himself very much, and what is still better, has made a most successful journey as far as business is concerned. Messrs. T. A. Heffernan, F. Gauhan and J. W. Hall arrived home last night, all in excellent health and spirits.

BASE BALL MATCH.—A game of base ball was played on the Maple Leaf grounds yesterday afternoon, between the Ekorahs, of London, and the Silver Creek Club of Guelph. The Silver Creek coming off victorious by 12 runs. Quite a number of spectators were on the ground, who appeared to be thoroughly interested in the progress of the game. At the close of the game the score stood 29 to 17 in favor of the Silver Creek.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH SABBATH SCHOOL PIC-NIC.—The annual picnic in connection with the Sabbath School of Rev. Mr. Torrance's church came off on Tuesday, at the pastor's grounds, and was in all respects a success. The children found full scope for their youthful exuberance in swings, base ball, &c. The "old folks" and the middle-aged enjoyed a quiet ramble through the groves, a walk to the river—which, at Mr. Torrance's place, is very beautiful—or a luxurious lounge beneath the trees. As for the youths and maidens, of which there were a goodly number, they also appeared to think that everything was satisfactory, and employed themselves in a good old way. The tea and edibles, which were excellent and bounteous, were served in the open air, and received full justice from old and young. As the shades of evening began to close around, the more youthful portion of the company were packed in wagons and omnibuses, and sent home. The others soon followed on foot or in carriages, and all appeared to feel that they had spent a very happy afternoon.

At High Falls, New York, the other day, a young lady, while crossing a field was knocked down by a ram, and the next time the damaged damsel saw her lover she informed that astonished youth that he might go about his business, as she was disgusted with the sex.

The Governor-General's Movements.

The Governor-General and party reached Brockville on Monday by steamer from Kingston. The weather could not have been more favorable, and the enjoyment derived from the trip past the beautiful scenery of the Thousand Islands was consequently much enhanced. On arriving at the wharf addresses were read by the Mayor and Mr. D. Wylie, Chairman of the School Board, a procession was then formed and passed through the principal streets, arriving at the Victoria Hall, where a reception was held. The party then left by the Brockville and Ottawa Railway for Smith's Falls, which place they reached about 5 p.m. Here the customary addresses were presented. The party then repaired to the train, and arrived at Ottawa shortly after seven, after having accomplished a tour, the progress of which has been unrivalled in its effect upon the public mind, in the enthusiasm excited everywhere.

Falmester Correspondence.

MASONIC INSTALLATION AND SUPPER.—On Friday evening, 28th ult. R. W. Bro. Otto Klotz and R. W. Bro. Dr. Savage, D.D.G.M., dedicated the Masonic Hall here and installed the following officer of Blair Lodge, No. 314, A. F. and A. M.:—Hugh Hyndman, W.M.; J. Skeen, S.W.; R. Shields, J.W.; H. Toehme, Chaplain; T. McDowell, Treasurer; A. B. Munson, Secretary; J. Miller and Dr. Stewart Deacons; D. G. Bridgford and J. A. Ritson, Stewards; R. Carter, Inner Guard; Jas. Allan, Tyler. A number of visiting brethren were present, among whom were W. Bro. McLaughlin of Mt. Forest, N. York; Bro. Listowel, McDonald and Dally, of Elora, and Irving, of Haristown. After the Lodge was closed the brethren, with their guests, in all over forty, repaired to Mr. Johnston's Hotel and partook of a well got-up supper. W. Bro. Hyndman occupied the chair, supported by R. W. Bro. Klotz and W. Bro. Dr. Savage, D.D.G.M. The usual loyal and Masonic toasts were given and enthusiastically responded to. The Junior Warden's toast "Happy to meet sorry to part, happy to meet again" having been given, the brethren separated, highly pleased with the evening's proceedings.

NEW STORE.—Mr. W. H. Edwards has opened a general store in McEwing & Jackson's old stand, Main Street.

MR. GEORGE FULTZIE, of Wilnot, has recently had a very severe attack of paralysis.

NEW HOTEL.—Mr. Rowland Bell, of Moonfield, is building a large hotel on Queen Street, opposite Leopard's Hotel, and Mr. T. J. Taggart is erecting one on King Street. Preparations are also being made for the building of two others. These with the five now in operation will make nine hotels. Evidently, if the present population do not include largely in intoxicating beverages, the coming population are expected to.

Winterbourne Correspondence. Mr. Martin W. Schweitzer, of the neighboring village of Conestogo, is putting up a new two story brick hotel, which when finished will somewhat improve the appearance of the main street. Mr. Schweitzer will then be able to furnish increased accommodation to those who may favor him with a call, and he will, no doubt do all in his power to make his house the hotel of the village.

The Grand River is unusually low this season, being in many places so shallow that a person may easily walk across with dry feet by stepping on the large stones in the river bed.

Many of the cruder butter makers among the farmers' wives of Woolwich have their butter packed and ready for the fair, and calculate to take some of the prizes this fall as usual.

Presbyterian Union. Notice is given in the Quebec Official Gazette, that application will be made to the Legislature of the Province of Quebec, at its next session, for an act to enable the four following churches, namely: the Presbyterian Church of Canada in connection with the Church of Scotland, the Presbyterian Church of the Maritime Provinces, in connection with the Church of Scotland, and the Presbyterian Church of the Lower Provinces, which purpose to unite in one Church under the designation of "The Presbyterian Church in Canada," to hold, under the sanction of the Legislature of the Province of Quebec, collegiate institutions, and the trusts connected with the said churches, in the same manner as it is now held by the respective churches, and in so far as it lies within the Province of Quebec.

Also that in view of the proposed union of certain Presbyterian Churches in the Dominion of Canada, application will be made to the Legislature of the Province of Quebec, at its next session, for an act to amend the act passed in 1847 incorporating the Board for the management of the ministers' widows' and orphans' fund of the Presbyterian Church of Canada, in connection with the Church of Scotland, to enable the Board to continue the administration of its funds after the said union until the General Assembly of the proposed United Church shall have agreed upon a plan for the equitable establishment and administration of an efficient fund for the benefit of the widows and orphans of ministers.

Also that in view of the proposed union of certain Presbyterian Churches in the Dominion of Canada, application will be made to the Legislature of the Province of Quebec, at its next session, for an act to amend the act 22nd Viet., cap. 26, so as to enable the Territorial Board to administer its funds after such union of Churches in conformity with certain resolutions passed by the Synod of the Presbyterian Church of Canada in connection with the Church of Scotland.

SUIT AGAINST A ROAD COMPANY.—An important suit was tried on Monday at Waterdown, before a special jury, at the Division Court, as to the liability of the Hamilton and Milton Road Company for personal injuries done to one Gray, in consequence of the falling of the iron bridge over the Desjardins Canal on the 16th of March last. The case was a protracted one. After hearing a number of witnesses the jury rendered a verdict for the plaintiff for the full amount claimed. It is understood that a number of parties are claiming damages for injuries done to their property on the same occasion. The progress of the suit was watched with great interest by a numerous assemblage of the people of East Flamboro.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE MERCURY

Forgers Arrested.

Arrested for Selling his Children.

New York, Sep. 9.—Specials from Albany say Chief Justice Church will accept the Democratic nomination for Governor if tendered. The Liberal Republican Convention held here to-day will not make any nominations.

Chas. Dinsor, a German shoemaker, was arrested last night for selling his daughter, 18 years old, to Peter Hallock keeper of a bawdy house in Canal street. Hallock was also arrested. It is reported that Dinsor, whose wife is dead, has sold three children in some way.

Three men were arrested here yesterday on a charge of forging deeds representing one hundred thousand dollars. One of them, Chas. Sacia, is implicated in extensive forgeries of Harlem Bank stock, of which Van Etten, who recently committed suicide was accused as principal.

A cargo of tea valued at forty thousand dollars has been seized by a collector on charge of attempt to defraud the revenue.

Fatal Accident in Toronto.

