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PRICE ONE PENNY

HALIFAX HOTEL,
HOLLIS STREET, HALIFAX, N.S.
THIS Hotel is the largest and most commodious in the city of Halifax, and being centrally situated will be found most convenient for business men and tourists.
HENRY HESSELEIN, Proprietor
Halifax, 12th August. dwtm

DOMINION HOTEL,
GUELPH.
JOHN BUNYAN begs to inform his friends and the public that he has leased the above Hotel, in the BRICK HOUSE, MACDONELL-ST., a few doors above Higginbotham's Drug Store, and immediately opposite Messrs. Sharpe's Seedstore. There is a good stable attached to the house, with good and commodious stabling. Every attention will be paid to customers in order to secure their comfort and convenience. The best of liquors and cigars always kept at the bar. Good accommodation for Boarders by the week at reasonable rates. Guelph, July 18th. dwtm

AMERICAN HOUSE,
BOSTON, MASS.
The largest first-class Hotel in New England, offers to Tourists, Families and the travelling public, accommodations and conveniences superior to any other hotel in the city. During the past season additions have been made of numerous suits of apartments, with bathing rooms, water closets, &c., attached. The Hotel's magnificent passenger elevators, the best ever constructed, conveys guests to the upper story of the house in one minute; the entries have been newly and richly carpeted, and the entire house thoroughly renovated and furnished, making it in all its appointments, equal to any hotel in the country. Telegraph Office, Billiard Rooms and Cafe on the first floor.
Aug 18 do 6m LEWIS RICE & SON, Proprietors

CANADA HOUSE,
CALEDONIA SPRINGS,
Near Original, on the Ottawa, County of Prescott, Ontario, -By J. M. F. CHANELL.
This elegant and fashionable first-class Hotel, with accommodation of a superior order for over two hundred persons, will be open for the reception of visitors on the 1st of June next. The House is fitted up in the first style, and is replete with every accessory demanded by modern ideas of comfort and convenience. The Halls and Lobbies are spacious, the Public Rooms for Ladies and Gentlemen elegantly finished, the Private Apartments comfortable and convenient, and the arrangements for in-door amusements are confined to a separate building, specially erected for the purpose, containing a spacious Bill Room, Billiard Room, Bowling Alley, and other requisites. The Saloon, White Surplus, and Gas Springs are but fifty yards from the house.
Charges uniformly moderate.
For further information, please address
A. M. F. CHANELL, Proprietor, Montreal.

CARD.
To Friends & Strangers.
AFTER an experience of over four years in selling the New York Union Piano Company's Pianos, (made under the direction of J. P. New York.) with the instruments of some of the other leading manufacturers, we have decided to drop all others and confine our sales to the

Union Pianos!
Being fully satisfied, after having sold over 500 of these splendid instruments, we have decided to sell only the Union Piano Company's Pianos, (made under the direction of J. P. New York.) with the instruments of some of the other leading manufacturers, we have decided to drop all others and confine our sales to the

PHILIP PHILLIPS & CO.,
Music Dealers,
New York, Cincinnati and St. Louis.
About 5,000 of the above Pianos are now in use giving entire satisfaction. Samples constantly on hand at the subscriber's Music Store, opposite the Market, Guelph, at 22 per cent. less than other good imported instruments. Also, the best Melodeons and Cabinet Organs.
W. WARNER CLARK,
Market Square, Guelph,
dwtm

FUNERALS
WILLIAM BROWNLOW
UNDERTAKER,
SHOP, in rear of the WELLINGTON HOTEL, 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.
W. M. BROWNLOW
March 20 1868. dwtm

LUMBER & WOOD YARD.
CHARLES HEATH
HAS opened a Lumber and Wood Yard on Quebec-St. West of English Church,
Where Lumber of all kinds can be had in lots to suit purchasers.

CORDWOOD
For sale by the cord, half-cord and quarter cord, and delivered in any part of the Town.
FLOUR & FEED
Also for sale, Flour and Feed, delivered in any part of the Town according to order.
All orders from Town or Country will be promptly attended to.
Guelph, May 14, 1868. CHARLES HEATH.

DOMINION LIVERY STABLE
GUELPH, ONTARIO.
H. MARRIOTT
BEGS to inform the citizens of Guelph and the travelling public that he has started a Livery Stable next door to Mr. W. Armstrong's Blacksmith's Shop, Macdonnell Street, where he can supply

Saddle Horses, Horses and Buggies.
Commercial Waggon
At the shortest notice. Also, a large
PLEASURE WAGGON!
FOR PIC-NICS.
Guelph, 19th June. dwtm

ONE IN TEN.
Statistics show that One in every Ten of the entire population meets with an Accident every year.

INSURE AGAINST ACCIDENTS
By taking a yearly Policy in

THE TRAVELLERS INSURANCE CO'Y,
OF HARTFORD, CONN.
Cash Assets, over One Million.
Has paid \$850,000 in Losses for Death or Injury by Accident.

E. MORRIS,
October 20. dlm Agent for Guelph

LAMPS
FOR THE MILLION.

MEDICAL HALL!
Guelph, Ontario.
Wyndham Street.

E. HARVEY & CO.
NOW offering at the MEDICAL HALL every description of
PARLOR, BED-ROOM, KITCHEN, HALL and SIDE LAMPS.

SPLENDID PARLOUR LAMPS
From 50c. to \$5.
COAL OIL
THAT IS COAL OIL.
If you want the Pure, Genuine O. L. for family use, procure it at the MEDICAL HALL, where none but the very best is kept.

E. HARVEY & CO.,
Cor. Wyndham & Macdonnell-Sts. Guelph.
Guelph, October 1st. dw

H. METCALF,
Late Smith and Metcalf
WISHES to inform his customers and the public that he has opened a
SHOP NEXT DOOR to MR. HAZELTON'S,

Nearly opposite the Wellington Hotel, where he is prepared to attend to the wants of customers and the public. He has on hand a lot of will
TRUNKS and SADDLES
Slightly soiled by removal at the late fires, but sold cheap
Guelph, July 2, 1868. dw

Something New!
JUST RECEIVED at the Dominion Store, a very nice assortment of
Men's Underclothing,
and Socks, also,
Ladies' Breakfast Shawls
Stockings of all colours, of the best quality made and can be bought cheap.

BERLIN WOOLS.
The Largest Stock of Wools to be had in any store in town, including English, Fingering, Clondra, Berlin, double and single, Fleecy, Merino, and Fancy Wools of every description. All kinds of Canadian Yarns.
Stamping and branding done to order.
Guelph, Oct. 15, 1868. MRS. ROBINSON. dwtm

Funerals, Funerals!
I have great pleasure in stating that Dr. Briggs has extracted several corns from Mrs. Hogg's feet without pain. I heartily recommend him to any afflicted with this disease and I hope that all my suffering friends will avail themselves of his services.
JOHN HOGG, Minister,
St. Andrew's Church, Guelph.

NATHAN TOVELL has to intimate that he is prepared to attend funerals as usual. His Steam Planing Mill is in constant operation. All kinds of lumber, shingles, doo oolids, mouldings, and Fancy Wools of every description. He solicits a share of public patronage.
NATHAN TOVELL,
Guelph, 27th Aug, 1868. dwtm

Local News.
ERIN SHOW.—The oil paintings at the Erin show which were made for the purpose of raising money for the purchase of a monument to the memory of Miss Nancy Smith, daughter of Henry Smith Esq.

A young man named Marshall, son of an innkeeper in Hamilton, was accidentally shot on Monday, while out duck-shooting, with a companion on Burlington Bay.

ASSIZES.—The Assizes for the County of Wellington will open at the Court House here, on Thursday next, the 29th inst. There are some important cases on the docket.

CONCERT TO-NIGHT.—Remember the concert in the Drill Shed to-night, in aid of the orphans and aged poor. There will be good singing in a good cause, two very strong inducements to attend.

The Temperance Hall and the Presbyterian and Roman Catholic churches at Wellington Square, were entered by some sacrilegious villains on Monday night, and robbed of everything movable.

ANOTHER SUICIDE IN WATERLOO.—John Schopp, living within a few miles of Waterloo, committed suicide on Tuesday morning in bed, by blowing his brains out with a gun, the muzzle of which he placed in his mouth and discharged, as is supposed, by pulling the trigger with his toes.

