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GUELPH, ONT., CANADA, FRIDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 2, 1872.

PRICE ONE PENNY

BUSINESS CARDS.
DR. BROOK
RESIDENCE
The Stone House opposite Davidson's Old Marble Yard, Elora Road.
Guelph, Oct 19, 1871 dw

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

AUSTIN C. CHADWICK
BARRISTER, SOLICITOR IN CHANCERY,
Notary, &c. Town Hall Buildings, Guelph,
Guelph, June 25, 1871 dw

STEPHEN BOULT,
ARCHITECT, CONTRACTOR and BUILDER.
A Planning Mill, and every kind of Joiner's
Work prepared for the trade and the public.
Factory 15th Quebec Street, Guelph.
March 17, 1870 dw

GEORGE PALMER,
BARRISTER and Attorney-at-Law, Solicitor in
Chancery, Notary Public and Conveyancer
Office, over E. Harvey & Co's Drug Store—en-
trance on McDonnell street
Guelph, 17th August. dw

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

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

GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN,
Barristers, Attorneys-at-Law,
Solicitors in Chancery,
GUELPH, ONTARIO.
GUTHRIE, J. WATT, W. H. CUTTEN.
Guelph, March 1, 1871 dw

JOHN SPIERS,
Veterinary Surgeon
(Member of the Ontario Veterinary College.)
Hirsch's Union Hotel,
Des 28 GUELPH dw

WHY ARE
LAZARUS, MORRIS & CO'S
SPECTACLES
LIKE
Brigham Young on Trial
for Murder?
Notice—Any person sending the answer to
the above to the Agent, D. SAVAGE, GUELPH,
within the next thirty days will receive an or-
der from L. M. & Co., for a pair of their superio-
r pattern Eye Glasses.
Jan. 20th, 1872. dw

THE
JANUARY
MAGAZINES
TO HAND AT
Day's Bookstore
West Side Wyndham Street,
GUELPH

PRIZE DENTISTRY
DR. R. CAMPBELL,
LICENTATE of
Dental Surgery,
Established 1864.
Office next door to
The Advertiser Office,
Wyndham-st., Guelph.
Residence opposite
Mr. Bout's Factory,
Quebec-street.
DENTISTRY
without pain. References—Drs. Clarke & Tuck,
McGuire, Herod, McGregor and Cowan,
Guelph; Drs. Buchanan & Phillips, Toronto; Drs.
Elliott and Meyers, Donalton, Toronto.
dwt

W M FOSTER, L D S,
SURGEON DENTIST
GUELPH.
OFFICE—Over E. Harvey & Co's Drug Store
corner of Wyndham and McDonnell-sts.
NITROUS OXIDE (laughing gas) admin-
istered for the extraction of teeth WITHOUT
PAIN which is perfectly safe and reliable.

ROYAL HOTEL
LIVERY STABLE
THE Subscriber begs to notify the public
that he has purchased the above Livery
from Mr. G. W. Jessop and will continue the
business as heretofore. Having made consid-
erable improvements he will be able at all times
to meet the wants of the travelling public.
First-class Turnouts ready at the
Shortest Notice.
W. J. WILSON, dtf
Guelph Dec 6, 1871

Davidson & Chadwick
ESTATE AGENTS,
Town Hall Buildings,
GUELPH.
Agents for Investing Money for the
Trust and Loan Company
OF UPPER CANADA, AND

The Canada Permanent
Building and Savings
Societies
OF TORONTO.
THESE Companies afford every facility to the
borrower, and give him the privilege of either
renewing the principal for a term of years, or
of paying it off by instalments extending over
any term of years up to fifteen.

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THE Trust and Loan Company have funds for
investment in the security of first-class
town and farm property, and also prepared
to purchase good mortgages. The rate of inter-
est is 5 per cent. No commission charged. The
loans are usually for 5 years, but can be made
for shorter or longer terms, and repayable by
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The tariff of legal fees is assimilated to those of
the principal banking institutions in Ontario.
For further information apply at the Company's
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DAVIDSON & CHADWICK, Guelph.

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Have also a large amount of
Private Funds on Hand
FOR INVESTMENT.
Money invested and interest collected. Mort-
gages bought subject to examination of titles,
and valuation of property offered.
Bonds, Stocks and Securities of all kinds
negotiated.

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK
HAVE FOR SALE
In the Town of Guelph
\$1200 will buy a TWO STOREY HOUSE,
brick and frame, (suitable for two families)
situate on the corner of Queen and Eliz-
abeth streets, near Allan's Bridge, with
stabling, &c., ready for \$150.

\$1000 will buy Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 (Block
New's Survey, at the passenger station of
the G. T. R., or \$300 singly.
\$150 will buy Lot 27, corner of Powell and
Strang Streets.
\$120 will buy Lot 25, on Strang Street.
\$120 will buy Lot 25 on " " "
\$120 will buy Lot 30 on " " "
\$150 will buy Lot 25, corner of Powell and
Strang Streets.

\$750 will buy a LARGE DOUBLE FRAM
HOUSE on Pearl-street (Lot 3, one four
down, and five years for the balance.
\$800 will buy
Six Acres and Water Privilege
on the River Speed, fronting on the Edinburg
Road, well adapted for mill or factory. The
Freight Stations of the Grand Trunk and Great
Western Railways front upon the same street.

\$400 will buy 4 building lots on the Waterloo
Road, 25, 24, 40 and 41 in Oliver's Survey.
\$300 will buy Lot 38 on Charles Street, Hub-
bard's Survey.
Apply to Davidson & Chadwick, Estate Agents.

\$3000 will buy Lots 7, 8, and 9, on Perth-street.
—These Lots front the River, and are a fine
valley adapted for a Factory. If purchased
for that purpose, SPECIAL TERMS will be
given.
Apply to Davidson & Chadwick, Estate Agents.

\$1600 will buy a neat frame roughcast cottage
containing 6 rooms on Lot 51, George street
directly opposite Mr. Hogg's law book.
Apply to Davidson & Chadwick, Estate Agents.

\$300 will buy Lots 1 and 28, on the London
Road, in Buckland's Survey.
Apply to Davidson & Chadwick, Estate Agents.

\$75 will buy Lot 100, corner of Neeve and Rich-
ardson streets—Sir John A. Macdonald's
Survey.
\$100 will buy Lot 149, Bridge Street, in Sir John
A. Macdonald's Survey.
Apply to Davidson & Chadwick, Estate Agents.

LUTHER
\$15 per acre will buy Lot 9, in the 7th con. 200
acres, next lot to Gordon's steam saw mill.
There is a considerable fall in the stream
which crosses this lot, which might be used
to advantage.
\$12 per acre will buy Lot 4, in the 8th con. 200
acres, a very excellent lot and well tim-
bered.
\$12 per acre will buy Lot 5, in 9th con. 200
acres, one of the best lots in the township.
\$8 per acre will buy East half of Lot 5, in the
13th concession, 100 acres—a valuable lot.

AMARANTH
\$4 per acre will buy west half of Lot 18 in the
3rd con., 100 acres.

TOWN HALL BUILDINGS
GUELPH.
DAVIDSON & CHADWICK.
TOWN HALL BUILDINGS, GUELPH.
Guelph, Nov 1, 1871 dw

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FRIDAY EVENING, FEB. 2, 1872
Railway Time Table
Grand Trunk Railway
Trains leave Guelph as follows:
WEST
4:22 a.m.; 9:50 a.m.; 6 p.m.; 8:30 p.m.
To London, Goderich, and Detroit. To Berlin.
EAST
3:15 a.m.; 7:30 a.m.; 11:04 a.m.; 3:45 p.m.
The 1:50 p.m. and 6:50 p.m. trains are cancelled.

Great Western—Guelph Branch
Going South depart at 6:50 a.m., 1:05 p.m.,
and 4:55 p.m.; also by mixed train every Tues-
day, Thursday and Saturday at 1:40 p.m.
Going North, depart at 11:45 a.m., 4:55 p.m.,
and 9:05 p.m.; also by mixed train every Mon-
day, Wednesday, and Friday at 1:05 p.m.
Trains leave Harrison every morning at 10
a.m., reaching Guelph at 1:05 p.m., and in ad-
dition a mixed train every Tuesday, Thursday,
and Saturday at 9 a.m., reaching Guelph at 1:40
p.m. The train which passes Guelph going
north at 11:45 a.m., runs every day to Clifford,
arriving there at 3:15 p.m., and a mixed train
which passes Guelph every Monday, Wednesday
and Friday at 1:05 p.m., reaches Clifford at
5:05 p.m.