(Special to Mercury by Montreal Let.) TORONTO, Sept. 9. A shocking accident occurred on Front Street this morning. A span of horses attached to a G. T. B. heavy wagon ran away while their teamster was at their heads endeavouring to hold them. He clung to the pole, but before proceeding far they came against a farmer's wagon, smashing it badly, and killing on the spot the Grand Trunk man. The horses were apparently unhurt. An inquest will be held this evening.

Col. Kingmill is in the press a narrative of Napoleon's life while in exile at St. Helena, written from the gallant officers' personal reminiscences.

A meeting will be held in Cook's Church (Presbyterian) this evening, to consider the Union question.

Lieut. Colonel Gzowski is expected to arrive in Toronto from England during the last week of October.

A Sad Case.

A BOY DIES BY THE ROADSIDE. On Tuesday afternoon, a death occurred in Guelph under circumstances of a most painful and revolting character. A coloured family—father, mother and three children—arrived in Guelph by the London Road, and sat down by the roadside, apparently considerably perplexed in mind as to what course to pursue, as they were without any means with which to procure the necessities of life.

They stated that they had come from Berlin and presently from Sandwich, at which place they had been burned out. One of their children, a boy about 12 years of age, was evidently in a very bad state of health, as the parents stated, from congestion of the lungs. They were noticed by some neighbors in the vicinity who furnished them with some little necessities, but only a short time elapsed after their arrival when the little boy breathed his last. The sorrowing parents then fully realized their position. They were among strangers, without a house to shelter them from the burning rays of the sun or means to procure anything with which to decently bury their loved one. The scene this climax of their sorrow is said, to have been one that can be better imagined than described. The father stated that he had carried his sick boy on his back some 50 or 60 miles. He waited on the Mayor, who at once ordered a coffin to be provided, and an undertaker was procured, who proceeded to the spot, the boy was placed in the coffin, and taken to the Cemetery, and buried. Thus ended a sad scene, which, happily, is of very rare occurrence in Canada. We may add, that some kind friends in the vicinity aided the family with money and necessities, and endeavoured to comfort them as well as they could in their hour of affliction.

General Conference of the Dominion Evangelical Alliance.

We understand that that the first General Conference of this Alliance will be held in Montreal, commencing on the 1st of October and continuing for one week. To this Conference some very eminent men will come. Extensive preparations are being made by the Committee of Arrangements in Montreal, and the branches in Toronto, Ottawa, Hamilton, Quebec, Halifax, and Charlottetown, E. I., are busily at work. It is confidently expected that it will be the grandest and most profitable gathering of Christian denominations ever formed in the Dominion.

Mr. E. M. Taylor, Travelling Secretary from Montreal, is now in our town, and having called upon several of our clergymen, thinks that a branch will be formed here in a few days through the expected prompt action of our resident ministers.

Through the kindness of the Grand Trunk persons holding the ticket of admission to the meetings of the Conference will receive from the agents of the G. T. R. tickets to Montreal and return for a single fare. These tickets may now be obtained from J. Anderson, Bookseller, Wyndham street; price of ticket one dollar.

The Oil Combination.

It is understood that on yesterday the new Oil Combination managed to conclude their arrangements; paid over the money to their arrangements; and are now in possession of all the refineries, save one, and have control over such stocks of oil as are in the market. They are thus a huge monopoly, to whom even the retail oil-dealers pay tribute for the privilege of being able to put the price of oil from 15 to 22 cents. Having all the refineries in their interest, they become the only purchasers of crude oil, so that while the refined article goes up 70 per cent, the hope is to beat the crude down to from 40 to 50 per cent. Poor lookout for the Producers! Whether it will be possible to import United States refined oil depends somewhat upon circumstances. But considering that refined oil can be had in Buffalo at about 9¢ to 10 cents in greenbacks, and the oil is acknowledged to be superior in its illuminating qualities, it would not be surprising if some enterprising firm were to import a few car-loads, so that the public might have at least the opportunity of buying a good oil if they have to pay a high price for it.—London Free Press.

DR. FRANKS' Uniform Focus Spectacles.

Guelph Testimonials in their Favour.

My eyes have been carefully examined by Dr. Franks, from that examination, alone, he at once, at the first and only trial, selected a pair of his spectacles, which suit my vision perfectly easy and comfortable, both by day and night, for any length of time at one sitting, and are far better than any others I ever used. Signed by

THE REV. ARTHUR PALMER, M.A., Rector of Guelph, and Archdeacon of Toronto.

Dr. Franks has suited my sight so accurately from an examination of the eye alone, at the first attempt, with the first pair of his Uniform Focus Spectacles he adjusted to my vision, that I recommend them with pleasure.

GROVER S. HENBOD, M.D., Guelph.

I believe the improved spectacles adapted to my vision, by Dr. Franks, to be the best I ever had, I can see perfectly by day or night even at the most minute employment, for any length of time, with a comfort I have not had with any other spectacles. They were the first and only pair he tried.

REV. THOS. WANDORP, Presbyterian Church, Guelph.

We feel pleasure in adding our recommendation, of Dr. Franks' Uniform Focus Spectacles, and his scientific method of adjusting them to the sight, with the first pair he tries. From an examination of the eye alone, he suited us to perfection.

Mrs. L. HENBOD, Guelph.

Mrs. Wm. Brownlow, Guelph.

The spectacles Dr. Franks adjusted to my eyes, were the only pair he tried. They gave me as good sight as ever I had, because I now see as well as I ever did.

ROBERT BURNS, Grocer, Guelph.

We, the undersigned, have much pleasure in recommending Dr. Franks' Uniform Focus Spectacles, and his scientific way of correctly adjusting them to the sight, that is, from an examination of the eye only, with the first pair he tries, which he did in our case, giving us better sight than with any spectacles we ever used.

E. NEWTON, Guelph.

WM. PICKARD, Sr., Guelph.

CHAS. RAYMOND, Sewing Machine Manufacturer, Guelph.

The admirable method of adjusting Spectacles to the eye with the first pair he selects, from an examination of the eye alone, was fully demonstrated in my case by Dr. Franks. He gave me the best sight I ever had with spectacles.

STEPHEN BOULZ, Architect, Guelph.

I recommend Dr. Franks' Uniform Focus Spectacles as the best I ever had. He merely examines the eye, and suits it with the first pair he selects.

REV. WM. F. CLARKE, Cong. Minister Guelph.

With every satisfaction I state that Dr. Franks suited my eyes with his Uniform Focus Spectacles, so very perfectly from an examination of the eye alone, with the only pair he selected, and recommend them to all needing optical aid.

REV. W. S. BALL, Minister, Knox Church, Guelph.

PROFESSOR E. S. FRANKS, Oculist and Optician.

Is now at the Royal Hotel, Guelph, in parlour No. 22, with a large assortment of his Uniform Focus Spectacles for sale—for a few days only. These Spectacles, as adjusted to the eye by the Professor, are equally well by artificial as daylight, from 15 to 25 years, without needing a change to others.

PLANT TREES.—"Be ye after plantin' a tree, when ye ha na other work; it will be growin' while ye are sleepin'." So says a Scotchman. We might add, some day you may sit in its shade, or eat of its fruit. If this will not be your privilege, it will be that of someone else, who will make the good deed all the more benevolent on your part. Have you, reader, planted a tree this spring? If not, shame on you! You could not find any place for it? So. No fence corner? No space along the highway? In Germany the roads are lined with fruit trees. How refreshing to the traveller! And no one sustains any loss by arrangement. It spoils no one's ground, and the country looks all the more beautiful, by being thus turned into a fruitful garden. Then what a pleasure it is to plant a tree! To see how it grows! To know that we have some hand in making the earth more beautiful, and fitter to be the abode of man! In this respect it "pays well to plant a tree. Are there no church-grounds and graveyards, that are still bare, unshaded and dry? Why not have beautiful groves around our churches? Why not have our graveyards shaded? There are a hundred reasons for having it done, which will suggest themselves to any reflecting mind. Suppose that instead of reading that Christ was buried in "a garden," we should read that He was buried on a grassless, treeless common!—Guardian.

The London Quarterly Review contains the following:—"The Isle of Wight." A condensed description of this "English Madeira." The second article, on "Primitive Man," takes up recent works by Taylor and Lubbock, and discusses the results of their teachings as affecting the scientific and dualistic hypotheses.

