





BLIGHTED HOPES.

The Elora Express is splenic because the first section of the W. G. & B. Railway was not begun long before now. It does happily find a little solatium in the fact that active operations were commenced last week, and we may with reason presume, that if there were a fair prospect of the road being constructed as far as projected, or if there were no ground for apprehending that Fergus may be for a considerable time the terminus, our contemporary would actually become jubilant and frisky.

The Elora Express has a good deal to say about "Hamiltonian selfishness," which it blames for the delay. Let it be understood that "Selfishness" is a theme on which the Editor of that paper delights to expatiate, and yet one would have thought that there was subtlety enough in his logic to enable him to prove that few, if any, of the actions of mankind spring from any other motive.

Let him take any of what are called the "nobler emotions" even, and if he narrow it down he will find that its mainspring is a desire to promote the personal happiness of the actor, and such a wish is no less selfishness than a desire for personal aggrandisement. One man seeks comfort in one way and another in another. But it will cost him far less trouble to discover that he is laying to the charge of others what he is guilty of himself.

We do not accuse him of wrong doing in deploring a state of things that he considers will be inimical to the interests of the community of which he forms no unimportant member, but we want to show him the light in which his position will be viewed by a disinterested party, and to remind him that circumstances have so altered cases that we consider him as liable to our strictures on this railway question now as he once considered Guelph was liable to his. Nor were they spared. What were we not accused of because we declined to aid the project? Why, first of all, of course, we were charged with selfishness, and yet that blot was no larger than that which appears on the pages of last week's Express; for there was scarcely a man among us who would not, from the very inception of the scheme have wished it 'God speed' with hearty good will if there had been only anything approaching to an assurance that Lake Huron would be the ultimate terminus, and our contemporary now that the road is to be constructed till a short distance beyond him is not one whit more philosophic than his weaker neighbours.

Hamilton, Toronto, Guelph, Elora are all happy in the possession of that amount of selfishness which prompts them to an advocacy of their respective interests, and incites strenuous efforts to promote them. Herein they err not, so long as honour is not ignored—and where is the use of whining at, or finding fault with each other? But after all we can sympathize with the Express, for perhaps it can see with prophetic vision the day (and that not far distant) when Macaulay's New Zealander, beginning his tour, shall stand on the ruins of the bridge, which now spans the Grand River at Elora, and look long and silently on the ruins of what had not long since been a flourishing village, until his reverie is interrupted by the shrill whistle of the locomotive as it leaves the Fergus Station. This is the real fear, we presume which agitates our contemporary; for with Fergus as the temporary terminus, and the certainty that the continuation of the road thence will cut Elora off from the back townships, he may well see a picture of a "Deserted Village."

For the information of our readers we may add that work has begun in earnest on the first section of the road. There is no humbug about it this time, for the sub-contractors have been let, and there is a number of men busy every day. A POINT OF MORALITY.—The Advertiser has turned his hobby-horse "Enterprise" out to pasture, and is "going slow," as Artemus Ward advised the Fenian orator to do. We do not consider that we are under any obligation to collect news and supply reports for the two town papers, yet that is what we are actually doing. For the last three or four weeks every important item of local news which appeared in the Mercury was copied verbatim in the succeeding day into our contemporary, and now it may be observed, that in keeping a convenient distance in rear of our report of the proceedings of the County Council, which deliberative body he visited, during its late session, at distant and irregular intervals. What was the use, when the report was to be had without trouble? To be sure there is a vast amount of good taste evinced in all this, but then the honesty is at least doubtful.

MR. COWAN'S APPOINTMENT.—The Galt correspondent of the Hamilton Times says:—The paragraph in the Times, announcing that Mr. James Cowan, the defeated Coalition candidate, in this county at the last general election, has been appointed an arbitrator of Public Works for Ontario is exciting much comment in Galt. He has long looked for a Senatorship as the reward for his sacrifices in following the lead of McDougall but all his petitions and memorials to Government to that effect have not secured the coveted position. The dignified position of an arbitrator at one thousand dollars per annum, with extras, may prove a sufficient solatium.

CHOP PROSPECTS, &c., IN THE EAST-ERN TOWNSHIPS.—The appearance of the brains, grass and fruit trees along the line of railway leading to Waterloo and St. Albans, is luxuriant, and the weather, so far, has been all that could be desired. Tillage generally appears to be in a forward state, considering that the spring was a late one. The frost of Wednesday night frightened many farmers, but it has done them little or no damage otherwise. Owners of gardens who had grapes in a forward state exposed, had them slightly nipped, and fears were entertained that fruit trees generally would suffer; but, if we may judge by blooming appearances, so far, Providence has frustrated these fears. Witness.

Town and County Items.

FALL ASSEZES.—The Fall Assizes for County of Wellington will open at Guelph on Monday 27th Sept.; at Berlin on Wednesday 6th October; at Stratford on Monday 11th October; at Owen Sound on Tuesday 14th Sept.; at Milton on Wednesday 15th Sept.; at Walkerton on Wednesday 8th Sept.; and at Goderich on Monday 13th September.

A SCRIMMAGE.—At the last fair at Elora Wm. Kirby and James Kirby, of Peel, gave Thos. Godfrey a "licking." Constable Land interfered and was struck by William Kirby. Mr. Kirby paid for this; the two assaults costing him at a Magistrate's court, \$25, costs included. For the assault on Godfrey James Kirby was fined \$1 and costs.

QUARTER SESSIONS.—The Quarter Sessions for the County of Wellington, will open before His Honor, Judge Macdonald at the Court House to-morrow. The calendar is light, comprising only the following cases: The Queen vs. Gathercole and Whalen, stealing flour from G. T. R. station; The Queen, vs. O'Callaghan and McGuire, of Fergus, assault and battery; The Queen, vs. Doyle, of Arthur, assault and battery; The Queen, vs. Cord, breaking into Mr. Berry's store.

The World Over.

A report that Thos. Galt, Q.C. of Toronto, is to be made Judge in place of Judge John Wilson is believed to be well founded.

Butter is a York shilling a pound in St. Catharines. A free market and a consequent large supply are the supposed causes of the low price.

A man named Charles Douglas, who had served one month of a term of half a year in Woodstock gaol, escaped on the 24th, only to be recaptured a few days afterwards at Copetown.

DOMINION TELEGRAPH COMPANY.—Owing to the dissatisfaction felt amongst the stockholders of the Dominion Telegraph Company, in Woodstock, they have decided to promptly refuse payment of further calls on their stock.

TURNING THE FIRST SOD OF THE INTERCOLONIAL.—The Halifax Express has the following: A letter dated Sackville, N.B., says that the first sod of the Intercolonial Railroad was turned on Monday last, about six miles from that village, by Charles Stewart, Esq.

SUICIDE.—A German emigrant drowned himself in a small pond, near Berlin, a few days ago. He with some others had been put off the train sick, and growing despondent he put an end to his life. He was a young man, newly married, and was on his way to the Western States.

Lieut.-Colonels of the Reserve Militia are requested to transmit all correspondence with Headquarters relating to their Regimental Divisions through the Brigade Major of the Division, who will forward the same to the District Staff Officer to be transmitted by him to headquarters, with such remarks thereon as he may think necessary.

DEATH OF A DISTINGUISHED THEOLOGIAN.—The Atlantic cable announced the other day the death of Earnest William Hengstenberg, a distinguished German theologian of the Protestant faith, who was born at Friedenberg, in 1802. Among his chief work are Commentaries on the Apocalypse and the Psalms, and on the gospel of St. John. His son is also a distinguished clergyman and writer on the theological subjects.