Town and County News
THE SKATING RINK—Remember the skating
carnival to-night at the skating
rink.
REMEMBER the sale of lands in this
County for non-resident taxes, at Guelph
on Wednesday next, 7th inst.

MR. ANDREW RICHARDSON has been
elected Councilor for West Garafraxa by a
large majority over Mr. Wm. Alexand-
er.

COUNTY ORANGE LODGE.—The Lodge of
the Royal Orange Association in this
County will meet in Ferguson on Tuesday
next.

REV. JOHN WHITE, late of Arthur, who
has been on a visit to Scotland during
the past three years, has accepted of a
call from the parish of Cromdale, Moray-
shire, Scotland.

MR. WM. BEALE, of Pilkington, who
some two weeks ago was run over by a
span of horses on the Guelph and Ferguson
road, died on Monday last. In conse-
quence of his injuries his leg had to be
amputated, but he never recovered from
the shock.

NARROW GAUGE.—The Ferguson Express
learns from its Arthur correspondent that
the Narrow Gauge Railway experiences
considerable difficulty in consequence of
the great depth of snow on the line.
Three engines attached to a train were
stuck about three miles above Arthur on
Tuesday last.

Y. M. C. A.—The regular meeting of
the Y. M. C. A. was held last (Thursday)
evening. Vice-President, Mr. Wm. Wat-
son, in the chair. After the usual devo-
tional exercises, Mr. Gray gave a very good
recitation—"John Bunyan,"—also Mr.
Geo. Patterson an excellent essay—"City
of Damascens." The library of the As-
sociation is open for members every
Thursday evening from 7 to 8 o'clock.

GRANT EVENING.—It is a pleasing fact
to notice that the grand concert and
drawing of prizes, to come off on the 13th
inst., in connection with the new Catholic
Church, Elora, is, so far, a great success.
Three thousand tickets has been issued
and sold, over five hundred having been
disposed of in New York City. For a
local effort, this surpasses anything of
the kind we have heard of in Ontario.

We have hitherto neglected to mention
the improvement that has been made by
friend Innes in the Guelph MERCURY.
This capital journal has lately received a
new dress throughout, and now presents
a very attractive appearance. The MER-
CURY is a credit to its publisher, and de-
serves the warm support it receives at the
hands of the reading public.—Galt Re-
porter.

INDECENT ASSAULT.—Last night a
woman, apparently about thirty years of
age, was assaulted with intent by three
or four young men, who, about 6 o'clock,
dragged her into a lane off Macdonnell
Street, committed an indecent assault,
and otherwise struck and abused her—
blackening her eye, &c. She has iden-
tified one of the men named Hoban, a
painter, who has been arrested. Chief
Constable Kelly is in search for the others,
who, we hope, will be brought to justice.
The woman appears to have been very
badly used.

MEDICAL.—The citizens in the neigh-
borhood of the Erasmus bridge were on
Thursday night made the recipients of a
flattering compliment at the hands of a
mediant musician who appeared to be
laboring under a severe attack of "Candy
cane," and who bellowed forth the ex-
perience of his soul in the words of the
song "Come, Put Me in My Little Bed."
No one volunteering to perform that kind
service he departed to try his luck else-
where, much to the delight of his un-
willing hearers, who frequently commended
him in "language plain" as an instru-
ment of torture to the keeper of pande-
monium.

GUELPH POLICE COURT.
Feb. 2, 1872.
John Mapletiff, alias Benj. Plant, who
was yesterday taken out of Milton jail,
was charged with stealing a revolver and
watch from Isaac Dingman, Township of
Erin, on the 19th January, 1871. He
was remanded till next Thursday.

Louis Napoleon enjoys in life a
sort of posthumous fame—a single hair
from his head (probably obtained from
his valet or chambermaid) being recently
sold for a handsome price at a fancy fair
in London. We have never been able
exactly to comprehend the passion of
man kind for relics like this; but the
inclined to attribute it partly to the desire
which most people have for possessing
something exclusively or almost exclusi-
vely.

THIS MORNING'S DESPATCHES
BY TELEGRAPH
The Lehigh R. R. Disaster.
Names of the Killed.
**Thiers on Republican Gov-
ernment.**
A Staff Officer Executed.
President Grant's Reception

Saratoga, Pa., Feb. 2.—The following
are the names of the passengers killed by
the accident on the Lehigh Valley Rail-
road: Julius Smith, Mrs. Proctorius, wife
of Prof. Proctorius, of Wilkesbarre, Pa.,
Miss Miller, Wm. Stills, and his wife and
daughter, of Reading, Pa.

London, Feb. 2.—In a recent conver-
sation with Gen. Billot President Thiers is
reported to have said, "I am sincerely in
favor of a moderate Republic, and have
long thought it possible, but I now see
that I was mistaken, and that a Republic
cannot exist, even with my aid. I am
compelled to seek the happiness of the
country elsewhere."

Havana, February 2.—The steamship
Morro Castle, from New York, arrived
this morning with a large number of dis-
tinguished New Yorkers on a pleasure
trip.

Ariza, Chief of Staff of Gen. Hernan-
dez, has been executed at Sancti Spiriti.
It is officially announced that Cespedes
is still in Cuba.

Washington, Feb. 2.—At the President's
reception last night there was the largest
crowd seen at the White House on any
similar occasion for years.

NEWS PARAGRAPHS.
Diphtheria is prevailing to an
alarming extent in Vermont.
Trachemontagne has been senten-
ced to two months' imprisonment.
The German authorities have pro-
hibited the sale of French newspapers in
the streets of Strasburg.
An intelligent composer pleas-
antly alludes to "Alexis, the noble Russ,"
as "Alexis, the noble Kuss."

Lauder contemplates introducing
a bill to prohibit the use of the Gaelic
language during election contests.
If a man has two wives at the
same time, it is called bigamy; but when
he possesses a dozen, or thereabouts
it then becomes Brighamism.

Reports from the interior of Da-
kota state that the cold there has been
intense, and several persons have been
frozen to death.
A drover named McFarland broke
through the ice while driving sheep over
the St Lawrence at Prescott, and lost a
bag of gold containing \$2,500.

The new Government of Ontario
is popular with all classes in Central
Canada, and the success of the new Ad-
ministration will have a marked effect on
the Dominion elections.
The British Livingstone Relief
Expedition is now organized, and will
start immediately in search of the great
African traveller. £3,000 has subscribed
for the purpose, at the Lord Mayor's
meeting, a few nights since.

The London Herald says the cor-
poration of London discovered an error
of £20 in their accounts. A professional
accountant was called in and fixed the
thing right. His charge was £482.

An exhibition is to be held in
Vienna in 1873, for which a building is
erecting nearly a mile in length. This is
a new thing in Austria, and doubtless the
opportunity of making his people ac-
quainted with American productions will
be availed of by our manufacturers and
others.

The difficulty of obtaining sittings
in Mr. Beecher's church is about to be
partially remedied. Many of the pew
holders have agreed to rent their pews for
the evening service. "This is at it
should be," said Mr. Beecher last Sunday
evening. "One sermon carefully listened
to is enough for any one to digest in a
day."

Suicide is not a crime at least
the Superior Court of Massachusetts take
that view of the matter. This decision is
arrived at in the case of the State vs.
Dennis. The defendant was indicted for
attempting to kill himself, and the judges
have ruled that the attempt at *felo de se*
is not, by the statute, an attempt to com-
mit murder.