"The Countess of Nithsdale." The Book of Carlarvock, from which this sketch is taken, is compiled from the letters and documents of the Maxwell family. An article entitled "English Vers de Societe." In "John of Barneveldt and Sixteenth Century Diplomacy," Mr. Motley's recent work is very favorably criticised.

"The Labour Movement at Home and Abroad" treats at length on Trades Unions and Strikes. "Japan as it was and is." Without going deeply into history, this article gives an account of some of the more important events that have occurred from time to time in Japan, and a description of its present condition.

"Victor Anaducus—a Reversal of History." Leonard Scott Publishing Company, New York, Publishers.

It has been noticed that nothing makes a woman laugh so much as a new set of teeth.

That Flag Again.

To the Editor of the Mercury: Sir,—I think it is about time Mr. Doran made a public reply, if he has any to make, to the serious charge preferred against him on the flag question. It is due to the public at large that he should now make a clear statement of how he became possessed of the flag, and to what society or association it belongs, or that he may have supposed it to belong; I say supposed, for Mr. Doran may himself have been imposed upon by designing parties, and it is only on this ground I could at all account for the act.

I think that you yourself, Mr. Editor, will bear me out when I affirm that it ought to be able to speak on Fenians and Fenian flags, for I believe you were indebted to me for an account of a large Fenian meeting held not over 100 miles from the border, and very shortly before the raid at Ridgeway, and probably I am the only person in Guelph who had the questionable honor of being in the company of the leader of the raid—I mean O'Neill—and that was about two months after the raid. I mention these little facts to show that I ought to be able to speak on a Fenian flag, and I believe that the flag displayed on the west market square was a flag belonging to a branch of the Fenian Association.

Taking the supposition that Mr. Doran knew it to be such a flag, and that he did not display it out of mere bravado, he must have hung it up hoping some Orangeman or other loyal citizen would tear it down, so that he might claim public sympathy for the act; or else he intended to make a display, and thought he might hoist the rag and no one in Guelph be any the wiser. Well, he has discovered by this time that there are those who know a "sunburst" when they see it, although it was hung with the side to the top, and who will not allow any such flag to be displayed without entering a protest.

In fact, any Canadian who recognized the flag, must have felt his blood boil, as mine did, if he only thought of the brave McEachern and his fellow-martyrs, who were slaughtered at Ridgeway by a horde of desperadoes and cut-throats, organized under just such a flag.

For any one to hoist a flag, at all resembling theirs, on one of our public streets on a loyal occasion, is an act that must be explained and apologized for. It is an insult to all who love their country and their Queen.

So speak out, Doran, for your silence is being interpreted as guilt by more than a Guelph, Sept. 8, 1874.

[We publish the above letter more for the purpose of satisfying the writer and his friends that we are not afraid to ventilate this subject through our columns, than from any belief in our mind that Mr. Doran has played the traitor in this instance. In fact we went to Mr. Doran when the matter was first spoken of, in order to satisfy ourselves in regard to this same flag, and had the assurance from him that as far as his knowledge went there was nothing Fenian about it; that he borrowed it from one of the Irish Benevolent Societies of Toronto, and hung it out in compliment to our Irish Governor-General. We were satisfied with the explanation, and left, and this is all we know about it.—Ed. Mercury.]

ACCIDENT.—On Thursday morning of last week, Mr. Stallbaum, who is engaged in drawing milk for the Freoprot cheese factory, accidentally fell from his wagon and was seriously injured.

As Mr. A. McKenzie, of Glen Morris, was hitching his horse at the Galt Hotel, on Sabbath evening, the animal became fractious, reared up and fell backwards, striking its head against the barn, and receiving such injuries as to render it necessary to shoot him.

One day last week a little girl, daughter of Mr. John Ewins, of Bienheim, fell from a load of peas, among the horses feet. The wagon also passed over her body. She is recovering.

CHEESE.—It is estimated by a good authority that the cheese made by the three hundred factories in Canada this year will closely approach five million dollars in value. This looks remarkably like progress. Men will remember that in the year 1864 there was not such a thing as a cheese factory in this country.

PERSONAL.—T. J. Barnard, of British Columbia, who has been awarded the contract for the construction of the Pacific Railway Telegraph arrived in Toronto on Monday night and on the following morning proceeded to Ottawa to complete details of arrangement with the Government. Mr. Barnard is a Canadian by birth, and has resided many years in the Pacific Province where by energy he has made money.

SIR JAMES LINDSAY.—The sudden death is announced of Lieut. General the Hon. Sir James Lindsay, Military Secretary to the Field-Marshal His Royal Highness the Duke of Cambridge, Commander-in-Chief, who died at ten o'clock on Thursday night from an attack of aneurism of the heart, at Cremer House, Mitcham, Surrey, where he had removed for the benefit of his health. The late General was the second son of James, twenty-fourth Earl of Crawford, and was born seventh Earl of Balcarres, and was born 25th August, 1815, so that he was withing in a few days of completing his year. After leaving Eton he entered the army as lieutenant in the Grenadier Guards, in which regiment he served for many years. He was for twenty years in the House of Commons, having represented Wigan from 1845 to 1857, and again from May, 1859, to March, 1866.

"What is this for?" asked the colored porter at the hotel, at Long Beach, the other day, holding out a twenty-five cent note given him by the gentleman addressed for carrying up his

PRINTING FOR THE EXHIBITION.

Parties requiring Job Printing for the Exhibition should send in their orders immediately, so as to get them filled in time for the Show, and not crowd us too much next week.

The Model Farm.

The Hon. Mr. McKellar paid a visit to the Model Farm on Tuesday, and made a minute and careful examination of all the buildings and their internal arrangements, and also went over a good portion of the farms. He expressed himself highly pleased with all he saw, and with the excellent order and system which were observable in all the departments. Many visitors from the country will be in Guelph next week, and many, no doubt, will be anxious to visit the Farm. They are cordially invited to do so, and the officers will be glad to give them every information, and show them through the College and out-buildings.

The Guelph Central Exhibition.

Next week will be a busy one in Guelph, for it will be the week of the fourth annual Central Exhibition held in Guelph. We are much pleased to learn that the forthcoming Exhibition promises to be the best yet held, and every preparation has been made by the Directors for the accommodation of stock, and for the comfort of visitors. Considerable improvement has been made on the grounds. The fine drive around the park will be a great advantage to visitors, and should the weather prove favourable—as we hope it may—we shall see such a rush of strangers as is seldom seen in our good town.

Judging from the number of entries in some of the leading classes, it will be the largest show yet held. In cattle there may be a slight falling off, which is easily accounted for from the fact that some of the principal herds which have usually been exhibited here—such as Messrs. Snell's and Stone's—have been nearly broken up by sales. The entries in this class, will, however, come close up to 200. To balance this, there is a large increase in the class of horses, no less than 44 having been entered. This is unprecedented, and assures us that there will be a splendid display of horses. The entries of sheep and pigs will be about the same as last year. In poultry there is a very large increase, no less than 524 pairs having been entered for competition. The poultry show held here in March last no doubt has something to do with this increase. We can safely assure intending visitors that they will see the best show of poultry ever held in the Province.

In the class of implements we are informed there is a marked increase, and this important part of the Exhibition promises to be replete with interest to all who have any taste for mechanical taste and contrivance. There may be a slight falling off in the show of roots and vegetables, which is not to be wondered at when we take into consideration the dry and scorching weather we have had for some time back. In the other departments of the Exhibition we have every reason to believe the display will be fully up to that made in previous years.

The work in connection with the Exhibition is well forward. Additional accommodation has been provided for stock wherever deemed necessary, and everything has been done that prudence, and a desire to please all parties, could suggest. The Secretary and his staff are as busy as bees, but they will have all the books in good shape by Monday. Arrangements have been made for running cheap trains on the railways during the Exhibition, so that visitors will have every facility in coming to town.

Resignation of the Quebec Government.