GOVERNOR FOR THE NORTH-WEST.—It is now generally accepted in well-informed political circles that Hon. Wm. McDougall will take the appointment of Lieut. Governor of the North-West Territory, and that Sir John A. Macdonald will thus be relieved from the annoyance of continuing the pretence of a Coalition in Ontario. Sir John A. Macdonald's supporters are clamorous for the disposal of Mr. McDougall at the earliest opportunity.

PRESS ASSOCIATION.—It has been decided at a meeting of the Press Association, which took place in Toronto on Friday, to hold the annual meeting on July 20th, at Cobourg. The trip this year will be made on board the Norsman, which will leave on July 21st for Rochester, thence to Oswego, Kingston, Picton, Belleville and home. Mr. Palgrave, type founder, Montreal, has offered to supply a newspaper outfit, ready for the use of the excursion party, if they desire it.

The following is a summary of the Bill introduced by Sir John A. Macdonald to establish a Provisional Government for the North-West. The Act is merely a provisional one, to remain in force till the end of the next session of the Dominion: 1. The Territories when admitted are to be styled the "North-West Territories." 2. The Governor in Council may make such laws for the Government of these Territories as may be deemed necessary, and may authorize the person to be appointed Lieut.-Governor to make provision for the due administration of justice, and generally to make the laws, constitutions and ordinances necessary for the peace, order, and good government of the inhabitants of these Territories; provided that all orders, laws and ordinances so made shall be laid before both Houses of Parliament as soon as convenient after making and enactment thereof. 3. The person appointed Lieut.-Governor shall administer the Government under instructions given him by an order in Council. 4. The Governor-General in Council may constitute and appoint by warrant a Council not exceeding fifteen nor less than seven, to advise and aid the Lieut.-Governor of the Territories in the administration of affairs. 5. All the laws in force at the time of admission into the Union shall, so far as consistent with the British North America Act, and with the laws of the Dominion, remain in force until altered by the Parliament of Canada, or by the Lieut.-Governor under authority of the present Act. 6. Public officers and functionaries holding office at the time of the admission into the Union, excepting him or them at the head of the administration of affairs, shall continue to be public officers and functionaries of the North-West Territories, with the same duties and powers as before, until otherwise ordered under the authority of this Act.

MARRIAGES.—At the residence of the bride's father, Stratford, Ont., on the 2nd inst., by the Rev. Thomas McPherson, Mr. Henry Michie, merchant, Fergus, to Ann, eldest daughter of Mr. A. L. Argo.

New Advertisements.

Speed Lodge No. 180.

The Regular Meeting of Speed Lodge will be held in the Masonic Hall, on TUESDAY EVENING, the 5th of June, at half-past seven o'clock. ROBT. CUTHBERT, Secretary. Guelph, 4th June.

SUMMER DRINKS AT THE DOMINION SALOON.

All the favorite Summer Drinks made up in the best style at the "Dominion Saloon." The first brands of Wines, Liquors, Ales and Cigars always on hand. LUNCH between the hours of twelve noon and three p. m. DENIS BUNYAN. Guelph, 7th June.

ON EXHIBITION, THE SLAUGHTER OF THE INNOCENTS

On exhibition for a short time, at his Studio, No. 15, Day's Block, an Oil Painting by D. C. Bell, called "The Slaughter of the Innocents," every afternoon from 3 till 5 o'clock, commencing on MONDAY, the 7th of June. Admission 10 cents. Guelph, 5th June. 6d w1

COW STRAYED.

Strayed from the York Road, near Guelph, on Monday 31st ult., a cow nine years old, with large horns, large udder, white face, white back and brimled sides. Any person giving information of her to the subscriber will be suitably rewarded. ALEX. CRICHTON. Guelph, 5th June. dtf

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1864-5.

In the matter of JOHN HENDERSON, of Elora, An Insolvent. The creditors of the Insolvent are notified to meet at the Office of the undersigned Assignee, Court Street, Toronto, On MONDAY, 21st JUNE, at 2 o'clock, for the public examination of the Insolvent, and for the ordering of the affairs of the estate generally. JOHN KEIR, Official Assignee. Toronto, 5th June, 1899. dt2

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railway. The undersigned are prepared to receive proposals for the execution of any portion of the works, including Station Buildings, &c., required in the construction of the Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railway between Guelph and Fergus, at their office at Elora, where plans, profiles and specifications can be seen, and all information obtained.

ROBERTSON & WORTHINGTON, Elora, June 1. dtw-2w Contractors. MONTREAL OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. CANADIAN LINE. Liverpool, Londonderry, Glasgow. The first-class, full-powered, Clyde-built Steam ships of this line will be despatched every Saturday as follows: (carrying the Canadian and United States mails): QUEBEC TO LIVERPOOL. Peruvian ... 12th June Nestorian ... 19th " Prussian ... 26th " Austrian ... 3rd July QUEBEC TO GLASGOW. Ottawa (on or about) ... 19th June St. David " ... 1st July Through Passage Tickets, Return Tickets, and European Pre-paid Passage Certificates issued at lowest rates.

CABIN—Guelph to Liverpool \$75.00 and \$85.00 STEERAGE do do 30.00 CABIN—Guelph to Glasgow, 29.50 INTERMEDIATE do do 15.50 STEERAGE do do 29.50 For every information apply to GEORGE A. O'NEILL, Agent G. T. R. Guelph, June 3, 1899 dtw

BOOTS and SHOES EVERY DESCRIPTION AND STYLE suitable for the Spring & Summer Trade. Ladies and Gents', Misses and Girls' Boys and Youths' Boots & Shoes!

In great variety, all home manufactured. THE CHEAPEST AND BEST IN THE COUNTY OF WELLINGTON. CALL AND SEE MY STOCK AT THE Wellington Boot & Shoe Manufactory WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH. JOHN A. McMILLAN, Boot and Shoemaker for the Million, Guelph, Guelph, May 18, 1899. Four Journeymen Shoemakers Wanted Immediately. A HEAD OF ALL COMPETITORS, Richardson's New Method for the Pianoforte. This is the only book the Teacher requires, and the book every Pupil is attracted to. 150,000 copies already sold, and the demand greater than ever before. 30,000 copies now being issued every year, and its exercises attractive and useful in every stage of advancement. This book has on account of its instruction, and the only one which every well-informed teacher and scholar use. Price \$5.75. Sent post-paid. G. Ditson & Co., Publishers, 277 Washington-st. Boston. C. H. Ditson & Co., 71 Broadway, New York. dtw

CO-PARTNERSHIP. The undersigned beg to inform the public that they have entered into partnership for carrying on the business of contractors and builders, and are prepared to execute all orders for building in stone or brick. Any Quantity of Stone on Hand and Cut to Order. To suit purchasers. All orders left at the store of Hirsch & Kennedy, Produce Merchants, West Market Square, Guelph, will receive prompt attention. Guelph, April 1. PIKE & DAVIDSON, dtm w6n

GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN, Barristers, Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitors in Chancery, &c., GUELPH, Ontario. D. GUTHRIE, J. WATT, W. S. CUTTEN Guelph, April 1, 1899. dtw

SERVANT WANTED. A servant wanted. Apply at this office. Guelph, 20th May. dtm

THE NORTH POLE DISCOVERED AT LAST

GO AND SEE THE MAGNIFICENT SODA WATER FOUNTAIN, The only one of the kind in the Province. Guelph, June 5. A. TH. BERRY'S. dtw

MR. RISCH IN TOWN. PIANO FORTES!