LIBERALITY.—It may be recorded as another instance of the liberality of the Manager of the Great Western Railway, that yesterday he issued free passes to those friends of Dr. Parker who wished to attend his funeral. The Mayor and members of the City Council of Hamilton were included in this generous provision.

SCHOOL OPENING IN PUSHLICH.—The new school being Section No. 5, on lot 19, 3rd con. Puslich, will be opened on Tuesday the 3rd Nov. when a social meeting will be held. Doors open at 6 o'clock; tea will be served at half-past 6. Among the speakers expected are Rev. Mr. Macdonald, Puslich, Rev. Mr. McKenzie, Hespeler, and Mr. Stirton, M.P.P. A good choir will be in attendance. Admission 25 cents.

SALE OF SOUTHDOWN SHEEP.—The sale of cattle and Southdown sheep belonging to Mr. James Anderson went off well on last Friday. The young cattle sold well. There was not such a great demand for the sheep. Mr. Kerwood of Hamilton being the principal buyer. He will be seen by advertisement elsewhere. Mr. Anderson has several of his superior Southdown sheep yet for sale.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT IN SALEM.—We regret to learn that Miss Allan, sister of the late Charles Allan, M.P.P., met with a serious accident on the evening of Friday last. We believe that Miss Allan and a servant girl were visiting some friends in this village, and when returning home in a light wagon, was run into by a drunken man, upsetting Miss Allan down an embankment of about twelve feet in height, the box of the wagon falling across her. Dr. Griffith was called, and on examination found that two of the short ribs on her right side were fractured, and the upper part of the liver severely injured. She lies at the residence of Mr. Franklin Mutch, of this village, in a precarious state.—Com.

LUCKNOW PLOUGHING MATCH.—Our correspondent sends us a report of the above match which took place on the farm of Mr. Robert Cameron, when the following prizes were awarded. First prize silver medal presented by Dr. J. H. Gardner, John Barbour, (Stephenson plough); 2d, Charles Garvin, (Runciman plough); 3rd, James Welsh; 4th, Alex. Porter, (Stephenson plough). Boys' class—1st, silver medal presented by Dr. Gardner, William Brecken, (Stephenson plough); 2d, David Wilson, (Stephenson plough); 3d, Henry McCourt, (Patterson plough); 4th, Gordon Anderson, (Runciman plough). At the close of the match it was announced that Dr. Gardner would give a gold medal next year to the first prize ploughman.

ERIN PLOUGHING MATCH.—The annual ploughing match in connection with the Rowanby of Erin Agricultural Society, took place on Thursday, the 22nd inst., in a field of sward belonging to E. Johnson, Esq., lot 10, 3rd con., Erin.—The attendance was good considering the inclement weather. There were four entries in the first class, three in the second, and five in the third. The ploughmen, officers and visitors were hospitably entertained by Mr. Johnson. The Judges were Messrs. James Mitchell, Jonathan Tovell and Dade. The prizes were awarded as follows:—1st Class, Geo. Robinson, 2nd Colin Campbell, 3rd J. D. Currie, 4th D. McEachern. 2nd Class—John Evered, 2nd James McArthur, 3rd J. Calder, 3rd Class—H. Talbot, 2nd H. R. Smith, 3rd John Currie, 4th William Mooney. A prize of \$1 was awarded to Angus Ferguson. The ploughs used were with one exception Milloy's and McMillan's. The ploughing was remarkably good in all the classes.

The business before the Edinburgh Registration Court was almost concluded on Sept. 30th, when the claims of females, the case of the 24 occupants exempted from poor-rates, and the lodgers, were decided. The ladies, of whom there were 230 claimants, were struck off by the Sheriff holding that the Reform Act of 1832 and last year were not intended to give females the right to vote; but a case was granted to the Court of Session. In respect to the 24 occupants exempted from the poor-rates, the Sheriff admitted the claimants from St. Outberr's Ward, numbering in all 34, no ground having been stated for their exemption; but in the case of the other parishes, the claimants were struck off as having been exempted from the rates from inability to pay, and though erroneously so exempted, not having timely adopted the means of remedy provided by the Act. An increase of 100 lodgers was made to the roll. The registration of those entitled to vote for a representative of the Edinburgh and St. Andrew's Universities in Parliament is closed. The roll for Edinburgh contains nearly 3,600 names, and that of St. Andrew's about 1,200—making a total constituency of about 4,800.

Town Council--Special Meeting.
A special meeting of the Council was held last night. Present, the Mayor in the chair, Dr. Herod, Messrs. Harvey, Mitchell, Mays, Massie, Howard, Buckland, Heffernan, Holliday and Thomson.

Mr. Heffernan read a petition from Mrs. Platt for transfer of license. Mr. Massie read a petition from Edward Fawcett for remission of dog tax and reduction on the income and real property. Mr. Heffernan read a petition from Michael Dignan for reduction of taxes, and Mr. Mitchell a petition from John S. Bridgford for remission of dog tax. The foregoing, with the exception of the first mentioned, were referred to Finance Committee.

Moved by Dr. Herod, seconded by Mr. Heffernan that the Clerk be and is hereby instructed to issue a tavern certificate to Elizabeth Platt, in compliance with the request of her petition. Carried.

Mr. Harvey presented the following report of the Fire & Water Committee. Your Committee recommend that the Contractor be allowed to proceed to the completion of Tanks contracted for, and that the Council in the meantime withhold all payments until the work is fully tested and approved.

The Council went into Committee of the Whole on the report; Mr. Thomson in the chair.

Dr. Herod said it was generally the custom, that with regard to such a report some of the members of the Committee should make some explanation. During the year, that Committee had deigned only one report. They had already obtained the Solicitor's opinion that the contract might be annulled with safety to the town, and even after that they come forward and recommend an extension of time. There is a want in that Committee, something wrong. The members are never all present; to-night there were only two, and the last night it was the same. There seems to be a disposition on their part to scout the whole thing, and this sudden change of tactics was to him inexplicable.

Mr. Harvey said that Dr. Herod did nothing but abuse the Committee, and he was tired of it. False bottoms had been put in two of the tanks and they now hold well, and as the season is far advanced they thought it better to allow the contractor to complete the other two. For a further extension of time would not leak after being filled again, and the Committee would see that the two new ones are put down strictly according to the specifications.

Dr. Herod wanted to know what was the use of incurring an expense of \$5 for the solicitor's advice if it was not the intention to accept the contract. He would vote for its immediate cancellation, and was certain that the tanks would ultimately leak, though they might hold in for a few weeks. The question as to whether they should be taken off the Contractor's hands is for the Committee, not for the Council, to consider.

Mr. Harvey said that whenever the committee found the tanks staunch they would recommend their acceptance and not before. Last meeting they recommended the breaking of the bargain on certain conditions, but the Council did not accept the report. If any member had anything to suggest he was willing to meet him half way.

Mr. Heffernan said that as he understood the report it did not recommend that the tanks be taken off the contractor's hands, only that the time be extended. He condemned the manner in which they had been constructed and tinkered up, and said that the cases would be parallel if he offered a man a pair of pants with a hole in the knee of them, and recommended them because the extra piece of cloth made them more endurable. He thought the others should not be put down by Mr. Armstrong, and that the town would sustain the council in procuring the services of some one else to build two new tanks.

Mr. Massie could see no reason for refusing the contractor liberty to put down the remaining tanks, so long as the Council were not asked to accept those already down.

Mr. Buckland said that a month ago it had been stated, that if the contract were not completed in a month it would be cancelled; that time has expired and no further extension is requested. He would like to know when this sort of thing was going to terminate.

A motion for the adoption of the report was put and carried in Committee of the Whole. The Committee rose and the Council resumed, when it was moved by Mr. Harvey, seconded by Mr. Howard that the report of the Fire & Water Committee be adopted.

Moved in amendment by Dr. Herod, seconded by Mr. Heffernan that the report be not adopted, but that the Chairman of the Fire & Water Committee be and is hereby instructed to request the Town Solicitor to notify Mr. James Armstrong, that the contract for building tanks between this Corporation and himself, is cancelled.

Mr. Thomson moved in amendment to the amendment, seconded by Mr. Massie, that the report of the Fire and Water Committee be referred back to the committee with instructions to measure the exact depth of water in the tanks and bring in a definite report at the meeting of the Council on Monday night.

