

New Advertisements.

TWO GENTLEMEN WANTED - An... Boarders in a private family. Apply at this office.

HORSE FOR SALE - A good serviceable horse for sale, cheap. Enquire at the "Mercury" Office.

JOHN FOR SALE - For sale, 10,000 bushels of corn. Apply to no-lawyer.

MEN WANTED - Wanted a few good laboring men to work at a Saw Mill and Stave Factory. Steady employment and good wages. Apply to Robert McKim, Parker, Peel Township.

TO LET - The large room over the MERCURY OFFICE, formerly used as a Temperance Hall, suitable for an office or for any light manufacturing purpose. Enquire at the Mercury Office.

NOTICE TO DEBTORS - All parties indebted to the subscriber by Note or Book Account, are respectfully requested to settle up on or before the 31st inst.

NEW BUTCHER SHOP - The public are respectfully informed that the undersigned will open a Meat Shop, in Hatch's Block, to-morrow (Monday), and will supply customers with meat of the best quality, at the lowest rates. Most delivered of any part of the Town.

CITY WOOD YARD - The subscriber has opened a Wood Yard, near the new English Church, where he will keep at all times, and for sale, cut and split, and will deliver it in any quantity, and in any part of the town. Orders may be left at Mrs. Ferguson's shop, opposite Chase's Hotel, or at the subscriber's, on hand.

THE FREE AND INDEPENDENT ELECTORS OF THE WEST WARD - The undersigned has been requested by a number of influential taxpayers to offer himself for the Office of Constable. He would therefore respectfully solicit the suffrages of the Voters at the ensuing election.

FINAL NOTICE - The subscribers being about to dissolve partnership, beg to notify all parties indebted to them that the amounts due must be paid to them on or before the 24th inst., as the business of the firm must be settled on that date; otherwise they will have to be paid into Court with costs.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE - For sale the house and lot on Surrey street, near Mr. William Allan's residence. The lot is of the ordinary size, and in the garden are a number of fruit trees. The house is of stone, containing 4 rooms, kitchen, cellar and pantry with waterlime floor, stable and woodshed, also frame building 24 feet square, now used for a carpenter's shop. It is only five minutes walk from the Market. For terms and other particulars, apply to JAS. DOBBIE, on the premises. Dec. 18, '72.

CARE TAKER - For a steady, competent man, to take care of a house and lot on Surrey street, near Mr. William Allan's residence. Apply to JOHN HARVEY, on the premises. Dec. 17, 1872.

Notice About Accounts - All parties having claims against the Corporation are notified to send in the same to the undersigned on or before the 25th inst.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP - The partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned and Eugene Deane, Commission Merchants, &c., under the name and style of James Hower & Co., was this day dissolved by mutual consent.

TEACHERS WANTED - Wanted - Three Female Teachers, legally qualified, two for the Junior Departments of the First-class (Salary \$175 each, per annum) and one for the Second-class (Salary \$200) in the Public Schools, Guelph. To enter upon duties on the 7th Jan., next. Applications to be lodged with the undersigned by the 21st inst. Applicants to state whether they apply for First or Second class.

HOTEL CARD - The Right Man in the Right Place. THOMAS WARD, late of the Crown Hotel, begs to inform the travelling public that he has a new and improved establishment, the Victoria Hotel, next door to the Post Office, where he hopes by courtesy, attention, and good accommodation, to merit a fair share of public patronage, both from old and new friends. The best of Liquors, Wines, Cigars, &c., constantly on hand. A good hostler in attendance. Remember the "V" on the door to the Post Office.

CHRISTMAS CHEER - GILBERT AMOS - Will have an exhibition in his Stall, No. 3 Market, a splendid display of BEEF, MUTTON, LAMBS, &c., consisting of the following: - 4 Very Prime Fat Cattle, fed and bred by Mr. John Schreinemann, weighing nearly 6,000 lbs. - 4 Excellent Cattle, fed by Mr. William Hamilton, weighing nearly 5,000 lbs. - 3 Very Prime Fat Cattle, fed by Mr. John Ames, Paisley Block. - 3 Downy Fat Hens, "Early Fitters." - 2 Superior Fat Chickens, fed and bred by Mr. James Elliott, Paisley Block. - 2 Superior Fat Chickens, fed by Mr. J. Scroggie, Paisley Block. - 1 Buffalo Cow, from the West. - Also, 40 very superior Sheep and Lambs, including some extra Southdowns. Guelph, Dec. 20th, 1872.

RAGS AND WASTE PAPER - Wanted, and must be had by the 1st of January, Fifty Tons of Waste Paper, old Newspapers, old Pamphlets, or Waste Paper of any kind, for which the highest price in cash in the District will be paid, at the Rag and Waste Paper Depot, corner of King and Queen streets, Address "RAGS or WASTE PAPER," 215 and 216 King Street West. Will receive from 10 to 10,000 lbs.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE - Winter Arrangement - On after Monday, 16th November.

Grand Trunk Railway

Trains leave Guelph as follows: 9:17 a.m.; 9:45 a.m.; 1:50 p.m.; 6:00 p.m.; 8:35 p.m. To London, Goderich, and Detroit. To Berlin.

Great Western - Guelph Branch. Going South - 6:50 a.m., 12:30 p.m., 1:05 p.m. For Hamilton; 4:35 a.m., 11:45 a.m.; mixed 1:15 p.m. for Clifford; 4:55 p.m. for Fergus; 5:05 p.m. for Fergus.

Guelph Evening Mercury

SATURDAY EVENING, DEC. 21, 1872

The Children's Delight, and Place of Resort for Amusement and Instruction to all - ANDERSON'S, OPPOSITE THE MARKET.

has opened up a magnificent assortment of New and Beautiful Cheap Books, Toys, Work Boxes, Writing Desks, Toys for Boys, Dolls for Girls, Mechanical Toys, Hot Air Toys. Lots of Novelties for this season of the year can be had cheap at Anderson's, opposite the Market.

Town and County News.

The Above Mills were sold on Tuesday at Mr. Garrett Moore, of Fergus, for the sum of \$12,500.

The Drayton Enterprise says that a few nights ago the Rev. Mr. Hayward, Minister of the Christian denomination, Drayton, was presented with a purse containing a considerable amount of money, as a token of esteem by a number of the members of his church, before leaving.

WEST WARD ELECTION - As will be noticed in our advertising columns, Mr. J. Tyson has, in compliance with an expressed wish of certain of the electors, notified his intention of coming out as a candidate for the suffrages of the electors of the West Ward.

At the Mount Forest Fair, there was an excellent demand for fat cattle, and many were sold at advanced rates. For good cattle from four to five and a quarter cents per pound, live weight, were paid. Oxen sold from \$80 to \$100 per yoke.