The Hon. Mr. Ouimet sent in his resignation on Tuesday, and accompanied it with explanations. The Premier declined suggesting the name of his successor, and the Lieut. Governor did not exact the advice of the Premier. The Ministers will remain in charge of their respective departments until their successors are sworn in. The Lieut. Governor does not as yet intend to publish his letter of resignation. It is stated that the Lieut. Governor, immediately upon the resignation of the Ouimet Ministry, telegraphed to the Hon. Mr. de Boucherville, formerly Speaker of the Legislative Council, whom he will consult as to the formation of a new Government. The work of Cabinet-making in this case is expected to be difficult, and it is believed that nothing definite will be known till next week to who will be called to hold the reins of power.

Essex Reform Convention.

This Convention met at Windsor on Monday, when Mr. Wm. McGregor, lately unseated in consequence of one of his supporters at the general election having purchased a vote, was unanimously chosen the standard bearer of the Reform party at the election shortly to take place. It was the general opinion that if opposition should be offered, which, however, is not expected, Mr. McGregor's majority will exceed a thousand. McGregor's conduct during the late session of Parliament proved satisfactory to his political friends, and won the respect of not a few Conservatives, thereby strengthening his position, and the shamelessness of his opponent, whose elections had always been carried largely by means of corruption in protesting against his return, has brought to Mr. McGregor's side a host of persons who, last winter, worked and voted against him. Essex is now safe for the Reform party for many a long day.

A Conference of Evangelical Greeks, with the Anglican clergy, has been summoned by Dr. Dollinger to meet at Rome on the 15th inst.

Blood Drinkers in New York.

Upon inquiry at slaughter-houses, it is found that there are nearly two hundred persons in this city who are in the habit of drinking blood flowing warmly from oxen, for strengthening purposes and for the cure of certain diseases. A Mrs. Emily Hunter, of Thirty-fourth street, is reported to have spoken to an inquirer as follows:—"Prof. Velpaun, of Paris, prescribed blood for me. I was consumptive and hastening to the grave. It has prolonged my life fifteen years. I had the utmost repugnance for it at first, but now a half pint of hot blood from a well-conditioned ox is the greatest luxury of my life. My sister's baby has so far been preserved and nourished with little else but blood. I know twenty people who drink it in my own neighborhood to whom I have recommended it. It has extraordinary effects on some people, especially women, but should not be resorted to unless there is absolute weakness of the system." On a visit of the inquirer to a slaughter-house in Tenth avenue, near Forty-second street, he found a delicate-looking woman with a sickly boy holding a glass to the blood which ran from an ox with its throat cut. Both drank two or three glasses in turn, and departed with an appearance of added vigor. One of the butchers was asked whether he ever drank blood, and is stated to have replied to the following effect:—"Shure an' I do now; why not, now? faith an' ye couldn't tell the difference between it and milk. It's just as sweet, shure; and in the winter it's warm and foine. Bedad, but it's strengthenin', shure. Hould on an' I'll give ye a drap. It's best warm—runnin' right from the baste." The proprietor said:—"All last winter we had men, women and children every morning to drink blood. They always imbibe beasts' blood, never the blood of sheep. Some of them wince a bit at first, but when you close your eyes blood warm from the beasts neck has just the same taste as warm milk from a cow. We don't charge for the blood, except when we sell it to sugar refiners." The blood of beaves is asserted to be more efficacious for weak lungs than cod liver oil, and to differ considerably in its constituents from that of human beings.—N. Y. Correspondent Philadelphia Record.

ARRIVAL OF IMMIGRANTS.—On Tuesday afternoon Mr. Henry Taylor, Secretary of the English Labourers' Union, accompanied by some four hundred immigrants arrived at Toronto by special train from Quebec. The party came over in s. s. Ontario, Dominion Line. Another party of about three hundred, all farm hands, also arrived at the depot on the same day from Quebec, having come over in the s. s. Peruvian. We are informed that about 120 of this number came out under the charge of Mr. Whellams. Another party of about one hundred by the steamer Manitoban, are expected to arrive to-day. No difficulty will be experienced in locating this large body of immigrants, as they are principally farm hands. Mr. Conrad with fifty boys from eight to sixteen years of age, who came out from Mr. Stevenson's Boy's Home, London, England, also arrived in Toronto on Tuesday and have gone on to Hamilton.

THE HERD LADDIE IN ACTON.—We are pleased to learn that on the occasion of Mr. Wylie's visit to Acton, on the 2nd inst., Mr. A. Burns, son, of Rockwood, succeeded in making, out of three well-contested games, one draw with the Champion. We also understand that Mr. Hill, of Acton, succeeded in making another.

YOUNG LADIES' JOURNAL.—For sale at Day's Bookstore. An excellent number.

Sir Muta Coomara Swamy, of Ceylon, who has just been knighted by Queen Victoria, is remarkable as having been the first person who being neither a Christian nor a Jew, was admitted a barrister of one of the English Inns of Court. He was called to the bar in Jan. 1863, at Lincoln's Inn. He has done much towards making the literature of India known to the western world, having published several works relating to Indian and Buddhist philosophy; and he has given to the public an English translation of an interesting Hindoo drama, named "Arichandra." The headquarters of the army of the United States have been transferred to St. Louis, which is somewhat significant, in view of the intended concentration of troops in the South.

Bradford, the American painter, has just finished a picture of a scene on the coast of Labrador for the Baroness Burdett Coutts, for which he asked her 800 guineas, and for which she sent him a cheque for 1,000.

The Newfoundland seal fishery this season has not been successful, and the seals seem to have been a fortnight longer in coming to maturity than last year. A cause assigned for this phenomenon is the great destruction of old seals during the two preceding seasons. The St. John's Chamber of Commerce declares that further legal protection must be afforded, to prevent this valuable fishery from becoming a thing of the past.

The Empress of Austria is said to be the handsomest princess, and one of the handsomest women of Europe. A system of telegraphy has been established between the different police stations in Montreal on a simple alphabetical plan, which can be thoroughly understood by any ordinary intelligent man in a few hours. Several of the sergeants have already made themselves acquainted with it.

The largest diamond in the world was brought from the Province of Mino, Gerace, in the Brazil, in 1741. It was about the size of a turkey's egg, and weighed 17 ounces. When cut in 1766, it was found to weigh 1,680 carats, or 12 ounces, and its estimated value was \$5,644,800.

"Look 'ere now, Salusha," yelled a Clay county, Missouri, woman to the oldest girl, "don't bend over that well so far. You'll fall in there some of these days, and then we'll have to carry water."

LIVINGSTONE'S AFRICA.—Mr. Robt. Ingle has been appointed Agent to take subscribers for this book in the Townships of Pnalinch and Ksqueuing, and will commence his canvass in those places in the course of a week or two. This work is the fullest and most complete on travel in Africa which has yet appeared. It contains Dr. Livingstone's personal narrative of his adventures and discoveries in the interior of Africa; also Stanley's narrative of his expedition under the instructions of the N. Y. Herald in search of Livingstone. To this is added a sketch of other important discoveries in Africa, together with a full and interesting account of the diamond diggings in South Africa. From this it will be seen that this is the fullest and most comprehensive book of travels in Africa that has yet appeared, and cannot fail to be read with absorbing interest, especially that portion of it which gives an account of the heroic doings of Livingstone. It is profusely illustrated, printed on good paper, and handsomely bound in three different styles. It is sold only by subscription, and each subscriber taking a copy, will also get a lithograph portrait of Livingstone without any extra charge.

STOVES, STOVES.—Mr. John Horsman, the enterprising hardware merchant of this town, has added stoves and fixtures to his establishment making it the most complete in Ontario. Stoves of all kinds can now be had of him. Farmers and all others requiring any would do well to call at Mr. Horsman's and see his immense stock of superior stoves with all the latest improvements. He assures us that he will keep none that cannot be had in this country or elsewhere. He has also engaged careful and experienced workmen and is prepared to execute all orders for cast-iron, conductor pipes and every other kind of tinsmith's work.

DEATHS.

HAY—At Clifton Springs Sanitarium, N. Y., on Thursday morning, September 3rd, the Rev. William Hay, Wesleyan Minister of Hollis, Ontario, in the forty-third year of his age.

MICHELLE.—In Guelph, on the 9th instant, Robert, infant son of Mr. James Mitchell, Woolwich Street, aged 5 years and six months.