Mr. Massie said he seconded this amendment because he had ascertained that a man in whom he had such faith that he would be willing to go his security, and whose tender on the former occasion was almost next to Mr. Armstrong's, was willing to supply the town within two or three weeks from Monday next, with two tanks if required.

Mr. Harvey then withdrew his motion for the adoption of the report, and Mr. Thompson's amendment being put seven voted for it, and three for Dr. Herod's. The yeas and nays were ordered to be taken down, when they stood as follows: For Dr. Herod's amendment, Dr. Herod, Messrs. Heffernan and Buckland—3; against, Messrs. Massie, Mitchell, Holliday, Howard, Thomson, Harvey and Mays—7.

The Council adjourned.

The Atlantic Monthly has an article on the connection between man and the monkey, and we have here what is designed to be a highly scientific consideration and illustration of the origin of the human race. It seems to us that in these wicked days people had better drop the task of ascertaining where they came from, and devote their mental energies to the elucidation of the problem whether they are going. What is to become of us in the future is of more importance, we think, than whether we were made according to the Mosaic account, or

BY TELEGRAPH
PER ATLANTIC CABLE.

Despatches to the Evening Mercury
LIVERPOOL, Oct. 27.—Hon. Roderick Johnson was last night entertained at a banquet given in his honor by Mayor Whitley, at the Town Hall. In the course of his speech on the occasion, Mr. Johnson remarked that he did not know how the people of the United States would regard his conduct, since he had been in England. He was sanguine of their approval, but he would accept censure with a Christian resignation.

BIRMINGHAM, 27th.—Mr. John Bright opened the Parliamentary canvass here last evening by addressing an immense meeting of citizens. The Birmingham Chamber of Commerce have invited Mr. Johnson, the American Minister to partake of their hospitalities.

MADRID, Oct. 27th.—The Provisional Government has issued a manifesto concerning the administration of the Kingdom. After passing in review the various Reforms described by the late Central Junta they proceed to argue in favour of the decentralization of the administrative power, and conclude by promising to give a faithful account of their doings to the Constituent Cortes. Some Spaniards of advanced Liberal views advise the sale of Cuba to the U. S. as the most direct and speedy method of solving the question of the abolition of Slavery.

VIENNA, Oct. 27.—The Ministerial Bill fixing the basis as to the number and equipment for the army and navy estimate on war footing, after much opposition, has been passed by the Reichsrath. It is said the Baron Von Beust gave the members a secret reason for the passage of the Bill, which carried it through, and this rumor creates some uneasiness. It is asserted that in a speech in secret session, urging the adoption of the measure, the Prime Minister alluded to the good relations which existed between Austria and the other Great Powers, but intimated that in the event of a rupture between Prussia and France, Austria must be ready to guard her own neutrality.

HAVRE, Oct. 27.—The closing exercises of the great Marine Exposition are taking place here to-day. For this reason the day is regarded as a holiday, and the markets are not open for business.

DUBLIN, Oct. 27.—The house of a Mr. Wigmore, near Cork, was entered last night by a body of men and a quantity of arms and ammunition carried away. The culprit was supposed to be a Fenian.

LONDON, Oct. 27.—Light shocks of earthquake were felt in various places in Cork County, Ireland, yesterday.

American Despatches
New York, 28th.—The Sun's special says: Gen. Rousseau is severely criticized for his want of courage and capacity to deal summarily with the excited mobs which surround him.
The Intelligencer of to-day backs down completely from its opposition to Seymour, by publishing his Chicago speech with approving comments, and advocating his election.

Guelph Markets
Our report of last week would almost answer for to-day, so little change has there been in the markets during the seven days which have elapsed. Turn where we may we are met by the same expression, "the market is quiet." The receipts of flour in New York are very large, the sales very small, and prices lower, ranging from \$7.00 for choice extra down as low as \$6.15, and this, be it remembered, in green wheat. Montreal the highest price is \$6.50, and some of the States markets are largely supplying the manufacturers with wheat. In Chicago it is also nominally lower. It is said the British Government has a but little prospect of an improvement in prices, but considerable demand may be created from the West Indies; and when all the possibilities that govern the market are weighed the opinion prevails among those who should be able to form pretty correct conjectures that they will be higher before the end of January. Of course the dullness of four causes a corresponding dullness in wheat. No 2 is quoted in Chicago as low as \$1.17, but there is one hopeful feature, that stocks are not accumulating. It is different in New York, where wheat is quoted heavy, and where the receipts are far in advance of the shipments. In Montreal Canada Fall is quoted at \$1.30, and Spring at \$1.18, a margin by which it is enough to our shipment from the Western towns. Toronto has a very light supply with a quiet market. Peas, oats and barley in all the great produce marts are drooping and inactive. In Oswego barley is quoted very dull, with heavy receipts and few shipments and held considerably above what purchasers are willing to pay. The tightness of money may perhaps account in some measure for the inactivity of the States markets during the past week, and this in particular applicable to New York where the peculiar speculation of the wealthy firm produced serious embarrassment in financial circles. The supply in the Guelph market of almost all articles of produce has considerably decreased during the week, but this is readily accounted for by remembering that farmers are now busy taking up their root crops. Fall wheat continues steady, there being no difference on last week's figures. Corn is active, sample brings \$1.05. Spring wheat is somewhat higher, though it has been rather variable. Having come down to \$1, it shot upwards in two days to \$1.10 in consequence of some of the city markets becoming a little more lively, and almost immediately began to decline until it stands at our quotations. There is little, if any, purchased in Guelph for shipment. On the contrary some of the mill owners are importing from markets on the Grand Trunk west, such as Stratford and Clinton, and the samples which come from those places are very fine. Barley has had a long run and a strong one, but the receipts are falling off. The unexpired prices brought it in with a rush, but as the quantity of this grain is rather limited the supply is beginning to exhibit signs of exhaustion. The stocks which blocked up the markets a week ago appear, however, to be moving as the prices are somewhat higher and the demand considerably keener. Peas and oats might be said to be unchanged, the former being, if altered at all, a little easier. Butter is firmer; potatoes, apples and hay remain as they were. Hides are freer, good ones now bringing \$6.50 per cwt. Pork is a good price, \$7 per cwt. being freely offered for good quality. It is not likely that it will get much above this figure, and indeed if other markets busy index it is likely rather to decline. A dullness and lower prices are noted in Chicago markets, and packers there are chary about buying.

BOYS WANTED.

Wanted, several smart, active boys to sell the EVENING MERCURY. Several boys are now making from one to two dollars a week. Apply at once at this Office.

VERY RIDICULOUS.—The Toronto Telegraph is making itself very ridiculous in the interest it manifests for the Centre Riding of Wellington. We beg the Telegraph not to be at all disturbed about the matter. The Reformers of the Centre Riding can attend to their own business without any assistance or advice from the Telegraph, whose more congenial work is bolstering up the patent Combination, to whom it has been indebted for so many favors. The dull wit of the Telegraph is therefore entirely thrown away, for the Reformers of the Centre Riding will, at the right time, and without any outside advice, choose the proper person to represent them in Parliament to take the place of their late lamented member. It was very unseemly, to say the least, for the Telegraph to discuss the matter before even the remains of the late member were beneath the sod, but we suppose this must be accepted as an instance of its new-fangled enterprise. It is a kind of enterprise, however, which the public do not like, and which smacks more of impertinence than good taste.

More Earthquakes in California.

Since the shocks of earthquakes which were felt in California last week, others though of a slighter character have been felt at intervals during the last four or five days. On the 22nd a slight tremor or two was felt. The casualties by the first shock do not exceed thirty. Only five persons were killed, though in one or two instances persons who were struck by falling bricks and timber met their deaths. An examination of the City Hall shows that the walls are badly cracked from the ground floor upwards, and that the arches are mostly ruined. Had it not been for the extra anchors and tie-rope into the Custom-House building after the earthquake of 1855, it is probable that a greater portion of the structure would have fallen to the ground. The old Merchants' Exchange, on Battery-st., opposite the Custom-House, and which for some years past has been occupied by the United States Courts, was considerably injured. There is a large fissure in the north wall of the building. The new Merchants' Exchange, on California-st., is slightly injured. The ornamental work on the building occupied by the Bank of California, was thrown down. The balustrade and the chimneys are being removed. Although 100 buildings in the city have been damaged, a thorough examination proves that those buildings which have been properly constructed will stand much heavier shocks. The greatest wreck of buildings and destruction of property was confined to the eastern and southern portions of the city, where the buildings are erected on made ground.