PRESENTATION AT FERGUS - The master of the Fergus Grammar School, Mr. J. E. Burgess, B.A., having accepted the head-mastership of the Kincardine Grammar School, his pupils, at the close of their Christmas examination, presented him with a beautiful alabaster and bronze clock, accompanied with an address, expressing their love and esteem, and their sorrow at parting. Mr. Burgess made a very appropriate and feeling reply.

A MONSTROSITY - The Mount Forest Examiner says, a cow belonging to Mr. W. S. Smith of this place gave birth the other day to a most singular looking creature. It was said to resemble a bear; had a small head, large neck and a short tail, was covered with a heavy coat of black hair, and was about the size of an ordinary yearling calf. Mr. Foster, we believe, has the hide of the "lusus" in his charge, and it may be seen by the curious in such matters.

CHRISTMAS MEAL - We draw special attention to the advertisement of George Hood, Stall No. 1, Market House, in which he announces the style and quality of meat he has supplied to feast his numerous patrons during the approaching Christmas season, and as a further distinguishing proof his energy and desire to cater for the wants of the public he has imported from the Western Province a young buffalo carcase, to secure a portion of which "connoisseurs" will do well to leave an early order. See advertisement.

TEACHER ASSAULTED - Two weeks since the teacher of the junior department in the Fergus public school had occasion to chastise a pupil named William Temple, for which he was assaulted on his way home by an elder Temple. The latter was shortly afterwards arrested and fined \$5, with a like amount for costs. If school teachers can be assaulted and bribed at \$10 a head, there will soon be a decrease in their numbers. Hereafter "fighting teachers" may be as requisite as "fighting editors." - Flora Observer.

PRESENTATION - At the close of the examination of the Senior Girls' School on Thursday, the pupils presented Miss Rowe, on the occasion of her leaving, with an elegant pair of bracelets as a slight token of their regard for her, and of her unwearied efforts in promoting their education. They also presented Miss Addison with a pair of bracelets. Both ladies made delightful feelings. Mr. Brunner, the French and German teacher, was also presented with a nice scarf pin. The examination of the School we understand was very satisfactory.

SATURDAY'S MARKET - The market on Saturday, always a large one, was today more than usually so, and transactions for Christmas were particularly lively in the shape of poultry, of which an extensive and superior collection were brought forward by the farmers' wives and daughters, and we doubt not, in consequence, many a royal feast will be enjoyed on the coming 25th. A considerable number of dressed hogs were also brought in, which brought a ready sale at quotations. A patent medicine vendor was also on the market courteously (having waded) and eloquently entreating upon the invaluable blessings of health, and the superior adaptability of his panacea to restore it when lost and maintain it when regained, and in addition to his more serious remarks occasionally enlivened the crowd by a comic song that would not have discredited a less gratuitous entertainment.

POLICE COURT.

Before T. W. Saunders, Esq., P. M. Saturday, Dec. 21.

Archibald Thomson was charged by the Chief Constable with being drunk on Wyndham Street on Friday. Fined one dollar and costs.

The promised settlement of Jay Gould with the Erie Railway Company has actually been consummated.

ANGEL WORLD.

There's a happy world above. I hear its far-off sounds, Hear light and lighthearted feet Go on their blissful rounds.

A world of innocence, With countless spirits own, Where all the sins and woes Of our world are unknown.

A world I could not say There sorrow enters not, But where the transient day, If it starts, is soon forgot.

A world we all desire Our secret hearts within, An earthly paradise, Equalled as yet by sin.

Blithe are its bird-like days, Happy its dreamlike nights; Pure prayers mount up at eve, And herald the morning light.

Never a thought of guile, No sorrow, sin or shame, O, if our lower world, Could only be the same.

Long you that world to see? Quite easily you may; But when you wish to see, Where innocent children play.

Little I see of that world, Save one day in the seven; But the more I see it, the more it seems a type of heaven.

The more I see of the world, The more I wish to see it, The more I long for that world, Where each is again a child.

Six long days of the week In business I am hurried; But when my little ones Is my day in the angel world. - Times's Magazine.

Local and Other Items.

One of the Berlin butchers has lowered the price of meat.

Since the recent fall of snow there is excellent sleighing in Toronto.

Manured bonnets appear to be in fashion, though Mansard roofs are in disfavor.

An ill-used husband in Minnesota has applied for a divorce because his better-half beats him.

CHICAGO has twelve daily papers, eight of which are English, three German and one Scandinavian.

The house in which the poet Pope was born, in Plough Court, Lombard street, London, is being pulled down.

LAST year Russia produced 830,000 tons of iron, the greater part of which was charcoal iron of superior quality.

ANOTHER new Township on the north shore of Lake Superior, and west of the extension of the Credit Valley Railway, has been decided upon by the Government.

The Galt Reporter says that Mr. H. K. Maitland, the manager of the late concert on behalf of Galt Cricket Club, has kindly returned the \$5 sent him by the club as his remuneration therefor.

The house in which Joan of Arc was born is falling in ruins. The officials of the department of the Vosges have decided to repair it. She is not the only Arc de Triomphe France has seen decreed.

THE survey of the new townships west of Fort William, on Thunder Bay, together with the late discoveries of silver lodes in its vicinity, have had the effect of causing quite a demand for lots in Fort William.

CREDIT VALLEY RAILWAY - A large and influential meeting was held at Tilsonburg on Thursday night to take preliminary steps towards securing a bonus for the extension of the Credit Valley Railway to this place. A resolution authorizing the Council to submit a bill for \$10,000 was carried unanimously, the people here being all in favour of the extension.

A ROPE AND TWINE FACTORY - The Seaford Examiner says: We are glad to learn that the required amount of stock to secure the erection of the Rope and Twine and Sack Factory in Seaford has already been subscribed. We presume that the company will shortly be formed, and preparations made to go on with the erection of the works.

THE HOOSAC TUNNEL - That great engineering feat, the tunnelling of the Hoosac mountain, has been accomplished under the direction of the Canadian engineers, the Shanty Brothers. The men from both sections met a few days ago, and exchanged compliments amid great cheering. The calculations were made with such extraordinary care that the boring at each end of the tunnel deviated only a few inches from their respective lines laid down by the engineers.

FIRE AT AYTON - Between eight and nine o'clock on Wednesday evening Mr. Robert Smith's store, at Ayton, caught fire in some unknown way, and was, together with a large part of the stock, burned to the ground. When the fire commenced no one was in the building but the clerk. An alarm was given at once however; aid was procured, and the greater part of the household furniture was saved together with a small portion of the stock and the books of the establishment. The fire had gained such a foothold that it was found impossible to save the store and other out-buildings. The stock was valued at about \$5,000, and the buildings which were the property of Mr. Sidney Smith, of Arthur Township, were worth about \$1,000. The stock and buildings were insured for \$2,000. Mr. Smith must lose heavily and has the sympathy of his many friends in this locality. - Mt. Forest Examiner.