Chickering's Steinway's Bunhan and Stoddart's Pianos Can be had of R. CUTHBERT Who has the GUELPH AGENCY for the sale of the above makers' instruments. A. & S. NORDHEIMER, Toronto, are the exclusive Agents for the Dominion of Canada. Guelph, June 4. dtw

GUELPH CLOTH HALL. SHAW & MURTON, MERCHANT TAILORS. Gents' Outfitting ESTABLISHMENT. Wyndham Street Guelph, 3rd June, 1899 dtw

SPRING TRADE SALE ENGLISH AND FOREIGN GROCERIES WINES, LIQUORS, &c. AT THE STORES OF THOMAS GRIFFITH & CO., 37 and 39 Front Street, TORONTO, on Tuesday and Wednesday, June 8th and 9th, 1899, will be offered at Auction:

Packages Fresh Tea, comprising Young Hyson's Gunpowder, Imperials, Twankay, Old Hyson, Natural Leaf Japan, Soubeign, Congou, and Scented Orange Pekoe. Bbls Yellow Refined Sugar. Bbls Crushed A, Dry Crushed, and Ground Sugar. Bbls Standard, Golden, Amber, and Honey Syrups. Bbls and half boxes West India Molasses. Bags Rio and Laguayra Coffee. Cases Ceylon Coffee. Boxes and half boxes 10's Tobacco. Caddies Dark and Bright 5's and 1's Tobacco. Boxes 1 and 1/2 Boxes Bright Virginia Tobacco. Caddies Virginia Pocket pieces. Bbls and 1/2 bbls Cut Smoking Tobacco. Cases Cut Chewing Tobacco. Cases German Claret. Cases Star Brand Lobsters. Kegs Bi-carbonate Soda. Cases Sal Soda. Cases Star Brand Lobsters. Drums and half drums Sultana Raisins. Boxes and half boxes New Layer Raisins. Boxes and half boxes Prime New Valencia Raisins, selected. Boxes and half boxes New M R Raisins. Cases Choice New Currants. Bbls Choice Old Currants. Bags Soft Shell and Half Hard Almonds. Various Bakery Almonds. Bags New Walnuts. Boxes Canned Orange, Lemon and Citron Peel. Boxes Cocoa, Chocolate, & Brown, various brands. Boxes Taylor's Soluble Chocolate and Cocoa. Boxes Taylor's Homoeopathic and Mar.illa Cocoa. Boxes Epps' Homoeopathic Cocoa. Cases Taylor's Cocoa Nibs, in tins. Boxes Macaroni and Vermicelli. Cases Canadian Vinegar, all grades. Cases New Elmer Figs. Bales Cloves. Bbls Taylor's Mustard, in 4 lbs and 1 lb jars. Cases Taylor's Mustard in 1 lb and 1/2 lb bottles. Cases English Malt Vinegar. Cases French White Vinegar. Bbls Canadian Vinegar, all grades. Dozens 2 and 3 hoop Grained, Painted and Varnished Pails. Cases 5 and 8 Trills. Cases Bath Bricks. Boxes T D Pipes. Bbls Jamaica, and Bags African Ginger. Boxes Common Starch. Bbls Day & Martin's Blacking, pints and quarts. Boxes of Glandfield and Corn Starch. Bags African and Rangoon Rice. Boxes Castle Soap. Boxes Brown Windsor Soap. Boxes Hearle's Toilet Soaps, all kinds. Cases Sago and Tapioca. Boxes Round and Square Clothes Pins. Cases Pure Cream Tartar. Cases Telegraph Matches. Boxes Button, Ball and Thumb Blue. Cases Olive Oil, pts, pts and half pts. Cases Barton & Quenier's do, flagons & 1/2 flagons. Cases Bette's Saff Oil do do. Cases Table Salt, in glass jars. Cases Joyce's Mixed and Assorted Pickles. Cases Joyce's Assorted Sauces, pints and 1/2 pints, comprising Worcester, Catsup, Headin', Har-vey, Deefatank and John Bull in each case. Cases Joyce's Jama, assorted, comprising Raspberry, Danson's Plum, Black Currant, Magnun Bonum, Gooseberry and Red Currants in each case. Cases Currie Powder, lbs, 1/2 lbs, and 4 oz. Cases Capers, pts, 1/2 pts, and 1/4 lbs. Bbls Crose & Blackwell's mixed and assorted Pickles. Bbls Crose & Blackwell's Pickled Cauliflower, Onions, Gherkins, Chow Chow, Piccalilli, Wal-nut, pts and qt. Bbls Crose & Blackwell's Horse Radish, French and Spanish Olives, Cadars, Salad Cream, &c. Bbls Crose & Blackwell's Mushroom Catsup, pts and 1/2 pts, Imperial, Essence, Anchovies, and India Chutney. Bbls Crose & Blackwell's London Mustard, in 1 lb, and 1/2 lb bottles. Cases Crose & Blackwell's Gorgona and Dutch Pickles. Cases Crose & Blackwell's India Chutney, Cay-enne Pepper, and Currie Powder. Cases Crose & Blackwell's 2, 1/2 and 1 quart packages. Cases pints and 1/2 pints Lea & Perrin's Worcester Sauce. Pickles Prime Table Codfish. Bbls New Salmon. Boxes Digby Herrings. Cases Sandeman's, Offley, Cramp & Co's, But-ter, Nephew & Co's Burgundy and Farragona Ports. Cases Dunville's Irish Whiskey. Cases Hay's Scotch Whiskey. Cases Good's Old Tom Gin. Cases Ginger Wine. Cases and Octaves Old Cognac Brandy, Hon-nessy's, Jules Robins, Martell's, Otard, Dupuy Cases Champagne, various choice brands. Cases John Bull and Orange Tonic Bitters. Cases Hay's Scotch Whiskey. Cases Bernard's Ginger Wine. Bbls Penner's Cider. Cases N. Johnson's & Son's, and Barton & Gue-lier's Claret in pts and qts, various brands. Cases ordinary Claret, various brands. Cases Permarin's, Cramp, Suter & Co's and Misa's Sherry. Bbls Windsor Old Eye, Malt and Common Whiskey. Together with a large stock of other Goods, the whole forming a complete and well selected as-sortment of Staple and Fancy Groceries, Wines, Liquors, &c. Samples may be seen on the day previous to the sale.

WINES AND LIQUORS. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, on the morning of the 8th of June. AND WILL CONTINUE UNTIL THE WHOLE IS DISPOSED OF. THOMAS GRIFFITH & CO., Wholesale Grocers, Wine and Spirit Merchants, 37 and 39 Front Street, Toronto, Ont. F. W. COATE & CO, Auctioneers. May 31, 1899.

EDUCATIONAL. MRS. WM. BUDD, Organist of the Congregational Church. Begs to inform her Pupils and friends that her School will re-open MONDAY, 4th JANUARY, 1899. she will also be prepared to give Private Lessons on the Organ, Piano and Melodeon.—Residence: Norfolk Street, Guelph, dtw December 30.

BILLIARDS GREAT EXCITEMENT. Billiard Hall Refitted New Style Tables Exhibition Twice a Week AT O'CONNOR'S BILLIARD HALL. Guelph 23rd February dt1

GARDEN TOOLS.

LADIES' GARDEN TOOLS, BOYS' GARDEN TOOLS, CHILDREN'S GARDEN TOOLS, J. HORSMAN'S Guelph, 20th May. dtw

THE MEDICAL HALL.

Wine that is Wine If you want Wine for Medicinal and Sacramental Purposes, Perfectly pure and free from the adulterations of the trade, call at THE MEDICAL HALL, Where you can obtain the genuine article. Pure Juice of the Grape, the vintage of 1867, In bottles and on draft. E. HARVEY & CO., Chemists and apothecaries. Guelph, 1st June. dtw

UNFAILING EYE PRESERVERS. LAZARUS, MORRIS & CO'S CELEBRATED PERFECTED SPECTACLES AND EYE GLASSES.