Another shock occurred on the 23rd which sent the people shrieking with terror into the streets. When the despatch left it was impossible to ascertain whether there had been any further damage to the shattered buildings or any further loss of life. The streets were thronged with persons in their night-clothing, who are waiting in fear for what may come next. The atmosphere was thick and the weather was warm and sultry. During the night following the people showed no desire to return to their houses, but remained terror-stricken in the streets. On the following morning there was a very slight shock. Another despatch on the 25th says:—Several slight shocks of earthquake have occurred since midnight, the one at 7.55 in the morning was of considerable duration and created some alarm.

Ward committees to collect subscriptions in aid of the Red River sufferers have been appointed in Toronto with an alderman at the head of each to organize it.

The working men of Exeter have established a board of arbitration and conciliation between masters and men. A project is in contemplation among the merchants and business men of Main street, Galt, to station a night watchman in the business part of the town where the principal shops are situated.

Labour is scarce in the Muskoka district, says Mr. Lynn. Offers of \$16 per month and board to work on the roads find no takers.

The well known steple chaser, 'Chang,' owned by Capt. Moore of the Hussars, won a race at Boston last week.

For assaulting his step mother, a young man, in the township of Derby, was fined \$20 and costs on Tuesday week.

JUDICIAL.—A good story is told at Newport of an "old back," who offered a very handsome young lady a pony for a kiss. She gave him the "sweet nothing"; he refused the pony, and, upon being sued by the demurell's father, pleaded "no consideration." The court, however, decided that a kiss was a legal consideration, and compelled the old fellow to "pony up."—Served him right!

A man named George Curran was tried at the last Wentworth Assizes for forging the name of John White to a promissory note for \$204, and sentenced to four years in the Penitentiary. He leaves a wife and six small children in the outer world, and is so ill in health himself that it is believed he will not long survive.

The Wesleyan Methodists of Toronto, will shortly offer a premium for plans of a new church, to be erected on McGill Square. The building is to accommodate 2,000 people, and its estimated cost is \$50,000.

Goderich looks with a jealous eye on Kincardine, fearing lest some influence might be brought to bear on the engineers which would induce them to locate the harbour of refuge at the latter place. It is complained that they spend more of their time there than looks well for Goderich.

MAIL ROBBERIES.—The Toronto papers contain accounts of a number of unaccountable losses of mails between the G. W. railway, and G. T. railway east of Toronto. Whole packages of letters are taken out, and among them many that are registered and consequently valuable. A bag in its entirety has disappeared. The post office officials are not blamed, the crime being laid at the door of prowlers who commit the robberies while the mail is being transmitted from one place to another in a cart after nightfall.

Funeral of the late Dr. Parker.

The funeral of the late Dr. Parker took place on Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock, and was one of the largest and most imposing ever seen in Guelph. The citizens of every station, and of all shades of politics or religious creeds, were present in very large numbers. Quite a number of his former constituents from all parts of the Riding also attended to pay the last tribute of respect to their former member. Among the strangers from a distance were the following gentlemen from Hamilton:—Mr. H. C. Clarke, Mayor, Messrs. Adam Brown, Charles McGill, M.P., Wm. McGivern, J. Chisholm, T. Hiddout, H. E. Irving and Thos. White, jr.—Among the members of Parliament we noticed Messrs. D. Shirton, H. McFarlane, James Young, G. A. Drow and P. Gow. The Hon. John Sandfield Macdonald came up from Toronto to be present at the funeral, but the train was so late that the cortege had nearly reached the cemetery before it arrived. The Rev. W. Parker, brother to the deceased, also came by the same train, and reached the cemetery in time to see the remains of his brother consigned to the earth.

The Town Council, in accordance with the resolution passed the previous evening, attended in a body. The flags on the public buildings were at half-mast during the day. The stores and other places of business were closed from half-past two till four o'clock, and while the people were assembling and during the funeral procession, the bells of the Market House, St. George's, Congregational and Catholic churches tolled mournful dirges. The Rev. J. G. Geddes, of Hamilton, read part of the solemn service for the dead before the body was removed from the house, and the same gentleman, assisted by Rev. Mr. Alexander, officiated at the grave. The pall bearers were Judge Macdonald, Geo. Elliott, N. Higginbotham, Dr. Herod, Adam Brown and W. McGivern. The Town Council led the way in the funeral procession, then followed the hearse, then came the relatives and intimate friends of the deceased, after which followed a long line of carriages, over 100 in number, and extending nearly a mile in length. The members of the Guelph Presbytery, in connection with the Canada Presbyterian Church, which was in session at the time, also joined the procession. As the cortege proceeded slowly through the town, the people gathered on the streets, and in common with those who formed the procession testified by their looks and words their sorrow for the loss of one who was valued as a man of rare ability, as a genial friend and companion, and whose melancholy death has caused a blank in this community which will not soon be filled.

The Curling and Skating Rink.

A meeting of the curlers and those friendly to the erection of a curling and skating rink combined, was held in the Town Hall on Tuesday evening in accordance with advertisement. Thos. McCrae, Esq., was appointed chairman pro tem, and having stated the object of the meeting, the secretary, Mr. Davidson, read a short prospectus drawn up by N. McLean, Esq. The scheme was duly considered, and the amount of stock necessary to carry out the same was put down at \$1200.

It was moved by Mr. Robertson, sr., seconded by Mr. McCrae, That it is desirable to unite the curling and skating interests of the town in a joint stock company having one rink divided into separate departments, if the skaters come forward and subscribe for an equal proportion of stock.—Carried.

It was also moved and carried that a new subscription list be opened, for the purpose of carrying out the above resolution, and that Messrs. N. McLean, D. McCrae, A. Robertson, Jr., with power to add to their number, be a Committee to solicit stock and report at an adjourned meeting to be held in the Town Hall on Friday night at half past seven o'clock, when it is expected all those who have taken stock will be present, as managers, &c., may be appointed to carry out the erection of the building, as the season is now close at hand when John Frost may assert his dominion.

"Division of Garafraxa."

Mr. Freeholder.—Permit me to say a few words about your article with the above heading. You tell us we are asleep, and hint that it takes you to wake us up. Now, Mr. Greenhorn, for as awake a person as it strikes me you see remarkably little. Your letter is mainly composed of shalls, wills, and what-do-you-thinks. Surely while we have been snoozing you have collected some information; or, if not, why write upon a subject that, you say, you care little about, and of which you evidently know less than it is almost needless to refer to your sapient address, since you do not state a case, much less prove one, and, besides, you murder the whole piece in conclusion by proposing that the Assessor carry round a petition against the proposed change. Why, a person with one eye open can see that if the Assessor's petition does not get a majority of the ratepayers' signatures no harm is done; but if it does your petition would be further in the rear than ever, when we deduct those who happened to be absent, or would not vote at all. Moreover, the first principle in Responsible Government is, to yield to the wish of the majority. What a pity, too, you did not tell us the Act of Parliament that would permit our Council to hold their meetings either in Fergus or Orangeville, or what attraction would entice them to the neighbourhood of those villages. If "Fergus and Orangeville prosper in their own resources of wealth" (which I beg leave to doubt), much more does Garafraxa, and if the meetings are held within the municipalities as at present, small difference it would make to any one whether held in this house or that. It would even be more convenient than that now for "every one to drop in upon the palaver of our Councillors." All I presume, were aware that in the event of a division we shall have nearly twice as many public officers, but we take the liberty of thinking for ourselves that the outlay will not be nearly twice as much as it is now, since the actual labor will be very little increased, and no one, officer or otherwise, is entitled to more than he works for. Having said enough at present.

I remain, yours &c., A LABOURER.

Cuvier, the naturalist, was in his favorite pursuits very democratic in his tastes. He treated all men as his equals, and would not allow others to treat him as superior. One day, while discussing a question in connection with a young naturalist, the latter constantly interjected in his conversation, Monsieur le Baron. There is no baron here, replied Cuvier; there are two shades of seeking the truth and bowing down only to him.

THE GUELPH POLICE COURT.