RUNAWAY - The other day, Upper Macdonald Street was the scene of considerable excitement in consequence of a runaway team dashing furiously down the street, on which there were at the time a good many persons, and a large number of empty sleighs. It appears that one of the horses of the team in question has rather a "penchant" for skeddaddling, and thus was evidently anxious to give the Guelph people a taste of his quality. The fire engine, the firemen with inimitable concert, but with unavailing control, until released by a sudden and violent collision of the sleigh with the footpath opposite Mr. Foster's (dentist) door; the runaways also having simultaneously relieved themselves from all connection with the sleigh (which to the amusement and wonderment of the bystanders was shot across to the opposite side of the street under Mr. Risk's verandah under the unexhausted momentum it had acquired) and were finally captured in Wyndham street after having paid their evolutions and salutations to another sleigh to which they had apparently taken a fancy. Nothing serious was the result of the whole affair, beyond a not unattractive scene to the teamsters.

Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railway.

Opening the Southern Extension to Listowel.

GREAT DEMONSTRATION.

On Thursday the first section of the Southern Extension of the Wellington, Grey & Bruce Railway, extending from Palmerston to Listowel - nine miles in length - was formally opened for traffic. It is only a year since the first sod on the Southern Extension was cut, and had it not been for the unavoidable delay in getting the iron forwarded, the section to Listowel would have been completed nearly two months ago. With this exception the work has been pushed on with great energy by the contractors, Messrs. D. H. & Co., of Listowel, thirteen miles of the road beyond Listowel are now ready for the iron, which will be laid without delay, and ere many weeks we may expect to see the road opened to Elthel.

The people of Listowel, to whom great credit is due for the spirited way in which they first took up the scheme of a Southern Extension of the W. G. & B. Railway, and worked so heartily to make it a success, were determined that the opening of the line to their thriving village should be marked by a demonstration in every way worthy of the auspicious event. Invitations were accordingly sent out to the President and Directors of the Company, to a large number of the leading business men in Hamilton, and to a number of the friends of the road living in towns along the line of the W. G. & B. Railway to take part in the celebration which came off on Thursday. In compliance with this invitation a number of the invited guests left Hamilton by special train on Thursday morning. Among the party were Col. McGovern, President of the Company, Mr. Watson one of the Directors, Messrs John I. Mackenzie, T. C. Kerr, T. Saunders, Edgar, W. McCulloch, Secretary of the Company, D. McCulloch of the Spectator, J. Buchanan of the Times, representatives of the Globe and Mail &c. The party were joined at Guelph by Messrs. Sturton, Massie, Davidson, Higinbotham, Harvey, and the representatives of the three papers in town; at Elora by Mr. J. M. Evans and Dr. Middleton, and at Fergus by Mr. G. D. Ferguson, Vice President of the Company, and Mr. John Beattie.

The train reached Listowel at half past one p. m., and its arrival was greeted by a large concourse of people, who had assembled at the station, and who gave three rousing cheers when the train drew up. The Listowel Brass Band also struck up an appropriate air, and hearty congratulations were exchanged between the strangers and the people of the village on the auspicious event which had brought them to the scene. The party then entered sleighs, and a procession having been formed, they and their entertainers, preceded by the Band, rode through the streets, and had a good look of the village, which has made wonderful progress, and shows unmistakable signs of prosperity. The principal streets were quite a gala-day appearance. Flags might be seen here and there courting the breeze. Evergreens were freely used in the street decorations. Long and gay streamers were stretched from house to house, and at a central point in the main street an arch of evergreens spanned the roadway, having a rather primitive-looking locomotive on the top, belching out fire and smoke from an antiquated stove pipe, which by a considerable stretch of imagination might have been taken for a funnel. The whole apparatus was operated by a couple of looking engineers in a Scotch cap, who were smoking a formidable-looking Dutch pipe, and gazing intently at the locomotive bell which was rung as the august party passed.

AFTER doing the village party returned to the station-house, where the banquet was provided. The large building was handsomely decorated and comfortably warmed. At one end in large letters was the word "welcome" and above it the Crown, British Lion and Canadian Beaver, fashioned with the green boughs of the balsam, and the place very much. Appropriate mottoes were profusely exhibited on the walls, while festoons of scarlet flannel and boughs of evergreens were pendant from the roof. The decorations were very tasteful and very appropriate. The company, numbering in all 350, sat down to dinner at 5 o'clock. Mr. B. W. Harmon, P. L. S., of Listowel, discharged the duties of chairman, Messrs. D. C. Campbell and Geo. Draper, acting as vice-chairmen. The Listowel Band was stationed at one end of the room, and discharged most excellent music during and after the dinner. The dinner was provided by Mr. C. Kenny of the Commercial Hotel, and both in the quality of the viands and the prompt manner in which they were served, gave unbounded satisfaction.

AFTER the cloth was removed the chairman, Geo. Draper, then "The President of the United States" - which was ably acknowledged by Mr. Blake, the U. S. Consul at Hamilton. "The Governor-General and Lieutenant-Governor" followed, then "The Parliament of Canada and the Legislature of Ontario." Mr. David Sturton responded on behalf of the Parliament, and congratulated the people of Listowel and that section of country on the great success which had crowned their efforts in connection with the Southern Extension. He referred to the great interest he had taken not only in the progress of the W. G. & B. R., but also in that of the branch of the first section of which was opened to-day. He had always favoured and worked for both schemes, because he felt they were feasible, and were urgently required for the development of the country. He felt that the promoters had honesty and right and justice on their side, and because they had these they had been successful. He heartily congratulated them on this day's work, on the arrival of a new missionary in their midst, which was a most powerful instrument in furthering the progress and ensuring the prosperity of the country through which it passed.

Mr. McKim responded for the Legislature, and paid the people of Listowel a high compliment for the energy and ability they had manifested in connection with this enterprise. He prophesied that the prosperity of the country through which it would pass by year increases.

The chairman next gave "The Army, Navy and Volunteers of Canada," which was responded to in felicitous speeches by

Col. Higinbotham and Capt. Campbell. The next toast was "The President and Directors of the W. G. & B. R.," which was drunk with all honours.