The large and increasing sales of these PERFECTED GLASSES is a sure proof of their superiority. We were satisfied that they would be appreciated here as elsewhere, and that the reality of the advantages offered to wearers of our beautiful lenses, viz: the ease and comfort, the assured and readily ascertained improvement of the sight, and the brilliant assistance they give in all cases, were in themselves so apparent on trial, that the result could not be otherwise than it has, in the almost general adoption of our Celebrated Perfected Spectacles by the residents of this locality. With a full knowledge of the value of the assertion, we claim that they are the most perfect optical aids ever manufactured. To those needing Spectacles, we afford at all times an opportunity of procuring the best and most desirable.

D. SAVAGE, Watchmaker, Jeweller and Optician, Agent for the well-known Waltham Watches, Guelph. Has always on hand a full assortment, suitable for every difficulty. We take occasion to notify the public that we employ no capstons, and to caution them against those pretending to have our goods for sale. Guelph, 4th May. dtwly

REMOVAL OF GARLAND'S Hat and Cap Store.

THE er as removed to the splendid Day's Block, late Petrie's Drug Store Has always on stock an immense assortment of Hats, Caps, Furs, &c., in all the latest and most fashionable styles and colours, which will be sold very cheap. Being a practical hatter, he thoroughly understands the wants of customers, and invites the public to call and see his goods, as he can sell them a better article at a cheaper price than they can get elsewhere. The highest price paid for raw Furs. Guelph, March 15, 1899. F. GARLAND. dtm&w

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1864 AND 1865. In the matter of A. O. BUCHAN, an Insolvent.

FIRST-CLASS STOCK OF DRY GOODS For Sale in Guelph, Ont. TENDERS At so much in the dollar value, will be received by the subscriber, at his office, Merchants' Exchange Building, Montreal, up to, and inclusive of, Wednesday, 9th of June Next, For the entire stock-in-trade, shop furniture, &c., belonging to the above named estate, consisting of a varied and well selected assortment of

GENERAL DRY GOODS SUCH AS—English and Canadian Tweeds, Dress Goods, Ready-Made Clothing, Mantles, &c. Haberdashery, Hosiery, Hats, Caps, &c., &c., &c.

The goods, from having been carefully kept, are in very good order, and amount in all, as per inventory, to \$11,574.90. An inventory of the stock can be seen, and an inspection of the goods obtained, by applying to my agent, Mr. Thomas Hearnston, at the store lately occupied by the above insolvent, in the Town of Guelph, Ont. An inventory may also be seen at the subscriber's office, and any further information can be had. TENDERS to be stated on tender. JOHN WHYTE, Official Assignee. Montreal, 28th May, 1899. dt1

W. M. MERRITT, BARRISTER-AT-LAW, Solicitor in Chancery, &c. Office—No. 4, Day's Block, Guelph. Guelph, 4th May. dtw-wly



Jeannie Sinclair,  
OR,  
THE LILY OF THE STRATH.

CHAPTER XXXI.

A NIGHT OF PERIL—THE CRUEL FATE OF MOSES LEVI—CLOCKWORK FOR AID—A BANGUINARY BATTLE—HOMEWARD BOUND.

Before the robbers departed with their booty, they made hasty preparations for enjoying a few hours' wild, boisterous revelry. The spoil which had fallen into their hands was great enough to make their lawless hearts beat with extravagant delight, and as they had the whole night before them, with no prospect of attack from any quarter, they lighted more torches, kindled more fires, and produced from their wallets materials for a feast.

They gave little more heed to their prisoners, having bound them beyond the possibility of self-release, they left them to their own meditations, placing even no watch upon them, considering apparently that they had put them beyond the power of making any attempt to recover their property.

And in truth so they had, for every one of the travellers was bound with painful severity—their legs being tied closely together a little above the knees and at the ankles, the arms being pinioned at the elbows, and the wrists tightly bound to each other. In pain and helplessness they lay together on the low eminence, unable to move from the spot where they had been placed, and far less able to do anything to free themselves from their bonds.

Who may imagine the bitter anguish of their feelings—particularly those of William Robert and Watty? In one hour the fruit of their long sore toil had been wrenched from them, and their glad hopes dashed to the ground. They were reduced to the position they occupied when they came to the country. By the labour of their hands and by a fortunate discovery Cloverlea had been won—but by ruthless and lawless force it had been again lost, and with it the dearest of all earthly hopes.

At the thought of this Robert Douglas was frantic and furious. As he lay upon the grass glaring upon the wild forms which the light from the torches and the blinding fire revealed, squatted in a circle near the wagons, his silent rage was something fearful. William Denman frequently turned an anxious look towards him, for he well divined the anguish of his heart and whirlwind of his soul. The lurid light from the burning torches revealed to William's gaze the still more lurid light of his friend's glaring eyes, and an expression on his face such as he shuddered to behold—it was so appalling. He longed to speak to him, to rouse him from his silent state of dreadfulness, if only to relieve his heart from a sealed-up furnace of wrath, which, while pent up there, threatened madness itself. Only he could think of no relieving words to whisper to him. Their disaster was ruinously complete, and hopelessly irretrievable.

'Robert, my friend, how do you feel?' he ventured at length to inquire.

'I feel hell within me,' was the startling answer given, in tones of concentrated bitterness.

'Courage and hope,' rejoined William in the same low tone. 'This misfortune is indeed a severe one, but—'

'Say no more,' hissed Robert, fiercely. 'It is my death-blow—I care not how soon I were dead. Oh, for the power to strike the leader of these wretches to ground, and then to die beneath the knives of the rest of the wretches.'

'Hush! Give not way to desperate despair. Think of Helen, and live for her sake.'

'This night's wrong parts me from Helen forever,' groaned the youth.

'No, no—say not, think not so. You have done enough to prove the noble independence of your soul, and to show you are worthy of her. Trust to me to find the means of securing your happiness without injuring your self-respect. Notwithstanding the reverse which we have now met with, Cloverlea will still be yours, and so will Helen.'

'Never. I know it will never be,' said Robert, through his clenched teeth. 'Fate is against me, and I will strive no longer. I wish they would kill me as well as the Jew, whom they evidently intend to murder.'

'Ah! I fear it, I fear it,' answered William. 'He seems to be given up to that scoundrel Murdochson for revenge. I would willingly send a bullet through his heart if I had a chance.'

'I guess, Judge Lynch should have saved you that ere trouble when he had him in his hands at the diggings,' muttered Jonathan, who had been listening in silence to the young men's conversation. 'Had we hanged him slick off, as I wanted, the cursed coon wouldn't be got the better of us now. Jim Murdochson is the infernal fisher we ha' got to thank for this here bad business.'

'You are right,' returned Denman, 'and I wish we had hanged the blackguard. Ha! there are now turning their attention to Moses Levi.'

TO BE CONTINUED.

Meeting of Medical Men in Waterloo.

A meeting of the medical men of the North Riding of the County of Waterloo took place at Berlin on Monday last, for the purpose of taking into consideration the provisions of the Medical Bill passed at the late session of the Ontario Legislature, and to discuss other matters of moment to the profession.

Dr. Bowly was moved to the chair. Dr. Wallen to act as Secretary. The object of the meeting having been declared by the chairman, Dr. Clarke, of Guelph, representative of this Division at the Medical Council of Ontario, was called upon to express his views with regard to the Medical Act and to give an account of his Stewardship while representing this locality at the Council. The result of this gentleman's explanations and subsequent discussions was that the following resolutions were unanimously passed: Moved by Dr. W. H. Vardon, seconded by Dr. W. Pipe, that this meeting, after having heard the explanations of Dr. W. Clarke, member of the medical council for Saugeen Division, in reference to the Medical Bill passed at the last session of Parliament of Ontario, and of his course generally as our representative, express our approval of the same, and pledge him our support at the coming election.

Moved by Dr. Morton, seconded by Dr. Hughes, that our representative at the Medical Council be requested to use his influence to procure the appointment of a public prosecutor under the Medical Act for each county in the Saugeen Division. —Telegraph.