Before T. W. Saunders, Esq., Police Magistrate. WEDNESDAY, 28th.—John Houston, blacksmith, who was remanded yesterday, was up again this morning on the charge of having stolen a sum of money from the till in Jackson & Hallett's store, on Monday. It appears that Houston was the worse of liquor, and as soon as he grasped the money Mr. Jackson noticed him, and shouted to him, when he immediately delivered up the money. As he had not showed his intention of appropriating, the theft was not complete, and he was dismissed.

BIRTHS.

FEAST.—At Guelph, on the 27th inst., the wife of Mr. A. S. Feast, marble dealer, of a son.

DIED.

RIDDELL.—In Galt, on the 23rd inst., Janet Isabella, infant daughter of Mr. Archibald Rid-dell, aged 2 weeks and 6 days.

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Estate of the late Jas. Lindsay

ALL PARTIES having claims against the Estate of James Lindsay, late of the Town of Guelph, Hotel keeper, are requested to hand them in at once to the undersigned, Executors, for adjustment, and all parties indebted to the estate are required to make immediate payment. ARCH. MCCORKINDALE, WILLIAM C. BAINE, Executors. class 2w Guelph, Oct. 27. Advertiser to copy.

Wrapping Paper for Sale.

FOR SALE at the EVENING MERCURY Office, a large lot of old Newspapers, in good condition for wrapping paper. Apply at the office. Guelph, October 23.

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TAKE NOTICE. THE Subscriber having purchased the right of sale of Weer's Patent Lamp Burner, which does away with the use of glasses with perfect safety, whereby the great saving of glasses for street and parlour lamps, and other places is effected, an active man can make \$4 a day by selling the Burner. All parties selling without my consent will be prosecuted. JAS. O'NEIL, Anglo-American Hotel. Guelph, October 24th. d3w3

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Several distinguished Singers from Buffalo, Toronto and Hamilton will be present.

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The Orchestra, under the leadership of Mr. Vale, will accompany the choruses.

Doors open at 7 o'clock. Concert to commence at 8. Vale's Quadrille Band will be in attendance.

D. NUNAN, Secretary. Guelph, 19th October. d9w1.

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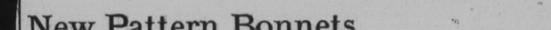
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He informed him of the contents of the epistle he had received and the answer written.

In bidding him farewell at the outer gate, Gilbert pressed his hand fondly as if it had been that of a dear parent, and hurried across the drawbridge.

The page who bore Master Elliot's epistle for his mistress Lady Douglas had crossed the Court, ascended the broad staircase, and with his dainty mincing gait was passing along the corridor to her ladyship's apartments, when he was stopped by a tap on the shoulder from some one behind.

He wheeled round and met the dark eyes of Heron Barras. The page bowed with a mock air of deep respect, for he had learned that this gentleman was no favourite with his mistress.

'Follow me,' said Barras authoritatively.

'Under favour, my lord, I am bound to attend my mistress, who awaits me.'

'Barras frowned.

'Under favour, my lord, you shall follow me.'

'I am not bound to follow any man's beck, and will not yours.'

The youth turned as if to pursue his way. Barras angrily gripped him by the arm.

'Hark you, sirrah, his lordship of Angus commands you to attend me to his presence. Disobey, and there are dungeons beneath the tower into which living men have entered and never come forth alive again.'

This was said in an ominous whisper, the youth trembled, hesitated, and then meekly followed.

Barras led him through a number of corridors, and at length halted before a door, which he threw open.

'Enter.'

Again the page hesitated, and regarded the man with a suspicious glance. But as he was mesmerized by the dark power of the man's eyes he obeyed.

'My lord, Angus is not here,' he cried, starting back.

But Barras had closed and secured the door. Then he gripped the frightened youth by the throat, and held his poniard poised as if to strike.

'Breathe one word above your breath and it is your last. Be silent, obedient, and discreet, and you shall have ten gold pieces as a present guardian of the favour of my lord Angus.'

'What—what—would you have?' stammered the page.

'Show me the letter you got but now from Master Elliot.'

'I—I have none.'

'That is a pity, for it would have saved your life.'

The poniard was descending—

'Stay, stay, master, and I will do anything you wish.'

With trembling fingers, he produced the letter, Barras slipped his poniard under the seal, opened it and read it.

He lit a taper and re-sealed the letter, smiling coldly.

'There are ten gold pieces I promised you. Take this to your mistress, it is not what I expected to find. But mark, do you but hint that you encountered me in your passages, and no power on earth shall save you from me. Go, and remember.'

He opened the door, and the trembling page hurried away.

TO BE CONTINUED.

THE INDIAN TITLES.—Lord Ebury, Sir Thomas Fowell Buxton, and a number of other Christian philanthropists, have addressed a memorial to Mr. Disraeli concerning the Indian tribes of the Northwest Territory.

They say that the Hudson Bay Company has systematically ignored the title of the Indians to the land, and claimed the property thereof to themselves—a claim which so long as it was not followed by occupation, was little understood by the Indians, though sometimes protested against; but now that their claim is to be transferred to Canada—a transference which is to be followed up by settlement,—it is absolutely necessary, in the interests of justice and humanity, that ample provision be made for the peaceful extinction of the native title on equitable principles, and for the setting apart of ample reserves for the settlement and civilization of the numerous though decaying tribes of Rupert's Land.

The Yarmouth (N.S.) Tribune, which has heretofore been a strong "anti" paper, ridicules the idea of Nova Scotia's withdrawing from the Union by force, or its annexation to the United States.

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ERIN.

West-half of Lot 5, in the 1st Con., 100 acres, 80 cleared, good frame barn and shed, and part log and frame dwelling house; well watered & fenced.

East-half of Lot 20, 5th Con., 100 acres, 75 acres cleared; new frame house and barn; spring creek.

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Lot 1, 7th " 200 "

Lot 2, 7th " 200 "

Lot 18, 5th " 200 "

Lot 15, 11th " 200 "

N of Lot 15, 12th " 174 "

N of Lot 17, 12th " 200 "

Lot 18, 12th " 200 "

Lot 19, 12th " 200 "

Lot 12, 13th " 200 "

Lot 11, 13th " 200 "

Lot 10, 13th " 200 "

N of Lot 13, 9th " 100 "

Lot 11, 12th " 200 "

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On WEDNESDAY MORNING, November 4th, '68,

WILL BE OFFERED AT AUCTION:

2,500 packages Fresh Tea, comprising Young Hyson, Gunpowder, Imperials, Fwankay, Old Hyson, Natural Leaf, Japan, Souchong, Hbds Bright Muscovado Sugar, Hbds Yellow Refined Sugar, Hbds Standard, Golden and Amber Syrups, Hbds West India and Hbds Sugar House Molasses, Baga Rio, Laguayra, Java and Mocha Coffee, Boxes Cocoa, Chocolate and Broma, various brands, Caddies Dark and Bright 8s and 5s Tobacco, Boxes 1 and 1/2 boxes Bright Virginia Tobacco, Hbds and 1/2 Hbds Cut Smoking Tobacco, Boxes Cut Chewing, Cases German Cigars, Kings 10 Carbonate Soda, Kings Saffire, Cases Salmine 1s and 1/2s, Cases Star Brand Lobsters, Cases Fresh Salmon, in Tins, Kings Seedless Raisins, Boxes 1 and 1/2 boxes New Layer Raisins, Single and Double Crown, Boxes and 1/2 Boxes Prime New Valentin Raisins, Selected, Boxes 1 and 1/2 boxes New M. R. Raisins, Hbds Choice New Currants, Hbds Good Old Currants, Kings New Prunes in Glass Jars, Cases French Prunes in Glass Jars, Boxes Jordan Almonds, Bags Soft Shell Almonds, Bags New Filberts, Walnuts and Brazil Nuts, Boxes Candied, Orange, Lemon and Citron Peel, Boxes Cocoa, Chocolate and Broma, various brands, Boxes Macaroni and Vermicelli, Hales Wine and Beer Corks, Bags Pepper and Pimento, Chests Cassia, Bales Cloves, Cases English Cheese, comprising Cheddar, North Wilt, Double Gloucester and Stilton, Hbds Taylor's Mustard, in 4 lbs, 2 lbs, and 1 lb bottles, Cases Taylor's Mustard, in 1 lb and 1/2 lb bottles, Cases Taylor's Cocoa Nuts in Tins, Qr Casks English Malt Vinegar, Qr Casks French White Wine Vinegar, Hbds Canadian Vinegar, all grades, Bags 2 1/2 bush, graham, painted, varnished Pails, Nests 3 and 8 Tubs, Cases Bath Bricks, Hbds Whiting, Boxes T. D. Pipes, Boxes Fresh Sealed Herrings, Boxes Prime Dried Herring, Cases Nuts, Hbds Jamaica, and Bags African Ginger, Boxes Crumion Starch, Boxes Glaxo and Corn Starch, Bags Arzac and Rangoon Rice, Boxes Cattle Soap,