Col. McGovern responded in an able and lengthy speech. He complimented the contractors of this section, Messrs. D. H. & Co. for the spirited manner in which they had pushed on the work, referred to the time when the first sod on the Southern Extension was cut, only a year ago, and fully expected that in another year they would be celebrating the opening of the whole line to Kincora. He heartily thanked all the friends of the enterprise who had fought for it in its dark days, and who now rejoiced to see the fruits of their labours. He spoke of the "durable services of such men as Mr. Sturton and Mr. Massie, and Mr. Hay, Mr. Campbell and others in Listowel, all of whom had fought nobly for the enterprise, and who deserved the special thanks of the people of Hamilton. Although the Government had seen fit not to give its aid to this section of the road, yet the Company were determined to fulfil their promise to the people to build the line whether or not the Government assisted.

Messrs. G. D. Ferguson, Jas. Watson and J. M. Fraser also briefly responded. Col. McGovern next gave Adam Brown," one of the first promoters and best friends of the road.

Mr. Draper proposed "Propriety to the Great Western Railway." - Responded to by Mr. M. G. Pennington, of the Freight Department, and Mr. T. S. Bell, of the Engineer Department.

The next toast was "The Engineers and Staff of the W. G. & B. R." - Responded to by Mr. Bidout, Resident Engineer, and Mr. McKown of the staff.

The next toast was "The Contractors of the Southern Extension." Mr. D. D. Hay responded in an able speech, and it was also briefly acknowledged by W. G. Hay. "The Commercial and Manufacturing Interests" followed, responded to in excellent speeches by Messrs. John I. Mackenzie, Thos. Saunders, of Hamilton, John Alexander, John Halsted and J. W. Scott of Listowel. Mr. D. D. Campbell gave "The Agricultural Interests," responded to by Messrs. Robt. Hay, of Maryboro, and John Beattie, County Clerk of Wellington. "The Learned Professions and the Press" came next, responded to by Dr. Nicoll, Phillips, Hamilton and Middleton, and for the Press by the several representatives present. "The Towns and Villages on the W. G. & B. Line" followed, responded to by Messrs. Edgar for Hamilton, Massie for Guelph, Baird for Kincardine and Campbell for Kincora. "The Ladies" followed, after which the company sang "God save the Queen" and then broke up.

THE BALL. The ball came off in the evening in the station-house, the debris of the dinner having been cleared away, and the room nicely fitted up for dancing. By eight o'clock a large party had assembled, all the youth and beauty of the neighborhood being present, the ladies especially being conspicuous by their handsome costumes and good looks. The ball was kept up with great spirit till an early hour next morning.

The special train left Listowel next morning shortly after eight o'clock, and reached Guelph in due course, being somewhat delayed by the heavy fall of snow the previous night. The demonstration was in all respects a great success, and reflects great credit on the people of Listowel.

ANOTHER HIGH LIFE SCANDAL - In John Truman's Diary in Vanity Fair we find the following: There is a cruel scandal about in Scotland. The Marchioness of Townshend has run away with Lord Thynne. She is twenty-two. He is sixty-five. No clearer case of kidnaping on record. The house of an excellent lady was made a meeting place for ill-assorted lovers; and there is the old story about Kensington Gardens. There has been gone a fortnight, the marchioness leaving her children and my lord his second wife and his daughters, this improving example of conjugal fidelity. The brother of the ruined lady, attended by a Scotch girl, gave chase and tracked his sister to Paris, forcing her to stop, but she was obstinate; and as Lord Edward has only an allowance of £400 a year from his sister, it is not easy to see what will become of her - or him. Her husband behaved as might have been expected of a man so gentle and kind-hearted. He did all he could to cheer up the mischief for his children's sake, and was ready at first to take his misguided wife back again, but she would not be saved; and now the miserable story is town talk. It seems she got away on pretence of going to visit an aunt in the country, and was so much a hurry that she took nothing with her leaving even her gloves behind. The lady is sister of Lord Macduff, and it is noted that Scotchwomen have made great scandal in London lately. The Lothario in the case is Lord Claude Thynne, a poor younger son.

An erroneous love tale, accident, incident, or whatever else you choose to term it, happened on the second session of Huron one day last week. It appears that a young girl named Faust was engaged to be married to a young gentleman whose name we have not learned, and on being told that he had left the country and gone to the States, she dropped into a state of insensibility, from which she has yet but partially recovered. The doctors have but little hope of her entire recovery.

A radical politician at Whitewater, Wis., wrote two letters after election, one was to his son, containing the single word "Hurrah!" the other full of consolation to a weeping friend who had just lost his wife. In his excitement he got them mixed in directing, and the result can be imagined.

Fire appears to disturb the New York Evening Express about as much as a shower of rain does a duck. For instance the proprietors of that paper, when they arrived in the city on Monday morning last, found their office in ashes. But the readers of the paper received their four regular editions in the afternoon just as if nothing at all had happened.

Special prayers were offered in the churches yesterday for the success of the Missionary enterprises of the Church of England.

Heavy snow storms are reported from all parts of Canada, and railway traffic has been seriously interrupted in Nova Scotia and Quebec.

THIS MORNING'S DESPATCHES

Arrest of George Francis Train

Confidential Clerk Absconded.

Bigamy Case.

New American Consul at Liverpool.

Count Von Buest.

Steamer "Shannon" Missing.

Heavy Gale in Naples.

Victor Emmanuel Unwell.

Heavy Rain Storms.

New York, Dec. 20. - George Francis Train and Wesley Nicols have been arrested for publishing obscene literature. Chicago, Dec. 20. - John L. Birby, confidential clerk of W. W. Condliss, general agent of Star Union Freight Line, is reported to have absconded to Canada with a considerable amount of funds belonging to the Company. Weather intensely cold.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Dec. 20. - Henry Porter Tenison, confined here for bigamy, was to-day discharged on his own recognisance, but was immediately arrested at the instigation of Perry Mapes, father of the girl with whom Tenison eloped. Mapes sues for damages done his daughter's feelings.

Liverpool, Dec. 21. - A deputation from the Chamber of Commerce waited yesterday on General Leslie Fairchild, the newly appointed Consul of the United States, at Liverpool, and tendered him a hearty welcome.

London, Dec. 20, 6 a.m. - Count Von Buest, the Austrian Ambassador to Great Britain, has gone to Vienna, probably to assume higher functions.

There are fears that the steamship Shannon, which sailed from Montreal for Hull has foundered.

The Ospey, from Quebec, has arrived at Hull. She reports very heavy weather. Her carpenter was washed overboard and lost.

The river Cam has overflowed the vicinity of Cambridge. For miles it is like a swamp, and the streets of the city are flooded. Brookside and Eynesbury are deluged. The recent rain fall is estimated at fifty millions of tons of water.

Naples, Dec. 20. - A gale of unprecedented violence swept over Naples yesterday. Much damage was done to property in the city and to shipping in the bay.