Winter Stock of Lamps

ALL LATEST PATTERNS NOW ARRIVING AT JOHN HORSMAN'S. Guelph, Aug. 29, 1874 dw

SLEEMAN'S BOTTLED ALE

In prime order at JOHN A. WOOD'S.

English Malt Vinegar,

French White Wine Vinegar, For Pickling, at JOHN A. WOOD'S.

LEWIS' BOSTON LOBSTERS,

Frazer's Saugenay Salmon AT JOHN A. WOODS.

THE GUELPH Hot & Cold Water Baths

FOR GENTLEMEN ARE NOW OPEN.

THE LADIES' DEPARTMENT

IS IN COURSE OF COMPLETION. Entrance on Woolwich Street, west of English Church. JOHN HAZELTON, Proprietor. Guelph, August 11th, 1874. 2nd

FOR 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 residence and lying on the north side of Grange Street. The situation cannot be surpassed in the town—convenient to Market, Post Office, Church and Schools, commanding a magnificent view of the town and surrounding country. The lots are of different sizes, and well suited for private dwellings, with a first-class soil for gardening.

Those lots on Tyrcathlen Terrace are well adapted for general residences, and will only be sold to those who will bargain to put up good buildings.

Plans of the Lots can be seen at my office and particulars learned. Terms very liberal. Purchases made this Fall, interest on balance of purchase money will not commence until 1st April, next.

If desired, the lots will be pointed out on the ground. Also, 17 other lots lying to the north of Palmer 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, Guelph.

BOOTS AND SHOES.

WM. NOBLE, Opposite the Market, Guelph

Great inducements will be offered for this season at Wm. Noble's shop, opposite the market.

He has now opened out his fall goods, which he will sell at the lowest prices, all new goods, no old stock in his shop. The kindest attention will be paid to customers, that favour him with a call. My motto is "quick sales and light profits." I am also prepared to make all ordered work, in the neatest style and of the best material, no matter how small. All sorts of little boys' work will be kept on hand. Repairing done on the shortest notice.

2 Shoemakers wanted that can make first-class work. Highest wages will be paid, and steady employment.

Guelph, Sept. 2nd, 1874. WM. NOBLE. dwt

D. R. W. H. LOWRY,

Graduate of University of Trinity College, Member of College of Physicians and Surgeons, Ontario. Office—Next door to Mr. Jas. Hazleton, Upper Wyndham Street. Guelph, August 2nd, 1874. dwtm.

LUMBER FOR SALE.

Oak, Cherry, Maple, Elm, Ash and Basswood, All dry and of the best quality. MILLS & GOODFELLOW. Guelph, Sept. 2, 1874. dwt

SILKS, SILKS, SILKS RICH BLACK AND COLORED SILKS.

A. O. BUCHAM Begs to inform the Ladies of Guelph that he has just concluded an extensive and profitable purchase of Rich Black and Colored Silks and that he will offer the entire lot for sale

During the Week of the Guelph Central Exhibition AT PRICES NEVER BEFORE HEARD OF.

For further particulars and Grand Cheap Sale Price List see circulars and handbills now circulating in Town and surrounding country.

LADIES OF GUELPH: Remember the Grand Cheap Sale of Silks, Dress Goods, and

Velveteens all next week at the Fashionable West End, the spot for cheap goods.

A. O. BUCHAM, Fashionable West End Dress, Mantle and Millinery Establishment.



AT WHOLESALE PRICES

Stoves usually sold at \$32, now at \$26

All others at the same reduction.

Also: GREAT REDUCTION IN TINWARE

Give us a call before buying elsewhere, as we are determined not to be undersold. Our stock is the largest west of Hamilton and Toronto.

MILLS & GOODFELLOW. Guelph, Sept. 9, 1874. dwtj

Co-Operative Store.

On reference to all our advertisements since commencing business in Guelph seven years ago, it will be seen that we never offered "To Slaughter Goods," "To Sell at Half Price," "To Sell at a Great Sacrifice Irrespective of Cost," "To Sell 50 per cent. under other Houses," "To Keep the Largest and Best Stock in the Dominion."

We have carefully abstained from exaggeration, giving facts and figures only, leaving it to the buyers to judge for themselves.

Our aim has been to buy low, sell cheap to increase our sales, to allow no house to undersell us, to give our customers a share of profits, and make only one price.

The result has been that we have done a steady, prosperous, and increasing business, retaining old and obtaining new customers. Some left us to obtain goods "at half price," but soon returned, as "actions speak louder than words." Hence we will continue to conduct our business on the same principle.

J. C. MACKLIN & Co. GUELPH, Sept. 7, 1874 dw

BOOTS AND SHOES

WM. TAWSE & SON East side of Wyndham Street,

Have just received a large stock of "Fall Goods" for Men's, Ladies' and Childrens' Wear,

INCLUDING SEVERAL NEW STYLES.

ALSO, A SPLENDID LOT OF

Mens' English Grain Balmoral Uppers,

Which can be made in any style to suit customers.

WM. TAWSE & SON. "The Only Shoe Store on that side of the Street." Guelph, Sept. 4th 1874. dw

PEACHES, PEACHES!

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL



Tomatoes, Apples, Pears, Sweet Potatoes &c. &c.

ARRIVING DAILY PER EXPRESS.

HUGH WALKER, Wyndham-st., Guelph.

Guelph, Aug. 10th, 1874

BLACK SILKS

William Stewart

Begs to announce the arrival of a Case of 5,500 yards of Black Silks. Taking the advantage of the late depression in the Silk Markets of Britain and the Continent, I have secured the above at prices quite unprecedented in the annals of Black Silks for lowness of price, and am now offering Bright Black Silks at 75c, 85c, 95c, \$1, \$1.15, \$1.20, and up.

On comparison purchasers will find fully a reduction of from 25 to 33 per cent. on former prices.

Mr. Stewart respectfully informs the public that the present is a grand time to buy, as prices are again advancing!

WM. STEWART. August 26th, 1874.

N.B.—New Autumn Goods daily arriving, and grand value.

KENNEDY'S Marble Works,

Opposite side from Mills & Goodfellow's Foundry, and

Near Eramosa Bridge, Guelph.

ALL KINDS OF MONUMENTS!

Tombs, Stones, Mantel Pieces, &c., made to any size or design, and put up in any part of the country.

Scottish Granite Monuments imported to order.

P. S.—A. Kennedy is a practical marble cutter.

THE GUELPH OIL WORKS.

To the Coal Oil Trade.

I take this opportunity of letting my old friends and customers know that early this fall, I intend having my new Petroleum Refinery in operation. I am erecting on my old premises between the Grand Trunk and Great Western Railway Freight Stations an Oil Refinery with all the latest improvements for the perfect manufacturing and decolorizing of Petroleum or Coal Oil; and from my long experience in the business, feel confident of giving all in the trade who satisfaction; and to meet the present wants of my many customers, I have in stock at my warehouse a large lot of the best London Refined Oil, which I am selling at low rates. Address all Orders to O. Clark, Guelph Oil Works, Guelph, Ont.

O. CLARK, dwt

NEW Confectionery Establishment.

The subscriber having rented the store lately occupied by G. B. McCullough as a Drug Store,

Corner of Wyndham and Quebec-sts. Has fitted it up for Confectionery, with a commodious

Ice Cream Parlor in the Rear, Where he intends carrying on the above line in all its branches, and hopes by strict attention to business, and keeping a good stock always on hand, to merit a due portion of the public patronage.

A supply of Ice Cream and Soda Water, and a variety of

BISCUITS, BUNS, CAKES, CANDIES, etc. always on hand.

Bride and other Cakes made to order. JOHN SUTTON. Guelph, June 20, 1874. dw

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. Planters' hair constantly on hand for sale. MONTGOMERY & BIRD.

# NOTICE OF REMOVAL

## GEORGE JEFFREY

Having to give up possession of his store by the FIRST OF JANUARY, has decided to clear out the whole of his valuable stock at greatly reduced prices. Great Bargains will be given as the stock must be sold without reserve.

### GREAT BARGAINS IN DRESS GOODS!

The quantity of Goods sold in this Department is immense.