Boxes Brown Windsor Soap, Boxes Healy's Toilet Soap, all kinds, Bags Hemp and Canary Seed, Cases Sago and Tapioca, Boxes Round and Square Cloth Pins, Cases Pure Cream Tartar, Cases Telegraph Matches, Boxes Burton, Ball and Thumb Bluo, Cases Olive Oil, pts and 1/2 pts, Cases Burton & Guestler's do, Hagnons and 1/2 Hagnons, Cases Batus Salt in Glass Jars, Cases Joyce's Mixed and Assorted Pickles, Cases Joyce's Assorted Sauces, pickled 1/2 pts, comprising Worcester, Catsup, Reading, Harvey, Beefsteak and John Bull in each case, Cases Joyce's Bottled Fruits, assorted, comprising Damsons, Raspberry, Black Currants, Plums, Gooseberries, Red Currants in every Case, Cases Joyce's do, Assorted, comprising Raspberry, Damson, Plum, Black Currant, Magnum Bonum, Gooseberries and Red Currant, in each case, Cases Joyce's Marmalade, Cases Currie Powder, lbs, 1/2 lbs and 4 oz, Cases Currie, pts, 1/2 pts and 1 lb, Hbds Crosse & Blackwell's Mixed and Assorted Pickles, pts and qts, Hbds Crosse & Blackwell's Pickled Cauliflower Onions, Gherkin, Chow Chow, Picillia, Walnuts, in pts and qts, Hbds Crosse & Blackwell's Imperial West India Orange and Lemon Cream, Hbds Crosse & Blackwell's Mushroom Catsup, (pts and 1/2 pts) Imperial Harvey's, John Bull, Tomatoes, Lord Mayor, Windsor, and Chetna Sauces, Essence Anchovies, Katos Gherkins, Prince of Wales' Sauces, and Soy's Relish, Hbds Crosse & Blackwell's Salad Oil in Cut Decanters, Hbds Crosse & Blackwell's London Mustard, in 1 lb and 1/2 lb bottles, Hbds Crosse & Blackwell's Jellies, comprising Maitre, Cal's Fook, Lemon, Orange, and Orange and Lemon Cream, Hbds Crosse & Blackwell's Pickled Meats and Fish, comprising Anchovy and Bologna Paste, Pickled Beef and Tongue, Cases Crosse & Blackwell's Gorge and Dutch Anchovies, Cases Crosse & Blackwell's India Chutney, Cayenne Pepper, and Curry Powder, Cases Crosse & Blackwell's Keillor's Marmalade, Cases Crosse & Blackwell's Jams, comprising Raspberry, Strawberry, Greenapple, Plum, Gooseberry and Currant, Cases Cox's Orange in 2, 1 1/2 and 1 qt packages, Cases pts and 1/2 pts Lea & Perrin's Worcester Sauce, Quilts Prime Table Codfish, Cases New Leander Split and Round Herrings, Hbds New Salmon, Hbds New Mackerel,

Cases Guinness' Porter, pts imp pts and qts, Cases Bass & Co's Ale, pts and qts, Cases Old Cognac Brandy, comprising the following, Hennessy's, Jules Robin, Martell's, Coran & Co., Otard, Dupuy, Vinogroves, Fink, Castillon & Co., Cases Booth's, Betts' and Barclay's Old Tom Gin, Cases Booth's, Betts' and Barclay's Old Tom Gin, Cases (red and green) Hollands Gin, Cases Puvillie's and Kmahlan's Irish Whiskey, Cases Sparkling Hook and Moselle, Cases Champagne, various choice brands, Cases John Bull and Orange Tonic Bitters, Cases Hay's Scotch Whiskey, Cases Bernard's Ginger Wine, Hbds Fenner's Cider, Qr Casks Fenner's Cramp, Suter & Co's and Misa's Sherry,

Together with a large stock of other Goods, the whole forming a most complete and well selected assortment of Staple and Fancy Groceries, Wines, Liquors, &c.

Samples May be Seen the Day Previous to Sale.

Sale to Commence at 10 o'clock, on the Morning of the 4th November,

And will be continued until the whole is disposed of. Goods will be sold at average four months.

TERMS—Say one-third at 2, 4 and 6 months.

THOMAS GRIFFITH & CO.

Wholesale Grocers, Wine and Spirit Merchants, 37 and 39 Front St., TORONTO, Ont.

Guelph, October 24th.

d-td

BRITANNIA HOUSE

WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH.

SILVER TAKEN AT PAR.

Four per Cent. allowed off all purchases paid for in Bills at time of Sale.

A Still further Reduction in the price of Tweeds, Full Cloths, Satinets, Blankets, Clothing, Millinery, Mantles, Prints, Cottons, &c.

HEFFERNAN BROTHERS.

Guelph, Oct. 24, 1868.

E. O'DONNELL & CO.

GUELPH, ONT.

TEAS.

Ping Suey Tea, BEST \$1.00 | Best Oolong, 75c.

Best Moyune, 87c | Best Japan, 65

Choice Young Hyson, 80 | Best Black, 68

Young Hyson Teas, 50c.

Good Plug Chewing Tobacco at 20c per lb.

SILVER TAKEN AT PAR.

At E. O'DONNELL & CO'S.

Wyndham Street, Guelph, October 20th.

dw

TAKE NOTICE.

All overdue accounts must be settled by the 1st November, otherwise they will be put in suit for collection.

ROBERT RUTHERFORD.

IN STORE.

Bags Liverpool Salt.
Barrels Inspected Coal Oil.
Just arrived and receiving, Butts, Hhds. and Quarter Casks, Gordon's Sherris, offered either in or out of bond.
Hhds. Qr. Casks and Octaves bright Burgundy Ports, offering at very low prices.
Martell & Co., Hennessy and Pinet's Brandy in cases and wood.
Qr. Casks and Hhds DeKuyper Gin.
Jamaica and Cuba Rum in Puncheons, Hhds, Qr. Casks and Octaves.
Dunville Irish Whiskey, in cases.
Ramsay Scotch Whiskey, in cases and wood.
Stewart's Malff Whiskey, in cases and wood.

JOHN L. LEWIS,
Jobber in Groceries, Wines and Spirits,
Guelph, Oct. 22. daw tf

COMMERCIAL.

GUELPH MARKETS.

MERCURY OFFICE, GUELPH, October 28, 1868.

Flour \$ 100 lbs	.....	\$ 2 75	@	\$ 0 00
Fall Wheat, 3/4 bush	.....	1 25	@	1 28
Spring Wheat 3/4 bush	.....	1 00	@	1 05
Oats 3/4 bush	.....	0 50	@	0 55
Peas do	.....	0 80	@	0 85
Barley do	.....	1 25	@	1 30
Hay 1 ton	.....	11 00	@	11 00
Straw	.....	3 00	@	3 00
Shingles, 1/2 square	.....	1 00	@	1 00
Wood, 4 cord	.....	3 00	@	4 00
Wool	.....	0 24	@	0 25
Eggs, 1/2 dozen	.....	0 14	@	0 15
Butter, (store packed) 1/2 lb	.....	0 18	@	0 19
do (dairy packed) 1/2 lb	.....	0 19	@	0 21
Geese, each	.....	0 37 1/2	@	0 39
Turkeys each	.....	0 50	@	0 50
Chickens, 1/2 pair	.....	0 10	@	0 10
Ducks, do	.....	0 15	@	0 15
Potatoes (new) per bag	.....	1 00	@	1 12
Apples, 1/2 bag	.....	0 75	@	0 75
Lamb, 1/2 lb	.....	0 06	@	0 07
Beef	.....	0 09	@	0 09
Pork, 1/2 lb	.....	0 05	@	0 12
Sheep Pelts each	.....	5 00	@	7 00
Lambskins	.....	0 25	@	0 50
Hides	.....	0 00	@	0 50

Money Market.