Rome, Dec. 20. - King Victor Emmanuel has been indisposed since yesterday, having had an attack of rheumatic fever. His physicians do not consider his illness serious. The king passed a quiet night, and this morning the fever had considerably diminished.

Immense Wheat Farms.

There are three wheat farms in the San Joaquin Valley with areas respectively 86,000 acres, 23,000, and 17,000 acres. On the largest of these farms the wheat crop this year is reputed to be equal to an average of 40 bushels to the acre, the yield running up on some parts of the farm to 60 bushels. The product of this farm for the present year is 1,440,000 bushels. The boundary on one side of this farm is 17 1/2 miles long. At the season of plowing ten four-horse teams were attached to ten gang plows, each having four plows - or 40 horses with as many plows were started at the same time, the teams following in quick succession. Lunch or dinner was served at a midway station, and supper at the terminus of the first, seventeen miles on the starting point. The teams rested on the following day. The wheat in this field was cut with twenty of the largest reapers, and we believe has now all been threshed and put in sacks. It would require over forty ships of the medium size to transport the wheat raised on this farm to a foreign market. Even the sacks required would make a large hole in the surplus funds of most farmers. We have not the figures for the product of the other two farms; but presume that the average is not much below that of the first. There are thousands of tons of wheat which cannot be taken out of the valley this season, and must remain over as dead capital, or what is nearly as undesirable, will only command advances at heavy rates of interest.

THE FLOODS IN ENGLAND.

The late heavy storms have swollen the streams throughout England to a great height and several of them have overflowed their banks. Windsor and Eton are flooded. The river Trent and its affluents, the Soar and the Derwent, have risen above their banks, submerging a large portion of the country in Leicestershire, Derby, and Nottingham. In some sections of these counties only the tops of the trees and hedges are visible. Heavy landslides have occurred near Dover, and railway communication with that town is interrupted. The town of Peterborough in Northamptonshire, is flooded, and many of the residents have been compelled to take refuge from the water in the upper stories of their dwellings. A despatch from Liverpool says that 449 persons, including sailors, have perished by marine disasters during the past ten days. Thirty persons were lost by the sinking of the ship Matchless, off the coast of Northumberland.

One of the coroners for London stated the other day, at an inquest held on the body of an infant who had been suffocated while in bed with its mother, that more than 5,000 infants were suffocated in England every year from being put to the breast and their mothers talking asleep. In Bavaria there was a law which prohibited parents having children under two years in bed with them, the result being that instances of suffocation of infants were very rare there. London had now the coroner said, a very expensive School Board, and it was to be hoped that they would order children to be instructed in the rudiments of the knowledge and requirements of the human system.

T. J. DAY now calls attention to his splendid stock of BOOKS for the Christmas Trade...

Also, a beautiful stock of Fine Fancy Goods, in Paper Machie and Wood, some splendid Writing Desks, and Work Boxes...

The stock AT DAY'S BOOKSTORE for this season of Presents, is very full. Purchasers should call early and examine the Goods and Prices.

The Municipal Nominations.

The nominations, for Mayor, Reeve and Deputies, take place at the Town Hall, on Monday, at 10 o'clock. Some weeks ago we mentioned that there was a general desire felt among the ratepayers in town, that Mr. Adam Robertson should allow himself to be nominated for Mayor.

The nominations for Councillors take place in the several wards at 12 o'clock. For the West Ward Messrs. Elliott, McLagan, Crowe and Tyson are candidates.

We have received from the Department of State the return to an address of the House of Commons, dated the 4th May, 1870, containing the names, origin, creed, position and annual pay of the employees of Dominion Government.

A rumour has been circulating in St. Catharines for some days to the effect that orders have been received from Ottawa to abandon the projected work on the canal.

LITTLE MABEL. In a house not made with hands, On the hills eternal, Where the Golden City stands, Mid its joys eternal...

SUBSCRIPTION OF A NEWSPAPER.—The editor of the Richmond Guardian announces the suspension of that journal.

Matters in Verailles seem to have simmered down considerably. The Committee of Thirty, engaged in sketching the skeleton of a Constitution, are exchanging suggestions with the Government, and mutual conciliation seems to be the order of the day.

The great advantage of Minnesota as a resort for invalids is the equality of its climate, which at last report was

maintaining a strikingly equable temperature of twenty-two degrees below zero.

A XMAS GIFT

FROM—

ANDERSON

THE WEEKLY GLOBE FOR 1873—\$1.50.

THE WEEKLY MAIL FOR 1873—\$1.00.

The WEEKLY LEADER FOR 1873—\$1.50.

Each subscriber will be presented with a copy of

Josh Billings' Allminax FOR 1873.

Send your Orders early to

Anderson's Bookstore,

The People's News Depot,

OPPOSITE THE MARKET.

TENDERS WANTED

FOR

Chopping 300 cords of Hardwood

On Lot No. 29, 1st con. Kramosa, 1 mile from Ennville, on the Fergus Road, and delimiting the same in the yard of the Guelph Distillery.

Also, for the chopping of Four Acres of Swamp Wood, to be cut into Stalls, Posts, and Cordwood, the rails to be hauled to dry land, and the Posts and Cordwood delivered in the Town of Guelph, to my order.

Tenders may be made for the whole, or for lots of 100 cords.

Tenders will be received up to Wednesday, 8th January, 1873.

DAVID ALLAN, Guelph Mills, Guelph, Dec. 20, 1872. d5w2

NEW

Books and Fancy Goods

FOR XMAS

—AT—

DAY'S BOOKSTORE.

WYNDHAM ST.,

GUELPH.

Noah's Ark, 6 kinds;

Ladies Companions, 50 varieties;

Card Cases,

Ladies and Gents Dressing Cases

Building Blocks,

Boxes of Games,

A B C Blocks,

China Toys,

Vases,

Toilet Sets,

Fine Photograph Albums,

Fancy Ink Stands,

Work Boxes, 40 kinds;

Writing Desks, 25 kinds

—IN—

Paper Machie Goods

Writing Desks,

Work Boxes,

Gloves and Jewel Boxes,

Card Cases, &c. &c.

—IN—

BOXES PAINT, CASES MATHEMATICAL INSTRUMENTS, SEWING BASKETS.

CHRISTMAS STATIONERY

A Large New Stock of Books, suitable for

Christmas Presents

AT DAY'S BOOKSTORE.

Day sells Cheap, and has a Large New Stock of Goods for this Season.

See his Goods before Buying.

A MERRY CHRISTMAS.

J. & R. MILLAR

Will have on Exhibition on MONDAY, at their Stall, in the Market, and at their shop in Hatch's Block, a magnificent display of

Beef, Mutton, Pork, etc.

Consisting of the following:

10 very choice Steers and Heifers from Edward Burton, Esq., Pilkington.