Over \$10,000 worth in Stock of the Latest Fabrics, at 25c per yard, town price 50c  
Over \$5,000 worth in Stock of the Latest Fabrics, at 12c. per yard, town price 25c.

**MILLINERY AND MANTLES:** **GRENADINES AND MUSLINS ALMOST GIVEN AWAY**  
**PARASOLS:** The balance in this Department will be cleared out regardless of cost.  
About 200 lined Parasols to be cleared at 37½, worth 75 cents.

The stock is too large to enumerate every article, but will issue a circular every week, giving due notice of the articles to be brought prominently forward at the reduced prices. Don't forget to call early as the whole stock will be sold.

**GEORGE JEFFREY, GUELPH**

## A ROARING BUSINESS DOING

### AT THE LION



### AT THE LION

Which, with marking off tons of New Goods, and our increased number of Customers, as per our new advertisements throughout the Country, and heavy Stock of Goods, Trade is lively.

## The Mammoth Store with the Mammoth Stock: first in Ontario!

Business annually now close on a quarter of a million dollars. Always in the lead in New Goods and Cheap Goods. The best value always to be had at The LION. This Season we will outdo all previous efforts, and

### SELL AT WHOLESALE PRICES,

And that which the Lion says the public know well they can depend on, and that for the last three and a half years he has unflinchingly told the truth. Visit the Lion. Save Money. Get a choice that will well repay you.

Golden Lion, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

**J. D. WILLIAMSON.**

### GUELPH CLOTH HALL.

#### SHAW & MURTON

#### JUST RECEIVED

A CHOICE LOT OF  
**SCARFS,**  
Silk Handkerchiefs,  
**TIES, &c.**

Shaw & Murton,

GUELPH, Aug. 6, 1874.

MERCHANT TAILORS

### GUELPH TEA DEPOT

#### E. O'DONNELL & Co.

Have just received in their New Grocery Store

20 hds of Good Sugar that they are going to rush off at 13lbs. for \$1—this beats everything.  
350 caddies of extra quality of Young Hyson Tea, they are selling for 80c. per lb. by the caddy.  
100 boxes Soap, 2½lb bars, to be sold at 15c per bar; the other stores sell the same soap for 20 cents.  
A big lot of Smoking and Chewing Tobacco at 50c per lb.

The finest stock, the largest stock, the cheapest stock, of Glassware and Crockery in Guelph at E. O'Donnell's big new Grocery Store.

#### E. O'DONNELL & CO

Wyndham Street, next door to their old store.

### CLEARING SALE

OF CLOTHING AT THE

### Elephant Clothing Store.

Previous to receiving Fall Stock we have concluded upon a Clearing Sale

### DURING THIS MONTH

Of our entire stock, consisting of

### MEN & BOYS' CLOTHING!

Which we will offer at prices never before equalled in Guelph.

A BEAUTIFUL STOCK OF OXFORD AND REGATTA SHIRTS JUST RECEIVED, TO BE SOLD VERY CHEAP, AND EVERYTHING IN THE WAY OF GENTS FURNISHING GOODS AT COMPARATIVELY LOW PRICES.

### HATS AND CAPS

In all the latest English and American styles.

**C. E. PEIRCE & CO.**

Guelph, Aug. 3rd, 1874.

### SABBATH SCHOOLS

Presbyterian at Work.  
Sabbath School World,  
Sunday School Banner,  
Sabbath School Visitor,  
The Bible Roll,  
British Workman,  
Band of Hope,  
Children's Friend,  
Infants Magazine.

Send for samples of Sabbath School Papers, and Catalogue of Libraries.

### ANDERSON'S

Cheap Bookstore,

East Side Wyndham Street.

### Books

ON

Detail, Cottage & Constructive

### ARCHITECTURE

#### Bicknell's Village Builder

With elevations and plans for cottages, villas, suburban residences, farm houses, stables, cost &c.—60 plates.

#### HUSSEY'S

National Cottage Architecture or homes for everyone, chiefly low price, buildings for towns, suburbs, and country. Plates, estimates of cost.

#### Monckton's National Stair

Builder, a complete work on stair building and hand-railing, with designs for stair-cases, newels, balusters and hand rails.

#### Monckton's National Carpenter

and Joiner, a complete work on constructive carpentry showing the simplest methods of finding all joints and geometrical forms including splayed work, grained ceilings, framing, roofing, domes, niches, raking and level mouldings.

#### BOOKS ON WOODWORK

A large new stock of Mechanical Books

#### CHEAP AT

#### DAY'S BOOKSTORE.

Step in and examine the above. No trouble to show books.

GO TO

### G. H. McIntyre's

#### NEW DRUG STORE,

No. 3, Day's Block,

### PERFUMERY

AND

#### Toilet Articles

OF ALL KINDS.

#### A Great Variety in Stock.

G. H. McINTYRE,  
Next door to J. E. McElderry's and directly opposite John Horsman's.

NOW THEN,

### BURR & SKINNER,

Upper Wyndham Street,

Are ready to supply all comers with every description of

### FINE FURNITURE!

Spring Beds, Mattresses, etc.,

At the shortest notice, and at the very lowest prices.

We are preparing and expect to do THE FURNITURE TRADE OF THE TOWN THIS FALL, by keeping just what people require, and selling at the lowest prices, giving satisfaction to all.

### Wanted---GEESE FEATHERS;

Best prices paid for a good article.

BURR & SKINNER,

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Manufacturers and Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Furniture

### JUST RECEIVED,

A CHOICE LOT OF

### Sugar-cured Smoked Hams.

Hotel and Housekeepers should secure their supply before the Exhibition, as they are sure to be scarce and dear then.

Also, A Small Lot of Choice Bacon.

### J. E. McELDERRY

#### 2 DAY'S BLOCK,

THE NOTED TEA HOUSE

### Damaged Cottons.

On account of the Insurance received on Cottons damaged on Lake Ontario, G. B. Fraser now offers them at half price.

Call early and see them. They are selling fast.

**G. B. FRASER.**

### GOOD BOOTS AND SHOES

### R. MacGREGOR & Co.

(Successors to W. D. Hepburn & Co.)

The quality of the Goods we sell is our best advertisement. We have the largest stock in town. Keep the best goods and sell at the lowest paying prices.

**R. MacGregor & Co.**

GUELPH, May 19, 1874.

AND COMFORTING. "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 flavoured beverage which may save us many heavy doctors' bills."—Civil Service Gazette. Made simply with boiling water or milk. Each packet is labelled—"James Epps & Co.", Homoeopathic Chemists, London."  
PERRY DAVIS PAIN-KILLER.—Its effects are almost instantaneous, affording relief from the most intense pain. It soothes the irritated or inflamed parts and restores rest and quiet to the sufferer. It is eminently the people's friend, and every one should have it with them, or where they can put their hands on it in the dark if need be.

Baron Anselm de Rothschild, who died recently at his country seat, near Vienna possessed wealth estimated at more than \$200,000,000. By his express desire his funeral was celebrated with any pomp the hearse was drawn by two horses, and followed only by a few servants.

A French court has decided that a man may not trade under his own name when that name is manifestly used to induce the public to think it is that of an old established firm. Most a Dutchman was selling champagne, using the brand "Moet & Co.," which the well known firm "Moet & Chandon," proved had led the people to believe was their wine. The Court ordered Moet to discontinue using the title on his wines, and fined him \$7,000 damages.

According to an official return lately published, there are 900,000 acres of common lands in England and Wales which are suitable for ordinary cultivation. There are also nearly 1,500,000 common lands, chiefly mountainous, which are unfit for cultivation, although much might be improved for pasturage. Wales, although much smaller in extent, has considerably more common land than England.

The Rev. S. J. Johnson, an English clergyman and amateur astronomer, has calculated the most notable eclipses which will occur in the next few hundred years. There will be an eclipse of the sun total in the northern part of England on July 21, in the year 2381, but none total at London for the next five centuries.

A short time ago a child was born in Ameliasburg, Prince Edward County, Ontario, who had one great-great-grandfather, two great-grandmothers, and two grandmothers; making, in all, five living grandmothers to the child. The mother of the child is sixteen, and one grandmother is only thirty-two.