Death of an Old Settler in Hatton.
(From the Hamilton Times.)
We record to-day the death of an old
and highly respected Canadian, Colonel
George Chisholm, who died on Wednesday
evening at the residence of his son, Capt.
George B. Chisholm, of Oakville, in the
80th year of his age. He was born at
Erin on the 16th September, 1792, and
was the youngest son of George Chish-
olm, sen., who was a U. E. Loyalist, and
settled on the north shore of Burlington
Bay in 1794, and died there in 1842—said
to have been at the advanced age of 100
years. Col. Chisholm took an active
part in the war of 1812. He belonged to
the first flank company of volunteers, and
fought in the battle of Queenston, where
General Brock was killed, and took part
in nearly all the battles that were fought
at that time on the Canadian frontier.
At the battle of Lundy's Lane he com-
manded a company. He was one of the
party who went over with Col. Bishop
and burned what there was at that time
of Buffalo. He was present when the
steamer *Caroline* was sent over Niagara
Falls in 1837, and took the colors off
this boat and kept them for several years
towards, but gave them to Captain Mc-
Cormick, who was returning to England,
but first exacted a promise from him that
he would always hoist them on the 29th
of December. In 1837 he was gazetted
Lieutenant-Colonel, and in 1838 Colonel.
When the Rebellion of 1837 broke out, he
proceeded with the late Sir Allan McNab
to Toronto (then York) with 72 volunteers
and marching up to the City Hall, they
found the late Chief Justice Robinson keep-
ing sentry; he supplied them with G. V.
Government arms and ammunition. This was
on the 5th of December, 1837; on the 7th
of December, when, back of York, crossing
a field to drive the rebels from a piece of
woods, a ball from the enemy struck the
stock of his musket, partially splitting it,
and remaining in the stock. This musket
was afterwards presented to him by Sir
Francis Bond Head, with an address, in
which he thanked him for his loyalty and
bravery. Sir Francis exacted the promise
that he would not part with the
musket, and it now remains with the
Colonel's family. In 1851, his wife died,
since which time he has lived with his
sons. He leaves him surviving one
daughter and five sons, the youngest of
whom is D. B. Chisholm, Esq., our pre-
sent Mayor. There are many old settlers
yet living who relate with pleasure many
acts of kindness which they received at
the hands of Colonel Chisholm when
they first landed on Canadian soil. His
house was always open to the stranger,
and he was never known to send any
empty away. His thorough knowledge
of the Chippawa Indian language enabled
him to be of great service to the Govern-
ment and people in an early day when
the Indians abounded in this part of the
country. He possessed a constitution of
unusual power, and during the whole of
his eventful life he was entirely free from
sickness until within a few weeks before
his death, when his constitution began to
give way, and he died in perfect peace,
without any apparent pain, and retaining
his mental power to the last. During a
great part of his life he took an active
part in the politics of his country, and
was always allied to the Conservative
party. He belonged to the Masonic frater-
nity, and was among the oldest Masons
in this part of the country. There are
few men of his generation now living,
and we part with them with regret, for
they were a noble, self-sacrificing body
of men, and did much to open up and
settle this beautiful country. Of Colonel
Chisholm it may be truly said, "another
landmark is gone."

Malignant Outrage in Nassagaweya.
Last Wednesday evening Mr. William
Gampbell, a teamster employed by Alex.
Nairn, Esq., of Rockwood, and living on
a lot of that gentleman's in Nassagaweya
Township, had two of his horses horribly
cut by some fiend. Campbell says he
put the horses into the stable about six
o'clock, and at nine, when he went out
to fix them for the night, he found that
two of them had been cut on the hind
legs above the knee, one of them having
its leg nearly cut through, and the other
was hounded so that both of them had
to be killed to put an end to their sufferings.
Whoever had done this dastardly and
brutal act must have known the promises
and horses thoroughly, as the third horse
being horses was not touched, although
standing between the other two. Camp-
bell can assign no reason for the outrage,
as he has always lived in amity with
all his neighbors, and has had no quarrel
with any of them. We believe it is the
intention to ask the authorities to offer a
reward for the perpetrator, and we hope
that both they and the whole neighbor-
hood will do all they can to bring to jus-
tice the despicable being who has dumb
the means of slow murdering poor dumb
animals, besides depriving a poor man of
his means of livelihood.

The Wimbledon Team Di-pute.
A meeting of the Ontario Rifle Associa-
tion was held in Toronto last week to
receive the report of the Captain of the
Wimbledon Team. Lieut.-Col. Skinner
presented his report, and also paid over
to the Association the sum of \$1,938 59.
It appeared that the total amount contrib-
uted by the people of this Province, and
the winnings of the Team, was over
\$8,000. The question arises—What
right has the Rifle Association to this
surplus money, which was contributed
mainly by the Municipality of Ontario?
It was understood that the money sub-
scribed would be fairly divided among
the men, if there was anything left over
after paying expenses—and we would like
to know how the large balance of nearly
\$2,000 tallies with the statement made
to the men in London by Lieut.-Colonel
Skinner, when he declared he was nearly
\$100 out of pocket himself after paying
his men off. There is a contradiction
somewhere which requires explanation,
and it will not do for Col. Skinner to
attempt to hush it up. The truth must
be told—and the sooner it is done the
better. What say our Hamilton contem-
poraries?—Dundas Banner.

Ontario Legislature.
Feb. 1.
In reply to Mr. Hodgins,
Mr. Blake said the Government did not
intend to introduce any measure this
Session to increase the representation of
the people in the Legislature under the
late census, or to equalize the represen-
tation of the constituencies on the basis
of population.

Mr. Prince moved an address to His
Excellency the Governor-General, pray-
ing that he will be pleased to cause to be
initiated in the Parliament of Canada, a
measure tending towards the transfer of
the management of the Fisheries of Onta-
rio to the Local Government.

After some explanations the motion
was withdrawn.
The debate on Mr. Lauder's motion for
a Committee of Enquiry into the South
Grey election was resumed by Mr. Mc-
Kellar, who said that, as one of the pris-
oners at the bar, he supposed he should
be allowed to say a few words in refer-
ence to the grave charges which had been
made against the President of the Coun-
cil and himself. It had been alleged that
he gave instructions to a Mr. Lewis to
proceed to the township of Proton, to
make certain statements which had ap-
peared in the newspapers. He then read
that part of Mr. Lewis's letter, already
published, referring to what had passed
between Mr. McKellar and him. He re-
peated what had been said before, that he
told Lewis nothing he (Mr. McKellar)
had not stated in the House when in Op-
position, nothing he would not state at
that moment, nothing but that which
was the perfectly well understood policy
of the Government. He confirmed all
that had been said as to the course Mr.
Lauder was pursuing in Grey and the
misrepresentations in which he was in-
dulging during his canvass, both as to
the Railway Subsidy and the re-valuation
of the lands. He went on to show how
hypocritical was the conduct of the mem-
bers of the late Administration in pro-
tending to object to the intervention of
the Government in elections, giving in-
stances in which they had grossly and
improperly interfered by their agents.
He recalled the dishonesty of Mr. Lau-
der's political career and rallied him un-
mercifully upon his appearances in the
House.

Mr. Lauder made a somewhat rambling
speech, he endeavored to contradict the
charge of having been the first to publish
the slanders on which he had founded
motion his inquiry. But, although he
declared that two of the affidavits had
first appeared without his intervention
in a country paper, he could not deny
that he had sent the remainder, along
with the private letter addressed to him-
self, the organ that had repeated them
day after with its own highly coloured
and exaggerated comments.

Mr. M. C. Cameron assailed the Com-
missioner of Public Works for having
permitted for sanctioned Lewis's visit to
Grey; and then endeavored to show
that all the acts of the late Govern-
ment in relation to the Protest settlers' claims
during the recent election were merely
coincidences and had no motive of the
kind imputed.

Mr. Mackenzie followed, rebuking the
late Ministers for inaugurating a system-
atic policy of slander and vilification.
He gave instances of the same in refer-
ence to elections, and exposed their
mode of manipulating the Improvement
Fund in Perth in order to aid the return
of Mr. Monteith, the Ministerial candidate.
He concluded by moving an amendment,
which reads as follows:—

"A W. Lauder, Esq., a member of this
House, having stated in this place that
he had in his possession certain affidavits
of John McDowell, John Abbot, William
Hughes, William Robinson, and James
May, and a letter from Richard Ludlow
to the said A. W. Lauder, copies whereof
were published in the *Daily Telegraph*
newspaper in January, 1872, to the effect
that John W. Lewis, during the late elec-
tion in South Grey, told some of the elec-
tors that he was authorized by the Gov-
ernment and by the Hon. J. Blake to make
certain statements and give certain
pledges, a Select Committee be appointed
to enquire into and report upon the
matter stated in the said documents and
into the circumstances connected with
the alleged improper interference of
Lewis in the election, and the authority
on which he acted. Such committee to
have power to send for persons, papers
and records and report thereon to the
House, and that such a committee consist
of Messrs. Rykert, Pardoe, Macdonald
(Leeds), Galbraith, Boulter and Prince."