Incredible as it may appear that one compound should be adapted to the treatment of such a variety of diseases, it is nevertheless true that Dr. J. Briggs' All-levantor has proved incalculable benefit in affording prompt relief in thousands of cases of painful and distressing attack. Its grand mission is to subdue pain and bring glad tidings to the suffering. The capacity of the All-levantor for doing good is unequalled, and no family should be without it, as it may be the means of saving life in those sudden visitations of disease that require prompt measures to prevent a fatal termination. It is conceded to be the most valuable medicine of its class on account of its adaptation to a wider range of diseases than any other preparation, and therefore more convenient as an every day remedy. Sold by druggists and country merchants. Dr. J. Briggs & Co., 208 Broadway, N. Y., and No. 6 King Street, West, Toronto. For sale by E. Harvey & Co., Guelph.

The resignation of Daniel McLachlin, M. P. for South Renfrew, has been received by the Speaker. The writ will issue this week. Hon. Malcolm Cameron has issued his address to the electors. He expects to walk the course without opposition. Mr. McIntyre, the late member, it is said will be a candidate.

Turnip Seed!

THE GROWTH OF 1868!

PURE, FRESH SEED!

LAST YEAR'S GROWTH,

AT A LOW PRICE.

GEORGE WILKINSON.

Wyndham Street, Guelph, 1st June.

PEACH BLOW

GROCERIES.  
If your Groceries do not suit you, try us.  
J. & D. MARTIN,  
WYNDHAM-ST., GUELPH.  
Guelph, 1st June.

POTATOES.

AT PAR! AT PAR!

BRITANNIA HOUSE  
GUELPH.

Royal Canadian

BANK BILLS

Taken at Par!

AND GOODS SOLD

25 per Cent. Less

Than any House in Guelph.

HEFFERNAN BROTHERS

Britannia House, Wyndham-St., Guelph, and corner Dundas and Talbot-sts. London.

Guelph, 31st May.

INCREASE OF BUSINESS

From his GREAT SUCCESS SINCE COMMENCING BUSINESS, the subscriber has been induced to import a very

Large Stock of Teas!

WINES AND LIQUORS,

which he is prepared to sell at as low prices as any respectable store can do.

A LARGE STOCK OF NEW TURNIP SEEDS

JUST ARRIVED.

Guelph, 16th May.

J. J. LANGDON.

DR. BRIGGS' THROAT AND LUNG HEALER.

Is one of the safest and most reliable Remedies in existence for the speedy cure of Coughs, Colds, Influenza, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Whooping Cough, Croup, Sore Throat, Asthma, Diphtheria, Difficulty of Breathing, Phthisis, Pain in the Side and Breast, Quins, Bleeding of the Lungs, and all diseases of the Throat, Lungs and Chest, including that worst of diseases—Consumption. This Remedy is also valuable in Liver Complaint, Inflammation of the Kidneys or Urinary Organs, and all Internal Inflammation. This really superior Remedy should be in the possession of every family, as a timely use of it in case of a recent cold will afford immediate relief, while cases of long standing and apparently inveterate character readily yield to its wonderful soothing and curative properties. Its universal adaptation to the wants of mankind, make it an indispensable necessity in every household. The Balsamic virtues of the Wild Evergreen as an agent in the cure of the numerous diseases of the Throat, Lungs and Chest, which always in our ever varying climate prevail in a greater or less degree are well known, but the power of relieving, healing and during these diseases is enhanced, when by scientific principles it is combined with other ingredients of equal value as healing agents. Until recently that terrible disease, Consumption, has been considered an affliction beyond the reach of medicine, or the healing art. But a new era in the management of Pulmonary Diseases seems to be dawning upon the scientific medical world, and since many distinguished physicians have acknowledged that CONSUMPTION CAN BE CURED, few there are who attempt to controvert their opinion. Price \$1.00.

Dr. J. Briggs' Unrivalled Pile Remedy.

Is mild, yet efficacious, and warranted to cure Internal, External, Bleeding and Itching Piles, in the most satisfactory manner, without the least unpleasant sensation. It is well known that thousands upon thousands have been afflicted with this disease, many of whom have sought for relief, but have gone to their long homes without it. The number is innumerable who are dragging out a miserable existence at the present day, searching and trying for a remedy. We would say to those who suffer, go and get a box of Briggs' Pile Remedy, and the trial will not be in vain. The relief is immediate, and a cure soon effected. Price \$1.00.

Dr. J. Briggs' Modern Curative

Is without doubt the purest, mildest and most efficacious remedy ever discovered for the immediate relief and rapid cure of Corns, Bunions, Ingrowing Nails, Chilblains, Frost-bites, and also all Flesh Wounds and Skin Diseases, such as Cuts, Bruises, Scalds and Frost Bites, Bites of Insects, Sore Lips, Sore Nose, Chapped Hands, Erysipelas, Salt Rheum, Ringworms, Itch, Sore Feet, Festered, Chafed Flesh, Sore Nipples, Caked Breasts, Cancerous Scars, White Swellings, Scald Head, Scoury, Gunshot Wounds, &c. The proprietor in offering this compound to the public has the most undoubted confidence in its success, as it is composed of the most healing and pain-relieving substances known to mankind. The Curative, from the purity of its ingredients, will remain for years as sweet as when first made.—Lard, suet, and other animal fat or oily substance have had their day. It is well known that the Scarcas Salves and Ointments in the market soon become rancid and unfit for use. This Modern Curative is the best household remedy in the world—simple and pleasant in its application, certain and effectual in its results. Price 50 cts. and \$1.

Sold by E. HARVEY & CO., Guelph, and by all respectable druggists and country merchants everywhere. Dr. J. BRIGGS & CO., Proprietors, No. 6 King Street, corner of Yonge, Toronto, and 208 Broadway, N. Y.

CLARK'S

Washing Composition

FOR SALE BY THE QUART, AT

PETRIE'S DRUG STORE

Parties wishing to give this Celebrated Washing Composition a trial can do so now, without buying a FAMILY BOTTLE.

The subscriber has purchased the exclusive right to

Manufacture and Sell

the above article in the OWN and TOWNSHIP OF GUELPH.

Family Rights!

For the above District only to be purchased of

A. B. PETRIE, Chemist.

Guelph, May 15.

NEW BOOKS!

Vanity Fair . . . . . \$0 50

Lodge Club; or, Italy in 1859, 0 60

Spectator (new edition) edited by Prof. Morley . . . . . 1 25

For Her Sake (a novel) by Robinson, . . . . . 0 65

Fallen Pride, by Mrs. Southworth, . . . . . 0 50

Thoughts and Notes, by Elihu Burritt, . . . . . 1 50

Life of Lord Brougham, . . . . . 0 75

Anecdotes of the Shorter Catechism . . . . . 0 25

Self Aid Cyclopaedia . . . . . 2 50

Our Common Fruits, . . . . . 0 50

Life and Epistles of St. Paul, by Conybere & Howson . . . . . 2 50

Tom Hood's Comic Annual . . . . . 0 35

Josh Billings—His Book . . . . . 0 25

JUST RECEIVED AT

THORNTON'S

New Cheap Bookstore, Wyndham-st.

Guelph, 31st May

THE ONTARIO MUTUAL

Life Insurance Comp'y.

HEAD OFFICE, WATERLOO, ONT.

A comparison of our rates with the rates of any Company either doing or proposing to do a legitimate business respectfully invited.

EVERY INFORMATION GIVEN

To intending Insurers.

Medical Examiners—Drs. Howitt & Keating.

HENRY L. DRAKE, Agent

Box D Guelph P.O. mar 12

PRIVATE RESIDENCE FOR SALE

In the West End of the

TOWN OF GUELPH.