JACKSON'S EXCHANGE OFFICE,
Guelph, Oct. 28, 1868.
Gold, 134.
Greenbacks bought at 7 1/2; sold at 7 3/4 to 7 1/2
Silver bought at 5 1/4; sold at 4.
Upper Canada Bank Bills bought at 55c. to 60c

MONTREAL MARKETS.

Kirkwood, Livingston & Co's report by special
Telegraph to "Evening Mercury."
Montreal, October 27, 1868.
Flour—Fancy, \$5 60 to \$5 65; Superior No. 1,
\$5 20 to \$5 45; Welland Canal, \$5 22. Bag flour
\$2 50 to \$2 60. Oats 40c to 50c. Barley \$1 25 to
\$1 40. Butter—dairy 20c to 25c. store packed 20c
to 23c. Ashes—Pots \$5 05 to \$5 70 per ton \$5 50
to \$5 60.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, Oct. 27.
Fall wheat, 1 25 to 1 84; spring wheat,
1 11 to 1 12; flour, No 1 super, 5 10 to 6 00;
extra, 6 00 to 6 00; barley 1 35 to 1 40; peas
90c to 90; oats, 51c to 51.

HAMILTON MARKETS.

Hamilton, Oct. 27.
Barley, 1 44 to 1 46; peas, 85c to 90c;
oats, 45c to 50c; spring wheat, 1 04 to 1 05;
white wheat, 1 24 to 1 25; red winter, 1 10
to 1 11.

GALT MARKETS.

Tuesday, 27th Oct.
Yesterday Barley ranged from \$1 20 to
\$1 27. Wheat tends downwards. Oats are
not offered—price 45c to 50c; Butter 22c to
27c; Carrots 22c to 25c; Turnips 14c to 15c;
Eggs scarce at 16c; Potatoes 75c; Wood
\$2 50 to \$4 00.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

N. CROFT
WOULD inform his friends and the general
public that he has opened a shop in his
old premises, on

CHURCH STREET,
Two doors West of Deady's Hotel,

Where he is prepared to make up Gentlemen's
Garments in the newest style.

CUTTING DONE ON SHORT NOTICE.
Agent for the best Sewing Machines.
N. CROFT, Church-st.
Guelph, 11th September d

Large Bankrupt Stock
AT THE CO-OPERATIVE STORE.

DRY GOODS & CLOTHING.

Which will be sold at nearly HALF-PRICES. The undermentioned articles and figures show the
usual prices and the reduced prices. The whole Stock is to be sold equally low.

BANKRUPT STOCK.	USUAL PRICES.		REDUCED PRICES.	

Union Tweeds	\$0 45	.....	\$0 25	.....
Wool Tweeds	0 75	.....	0 45	.....
White Flannels	0 45	.....	0 25	.....
Fancy Flann	0 50	.....	0 30	.....
Grey Sheetings	0 13	.....	0 08	.....
Striped Shirtings	0 18	.....	0 11	.....
Fancy Prints	0 15	.....	0 08	.....
Cobourgs and Alpaca	0 20	.....	0 12	.....
Skirts	0 75	.....	0 45	.....
Shawls	2 50	.....	1 50	.....
Coats	6 00	.....	3 50	.....

Gloves, Hosiery, Ribbons, Flowers, Trimmings, Buttons, Belts, Collars, Handkerchiefs, Edgings,
Leaves, Hats, Caps, &c., at the same Reduced Price.
The Fourth Semi-annual Dividend will be paid to customers on presenting their Pass Books
on and after the 1st of October.
W. MACKLIN & CO.
Guelph September 1 68 dw

WANTED.



BOOTS AND SHOES
TO BE FOUND IN GUELPH.

JOHN CRIDIFORD
INVITES inspection to his stock of **NEW FALL GOODS**, which have been purchased from
the best makers, and can be warranted as equal to any in the market for Style, Durability or
Cheapness.
Remember that the spot for Cheap Boots and Shoes is the **Kingston Penitentiary
Boot and Shoe Store, No. 41, Wyndham-st., Guelph. FOR CASH ONLY.**
JOHN CRIDIFORD.
Guelph, September 26th dw

R. J. JEANNERET.

From England,
Established in London, Oct., 1842 and in
Guelph 1868.

WORKING WATCHMAKER
AND JEWELER

DAYS' BLOCK,
Opposite the Marke Guelph.

A GOOD Assortment of the Best English and
Swiss Lever Watches. Reference can be
made to respectable persons who have carried
his Watches from one to twenty-five years each.
Guelph, September 9th. dw

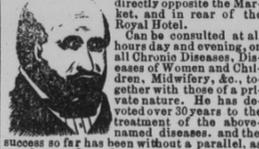
TROTTER'S



Canadian Dentifrice

It is recommended by the following first-class Den-
tists as the best preparation for cleansing,
whitening and preserving the teeth: B. W. Day
M. D., L. D. S., Pres. of the Dental Association;
W. C. Adams, L. D. S., Toronto; J. O'Donnell,
Secretary, Dental Association; L. Lemon, L. D. S.,
St. Catharines; D. A. Bogart, L. D. S., Hamilton,
J. W. Elliott Toronto.
Price 25c. per box. For sale by all Drug-
gists.
Guelph, June 22 dw 6m

DOCTOR DAVIS
Physician and Surgeon.



OFFICE—Merrick-st.,
directly opposite the Mar-
ket, and in rear of the
Royal Hotel.
Can be consulted at all
hours day and evening, on
all Chronic Diseases, Dis-
eases of Women and Chil-
dren, Midwifery, &c. to-
gether with those of a pri-
vate nature. He has de-
voted over 30 years to the
treatment of the above-
named diseases, and the
success so far has been without a parallel, as
may be seen from the numerous testimonials
in his possession.
No Mercury Used—Patients at a dis-
tance can be treated by corresponding with
the doctor, stating the symptoms of the dis-
ease, age, length of time afflicted, &c., and re-
ceive his celebrated remedies by express, or
as otherwise directed, securely packed from
observation. A reasonable remittance on all
such applications will be required.
Female Pills—Dr. Davis' celebrated
Female Pills for Irregularities, Suppression
of the Menstrue, Leucorrhoea, Whites, and all
female difficulties, have been before the pub-
lic for the last ten years, and are universally
admitted to be the best remedy for which they are
recommended of any now in use.
The doctor can be consulted at all times
with the utmost secrecy, as his office is so ar-
ranged that it is impossible to see each other,
unless by consent. No charge for advice
when obtained at the office, if by letter, \$1.
All letters must be addressed (prepaid) to
Dr. Davis, M. D., Hamilton, and to contain a
postage stamp when an answer is required.
Hamilton, 1st July, 1868. dw

Another Lot of those Delicious

Pine Apples

At H. BERRY'S.

SPLENDID DATES

At H. BERRY'S.

FINE ORANGES & LEMONS

At H. BERRY'S.

REAL Maple Sugar

At H. BERRY'S.
Guelph, May 30 1868. dw

HEADQUARTERS.

The Montreal Boot and Shoe Store
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

JOHN McNEIL
Is Ahead of all Competitors in the Boot and Shoe Line

Large Stock of Boots & Shoes

My Stock of Boots and Shoes in every department is now very large and complete. Special atten-
tion has been given to the selection and manufacture of

Ladies' and Gents' Walking Boots;

which for style, durability and first-class finish cannot be equalled in the County.

REMEMBER—The only Boots and Shoes made by hand are to be found at the Mon-
treal Boot and Shoe Store. Ask for genuine home hand-made Boots and Shoes. Cheaper than any
house in the trade for cash only. All work warranted. Country Merchants supplied at Mon-
trreal prices.
JOHN McNEIL.
Guelph, 22nd October. dw Montreal Boot and Shoe Store Wyndham-st.

Chains, Brooches & Ear-Rings

The Leading Feature

AT R. CUTHBERT'S

Watch and Jewellery Store, Wyndham-St., to-morrow, Saturday, 24th inst.

WILL BE BLACK GOODS,

Chains, Brooches and Ear-Rings.
Guelph, October 23rd. dw GREAT BARGAINS.

Improving. Improving.