Mr. Sandfield Macdonald charged Mr.
Mackenzie with being a restive member,
and then proceeded to deliver himself of
a characteristically discursive address.
Mr. M. C. Cameron protested against the
proposal to substitute the amendment for
Mr. Lauder's resolution.
Mr. Gow said that the Government
wished to give every facility for enquiry.
What was the difference between the
motion of the member for South Grey
and the amendment? It was simply this
—that the amendment wished to connect
the charge with the affidavits said to be
in the possession of the member for
South Grey, instead of connecting it with
a newspaper reports. The whole charge
was a trumped-up one, and this would be
shown when the matter came before the
Committee. (Hear, hear.)

After further discussion, the Speaker
put the amendment, which was carried.
Yeas 43, nays 19.

The nays are:—Messrs. Boulter, Cam-
eron, Corby, Coyne, Ferguson, Fitz-
simmons, Giffard, Grange, Hamilton,
Harrington, Lauder, McCall, McCallum,
Macdonald (Leeds), McManus, McLae,
Merrick, Monteith, Richards.

Mr. Cameron moved that Mr. Hamil-
ton's name be added to the Committee.
Lost, 13 for, 48 against.

Mr. Lauder moved that his name be
struck out of the motion, as it was not
now his. Lost, 13 for, 43 against.

Mr. Gow laid on the table the official
regulations of the Council of Public In-
struction for Ontario as to the Public
and High Schools.

WELL PUT.—Horace Greeley, in reply
to a paragraph in the *New York World*,
that he would be pleased to see a statue
of himself erected in New York, says:—
"This seems to afford Mr. G. a fair op-
portunity to say that he would not be
pleased, much less charged, by the erec-
tion of any statue of himself while he
lives. After he is dead—an event which
he does not care to hasten, even for the
sake of a statue—if any should see fit to
erect a statue or marble above his dust, he
can make no objection; but, so long as he
shall remain in the flesh, he is content
with the stones thrown at him promiscu-
ously, and would rather not have any of
them consolidated in a statue."

TO THOSE IN ARREARS.

All Parties who have had Accounts rendered them, for Job Printing or Advertising, or whose Subscriptions to THE MERCURY are due, are requested to call at the Office at once, and settle the same.

THE PROTON CASE AGAIN.

The Opposition are in very bad luck this session. Every attempt they have made to fasten a charge on the Government, or to embarrass them has been entirely futile, and the charge has, instead of injuring the Ministry, recoiled on the head of the Opposition. Look at the sad failure made by Mr. M. C. Cameron in his charge that Mr. Blake had endeavored to influence Mr. E. B. Wood to tender his resignation before the break up of the late Government. Then, we have another case in point in the attempt Mr. Lauder has made to prove that the present Government, through the late agent, Mr. Lewis, sought to intimidate and influence the electors in Proton into voting for Mr. Dickey, the Reform candidate. The matter was brought up some days ago by Mr. Lauder, who gave notice of motion, and when the orders of the day were called on Monday he was very conveniently absent. But Mr. Blake, determined not to allow Mr. Lauder get out of it in this fashion, gave notice of a motion for the appointment of a committee to inquire into the charges made against himself and Hon. Mr. McKellar, with power to send for papers, papers and records. Mr. Lauder, seeing that he was cornered, got up on Wednesday and moved for the appointment of a select committee to inquire into the truth of the affidavits published respecting the influence which it is alleged was used to induce the electors of Proton to vote against him. In bringing up his motion he said he was quite willing the Government would oppose the motion.

This at first would strike one as something curious, seeing Mr. Lauder affected to be so inquisitive at the alleged intimidation of his constituents. But, before Mr. Blake concluded his speech, the mystery was easily explained. The Premier made a most splendid speech, in which he not only showed up the hypocrisy of Mr. Lauder, but dealt the Toronto Telegraph a most telling blow for circulating so many falsehoods in reference to this and other cases. He showed that while Mr. Lauder professed to know nothing as to the truth or falsity of the charges, he was the real instigator of the accusations made by the Telegraph, which at the same time he was trying to get out of any responsibility attaching to them. But the Premier did not stop here. He turned the tables completely against the late Government by showing that they, and not the present Government, had sought to influence the electors of Proton, and in conjunction and at the instigation of Mr. Lauder had attempted to bribe these electors into voting for Lauder. This was proved beyond a doubt by reading a letter from Hon. Mr. Wood (then Provincial Treasurer) to Lauder in which the promise is made that the amount of the Improvement Fund paid in since Confederation on Grammar School lands would be paid over to the respective Municipalities. Also that on the very day the House met an Order in Council was passed, recommending that the valuations of Messrs. Lewis and Thornburn be taken up, and each individual case dealt with. Immediately following this, came out from the Crown Lands office the printed notice to settlers, giving promise of a reduction in the price of their lands, and Mr. Lauder's clerk, while the notice was in the printer's hands, came and got 150 copies to distribute through the South Riding of Grey.

A more crushing expose we never before witnessed. Here were grave charges brought against the present Government, at by an obsequious tool of the late one. But instead of fastening these charges on any member of the present Government they are thrown back on the heads of Mr. Lauder and the members of the defunct Combination, and it is proved on the most incontestible evidence that there was collusion between Lauder and the members of that Combination, and that they exercised every influence they could bring to bear in favor of Lauder's election.

The deliberations of the Geneva Conference seem to be creating some uneasiness in London. The pretensions of the Americans to secure excessive damages have created a good deal of indignation, and if they are pressed we think the old lion will show his teeth, and prepare for the worst.

FREDERICK FRIEND, one of the veterans of the war of 1812, died in New York on Monday, aged 82. He was born in Prussia in 1790, and came to this country when five years old, with his father, Angel Friend, who was the first maker and importer of clocks in New York. The deceased aided Robert Fulton in constructing the first steamboat that ascended the North River.

Messrs. Hay & Gordon, of Listowel, railway contractors, are getting everything in readiness to commence vigorous work along the line of the southern extension of the W. G. & B. R.

Having used Fellows' Compound Syrup Hypophosphites for some time in my practice, I have no hesitation in recommending it to my patients who are suffering from General Debility, or any Disease of the Lungs, knowing that even in cases of Asthma, it is a most reliable.

H. G. Ayer, M.D.

Working Men's Club.

An adjourned meeting of the Working Men's Club was held on Thursday evening, in the Temperance Hall, for the purpose of electing officers and confirming by-laws. The attendance was good, and the business of the evening went into with spirit. Mr. M. McLean occupied the chair.

After the reading of the minutes, Mr. Read laid the constitution and by-laws, drawn up by the committee for that purpose, before the meeting, which with a few amendments were adopted.

The following officers were then elected, to hold office for the three months dating from January 1st:— President, John Read (of Inglis & Hunter's); 1st Vice-President, Osgoode Anderson (of Crowe's Foundry); 2nd Vice-President, A. S. Hardy (of McLeod & Wood's Factory); Secretary, Matthew Tinker (of Raymond's No. 2 Factory); Treasurer, A. H. Goodeve (of Raymond's No. 1 Factory).

COMMITTEE.—J. B. Vernal (Bell's Factory); John Rudd (McLeod & Wood's Factory); Mills & Goodfellow's; J. H. Martin, H. H. Maddock (Raymond's No. 2 Factory); Jas. Curtis (Boul's); Jas. Sparks (Guelph Sewing Machine Co.); Wm. Horning (Sunley's); Wm. Bowmie (Guelph Machine and Tool Co.); Chas. Maddock (Raymond's No. 1 Factory); F. Barber (Harley & Murchy's); J. A. Davidson (MERCURY Office).