4 do do from Thos. Henderson, Esq., Paisley Block.

3 do do from George Hood, Esq., (Manor Bank) Paisley Block.

1 magnificent two year old steer, weighing nearly 200 lbs., bred by Gibson Hood, Esq., and fed by John Kirby, Esq.

1 splendid two year old heifer (Little Beauty) bred and fed by Wm. Alexander, Esq., "Helen Burn," Guelph Township.

George Elliott's prize heifer, (Rosebelle), which took 2nd prize at the Central Exhibition, and 2nd at the Christmas Fat Cattle Show.

40 splendid Sheep and Lambs, including some choice Southdowns.

1 mammoth Hog from James Cleghorn, Esq., Paisley Block, over 60 lbs.

A large quantity of Poultry, including Mr. Wm. Egan's prize geese.

Guelph, Dec. 18, 1872. J. & R. MILLAR, dwtj

BUTCHER'S STALL No. 1.

NO SURRENDER.

GEORGE HOOD

Calls the special attention of his customers and the public generally to his extensive and valuable purchases of the choicest Cattle in the District to supply the forthcoming Christmas demand.

Amongst them may be noted the particularly fine heifer bred and fed by Mr. Wm. Whittell, and which took the first prize at the Provincial, Central and the recent Fat Cattle Show at Guelph.

Eight head of Choice Fancy cattle, comprising Galloways from the herd of Mr. Thos. McTear, and various Steers and Heifers from Mr. G. B. Hood, and others.

In sheep, he exhibits some of the Provincial prize takers, led by himself, also a choice lot of Superior Southdowns, of his own feeding.

In Pigs, he has purchased all the prize takers at the Guelph Christmas Show, Mr. John Toak's pig being also first at Berlin and Waterloo Shows.

He has also procured at considerable expense a carcass of Buffalo, so that visitors to the Market, if disappointed in seeing Mr. Gilbert Amos' Buffalo Cow, will at least have an opportunity, at Stall No. 1, of inspecting a Buffalo Carcass.

GEORGE HOOD, Guelph, Dec. 20th, 1872. 11td

BOYS AND GIRLS SLEIGHS,

SKATES, latest styles,

BRASS AND TODDY KETTLES

TEA AND COFFEE POTS,

LANTERNS,

STOVE VARNISH,

HARNES VARNISH,

PICTURE VARNISH,

FURNITURE VARNISH,

CINDER SIFTERS,

GRUET STANDS, a large variety,

MEAT CUTTERS,

MINCING MACHINES,

CLOTHES WRINGERS,

CASH BOXES,

At John Horsman's.

1872 AND 1873

XMAS PRESENTS

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—AND—

NEW YEAR'S GIFTS

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The Giving of CHRISTMAS PRESENTS and NEW YEAR'S GIFTS has now become such a universal custom, it is often difficult to select anything new and suitable, without being too expensive.

ANDERSON

Opposite the Market,

Is now showing a large variety of Elegant Novelties in Paper Machie Goods, Fern Wood, Clan Tartan Wood, and

TOYS of Every Description.

BEAUTIFUL

PRESENTS

FOR YOUNG LADIES:

Gloves and Handkerchief Boxes, Card Cases, Trinket Stands, Jewel Caskets, Needle Cases, Note Books, Scrap Albums, Fancy Bouteilles, Music Holders, &c. &c. &c.

USEFUL GIFTS FOR MATRONS:

Table and Toilet Ornaments, Morocco Bags, Ladies Companions, Purse, Work Boxes, Albums, Combs, &c.

Special Novelties for Gentlemen

Cigar and Fuse Cases, Dressing Cases, Ink Stands, Desks, Stereoscopes, Letter Weights, Penel Cases, Gold Pens, &c.

DOLLS, DOLLS, DOLLS.

Miscellaneous Books, Family Bibles, Pocket Bibles, Few Bibles, English Church Prayer Books in ivory binding.

The whole stock is new and attractive, and purchasers will be greatly benefited by calling, before purchasing elsewhere.

AT ANDERSON'S,

Cheap Book and News Depot,

Opposite the Market,

GUELPH.

CHRISTMAS

AND

HOLIDAY GOODS.

We have a splendid and choice assortment of articles

SUITABLE for the SEASON,

All selected with great care, and quality guaranteed as represented.

JOHN M. BOND & Co.,

DIRECT IMPORTERS,

GUELPH.

JEWELLERY

FOR XMAS.

Our stock is now complete in every line, having received a large stock of New Goods during the past few days, consisting in part of

Cruet Stands, Cake Baskets, Butter Coolers, Sugar Bowls, Cream Jugs, Fruit Stands, Pickle Frames, Cups, Goblets, Spoons, Forks, Napkin Rings, &c.

Watches, Clocks, Brooches, Ear-rings, Bracelets, Chains, Rings, Pins, Studs, Cuff Buttons, &c. &c.

—All of which are at low prices—

ONLY ONE PRICE.

D. SAVAGE,

Dec. 16—d5w2 Wyndham Street, Guelph

New Advertisements.

Co-Operative Store.

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS.

Just the Article for a Present.

We have just received about 1000 yards of

Beautiful Designs in DRESS GOODS!

ASSORTED IN

Plain, Striped and Figured English Repps.

The above will be sold at a little over half their value.

J. C. MACKLIN & Co.

GUELPH, Dec. 16

GUELPH TEA DEPOT

E. O'DONNELL & Co.

Have just received for the Holidays

350 boxes New Valencia Raisins,

230 boxes New Layer Raisins,

25 boxes Sultana Seedless Raisins,

150 boxes Lemon, Orange and Citron Peel,

25 kegs Good Prunes to be Rushed off at 4 cents per lb.

Another small lot of 300 caddies of that splendid Young Hyson \$1 Tea to be sold for 80 cents.

Fruits are a little higher this year, but we are going to sell at the smallest margin of profit.

E. O'DONNELL & CO.

Guelph, Dec. 12, 1872 Wyndham Street, Guelph

DOMINION BOOT AND SHOE STORE

Opposite the Market House, Guelph.

A FACT WHICH THE PUBLIC WELL KNOW:

"That we sell Cheaper and Better Goods than any other Shoe Store in Guelph."

We have on hand a large and varied assortment of

Ladies', Gentlemen's, Misses' and Children's

FELT GOODS

Suitable for the present season, which we will sell at prices that defy all competition.

Please call and examine our Stock, which will be found complete in every line required for the present season.

All kinds of Boots and Shoes made to order

REPAIRING DONE ON THE SHORTEST NOTICE.

WM. TAWSE, Opposite the Market House, Guelph.