BUSY, BUSY, BUSY, BUSY,

AT A. O. BUCHAM'S

TRADE is improving rapidly, and the immense demand for DRESS GOODS, JACKETS,
SHAWLS,

Millinery & Fancy Woollen Goods

is far ahead of our expectations. The cheap and beautiful lines which we are showing
these departments attract the people, consequently we are crowded with customers, and
busy every day. A. O. B. is bound to take a step forward this season, and in order to
do so, is now offering Goods in every department at the most remarkable prices.

BARGAINS in DRESSES

Bargains in JACKETS, new styles; bargains in SHAWLS. Beautiful and extensive vari-
ety of NEW TRIMMED HATS and NEW TRIMMED BONNETS to choose from. Full
assortment of French Flowers, Ostrich Feathers and Plumes, Ribbons, Velvets, Satins, &c.

JACKET Materials in Great Variety, Latest Styles, CHEAP.

BLANKETS, BLANKETS—A. O. B. would direct special attention to his Stock of

CANADA TWILLED BLANKETS

Manufactured expressly for his trade, extra heavy, of the best fleece Wool, and which is
now selling at prices much below any other house. Buyers are requested to examine
my Stock.
Wyndham Street, Guelph, October 14, 1868. dtf

FAMILY SUPPLY STORE.

AT JOHN A. WOOD'S
WILL BE FOUND THE FOLLOWING
NEW GOODS JUST RECEIVED.

Crosse & Black- well's Goods	New Valencia Raisins	Harland's Cheese	John Bull Bitters
Oriental Pickles	Soft Shelled Almonds	Parson's Shilton Cheese	Stoughton Bitters
West India Pickles	Hard Shelled Almonds	Ingersoll Factory	Pepper Sauce
Hot India Pickles	New English Walnuts	Cheese	Ginger Nuts
Managoes	West End Layer	Honey (comb)	Aberrathy Biscuits
Olives	Raisins	Honey (strained)	Arrowroot
Calves Foot	Turkey Figs	Toronto Bottled Ale	Wine
Anchovy Sauce	French Plums	Edinburgh do	Soda
Bloater Paste	New Currants	Guinness Dublin Porter	Victoria
Dundee Marmalade	Cocoa Nibs	Dunville Irish Whiskey	Oyster Crackers
Anchovy Paste	French Chocolate	Hay's Scotch do	Sultana
Honey's Sauce	Sperm Candles	Guelph Old Rye	Lemon Biscuits
Mushroom Ketchup	Bed-room Candles	Martell's Brandy	Farina
Durham Mustard	Lobsters	Hay's Scotch do	Corn Starch
Black Currant Jelly	Salmon	Sherry Wine	Java Coffee
Red Currant Jelly	Bengal Chutney	Port do	Mocha Coffee
Bottled Fruits	New Codlin	Champagne	Laguira
	Labrador Herrings	Claret	Orange Pekoe Tea
	Table Salt	Ginger Brandy	English Breakfast
	Liverpool Salt	Cherry do	Souchons
			Young Hyson
			Gunpowder Tea

Woodenware, Glassware, Willow Goods, Crockery, China
and Stoneware,

Consisting of articles required and in daily use by every Family. No Store in Guelph has so good an
assortment, and the prices are as low as quality will permit; therefore,
GO TO JOHN A. WOOD'S FOR YOUR GROCERIES.

Guelph, 17th October. YOU WILL BE WELL SATISFIED. dw

WELLINGTON BOOT AND SHOE MANUFACTORY.

Wyndham Street, Guelph, the old Post Office Block.

JOHN A. McMILLAN has received the first instalment of an Immense Stock of LADIES', GENTS',
MISSES' and CHILDRENS Rubber Overshoes and Boots—the very best ar-
ticle produced, and the most beautiful styles, which he will sell at Montreal Wholesale Prices.

Call and See the CHEAPEST Goods ever offered in the Town of Guelph.
Remember, the Cheapest and Best Boots and Shoes in the County of Wellington, all home man-
ufactured, are to be got at the Wellington Boot and Shoe Manufactory, Wyndham Street, Guelph.
J. A. McMILLAN, Proprietor.
Guelph, 10 Oct dw Wellington Boot and Shoe Manufactory, Wyndham-st, Guelph.

THE FRUIT DEPOT.



2 Tons of Beautiful Grapes.

For sale to the Trade at a low price for cash, also, ORANGES—Lemons—Peaches,
Quinces, &c.

HUGH WALKER,
Importer and Wholesale Dealer in Oysters, Finnan-Haddies, Fruit, &c., Wyndham St
Guelph, October 15. dw

GREAT POWERS
ARE ALWAYS NEUTRAL IN SMALL SQUABBLES.

PREST & HEPBURN

In the Leather War now going on between their opponents
on the South side of Wyndham Street.

WE do not believe in bosh and blarney, but deal with facts, and leave the verdict in the hands
of the intelligent people of Wellington. We are prepared to prove, and we positively affirm,
notwithstanding all the puffing and blowing which has become the order of the day, that PREST &
HEPBURN, Wyndham Street, Guelph, manufacture more

BOOTS AND SHOES

And employ double the number of Workmen of any other establishment in the County of Wellington
We invite the public to call and look through our Factory, and they will be convinced that we are
telling the truth, and nothing but the truth.

**A great deal has been said for and against
Machine-made Boots and Shoes,**

Now we believe, and we are confident that every well-balanced mind in Wellington will agree with us,
that the less machinery used in the manufacture of Boots and Shoes the better.

All our Staple Boots and Shoes are made by Hand

Which must be admitted is far superior to any machine made Goods. We have now on hand the
largest and best assortment of Boots and Shoes ever offered to the people of Wellington, which we will
sell as cheap as the cheapest.

Remember that all our Work is Warranted

And on second prices, REPAIRS done as usual.
PREST & HEPBURN.
Guelph, 24th September. dw-1m

FALL STOCK.
JAMES CORMACK,

MERCHANT TAILOR, No. 1, Wyndham
Street, Guelph.

HAS now the pleasure to announce the arrival of his Fall Stock,
which you will find one of the Largest and Best Assorted in the
Province, comprising the CHOICEST GOODS OF THE SEASON,
in Overcoatings, Undercoatings, Trousersings and Fancy Vest-
ings.

I would call special attention to the very Large and Superior Stock
of Ready-Made Clothing. This Department, which is so well-known
to the public as being Better Cut and Better Made than the most of such
Goods. Besides having an Immense Stock to choose from, you can get
better served at the very lowest prices to be found.

In the Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods it is unusually large and
attractive, embracing everything NEW, NOVEL, PLAIN and COM-
FORTABLE, and would invite the attention of the public to No. 1,
WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH.

Guelph, September 24th. dw

FALL IMPORTATIONS!

J. CHARLESWORTH & Co.
44 YONGE-ST., TORONTO.

WE have the pleasure of informing our customers and the Trade generally that we are now in the
receipt of our Fall Importations, and are showing a full assortment of NEW GOODS
in each Department.

Having taken advantage of the late depression in the Manufacturing districts, we have been enabled
to secure Cheap Lines in almost every Class of Good Plain and Fancy
Wineys, which we think particularly good value.

We would call the especial attention of our friends to several large lots of Plain and Fancy
Wool Goods, which will be unusually complete.

Our Stock of Fancy Dress Goods, Shawls, Hosiery, Gloves, & Fancy
Wool Goods will be unusually complete.

We would also mention as worthy of notice Plain and Fancy Flannels, Blank-
ets, Mantle Cloths and Trousersings.

We have imported a more Complete Stock of Staple Goods than we have hitherto
offered, and feel confident in inviting an early inspection.

Our stock will be kept assorted by weekly arrivals of New Goods during the season.
J. CHARLESWORTH & CO.
Toronto, August 31st. dw3m 44 YONGE STREET, TORONTO

FRESH TEAS!

CROP '67 and '68.

REFORD & DILLON

ARE now receiving direct from London, Eng'd, their FALL SUPPLIES of New
Season Teas, comprising—
TWANKAYS, Col'd & Uncol'd JAPANS
YOUNG HYSONS, CONGOUS,
IMPERIALS, SOUCHONS,
GUNPOWDERS, ALSO, PEKOES.

100 Hhd's Choice Barbadoes and Cuba Sugars,
With a well selected assortment of GENERAL GROCERIES, all of which they offer to the trade
LOW.
REFORD & DILLON,
Toronto, September 1, 1868. 12 and 14, Wellington Street, Toronto.