For Sale, within ten minutes walk of the Post Office, consisting of a substantially built

Stone COTTAGE, dry & healthy

Containing eight rooms, with Stable and Driving House, all in good condition. Pleasantly situated in a desirable locality. A large garden planted with choice fruit trees and plenty of excellent spring and soft water. Terms of payment, easy. One-half of the purchase money may remain on mortgage. Apply to the proprietor,

J. E. WORSFOLD,

May 19. d3m w1t

Buckland's Survey, Wyndham-st., Guelph, 31st May.

ROYAL CANADIAN

BANK BILLS

TAKEN AT PAR

FOR GOODS,

AT

E. CARROLL & CO'S.

Guelph, May 25th.

THE ALMA BLOCK RETAIL

GUELPH.

FRESH TURNIP SEED, SALT AND PLASTER.

Skirving's Swede  
Marshall's Swede  
Laing's Swede  
Sutton's Champion  
King of Swedes  
East Lothian  
Sharpe's Improved  
Yellow Aberdeen  
White Globe  
Rape and Hungarian Grass Seed.

Agricultural Salt  
Goderich Fine Salt  
Goderich Coarse Salt  
Liverpool Coarse Salt  
Liverpool Fine Salt  
Liverpool Dairy Salt  
Table Salt  
Pure Caledonia Plaster.  
To be had at no other place in Guelph.

FINE TEAS!

Fifty Half Chests of Fine Teas have just arrived ex Steamship DACIA, from London direct. They were bought expressly for the ALMA BLOCK RETAIL TEA TRADE, and both in price and quality are strongly recommended.

JOHN A. WOOD

Is the only Retailer in Guelph who is his own importer, thus saving a profit to those who purchase from him of at least TEN PER CENT.

JOHN A. WOOD.

FRESH ORANGES AND LEMONS

AT THE FRUIT DEPOT.

FRESH PINEAPPLES

AT THE FRUIT DEPOT.

FRESH DATES AND PRUNES

AT THE FRUIT DEPOT.

FRESH FIGS, only 25c. per lb.

AT THE FRUIT DEPOT.

FRESH WALNUTS AND ALMONDS

AT THE FRUIT DEPOT.

Fresh PEACHES in Cans

AT THE FRUIT DEPOT.

Fresh Tomatoes, Green Peas and Corn

AT THE FRUIT DEPOT.

HUGH WALKER,

Wyndham-st., Guelph, 31st May.



The Conference was constituted in the usual manner. The names of several young men were proposed for reception, on trial, to the Ministry.

A memorial from a large and influential circuit was read, asking the attention of Conference to the importance and necessity of extending the period of a ministers' residence on a circuit from three to five years. From the Peterboro' District a memorial was read, asking the Conference to petition Government for an equitable share of the money granted for the purposes of superior education, so that the denominations who contribute so largely toward the higher education of the country, may be sustained by the funds specially set apart for such purpose. A communication from the Methodist Episcopal Conference on the subject of Union among the several branches of the Wesleyan family was read and received. A number of young men who have travelled four years, were examined in Theology, and received into full connexion with the Conference. A meeting of the body for the reception of the young men was held in the evening, and addresses were delivered by Rev. Mr. Punshon and some others of the most able Wesleyan divines.

A remedy that is valuable not only as a counter-irritant to drive pain and inflammation from the internal organs to the surface, thereby relieving deep seated injuries and organic lesions, but Dr. J. Briggs' Allevator will be specially useful in restoring the skin to a healthy condition in all those annoying affections attended with inflammation and eruptions. Sold by druggists and country merchants generally. Dr. J. Briggs & Co., proprietors, 208 Broadway, N. Y., and No. 6 King Street, West, Toronto. For sale by E. Harvey & Co., Guelph.

**COMMERCIAL.**

**Guelph Markets.**

MERCURY OFFICE, GUELPH, June 7, 1869.

Flour 100 lbs	.....	\$ 2 00	@	\$ 2 25
Fall Wheat, 1/2 bush	.....	0 90	@	0 95
Spring Wheat 1/2 bush	.....	0 85	@	0 90
Oats 1/2 bush	.....	0 51	@	0 53
Peas do	.....	0 70	@	0 80
Barley do	.....	0 70	@	0 80
Hay 1 ton	.....	12 00	@	16 00
Straw	.....	3 00	@	4 00
Shingles, 1/2 quar	.....	1 00	@	1 20
Wood, 1 cord	.....	3 00	@	3 50
Wool	.....	0 32	@	0 35
Eggs, 1 dozen	.....	0 10	@	0 10
Butter, (store packed) 1/2 b	.....	0 00	@	0 14
do (dairy packed) 1/2 b	.....	0 14	@	0 15
Cheese, each	.....	0 35	@	0 40
Turkey each	.....	0 60	@	1 20
Chickens, 1/2 pair	.....	0 25	@	0 30
Ducks, do	.....	0 40	@	0 50
Potatoes per bag	.....	0 70	@	0 75
Apples, 1/2 bag	.....	1 00	@	1 25
Lamb 1/2 b	.....	0 04	@	0 5
Beef 1/2 b	.....	7 00	@	8 00
Beef 1/2 b	.....	0 05	@	0 12
Pork, 1/2 b	.....	7 00	@	9 00
Sheep Pelts each	.....	0 50	@	1 25
Lambkins	.....	0 50	@	1 00
Hides	.....	4 50	@	5 00

**Money Market.**

JACKSON'S EXCHANGE OFFICE, Guelph, June 7, 1869.

Gold, 138 1/2

Greenbacks at 71 to 71 1/2; sold at 70 to 72 1/2.

Silver bought at 5 to 6 dis.; sold at 4 to 5

Upper Canada Bank Bills bought at 50c. to 60

Royal Canadian Bank Bills bought at 50c to 60

**BRADFORD HOUSE**

Unprecedented Success in the

# MILLINERY

DEPARTMENT.

The subscriber takes this early opportunity of thanking the ladies of Guelph and vicinity for the very

## LIBERAL PATRONAGE!

Extended to him since opening this Department this season.

THE NUMBER OF

# BONNETS & HATS

Sent out of this establishment has far exceeded our most sanguine expectations, and the satisfaction given to purchasers is a flattering proof that our efforts have been crowned with success. We are also glad to say that we have been the means of keeping ladies from going to Toronto and Hamilton, producing

### EVEN MORE STYLISH GOODS

At Lower Prices, and styles that cannot be copied by other Houses here. As WE KEEP NO MEN MILLINERS in our establishment, ladies may rely on getting their ideas carried out with care and civility.

Another Lot of New STRAW GOODS just opened, including all the latest English Styles. Pattern Bonnets and Hats supplied to the Trade at Wholesale Prices.

**PHILIP BISH,**  
Wyndham Street, Guelph, May 23. dw  
BRADFORD HOUSE.

## SHARPE'S SEED STORE.

**C. & A. SHARPE**  
Call attention to their stock of SEEDS, the growth of 1868, consisting of

### MANGEL WURTZEL SEED!

LONG RED, very large Solid variety suitable for deep soils.  
LONG YELLOW, for deep soils, grows very large and keeps well.  
YELLOW GLOBE, very heavy cropper for shallow soils.  
RED GLOBE for shallow soils, keeps well and very solid.  
SHARPE'S INTERMEDIATE, recently introduced by H. & F. Sharpe, and proved to be the best variety of Mangel grown both as regards crop, solidity and keeping; is of oval shape, and grows well on either deep or shallow soil.

### CARROT SEED.

EARLY SCARLET HORN, short, for shallow soil, when sown thick is very prolific.  
LONG RED ALTBINGHAM, very large and solid, good for deep soil.  
LONG ORANGE, for table use, and superior for food culture where the soil is deep.  
SCARLET INTERMEDIATE, grows very thick and is one of the heaviest croppers; does well on shallow soil.  
WHITE BELGIAN, a large variety for field culture, grows very abundant on deep soil.