A large number subscribed their names to the roll, and the club is now in a promising condition, and to judge from the interest taken in the project by the working men of the town it will prove a decided success.

Jas. Fisk, Jr.—The London Telegraph speaks of the late James Fisk, jr., as "the most distinguished representative of American civilization." What a compliment! According to that, American civilization must consist of ignorance, vulgarity, pretension, adroit villainy and licentiousness. No! Fisk was an exercise of our civilization, not its representative. He was a foul and monstrous growth out of a hotbed of corruption, and no more represented our best or civilized society than jimson weed does the vegetable kingdom, or Victor Hugo's sea-devil the whole finny tribe. What would have been said of an American writer who should describe the late George Hudson, member of Parliament, as a model of English mercantile character, or the famous woman Anonyma, to whom the Times devoted its laborious columns, as a specimen of the English "girl of the period"? Yet these creatures were for a time the most conspicuous objects in Hotten Bow, the clubs, the newspapers, and, if we mistake not, in some fashionable novels. The London writers do not seem to know the difference between the legitimate products and the notorious outcasts of society.—New York Post.

MANY suffer rather than take nauseous medicines. All who suffer from coughs, colds, irritation of the bronchial tubes or tendency to consumption, will find in Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry a remedy as agreeable to the palate as effectual in removing disease. The Balsam is a pleasant remedy; it is a safe remedy; it is a powerful remedy; it is a speedy remedy; it is a remedy that cures.

New Advertisements.

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The Subscriber has received instructions to sell by Public Auction ON FAIR DAY, AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M. ON THE MARKET SQUARE, 1 dark bay mare seven years old, 1 light, 4 sets single harness, 2 sets double harness, 2 cutters, 1 pleasure sleigh, 1 pair bobs nearly new, Buffalo robes, &c., &c. No reserve. Terms cash. THOS. H. TAYLOR, Auctioneer, Guelph, Feb. 1, 1872.

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LOOK HERE. I am having horses suffering from Ring Bone, Bone Spavin, Blood Spavin, Curbs, Splints &c., can have these ailments effectually removed in a very short space of time and at small expense by applying to JOSEPH HICKOCK, Union Hotel, Guelph, Jan. 31st, 1872. dwlm.

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ALL ACTS NEW AND ORIGINAL!! Nothing said or done to offend the most fastidious. Doors open at 7; performance to commence at 8. Price of admission as usual. Guelph, Feb. 2, 1872. 43

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Friday Ev'ng, 2nd Feb'y

ADMISSION 15 CENTS.

Tickets to be had at the Rink. Doors open at 7 o'clock. Season tickets the same as last year, to be had at the office of the Secretary, CHAS. DAVIDSON, Sec. Guelph, 30th Jan., 1872.

Wellington, Grey & Bruce Railway

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Notice to Contractors

TENDERS are invited for the construction of the Southern Extension of the Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railway FROM LISTOWEL In the Township of Wallace, TO LUCKNOW in the township of Kinkos—a distance of 42 miles.

Plans and Specifications may be seen at the Offices of the Company, Canada Life Assurance Buildings, James Street, Hamilton, on and after the 27th inst. Tenders marked "Tenders for Construction of Southern Extension," addressed to the Secretary, will be received up to noon of Friday, the 16th of Feb., 1872 W. McCULLOUGH, Secretary, Hamilton, Jan. 27, 1872. W. MCGIVERN, President. td.

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Guelph Evening Mercury

THURSDAY EVENING, FEB. 1, 1872

HELEN MOIR

Love and Honour.

A TALE OF THE CLYDE.

CHAPTER XIV.

HELEN EXPERIENCES THE HOUR AND POWER OF DARKNESS—PERPLEXITY OF RITCHIE DUNLOP—HE MAKES AN AMAZING DISCOVERY.

But she did triumph. The temptation was overcome, and the tempter fled, as he ever does when defeated. This was within the first hour of her seclusion—the rest of the time being taken up with preparing herself for the coming interview with Hermann. She dreaded that interview with a dread beyond expression, for she foresaw the struggle she would have with her lover. Well she knew how incredibly he would receive the intimation of her decision—how utterly he would oppose it, how wildly he would struggle against it. This she anticipated as the hardest, the very hardest of her work—the sight of his anguished heart, and she compelled to inflict the wounds which lacerated it. Her own suffering she could summon courage to bear, but the prospect of witnessing his overwhelmed her, and she spent more than an hour in fortifying herself with thoughts and arguments by which she might fortify him, and bring him to see and acknowledge that the separation was a duty which honour demanded. She succeeded but ill in this task, and came to see that she must just trust to the inspiration of the moment for the weapons wherewith she would fight his generous and loving opposition and the persuasions by which she would lead him up the steep thorny sides of the mountain of sacrifice.

It was now the middle of the afternoon, and Hermann was to return from Glasgow at six. She had promised to meet him at the boat, and saunter with him through the quiet woods along the heights, from the openings in which splendid views could be had across the river, and northward among the crowded mountains at the head of the loch. When that appointment was made in the morning, it was in anticipation of a long, delightful evening ramble, during which they would again quaff the delicious cup of love, and picture for each other the ecstasies of a future which they had so rapturously hallooed many golden evenings already.

Alas, what a cloud had come upon their sky since then—a cloud whose presence was as yet known to Helen alone, and in the dismal shadow of which it was her hapless fate to bring Hermann's bright unsuspecting spirit. They would indeed meet, and walk whether they intended, but, oh, the expected joy and gladness would be absent, and in their stead the bitterness of grief and desolation would shroud them in murkiest gloom.

Mrs. Allerton and Helen dined alone, and it tried Helen's firmness to the utmost to maintain something like her usual calmness and serenity so as not to attract the notice of her companion, and draw forth questions as to the cause of her distress. Her good friend Mrs. Allerton, most of course soon knew all, and Helen had a wistful longing to throw her head on that warm motherly bosom, and receive the soothing sympathy which she knew would be tenderly vouchsafed. But not yet. She must not yet give even Mrs. Allerton her confidence. Not until she had seen Hermann and got through the sad, sad parting scene would it be right to make another acquainted with the astounding blow that had fallen. He whom it concerned so vitally must be the very first to whom her lips should be opened on the appalling subject—afterwards, with the yearning of a crushed heart, would she come to that tender and affectionate bosom for the solace which she knew she there should find.

For the present she had to practice a little deception. She had to hide the aching pain of her soul, and do her best to appear placid and undisturbed. She succeeded only indifferently well. All her firmness could not wholly conceal the inward anguish, and once and again Mrs. Allerton took notice of her paleness and languor, which, however, with unsuspecting readiness, the good lady attributed to the heat—an idea which Helen was careful not to contradict.

So the meal was safely got through with, and shortly after as it was drawing near to the hour of the boat's arrival, she set forth to the terrible meeting, her beating heart refusing to be schooled into that firmness which was so necessary for the coming ordeal.

Meanwhile we shall leave her to proceed with slow and heavy step along the shady road toward Hunter's Quay, and turn our attention for a little to Ritchie Dunlop, and describe the way in which he had been spending the intervening hours of that bright, sultry summer day. In connection with Ritchie, some things of much interest and importance had been trans-

piring, and with these it is as well that the reader should now be acquainted.

The momentous conversation which had taken place between Helen and Ritchie in the churchyard had left the latter in a state of painful perplexity and bewilderment. It is not too much to say that Ritchie's honest, simple mind had been thrown into utter chaos, and his large tender heart made sore with sorrow. His chief feeling for the moment, however, was that of unmitigated perplexity, mixed with wrathfulness, and almost every minute it found expression in the one question, repeated and reiterated—

"Hoo the 'devil could that cursed Frenchman come tao ken o't?"

This was what amazed and puzzled him so excessively. Here was a secret known, as he believed, to no mortal but himself—a secret so old now, and so thoroughly cast into oblivion, that for years back it had come but seldom up into the region of his thoughts from the silent depths of his memory—in the possession of the greatest scoundrel who, in Ritchie's estimation, walked the earth. That it should be known to any one was a great and inscrutable mystery—that it should be known to Victor Dubosque made the circumstance ten times more mysterious and incomprehensible.