When they tried to force Miss Gay, of Independence, Missouri, into a marriage against her will, she kicked the minister's hat off, knocked the young man down, and rode off on a mule, with one foot on each side of him.

### Commercial.

#### Guelph Markets.

MERCURY OFFICE, Sept. 5.	
Fall Wheat, per 100 lbs.	\$3 00 to \$3 50
Spring Wheat (Glasgow), 1 67 to 1 90	
Spring Wheat (red chaff), 0 00 to 0 00	
Oats do	1 18 to 1 19
Peas do	1 08 to 1 09
Barley, new, do	1 00 to 1 01
Hay, per ton	12 00 to 13 00
Straw do	4 00 to 0 00
Wood, per cord	4 00 to 4 50
Eggs, per dozen	13 to 13
Butter, dairy packed	24 to 25
Butter, rolls	22 to 23
New Potatoes, per bag	0 50 to 0 80
Apples, per bush	0 75 to 0 80
Beef, per cwt.	4 00 to 7 50
Wool do	35 to 0 00
Lamb skins each	40 to 85
Felts each	50 to 75

#### Hamilton Markets.

Hamilton, Sept. 3.	
White wheat, per bushel	\$1 10 to \$1 15
Treadwell do	0 05 to 0 10
Red wheat do	0 00 to 0 00
Spring wheat do	1 00 to 1 05
Oats do	1 00 to 1 05
Peas do	0 65 to 0 70
Barley do	0 75 to 0 80
Butter, fresh, per lb.	30 to 35
Butter, tub do	16 to 17
Apples, per bush	1 10 to 1 15
Potatoes do	1 00 to 1 10
Wool do	35 to 0 00

#### Toronto Markets.

Toronto, Sept. 3.	
Fall Wheat, per bushel	\$1 05 to \$1 12
Spring Wheat do	1 07 to 1 11
Barley do	0 60 to 0 65
Oats do	1 00 to 1 05
Peas do	0 60 to 0 65
Dressed Hogs per 100 lbs.	0 00 to 0 00
Butter, lb roll	26 to 30
Butter, tub dairy	23 to 26
Eggs, fresh, per dozen	17 to 18
Apples, per bush	2 00 to 2 50
Potatoes, per bush	80 to 90
Hay, per ton	15 00 to 20 00
Straw do	14 00 to 15 00
Wool do	0 00 to 0 00

#### Special Notices.

**THE RECENT CASE OF DEATH** by strychnine poisoning from taking SYRUP OF HYPOPHOSPHITES, noticed in the Montreal Daily Witness of August 1st, renders great caution necessary not to confound Dr. Wheeler's Compound Elixir of PHOSPHATES and Calcevia with COMPOUND SYRUP OF HYPOPHOSPHITES. Observe well the difference in orthography and bear in mind that medicinal there is no similarity in action or effect.

**PHOSPHATES**  
ARE ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY to sustain life, being an element of every solid and fluid of the body, and they are irreplaceable of injurious results at any period from infancy to old age, or under any possible condition of the system, and no more harm can result from taking more than the prescribed dose than from eating a hearty dinner.

Guelph, August 23rd, 1874. dwz

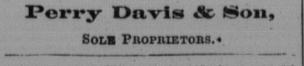
### PAIN-KILLER

THE GREAT  
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TAKEN INTERNALLY it relieves instantaneously the most acute pain. USED EXTERNALLY it is the best Liniment in the world. Its effect is almost instantaneous, affording relief from the most intense pain. It soothes the irritated or inflamed part, and gives rest and quiet to the sufferer. It is eminently the people's friend, and every one should have it with them, or where they can put their hands on it in the dark of need.

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Cure LEUCORRHOEA (or White) PAINFUL MENSTRUATION, URTERATION OF THE UTERUS, OVARIAN DISEASES, ABSENT MENSTRUATION, and all diseases known as Female Weakness. They are prepared with the greatest care, under the personal supervision of a physician who has made female diseases a special study for many years, and they are a medicine on which MARRIED LADIES can depend in the hour and time of need as an unfailing FEMALE REGULATOR.

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Conveyancer, Commissioner in Queen's Bench, &c. Books wound up and forms very moderate.

Arthur, Ontario,  
Lands for Sale:

**VILLAGE OF ARTHUR**  
A number of Villages and Park Lots.  
Park Lots Nos. 4 and 5, on the north side of Donville street, containing upwards of 20 acres of good land, will be sold on favourable terms.

**TOWNSHIP OF ARTHUR**  
North half of Lot No. 27, in 1st concession, about 100 acres, or thereabouts, under cultivation, good log dwelling house, frame barn and stable, about three quarters of a mile from railway station.  
South half of Lot No. 10, in 3rd concession, 100 acres, is or thereabouts under cultivation, log dwelling house and other log buildings.

3rd and 4th Divisions of Lot No. 29, east of S road, 107 1/2 acres, is or thereabouts under cultivation, log buildings. This farm of land lies on the gravel road, about 3 1/2 miles from Arthur Village.

**TOWNSHIP OF LUTHER**  
South half of Lot No. 1, in 5th con., 100 acres, is or thereabouts, under cultivation. A good dwelling house, frame barn, and other buildings, about 2 1/2 miles from Railway Station.

**UNIMPROVED LANDS.**  
UNIMPROVED, North half of 5th con., 100 acres. Lot No. 8, in 5th con., 200 acres, excellent land. Lot No. 10, in 11 con., 200 acres. North half of lot 32, in 12th con., 102 acres.

**TOWNSHIP OF PEEL**  
Lot 17, con. A, Peel, 32 acres, about 40 under cultivation, log dwelling house, log and frame barn and sheds. Also, belongs to the same property the west half of Lot No. 33, in 1st con., Garsfraxa, about 80 acres, 25 or thereabouts, under cultivation.

Northwest part of Lot No. 15, in 17th con., 50 acres, is or thereabouts under cultivation. Good dwelling house; spring creek runs through the land, which is of excellent quality.

**TOWNSHIP OF GARAFRAXA.**  
UNIMPROVED, West half of Lot No. 29, in 2nd concession, 100 acres, a good lot of land. The above lands will be sold on very reasonable terms; only part of the purchase money required down, the balance to suit purchasers.

ROBERT MITCHELL,  
Arthur 7th Aug. 1874.

### NOTICE

#### To Carriage Makers.

The proprietors of the GUELPH WHEEL WORKS are pleased to inform the carriage makers and trade generally that, owing to the increase of business, they have been compelled to move their works to the large and commodious shops lately known as the Agricultural Works of Thain, Elliott & Co., and which their increased facilities they can do a very large trade in the manufacture of

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Or parts thereof, of every description or style, at very low rates, and studying the interests of

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We can supply them with the best and far-famed oil tempered

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ROBERT E. DALGLEISH & CO.,  
Guelph, Feb. 18 1874. wtf

### NEWS RECORD

#### Sewing Machine EMPORIUM.

**J. & R. CRAIG, FERGUS,**  
General dealers in Sewing Machines, would draw the attention of the people to the fact that they sell Sewing Machines at prices from \$5 to \$15, and that who is charged by peddlers. We keep on hand the following machines:-

**THE OSBORN, THE RAYMOND, THE GARDNER, THE ROYAL, THE SINGER, THE HOWE, WHEELER & WILSON,**

Or we can supply any other Machine for sale in Canada, on a few days' notice. The following are a few of the advantages we offer to buyers:-

1st.-We incur no expense in peddling machines through the country, and sell at prices much lower than any peddler, who devotes his time, with a horse, etc., can afford to offer them for. Machines sold by peddlers for \$12, we offer for \$5. Others sold by peddlers for \$25, we offer for \$18. And others sold by peddlers for \$30, we offer for \$18.

2nd.-Parties buying from J. & R. Craig have a sure guarantee that they will not be humbugged or deceived in any way, as we warrant all machines we sell, and we can always be found at our office; whereas, a peddler may agree to warrant a machine, but who knows where he will be when the machine is out of order?

3rd.-We keep a large variety to select from, and if a machine purchased from us does not suit we will exchange for any other desired.