### ALL VARIETIES OF FIELD, GARDEN AND FLOWER SEEDS.

SUPER-PHOSPHATE OF LIME AND RAW BONE DUST.

Catalogues sent POST FREE to any address on application.

**C. & A. SHARPE, Market Square, Guelph**  
dw

**MASON & HAMLIN**  
CABINET AND  
**METROPOLITAN ORGANS!**  
HAS JUST BEEN RECEIVED.

THEY are acknowledged the best instruments of their class in the world. More than three hundred prominent American Artists, and a great many European Musicians have given their testimony to their great superiority. They have been awarded SEVENTY-FIVE GOLD OR SILVER MEDALS at the principal Industrial Fairs in the United States. But their crowning glory was winning the First Prize Medal at the Paris Exposition of 1867. (These organs are provided with all the latest Improvements, including the

**Mason & Hamlin Improved Vox Bassana, or Fan Tremolo**  
which produces a variety of very brilliant orchestral effects, including remarkable imitation of string instruments; also the nearest approach to the peculiarly sympathetic, rich and attractive quality a cultivated human voice yet attained in any instrument. The facilities and resources of the Mason & Hamlin Company are now so great that they can afford and undertake to furnish not only the best but also the **Lowest Priced Organs made.** Every instrument is fully warranted for 5 years, and furnished at prices ranging from \$50 to \$1000 and upwards.

**HALL'S RATED CATALOGUES** with full description and prices of the various style of Instruments sent free to any applicant.

**Convincing Agents Wanted.**  
**W. WARNER CLARK, Guelph.**  
dw

## FUNERALS

**FUNERALS.**

**WILLIAM BROWNLOW**  
UNDERTAKER,  
SHOP, in rear of the WELLINGTON HOTEL, Douglas Street. House in rear of Mr. F. W. Stone's Store, and fronting the Fair Ground.

The subscriber intimates that he is prepared to attend

### FUNERALS

As usual in Town and Country. Coffins always on hand and made to order on the shortest notice. Terms very moderate.

WM. BROWNLOW  
Jaw

Dec. 29, 1868

**R. TROTTER**  
(Late Trotter & Graham.)

**DENTIST, - GUELPH.**

OFFICE—Over E. Harvey & Co's Drug Store, corner of Wyndham and Macdonnell-sts.

REFERENCE—A successful practice of fifteen years.

N. B.—The public will please not expect the subscriber to compete for, advertise, or expose "Prize Dentistry," as that is a means of advertising condemned by all Dental Societies, and adopted by few, if any, first-class Dentists.

Guelph, 29th April, 1868. dw

**HARTFORD**  
**Fire Insurance Company**  
Of Hartford Conn

INCORPORATED IN 1816. - CAPITAL, \$2,000,000

Special Rates for Dwellings and contents of sums of one to three years. E. MORRIS, Agent  
Guelph, December 21. dw

### SPECIAL NOTICE

The subscriber returning thanks for the liberal patronage bestowed on him in former years, begs to announce that he has erected a NEW OPERATING ROOM at considerable expense, introducing all the improvements of the day, as well as

### New RUSTIC Accessories.

He is prepared to execute Photographs and Portraits of all kinds

**From the Locket to Life Size**  
Equal, as regards finish and life-like appearance, to any that can be obtained in the Dominion. Copying of PORTRAITS in all its branches as usual, done in a satisfactory manner.

**In Urgent Photographs with Frames he intend offering Special Inducements during the coming Holidays.**

Parties requiring a large sized Photograph with handsome frame, or any other Portrait of themselves or friends, will find it to their advantage to call and examine specimens and prices.

Rooms: Directly over John A. Wood's Grocery Store, Wyndham-St.

**WILLIAM BURGESS,**  
dw  
Guelph December 12.

**JACKSON'S EXCHANGE OFFICE,**  
Opposite the Market House.

### CHEAP FARES

To Travellers Going South  
To South or West in the  
United States.

The undersigned is authorized to sell TICKETS to any point South or West by the popular and safe line

**MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILROAD.**  
FARES CHEAP, and Tickets good for any reasonable distance.  
JOHN JACKSON,  
Guelph, 14th April. dw

**Grace's Celebrated Salve.**  
From Mr. E. Tucker, Depot Master at Salisbury, Mass. "I have been troubled for years with a bad humor; sometimes outwardly and sometimes inwardly. During the past summer I manifested myself more than usual outwardly, and I used your Salve. All signs of it have since disappeared, without affecting me inwardly, indicating, I think, the curative nature of the Salve."  
SETH W. FOWLE & SON, Boston, Prop's. Sold by Druggists at 25c. a box. Sent by mail for 25 cents. my 8 dw 1m

**Allen's Celebrated Lung Balm—**  
Cures Colds, Coughs and Consumption.  
**Allen's Celebrated Lung Balm—**  
Cures Bronchitis, Asthma and Croup.  
**Allen's Celebrated Lung Balm—**  
Imparts strength to the system.  
**Allen's Celebrated Lung Balm—**  
pleasant to take.  
**Allen's Celebrated Lung Balm—**  
gives a warm satisfaction or the money will be refunded. It is recommended by prominent physicians; and while it is pleasant to take and harmless in its nature, it is a powerful remedy for curing all diseases of the Lungs. Sold by all Druggists.

**PERRY DAVIS & SON, Agents,**  
100, St. Paul Street, Montreal.  
**A. B. PETRIE and E. HARVEY, Agents**  
for Guelph.  
Feb 25—dw 1m

**DAVIDSON & CHADWICK**  
GENERAL 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 retaining the principal for a term of years or paying it off by instalments extending over any term of years up to 15.

### FUNDS FOR INVESTMENT.

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

**DAVIDSON & CHADWICK,**  
Have also a large amount of

## PRIVATE FUNDS

On hand for Investment.

Money Invested and interest collected Mortgages bought subject to examination of title and valuation of property offered.

**Debentures, Stocks and Securities** of all kinds negotiated.

**DAVIDSON & CHADWICK**  
Are Agents for the

## Royal Insurance Co'y

OF ENGLAND.

CAPITAL - - \$10 000 000

**DAVIDSON & CHADWICK**  
are Agents for the

## STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY,

Established - - in 1825.

The STANDARD takes risks at very reasonable rates, and Policy holders are secured by the very large sum of accumulated and invested Funds, viz: \$18,000,000, and the Company have the deposit with the Government of the Dominion of Canada required by the new Act.

**DAVIDSON & CHADWICK**  
Have number of FARMS for sale in the Coj of Wellington and adjoining Counties.

Also, Town Lots and Houses

In Guelph, Berlin, Fergus, &c

**AMARANTH!**  
Lot 22, in the 10th Concession, 200 acres  
Lot 17, 18 and 19, 3rd Con., 600 acres

**ARTHUR**  
South-half of Lot 15, 2nd Con., 100 acres, 60 of which are in a high state of cultivation, and well fenced, watered by a creek crossing the centre of the farm; a two-story house and good barn on the lot.

**ERAMOSA.**  
Part of West-half of 2, in the 3rd Con., four acres, with a good stone house and log stable and frame dwelling house; well watered and fenced.

**ERIN.**  
West-half of Lot 8, in the 1st Con., 100 acres, 80 cleared, good frame barn and shed and part log and frame dwelling house; well watered and fenced.

East-half of Lot in Co., 100 acres; 75 are cleared; new frame house and barn; spring creek.

West-half of Lot 32, 8th Con., 100 acres; 75 are cleared; 25 excellent bush.