IS LUCK.—The editor of the Collingwood *Bulletin* the other day was waited on by a number of gentlemen, and presented with a well-filled purse for his manly defence of morality and right.

BREAKFAST—EPPS'S COCOA.—GRATEFUL 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 flavored beverage which may save us many heavy doctor bills.—*Chief Service Gazette.* Made simply with boiling water or milk. Each packet is labelled "James Epps & Co., Homeopathic Chemists, London." Also, makers of Epps's Milky Cocoa (Cocoa and Condensed Milk).

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

CALL
At Howard's

Where you can get the Best Value for your Money be had in Guelph.

Guelph, Aug. 1, 1871

COAL, COAL
MURTON & REID,
Ontario COAL YARDS,

HAVE received and are receiving a large stock of Delaware, Lackawanna and Western R. R. Co's

COAL

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

This Coal, for general use, is the best article in the market. LOW FOR CASH.
All other coals, such as Briar Hill Mount Morris, Lehigh and Blossburg, in large quantities Order early and secure your stock at present prices. Office—James Street, one door south of the Canada Life Assurance Co., Hamilton.
MURTON & REID, Guelph
Ad 25, 1872.

ELECTRO

Carriage Plating Shop!

THE undersigned begs to inform the Public that he has purchased the business of the late E. J. Robinson, and that he intends to carry it on in all its branches. Prices, &c., as usual. Small articles plated from 10c and upwards. Country orders promptly attended to. He has a new moved his

New Machine & Repairing Shop

To the same premises, where all orders in that line will be promptly attended to.

Guelph, Jan 10, 1872 JOHN KIRKHAM, dt'

CASH FOR WOOL

Hides, Sheep Skins, Calf Skins and Wool Pickings.

THE highest market price paid for the above at No. 4, Gordon Street, by the old bank, and by Mr. PATERSON'S, constantly on hand or sale at

D. MOITON'S
Guelph, May 20th, 1871 dt'

NOW OPEN AT THE "LION"

The Spot Where the Good Substantial Scotch and English Goods Are.

HUNDREDS OF CASES THOUSANDS OF WEBS!

—THE—
Largest, Newest and Cheapest
Stock ever Shown in Guelph

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

CHANCE & WILLIAMSON,

THE ONLY DRY GOODS IMPORTERS IN THE TOWN

PATERSON & CO.

Successors to James Massie & Co.
Importers and Wholesale
Grocers,

ALMA BLOCK, WYNDHAM STREET,

ARE now receiving at their warehouses the: Fall Importations of

Choice New Crop Teas
Fine Coffees
Raw and Refined Sugars
Wines and Liquors
and General Groceries

To which they invite the special attention of the Trade.

PATERSON & Co. dw

Guelph, October 10th, 1871

NEW GROCERY STORE

Next to Petrie's Drug Store.

SCROGGIE & NEWTON

Beg to announce to the inhabitants of Guelph and surrounding country that they have just opened out an entirely new and carefully selected stock of first-class

Groceries, Glass, Crockery and Earthenware

WINE AND LIQUORS, &c.

Which they are prepared to sell at as low rates for cash as any other store in the town of Guelph.

CHOICE TEAS, comprising all the favorite brands

NEW FRUITS

TOBACCO, smoking and chewing.

WINE AND LIQUORS.—The finest Port and Sherry

Wines, Brandies, Rum, Gin, Ale and Porter. The finest

Rye, Malt and Toddy Whiskies.

The public generally are cordially invited to call and examine our Stock of Goods, as we are confident that they can be supplied at our Store with as good and cheap articles as can be found in any other establishment in town.

Be sure and note the address—next door to Petrie's Drug Store.

October 26th dw SCROGGIE & NEWTON

DOMINION SALOON BILLIARDS

FRESH OYSTERS IN EVERY STYLE.

CONNOR'S BILLIARD HALL

"QUEEN'S" HOTEL,
OPPOSITE THE MARKET
Refitted in the Latest Fashion. Five Late style Pool Tables.

Jackson & Hallett

IMPORTERS

TEAS

General Groceries,

Wines and Liquors

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS!

WYNDHAM STREET GUELPH.

HAVE just received in store
350 Packages

OF
NEW SEASON TEAS

Consisting of Moynes, Fine Young Hysona Gunpowders, Imperials, Japans and Twankays;

500 Boxes, Butts & Catties

—OF—
TOBACCO

American and Canadian Brands; also, a full stock of General Groceries

COFFEES, SUGARS

&c. &c. &c.

FOREIGN and DOMESTIC

LIQUORS

Hotel Keepers and Families supplied with pure Brandies, Rums, Gins, Wines, Old Irish, Scotch and Canadian Whiskies from the best distilleries.

Manilla Cheroots, Foreign and Domestic Cigars.

JUST RECEIVED direct from Goderich

Barrels Fine New Dairy Salt in Good Order;

Half Barrels Trout and White Fish and Lake Herring.

JACKSON & HALLETT,
General Grocers, Wyndham-Street,
Guelph, Sept 26, 1871 dw

Direct Importations!

JAMES CORMACK

No. 1, Wyndham st.

HAS much pleasure in announcing the arrival of a large portion of his Fall Goods in

English and Canadian

Woolens

Which he will make to order in the most fashionable and newest styles.

Also—a fine assortment of FLOYD'S CLOTHING very nice and cheap, made in London, England and a large assortment of Mens'

Ready-made Clothing

AND FURNISHING GOODS.

You will here find one of the largest and most attractive stocks in the Dominion, and at most reasonable prices.

JAMES CORMACK,

No. 1, Wyndham-st
Guelph, Oct. 1, 1871 dw

Guelph Lumber Yard

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

UPPER WYNDHAM-ST.

Where they intend keeping on hand all kinds of

LUMBER

Lath, Shingles, Waterlime, and

Flour and Feed as usual

Bill Stuff Cut to Order!

We hope by strict attention to business to merit a share of public patronage.

Douglas & Cameron,
Guelph, Jan 19, 1872. dt'

NEW GOODS

AT
William Stewart's

NEW
Breakfast Shawls and Sortags.

NEW
Water proof Tweeds --- Cheap.

NEW
Lavender Kid Gloves.

NEW
Dress Goods --- some special Lines.

NEW
Gloves and Hosiery

NEW
Table Linens and Table Napkins.

NEW
White Quilts and Toilet Covers.

NEW
Fur Sets --- really good and cheap.

NEW
Shirting and Scarlet Flannels, old prices.

NEW
Ties, Bows and Shirts for Gentlemen.

NEW
Harvard Shirts

NEW
Clouds and Scarfs

NEW
Hats, Feathers and Flowers.

NEW
Vestings---choice patterns.

NEW
Coatings & Trousing

A lot of Antimaccassars, beautiful goods, bought cheap; price less than cost of wool.

WM. STEWART.

Guelph, Dec 7, 1871 dw

HEATHER'S STOVE and PLOUGH DEPOT.

THE Subscriber would call the attention of the Public to KINNEY'S Patent Improvement in Stove Furnaces, by which, by Kettles, Frying Pans, etc. are so constructed that all smoke, smell and steam from frying meat or other cooking, are conducted up the chimney as perfectly as in the old fashioned fire place. Ladies, give them a trial!

Sole Agent for Guelph

WM. HEATHER,
Corner of Woolwich Street and Ermosa Road

A good assortment of

STOVES, TINWARE AND PLOUGHS

A LITERARY TREAT.—Mr Bayard Taylor lectured the other evening in London, on Schiller. The Advertiser speaking of the lecture says:—"The lecture of Mr Bayard Taylor on the life, writings and character of the poet Schiller, last night in Spettign Hall, proved as was expected, an intellectual feast of a superior kind. This was to have been anticipated by all our citizens whose literary culture has extended to German poetry, or whose knowledge of American literature includes the most casual acquaintance with the singularly gifted and accomplished gentleman, who last night appeared for the first time, we believe, before a Canadian audience. The lecture was written in smoothly flowing and powerful language and delivered in a tone and manner so absolutely free from any of those little eccentricities of style which make the common run of "American oratory" a byword, that the listener was always at a loss which most to admire, the man or his subject. Mr Taylor is ever calm, deliberate and perfectly self-possessed, never losing himself in a maze of word-picturing, and never rising to that mental excitement which is displayed by some of our countrymen, and which when he speaks every word goes home to the understanding, and there is a soul in its utterance, especially in the recitation of the poetic gems which aptly ornament his theme; that finds immediate response and calls forth involuntary applause." The *Times* of London writes in full attendance, and pronounced the lecture a very excellent one.