4th.-We have been a number of years in the Sewing Machine business, and are well acquainted with the different machines; hence any machine recommended by us may be relied on as being as represented. 5th.-We have sold hundreds of machines during the past five years, principally OSBORNS, and out of that whole we do not know of one that does not give satisfaction. Machines delivered any place ordered, and instructions given in operating. Machines sold on monthly or quarterly instalments, or payable in six months or a year. Orders by mail promptly attended to.  
J. & R. CRAIG, FERGUS,  
Fergus, June 3, 1873. wtf

#### W. M. L. SMELLIE, BOOKSELLER,

St. Andrew's Street, FERGUS.

Books, Stationery, and Fancy Goods, Window Paper Blinds, figured and plain. Agent for the Guelph Mercury, and all Sunday School Papers. Any Book or Magazine ordered on the shortest notice. Remember the Stand, next door to the Post Office, Fergus. W. M. L. SMELLIE, wtf

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Premises 50x40, one and a half storeys, splendid supply of water, ample capacity for Washing, Beaming, Sweating, Tanning and Finishing (1000 one thousand skins weekly). Mode of Drying Wool, the best in the Dominion, on Wire Racks with a Fan driven by Steam Engine, forcing hot air through the Wool, drying it quickly and rendering it soft and lifelike. A good comfortable frame dwelling, containing five rooms. Likewise store house, stable and a stone ash house. Fire Wood cheap. Taxes low. Terms of sale easy. Satisfactory reasons given for selling.  
W. L. HUTTON,  
St. Mary's, July 2nd, 1874. dwtf

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A victim of early indiscretion, causing nervous debility, premature decay, etc., having tried in vain every advertised remedy, has discovered a simple means of self-cure, which he will send free to his fellow sufferers. Address J. H. REEVE, 78 Nassau street, New York.

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Barristers, Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitors in Chancery, Guelph, Ontario.

D. GUTHRIE, J. WATT, W. H. CUTTEN,  
Guelph, March 1, 1874.

**A. H. MACDONALD,**  
BARRISTER AT LAW.

OFFICE—Corner of Wyndham and Quebec streets.  
Guelph, June 3, 1874. d&wt

**LEMON, PETERSON & McLEAN,**  
Barristers and Attorneys at Law, Conveyancers and Notaries Public.

Offices—Brownlow's New Buildings, near the Registry Offices.

A. LEMON, H. W. PETERSON,  
R. McLEAN, County Crown Attys.

**DUNBAR, MERRITT & BISCOE,**  
Solicitors in Chancery, etc.

Office—Over Harvey's Drug Store.  
A. DUNBAR, W. M. MERRITT, F. BISCOE,  
Guelph, Oct. 7, 1873. dw

**OLIVER & McKINNON,**  
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R. OLIVER, dw A. M. McKINNON.

**WILLIAM J. PATERSON,**  
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Guelph, July 27, 1874. dwly

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Guns, Pistols, and Sporting Materials always on hand. Repairing as usual.

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**M. P. DELOUCHE,**  
WIRE WORKER,

Pearl street, off King street. Every description of wire work made to order at the lowest terms. Any orders left at W. H. Murray's fruit depot, Wyndham street, will be thankfully received and promptly attended to. Terms strictly cash.  
Guelph, June 3, 1874. dwf

**ICE CREAM AND COOL DRINKS**

—AT—  
Mrs. WINSTANLEY'S Grocery Store, south side of St. Dundas Bridge, Guelph, Guelph June 6th, 1874. dwm

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The undersigned having opened a Coal Yard in Guelph is prepared to furnish all kinds of

**Hard and Soft Coal**  
at moderate prices. Orders left at the store of John A. Wood, Upper Wyndham street, will be promptly attended to.  
GEORGE HURTON,  
Guelph, March 1st, 1874. dw Proprietor.

**"MONEY TO BE MADE."**  
The subscriber is authorized to let the stone and premises, in the village of Eden Mills, lately occupied by Samuel Meadows. These premises are of stone, large and well suited for a general store. The village is situated in the centre of a flourishing farming district. Terms moderate. Apply to Lemon, Peterson & McLean, Solicitors, Guelph, and to J. D. DAYTON, Township Clerk, Eden Mills. do

May 27, 1874. dw

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Terms—Board and tuition, \$35 per quarter of eleven weeks. Class and modern languages each \$25 per quarter of eleven weeks. Send for circular.  
ALEX. McILLAN,  
Aug. 5th, 1874. wtf Rockwood.

### MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS.

HARRISTON—Friday before the Guelph Fair  
BOSWORTH—Saturday before Guelph  
DRATON—Saturday before Guelph  
ELORA—The day before Guelph.

DOTGAS—Monday before Elora  
GUELPH—First Wednesday in each month.  
CLIFFORD—Thursday before the Guelph fair  
TETONDALE—Friday before the Guelph fair

NEW HAMBURG—First Tuesday each month  
DREHLEN—First Thursday in each month.  
ELMIRA—Second Monday in each month.  
WATERLOO—Second Tuesday in each month  
M. C. O. ONEST—Third Wednesday in each month.

HANOVER—Monday before Durham.  
DURHAM—Tuesday before Mount Forest.  
FERGUS—Thursday following Mount Forest.  
ORANGEVILLE—Second Thursday in January, March, May, July, September and November.

MONO MILLS—Third Wednesday in January, April, July and October.  
ERIN—First Monday in January April, July and October.  
MASONVILLE—First Tuesday in February  
MAY, ARTHUR and November.

BRAMPTON—First Thursday in each month.  
LITTON—First Friday in each month.  
HILMAR—Second Tuesday in each month, March, May, July, September and Nov.  
MOOREFIELD—Monday before Guelph.  
HAMILTON—Crystal Palace grounds, the day after Guelph.

**Fall Exhibitions.**  
CENTRAL—Guelph, Sept. 15 and three following days.  
NORTH HURON—Blyth, Sept. 17 and 18.  
PROVINCIAL—Toronto, Sept. 21 and four following days.  
WESTERN—London, Sept. 29 and three following days.

ERASMUS—Blackwood, Tuesday, Sept. 29.  
NORMANBY—Ayrton, Wednesday, Sept. 30.  
SOUTH WATERLOO—Galt, 29th and 30th September.

WEST FLAMBORO—Dundas, Oct. 1 and 2.  
WELLESLEY—Crosshill, Saturday, Oct. 3.  
EQUERRE, Friday, Oct. 2.  
MINTO—Harriston, Wednesday, Sept. 30.  
GARDWELL—Mono Mills, Tuesday and Wednesday, September 29th and 30th.

CENTRE WILKINSON—Fergus, Friday, Oct. 2.  
NORTH BRUCE—Port Elgin, Friday, Oct. 2.  
CENTRAL—Hamilton, Tuesday, Oct. 6, and three following days.  
MITCHELL, Oct. 6 and 7.

SOUTH BRUCE—Exeter, Oct. 6 and 7.  
ERIN—Erin Village, Wed. Oct. 7.  
WOOLWICH—Elmira, Wed. Oct. 7.  
BRASSARA—Hillsville, Wed. Oct. 7.  
LUTHER—Little Toronto, Wed. Oct. 7.  
SOUTH GUY—Durham, Wed. Oct. 7.

HOVE—Windsor, Wed. Oct. 7.  
ELMIRA—Listowel, Oct. 7 and 8.  
WEST GARAFRAXA—Douglas, Thursday Oct. 7.  
CALEDON—Charleston, Oct. 8 and 9.  
NORTH WELLINGTON—Drayton, Friday, Oct. 8.

ECHERONT—Holstein, Friday, Oct. 9.  
PUSLINCH—Aberfoyle, Friday, Oct. 9.  
EAST GARAFRAXA—Marvill, Tuesday, October 13.  
NORTH WATERLOO—Berlin, Oct. 13 and 14.

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Directly opposite front entrance of the Town Hall, and next door to Miss Andrew's Fancy Store.

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Dominion Regulation 75, " 1.25  
Star, 75, " 1.25  
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Boys, from 12 cents.

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Galt, June 10, 1874. wly

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