**ELORA.**  
Valuable Tavern Stand for sale in the Village of Elora, at present leased to Robert Cook being lots 5 and 6, corner of Victoria and Walnut Streets, with stabling for 40 horses.

**CARAFRAXA.**  
West-half of Lot 1, in 18th Con., with 50 acres of Lot 2—a splendid farm, with good outbuildings, and a large stock of fruit trees in full bearing, watered by spring creek.

Lot 11, in 13th Con., 100 acres; 60 acres cleared, all dry land; farm buildings.

**GUELPH TOWNSHIP.**  
Valuable Farm on the Eramosa Road, containing 50 acres, 65 cleared, well watered, an orchard. Two story stone house, with cellar basement—frame barn 60x30, and other outbuildings. Within a mile of the market house.

Lot 4 and part of 5, 2nd Con., Div. E, 104 acres in a thorough state of cultivation, a large stone cottage and farm buildings, all complete.

**TOWN OF GUELPH.**

**Private Residence**—Consisting of 24 acres, on which there is a two-story brick house 40x40, in thorough repair, stone and frame stabling, an excellent garden and orchard well stocked with choice fruit trees in full bearing, watered by spring creek.

**River Lots** on Queen Street, well adapted for Private residences, valuable quarries being on the lots.

**Water Privilege and Mill Site**, containing 13 acres, composed of the north parts of Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 and Lots 5 and 6, in Oliver's Survey, on the Waterloo road.

Lots 4, 15, 16, 22, 23, 25, 30, 31, 35, 36, 40, 41, 49, 50, 51, in Webster's Survey, lying between Strange Street and the Cooper Street.

Lot 4, on the north side of Pearl Street, with a double frame house.

Lot 155, corner of Gordon and Wellington-Sts. Lots 1943 and 1944, Cambridge Street, on which is erected a frame plastered dwelling house.

**Four Quarters** on the Cooper Street, being Nos. 21, 22, 42 and 43 on the Waterloo Road.

Two story brick house on Queen Street, with stable and sheds, at present occupied by Mr. J. P. Martin.

**Park Lots** in St. Andrew's Church Glebe, containing from 1/2 to 5 acres each.

Nos. 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 37, 38 and 39, fronting on the Woodville Road, and 20, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 23, 24, 35, 36, 37, 40, 41, 42 and 43 in rear lots each, in one block.

Also, lot 15, five acres, a beautiful lot, well fenced, and in a high state of cultivation.

These lots are admirably adapted for Market Gardens, and the terms of credit are strictly liberal.

Lot 388, Market Street, next to Mr. Heffernan residence


**LUTHER.**  
North-half Lot 18, in the 4th Con., 100 acres  
South-half Lot 19, 4th " " 100 "  
Lot 2, 5th " " 200 "  
Lot 18, 5th " " 200 "  
Lot 25, 5th " " 200 "  
Lot 14, 11th " " 200 "  
Lot 11, 11th " " 200 "  
N 1/2 Lot 19, 11th " " 200 "  
Lot 16, 12th " " 174 "  
N 1/2 Lot 17, 12th " " 100 "  
Lot 18, 12th " " 200 "  
N 1/2 Lot 17, 12th " " 200 "  
Lot 19, 12th " " 200 "  
Lot 1, 13th " " 200 "  
Lot 19, 13th " " 200 "  
Lot 4, 8th " " 200 "  
Lot 1, 9th " " 200 "  
N 1/2 Lot 13, 9th " " 100 "  
Lot 11, 12th " " 200 "

**DEBENTURES WANTED.**  
Wanted, \$50,000 of County Debentures, small or large—those having several years to run preferred.

Prompt attention will be given to all prepaid letters.

**DAVIDSON & CHADWICK**  
General Agents Town Hall Buildings, Guelph, 25th January

# Golden Lion!



ROYAL CANADIAN BANK

## BILLS TAKEN AT PAR

AT

# HOGG & CHANCE'S,

Wyndham Street, Guelph.

Guelph, May 27, 1869. dw

# Pure & Genuine

Old Port Wine,  
Pale and Dark Sherries,  
Canadian Grape Wine

Martell's Brandy,  
Hay's Scotch Whisky,  
Dunville's Irish Whisky.

Blood's Forter,  
Guinness' Porter,  
O'Keefe's Porter.

Bass's Ale,  
Jeffrey's Ale,  
Mo son's Ale  
O'Keefe's Ale.

IN WOOD AND BOTTLE, AT

## JNO. RISK'S, No. 1, Day's Block.

Guelph, April 28. dw

## 1869. SPRING. 1869

# NEW & FASHIONABLE GOODS.

## JOHN R. PORTE,

Practical Watchmaker, late of the Sheffield House, Toronto—the largest and most fashionable House the Dominion, begs to intimate to the people of Guelph and the vicinity that he has received and opened at his store,

### WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH,

A large and choice assortment of the following Goods, adapted for the present season:

## GOLD & SILVER WATCHES,

CHAINS, GUARDS, &c. FINE COLOURED AND BRIGHT GOLD BROOCHES AND EARRINGS, FINE OBLIQUE AND BRIGHT GOLD COLLAR BUTTONS, STUDS, AND SOLITAIRE.

## JET AND BOG OAK, RUBBER AND IVORY JEWELLERY.

Spectacles—A large assortment of Periscope, Rock Crystals, &c. Spectacles.

Electro-Plated Ware—Spoons, Forks, Butter Coolers, Butter Knives, Castors, Cake Baskets, Salvers, Toast Racks—all of the very best plate and newest patterns. JOSEPH RODGERS' & SON'S TABLE CUTLERY, PAPER MACHE—steel and iron. TRAYS—best quality. VASES—Lustre and Bohemian Glass and other vases. CLOCKS—in great variety and at all prices. Croquet Sets, Lacrosse and Balls.

REPAIRING DONE PROMPTLY AND AT LOW PRICES. ENGRAVING OF EVERY DESCRIPTION ATTENDED TO.

Remember the name and place—

**JOHN R. PORTE,**  
Guelph, April 30. dw Next door to Berry's Confectionery Store, Wyndham-St

## 1869. SPRING. 1869

# ALMA BLOCK, GUELPH.

## WHOLESALE.

We are now receiving our Spring Importations of

## Crockery, China and Glassware!

Cutlery, Plated Ware, and Fancy Goods.

The above Goods have been purchased by one of the firm in the best Markets of Britain, and will for cheapness and quality compare with any other House in the Dominion. We respectfully solicit a call.

# R. RAE & CO.

IMPORTERS. dw  
Guelph, 14th April.

## Commercial Union Assurance Company,

CHIEF OFFICES—19 & 20 CORNHILL, LONDON, ENGLA

CAPITAL, £2,500,000.

Fire Department.

THE success which has attended the Company's operations has been such as fully to realize the most sanguine expectations of the Directors, who have resolved to extend the business more widely, and now offer to the Canadian Public PERFECT SECURITY guaranteed by large subscribed capital and Invested Funds.

PROMPT SETTLEMENT OF CLAIMS.—The Directors and General Agents, being gentlemen largely engaged in commerce, will take a liberal and business like view of all questions coming before them.

Life Department.

Volunteers assured in this Company are permitted, without extra charge, to do duty on the Frontier, and to engage in repelling marauding attacks.

Eighty per cent. of the Profits of the whole Life and Annuity business are divided among participating Policy Holders.

Claims are paid one month after Proof of Death.

By a recent Act of Parliament a Wife can now hold a Policy on the life of her Husband free from all other claims.

Offices—385 and 387 St. Paul Street, Montreal. MORLAND, WATSON & CO., General Agents for Canada.  
FREDERICK COLE Secretary.—Inspector of Agencies, T. C. LIVINGSTON, F.L.S., Upper Canada  
Trotter & Craham Agents for Gue  
Guelph, Feb. 6 1869.