MANY people, particularly children, suffer with the ear ache; and for the benefit of such we give a sure and simple remedy. Put in two or three drops of Johnson's *Asiatic Liniment*, stop the ear with undressed wool, bathe the foot in warm water before going to bed, and keep the head warm at night.

CAPT. CHARLES SAGER, who keeps a superb stock of livery horses in Portland, Me., informed us recently that he uses *Sheridan's Cavalry Condition Powders*, regularly in his stables, and that the expense is more than offset by the diminished amount of grain necessary to keep his horses always in good order.

COMMERCIAL.

GUELPH MARKETS

MERCURY OFFICE, GUELPH.

February 2, 1872.

Flour, per 100 lbs.	\$ 3 00	\$ 2 25
Full Wheat, per bushel	1 25	1 22
Treadwell "	1 20	1 21
Spring Wheat "	1 16	1 17
Oats "	0 42	0 42
Peas "	0 68	0 70
Barley "	0 69	0 63
Eggs, per dozen	13 00	13 00
Straw, "	4 00	6 00
Wood, per cord	4 00	5 00
Butter, store packed, per lb.	0 14	0 15
" dairy packed, "	0 15	0 16
Potatoes, per bag	0 75	0 90
Apples, "	0 50	1 00
Sheepskins, each	0 63	1 25
Hides, per cwt	7 00	8 00
Dressed Hogs, per cwt.	4 50	5 25

HAMILTON MARKETS

HAMILTON, February 1, 1872.

Spring Wheat, per bushel	\$ 1 21	\$ 1 22
Full Wheat, "	1 20	1 23
Treadwell Wheat "	1 26	1 28
Red Winter Wheat "	1 22	1 23
Barley, per bushel	0 63	0 64
Peas, "	0 60	0 70
Oats, "	0 42	0 43
Butter, per lb roll	0 18	0 22
" tub, "	0 15	0 16
Potatoes, per bag	0 90	1 00
Apples, "	0 50	0 75
Dressed Hogs, per cwt.	5 00	5 25
Wool, per lb.	0 40	0 00

TORONTO MARKETS

TORONTO, February 1, 1872.

Spring Wheat, per bushel	\$ 1 20	\$ 1 22
Treadwell Wheat "	1 22	1 23
Barley, per bushel	0 66	0 67
Peas, "	0 60	0 70
Oats, "	0 43	0 44
Wool, per lb.	0 37	0 42

Husband—You have great faith, Mary, in the Pain-Killer. The Parson's wife and Mrs. Judge Jones are very positive in favor of it, but I am inclined to think that if it did all it professes to do, sickness and death would soon be out of fashion, if it cures everything.

Wife—The Parson's wife and Mrs. Judge Jones are not the only ones that I have heard strongly recommend the Pain-Killer, everywhere I go they have it and every body praises it, all the Liniments, Cholera Mixt res and Pain Medicines have disappeared since Perry Davis' agent came round. (To little boy) George, does your tooth ache, my dear?

George—No, mother, Pain-Killer stopped it.

Wife to Husband—The Pain-Killer does not profess to cure everything either in the directions about the bottle or in the "Annual," I have tried them carefully. It claims to be the best family medicine in existence. Perry Davis & Son do not say what it can do, but prove what it has done by giving certificates from reliable persons whose testimony cannot be doubted.

Husband—Do you think these certificates are bona fide, I believe they are made up to sell the goods.

Wife—Judge Jones was as incredulous as you till he wrote to Perry Davis & Son and was satisfied, they sent him a quart of certificates received from reliable parties within five miles of his own house.

Wife—The Pain-Killer is an internal and external remedy for pain, rheumatism, Croup, Spasms, sudden Colds and Bowel difficulties, a few drops in water will give immediate relief. As a liniment it will relieve neuralgic pains almost instantly. Be sure and get the genuine, made by Perry Davis & Son, and sold by Druggists and Grocers.

FELLOWS
COMPOUND SYRUP OF
HYPOPHOSPHITES

A Small life-endowed bodies, whether they be Beasts, Birds, Reptiles, Insects, or even Zoophytes, are subject to the Venereal Kingdom are generated by vital force, which binds all the springs of existence, and as nature can see them from destruction, when this principle leaves them, the discovery of means whereby vitality may be sustained in the living body is indeed a boon to the world.

Modern Chemistry has ventilated the question and discovered the ingredients constituting the brain, muscles and nerves, and has shown that by introducing these ingredients in proper proportions the brain and nervous system are strengthened.

The basis of the substance on which the Compound Hypophosphite is built, its direct action is upon the Blood, the Brain and Nerves, and the Muscles, strengthening the Nerves, it causes the rapid distribution of Vitalized Blood in the Muscular Organs of the Body.

It restores the Stagnant Heart and Liver, strengthening the Action of the Stomach and Bowels, and enabling the Lungs to be fully saturated with Oxygen.

It is adapted for all cases of Weakness and Excitability, whether arising from a debilitated life, a tropical climate, from fever, or debility from any cause, and is efficacious in Pulmonary Consumption, many confirmed cases having been cured and all benefited, where its use has been continued over a fortnight.

In Bronchitis it is a specific, and in Asthma it gives relief where every other remedy fails.

For Nervous Debility it stands unrivalled, and may be used with confidence in all cases.

As this is entirely distinct and different from every other preparation of Hypophosphites, be careful to ask for FELLOWS' SYRUP, and take no other.

J. HUNTER'S
New Chignons
BRAIDS AND SWITCHES

NEW
JEWELLERY

In Jet, Vulcanite and Dog Wood, Gold, Plated, Marquise and Silver.

A Great Variety of Small Wares

Fancy Woollen Goods,
WOOLS, &c.

J. HUNTER,
Berlin Wool, Fancy Goods and Toy Store,
Guelph, Jan 11, 1872

NEW MILLINERY SHOW ROOMS
MISS ELLIS

BEGS to inform the public, that she has just received a fresh lot of

Millinery Goods

SOLD BY APOTHECARIES
PRICE, 21.50, SIX FOR \$7.50
JAMES I. FELLOWS Chemist,
St. John's St. Guelph

GENERAL Fire and Life Insurance Agency.

OFFICES REPRESENTED

The Royal Fire and Life Insurance Company

Scottish Imperial Fire Insurance Company

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Isolated Risk Insurance Co's of Canada

Agricultural Insurance Co.

Etna Life Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn.

Travellers' Accident Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn.

The Hamilton Provident and Loan Society

Head Office, Hamilton, Ont.

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

Higinbotham & Walker

GENERAL AGENTS

GUELPH, ONT.

HIGINBOTHAM & WALKER

Real Estate Agents

HAVE THE FOLLOWING

VALUABLE PROPERTIES FOR SALE

THAT excellent farm situated on the Grand River, within 2 miles of the Village of Ferguson, consisting of 200 acres, 220 cleared, the balance in good hardwood. The farm is well fenced, with a plentiful supply of water. The buildings consist of one two-story dwelling house, two workmen's houses, bank barn with stables and root-houses under the same, all in good condition, there is also an excellent orchard with trees in full bearing. This is without exception one of the best farms in the County of Wellington, and well adapted for stock raising. Terms easy.

SMALL FARM, situated in the Township of Sarnafax on the Gravel Road, within three miles of the Village of Ferguson, consisting of 68 acres good land, with barns, &c. Will be sold cheap.

SMALL FARM situated in the Township of Nichol, within two miles of the Village of Ferguson, consisting of 73 acres excellent land, 58 cleared and the balance in hardwood. Fenced with a good supply of water. The buildings consist of a good low dwelling house; frame barn, with stone foundation, stables and sheds. The floor of the stables are paved with stone, all in good condition. Terms easy.