"PER EXPRESS"

THIS MORNING:

6 boxes "pure white" Clouds,

10 pieces black and colored Velveteens,

12 dozen New Hat and Bonnet Shapes,

10 pieces of our celebrated Black Lustres, cheap;

20 boxes Linens and Sewed Muslin sets,

75 Striped Shawls, new styles;

3 dozen Breakfast Shawls,

6 dozen Sontags and Vests.

A. O. BUCHAM, Fashionable West End Dress, Millinery and Mantle Establishment. Guelph, Dec. 14, 1872. dwv

The Guelph Cloth Hall

Is the Oldest Establishment in Town for

READY-MADE CLOTHING

EVERY ARTICLE OF WHICH IS

MANUFACTURED ON THE PREMISES.

Cloths and Woollen Goods of all Kinds.

ARMSTRONG, McCRAE & CO'S FIRST PRIZE UNDERCLOTHING.

HATS AND CAPS

And a general assortment of Goods for Men's Wear.

SHAW & MURTON, Guelph, Dec. 6, 1872

PARKERS HOTEL,

—DIRECTLY—

OPPOSITE THE MARKET, GUELPH

First-class accommodation for travellers. Commodious stabling and an attentive hostler. The best Liquors and Cigars at the bar.

O'CONNOR'S BILLIARD HALL,

IN THE

QUEEN'S HOTEL, GUELPH, OPPOSITE

THE MARKET.

Refitted in the latest fashion. Five latest style Phelan Tables. do

New Dry Goods!

Wm. Stewart

At Decided Bargains!

Piles of Scarlet Flannel at 25c

Piles of Grey Flannel at 35c

Piles of Woollen from 10c

Piles of Clouds in white, grey, and colors, from 50c

BLANKETS ALL PRICES

All Wool TWEEDS from 50 cents.

Dress Goods,

The Choicest and Newest. Prices to suit everyone.

WM. STEWART.

Guelph, Dec. 12, 1872 dw

TO

The Municipal Electors of the Town of Guelph, and the County of Wellington.

GENTLEMEN—

The time is near when you will elect your respective Municipal Councils.

Universal experience proves that where places (be they taverns, saloons or groceries) for the sale of intoxicating drinks are numerous, there intemperance, with its terrible evil attendant.

The Legislature having vested in the Mayor and Clerk of Towns, and Reeve and Clerk of Townships, authority to grant licenses; and in the Councils to determine how many places may be licensed in your several municipalities, also to exercise supervision over the Liquor Traffic therein; and the election of those who will compose your Council being in your hands, the Committee of the Guelph Temperance Society would respectfully but earnestly urge that you select men for your respective Municipal Councils who will do their best to diminish the number of places where intoxicating drinks may be sold.

J. RYAN, Secretary. Guelph, Dec. 18, 72. 6td—3tw

GAs FITTING

—AND—

STEAM FITTING

Done in the best style and most workman-like manner

AT HOWARD'S

All Kinds of Fixtures made to order on the Shortest Notice.

Changing Pipes, &c. or Repairs

Done on the shortest notice. (dw

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Volumes for 1872

SUNDAY AT HOME

LEISURE HOUR

GOOD WORDS for the YOUNG

BRITISH WORKMAN

BRITISH WORKWOMAN

BAND OF HOPE

CHILDREN'S FRIEND

INFANTS MAGAZINE

FAMILY FRIEND

INFANT'S DELIGHT

CHILD'S COMPANION

NOW ON HAND

At Day's Bookstore.

Guelph, Dec. 13, 1872. a. dwv

NEW MUSIC STORE,

Quebec St., Guelph.

The Foster Brother;

The Orphan of the Wreck.

CHAPTER XXX.

The howling and raging of the storm without, only added to the comfort-able feelings they experienced in having...

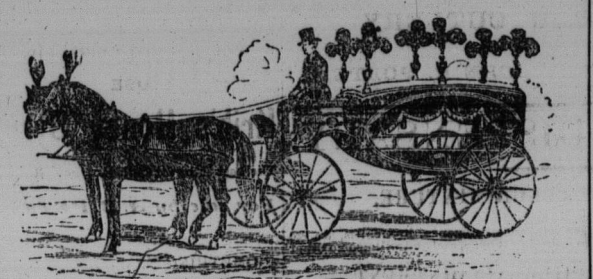
New Fruits, New Fruits, Jams and Jellies.

- Table Raisins, New Layer Figs, Jordan Almonds, Valencia Raisins, Sultana Seedless, New Prunes, New Currants, New Lemons, Canned Citron Peel, Lemon Peel, Orange Peel, Calves Foot Jelly, Black and Red Currant Jelly, New Marmalade, New Canned Peaches, Tomatoes, Pine Apples.

JNO. A. WOOD IMPORTER, Alma Block and Lower Wyndham-st., Guelph.

CASH! STILL TAKING THE LEAD. \$12,500 Worth of first-class READY-MADE CLOTHING. NOW IS THE TIME FOR BARGAINS.

MITCHELL & TOVELL GUELPH



Undertakers and Furniture Dealers. Furniture of every description kept on hand, and at reasonable rates.

Buffalo CO TO Fancy Robes, BYRNE'S Robes

HATS, CAPS AND FURS D. BYRNE THE LARGEST & CHEAPEST STOCK Ever Shown in Guelph.

Auction Stopped. BANKRUPT STOCK.

BARGAINS BARGAINS

Christmas Goods!

No Reserve! Goods must be Sold!

P. C. ALLAN

Will dispose of by Private Sale, Between Now and Christmas

The whole of his immense and varied stock of Bankrupt Goods, consisting of

BOOKS

- Stationery, Bibles, Prayers, Albums, Concertinas, Glass and Shell Boxes, Writing Desks, Work Boxes, Wax Dolls, Table Cutlery, Plated Cruet Stands, Breakfast Sets, Silver Spoons, Forks, Britania meta Tea & Coffee Sets, Pocket Knives, Butter Knives, Pipes, Purse, Gents' Scarfs, Ties, Hammers, Hatchets, &c., &c.

GLASSWARE

- Goblets, Tumblers, Tea Sets, Peppers, Preserve Dishes, Fruit Dishes, Decanters, Large Bowls, &c., &c., &c.

Also, Several Complete Dinner Sets, consisting of 90 pieces each.

No Reserve, as the Goods must, and will be sold very cheap, to save packing.

This will be the Largest and Most Attractive Sale ever seen in Guelph

SALEROOM

In Thornton's Old Stand, Next door to Hugh Walker's.

Guelph, Dec. 19, 1872. P. C. ALLAN, dw

CHRISTMAS ALE

In Quarter and Half Barrels. SLEEMAN'S CELEBRATED, IN PRIME CONDITION.

A SPECIAL BREWING for Walker's customers.