1761 ACRES in the Township of Rangeen, County of Bruce, about two miles from the thriving village of Port Elgin, an important station on the Wellington, Grey and Bruce R.R., 30 acres cleared, the balance covered with hemlock and hardwood, with a log house and a log barn. There is also a good water power on Snake Creek, with 14 feet head.

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

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

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

HIGINBOTHAM & WALKER,
Real Estate and Loan Agents, Guelph,
Sept 8, 1871.

Medical Dispensary

McCULLOUGH'S

Worm Powders

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

McCullough & Moore

GUELPH

WINE OF CALISAYA

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

PREPARED BY

McCULLOUGH & MOORE.

Also a superior quality of COAL OIL kept constantly on hand.

McCULLOUGH & MOORE,
Guelph, Jan. 20, 1872

JUST ARRIVED

J. HUNTER'S

New Chignons

BRAIDS AND SWITCHES

NEW
JEWELLERY

In Jet, Vulcanite and Dog Wood, Gold, Plated, Marquise and Silver.

A Great Variety of Small Wares

Fancy Woollen Goods,
WOOLS, &c.

J. HUNTER,
Berlin Wool, Fancy Goods and Toy Store,
Guelph, Jan 11, 1872

NEW MILLINERY SHOW ROOMS
MISS ELLIS

BEGS to inform the public, that she has just received a fresh lot of

Millinery Goods

IN ALL THE LATEST STYLES,
and respectfully solicits an early call.

One door east of the Royal Hotel
Guelph, Oct 5, 1871.

New Goods for the Holidays

AT

JOHN R. PORTE'S

Fine Gold Sets Brooch and (Ear-rings)

Brooches Earrings Guards Alberts

Fine Gold Necklets Lockets Finger Rings Studs Cuff Buttons

AND A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

GOLD PLATED JEWELLERY

Silver Thimbles, Tea Spoons, Chains,

ELECTRO-PLATED WARE

Castors, Breakfast and Dinner Butter Coolers, Cake Baskets, Children's Mugs, Salons, Butter Knives, Pickle Forks, Spoons and Forks of all kinds.

RODGER'S TABLE CUTLERY

Remember the name and

Guelph, Dec 10, 1871

JOHN R. PORTE,
Wyndham-Street, Guelph.

GUELPH CLOTH HALL

LINEN COLLARS

SHAW & MURTON

BEG to announce that they have imported

Direct from the Manufacturers

A large stock of Linen Collars and Cuffs, in the following kinds:

Marlborough Von Buest

Alexis Dickens

Byron Egbert Bishop

Florelce Jules Favre, &c.

SHAW & MURTON.

Wyndham Str Guelph, Jan 5, 1872

GUELPH CLOTH HALL

CO-OPERATIVE STORE.

Price List for December

DRY GOODS

Blankets, per pair.....\$2 00

Full Cloths, from.....45

All wool Tweeds.....65

New Winceys.....10

36 inches Horrocks Cotton.....12

Under-shirts and Drawers.....50

Women's Scarlet Hose, per pair.....35

Cross-covers.....40

Knitting Yarn, from.....40

White Fingering Yarn, per lb.....1 00

CLOTHING

Boys' Overcoats.....\$2 75

Men's do.....4 50

Men's All wool Vests.....2 00

Men's All wool Ties.....1 00

Cardigan Jackets.....1 25

Boys' Long Boots.....\$1 50 and \$2 00

Men's Blouses.....2 75 and 2 50

Men's Kip.....2 75 and 3 00

Men's Overcoats.....1 50 and 1 75

Women's do.....1 25 and 1 50

Misses do.....1 00

Children's do.....75

BOOTS and SHOES

GROCERIES

New Raisins, Currants, Figs, Nuts, Sardines, Tobacco, &c.

Will be sold retail almost as low as the present wholesale prices.

Parties purchasing 5 lbs and upwards of Tea will be allowed a discount of Ten Cents per lb. during the present month.

N.B.—No Liquors kept.

J. C. MACKLIN & CO.

Guelph, Dec. 9 1871

WONDERFUL SUCCESS

AHEAD OF ALL COMPETITION

W D HEPBURN & Co.

THE LARGEST

Boot and Shoe Manufacturers

In the County of Wellington, and the Oldest Shoe Store in Guelph.

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

We have now on hand a large stock of Fall and Winter Boots and Shoes which will wear well and keep the feet dry, and will be sold at as low prices as the common slip work is generally sold.

Every variety of Boots and Shoes made to measure promptly and neatly.

Our Manufacturing and Custom Department is under the care of MR. T. BROWN, who is well and favorably known as a very superior workman.

All kinds of Leather and Fittings kept on hand, and sold at reasonable prices.

Also—Agents for the Genuine Elias Howe Sewing Machine, manufactured at Bridgeport, Conn.

Repairing done Neatly and Punctually

Store and Factory E. side Wyndham Street

Guelph, Oct 3, 1871

W D HEPBURN & Co

GUELPH TEA DEPOT

E. O'DONNELL & CO.

HAVE just received Three Car Loads of Teas and other Groceries—the Bargains we are now giving are Wonderful:

TEAS, TEAS, TEAS!

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

We call particular attention to this line of Tea, as it is our own Importing, and we speak with confidence when we say it is 20 cents per lb. cheaper than any other house in Guelph can sell the same article.

250 caddies very fine Young Hyson containing 6lbs each for \$3;

600 caddies of Japan Tea, Black Tea, Pickle Tea, varying in price from 40c to 75 cents per lb.

Also—Compl'd The Tea Depot, the great Tea House of Ontario.

E. O'DONNELL & CO.
Guelph, Nov 17, 1871

WILLIAM BROWNLOW

UNDERTAKER

GUELPH

Respectfully solicits the attention of bereaved or earthly friends to his Undertaking Establishment, in rear of the Wellington Hotel, where all things necessary for the proper service of the last rites of the departed can be furnished on the short notice.

Metallie, Walnut and other Coffins kept in stock. SHROUDS supplied, and Funerals conducted with the utmost decorum.

Charges moderate

WILLIAM BROWNLOW

Undertakers!

MITCHELL & TOVELL

Sign of the HEARSE

Having bought out Mr. Nathan Tovell's hearse horses, &c., we hope by strict attention to business to gain a share of public patronage. We will have

A FULL ASSORTMENT OF COFFINS always on hand.

Funerals Furnished if required. Carpenter work done as usual. Premises, a few doors north of Post Office, and next D. Guthrie's Law Office Douglas Street, Sign of the Hearse.

JOHN MITCHELL NATHAN TOVELL, Jr.

Guelph, December 1

Holiday Goods

AT MRS. WRIGHT'S

VARIETY STORE!

JUST Received a nice Stock of Goods suitable for

Christmas and New Year's Present

DOLLS, TOYS

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

Wools and Fancy Goods OF ALL KINDS

WYNDHAM STREET

Next to the Wellington Hotel.

BUY

AT

JOHN M. BOND & Cos

GUELPH Ont

Guelph, Dec 9 1871

NOTICE

AT

Crawford's Store

you will find

WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELLERY

&c. &c. &c.

Of Superior Quality. Having purchased a Stock in Toronto at low prices he has determined to give his customers the benefit.

Silver Watches from \$8 to \$35

Gold Watches from \$35 to \$40

ALL WARRANTED.

JOBBING DONE AS BEFORE.

Agent for the American Elgin Watch, which is allowed by practical men to be superior to any watch now made.

R. CRAWFORD

Street, next door to the Post Office, Guelph, Guelph, Mar 1st, 1871

FOR DISPENSIA DEBILITY

PERUVIAN SYRUP

The PERUVIAN SYRUP stimulates without reaction, and expels disease from the system, by supplying NATURE'S OWN VITALIZING AGENT—IRON.

Caution.—Be sure to get Peruvian Syrup, and not Effere's Peruvian Bark, or "Bark and Iron." Pamphlets free.

J. P. BINSMORE, Proprietor, 36 Dry Street, New York. Sold by Druggists generally.

Thorp's Livery Stable

STILL IN OPERATION

AT THE OLD STAND

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

THE STABLE

OPPOSITE THE GRAND TRUNK