HUGH WALKER, Sole Agent, Wyndham Street, Guelph Dec. 12, 1872. dtf

CHRISTMAS GIFTS!

NEW YEAR'S PRESENTS!

SANTA CLAUS' HEADQUARTERS!

The Largest and Best Assortment of

FANCY GOODS,

Jewellery, Toys, and Dolls ever shown in Guelph.

AT J. HUNTER'S.

FOR Work Boxes, Writing Desks, Sewing Companions, Tattling Companions, and Dressing Cases, and everything in that line go to

BOYS SLEIGHS, Rooking Horses, Drums, Mechanical and Spring Toys.

EVERY kind and price of

TOYS, TOYS, TOYS,

AT J. HUNTER'S.

DOLLS: Crying Dolls, Speaking Dolls, Wax Dolls, China Dolls, Rubber Dolls, Leather Dolls, Dressed Dolls, Walking Dolls, cheaper than ever at

FANCY WOOLLEN GOODS, Slippers, Goggles, Caps, Brackets, Screens, Shawls, Scarfs, Baskets, Satchels, Wallets, Purse, cheap at

J. HUNTER'S.

A FULL assortment of the most reliable and Fashionable Patterns for Ladies' Mincee' and Children's Dress, always on hand

AT J. HUNTER'S.

Berlin Wool, Fancy Goods, and Toy Store, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

GORDON STREET BAKERY.

ESTABLISHED 1855.

J. SOLE hereby tenders his sincere thanks to his numerous customers for the very liberal patronage he has received, and begs leave to intimate that he is now building a Second Larder Oven in order to meet the requirements of his steadily increasing business.

The Bread, &c., will be delivered by J. Sole, junr. All orders promptly attended to.

Remember the stand - next to F. W. Stone's store, Geo' 'nat., Guelph.

Dec. 5, 1872 4 wd

THE GARDNER SEWING MACHINE



After passing through all the tests applied during the recent Exhibitions was awarded

26 prizes for 1872, and 13 prizes for 1871!

Including prizes at the PROVINCIAL EXHIBITION; also, FIRST PRIZE at

Toronto, London, St. Catharines, Chatham; and the Great Central Fair

HELD IN THE TOWN OF GUELPH

18 1871

The GARDNER is an easy, light running machine, made especially for Family Work of all kinds, and has a full set of attachments which are Simple and Complete.

Parties wanting Sewing Machines, apply to

Mr. Hunter, Wyndham-st., or to Wm. S. Lumgair, Agent, Wellington Hotel, Guelph Guelph, Nov. 4th

GEORGE S. POWELL

Beqr to announce that he has purchased the

Bankrupt Stock & BOOTS and SHOES

Of John McNeil's Estate, and will continue the

Boot and Shoe Business in all its Branches

IN THE SAME PREMISES.

Having been with Mr. McNeil for a number of years, and having an experience of over

years in the business, he feels confident of giving the public entire satisfaction.

A NEW STOCK

Will be produced in a few days, and in the meantime the goods now on hand will be sold

at remarkably low prices.

REPAIRING DONE AS FORMERLY

And satisfaction guaranteed. A trial solicited.

Guelph, May 17 187

FIRST PRIZE BISCUITS

JAMES MASSIE,

Manufacturer of

CHOICE CONFECTIONERY AND BISCUITS,

Alma Block, Guelph,

Invites the attention of the Trade to the Superior Quality of Goods now produced at his

Manufactory. Having introduced many new improvements, and employing only

first-class workmen, and possessing every facility, he is prepared to supply

the trade with a class of goods unsurpassed by any manufacturer, in

LOZENGES, all flavors;

DROPS, assorted flavors and shapes;

GUM and LICORICE DROPS,

CONVERSATION LOZENGES,

MOULDED SWEETS, new patterns;

SODA, SWEET and FRUIT BISCUITS,

FRUIT BISCUITS,

GINGER NUTS,

CHEWING GUM,

ROCK CANDY,

LICORICE.

A Large Stock of Choice and Favorite Brand Cigars.

His Biscuits took the first prize over all others at the London Western Fair this year

the only place where they were entered for competition.

All Goods carefully packed and shipped with despatch.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN

IMPORTING HOUSE,

48 and 50 Yonge Street,

TORONTO;

AND

196 and 198 McGill Street,

MONTREAL.

Full lines of the following goods of this

season's importation or manufacture offer-

ed to the jobbing trade by the package, or

to general merchants in any part of the

Dominion.

TERMS—CLOSE, and discounts liber-

al to prompt men.

Table Cutlery, Pocket Cutlery, Nickelite Silver Spoons, Electro-plated Spoons, Electro-plated Forks, Sterling Silver Spoons and Forks, Dixon's Shot and Powder Flasks, Japanned Trays and Wallets, Walker and Ely's Gun Caps, &c., &c., &c.

Celebrated Periscope Spec-

tacles, Musical and Patent Albums,

Violas and Accordions,

Watches, Waltham and Swiss

Clocks, Connecticut and French

Old Bull Violin Strings,

Bohemian Glass Ware,

German Morocco Pocket

Books,

Toys in wood, tin and iron,

Baskets, Fancy and Market,

Fancy Goods generally, the largest stock in the

Dominion.

Sept. 24, 1872. dtwjt

ROBT. WILKES'

FURNITURE.

BURR & SKINNER

MANUFACTURERS OF

Parlor Suites,

Chamber Sets,

Centre Tables,

Extension Tables,

Sofas, Tete, Lounges, Easy Chairs,

Bedsteads,

Bureaus,

Sideboards, and

All Kinds of Furniture, also

Sewing Machine Cabinets,

Cases and Tops.

Employing men of great skill and experi-

ence in Cabinet-making, as foremen, and

the best of workmen in each department, hav-

ing a new shop, the most approved machin-

ery, with ample steam power, and using good

thin-dried lumber, we are in a position to

manufacture as good and cheap goods as any in

the market.

The attention of the trade and public is in-

vited.

BURR & SKINNER

Guelph, Nov. 6, 1872. dtwt

TORE AND DWELLING FOR SALE

OR TO RENT. The subscriber offers

for sale on reasonable terms, or will rent for

a period, the store and dwelling at Bristol

Township of Brin, at present occupied by Mr

Maclean, Postmaster there. The store is

situated in a good locality, on the gravel

road between Guelph and Erin. This is an

excellent opening for a party with a limited

capital, as a good business can be carried on,

and arrangements may be made to continue

the Post Office in connection with the store.

For particulars apply to JAMES MASSIE,

Guelph. Nov. 11th. 1872.

2 IMPROVED

Berkshire Boars

WITH PEDIGREES,

For the service of sows this season, on the

premises of the undersigned.

Terms—Cash at time of service.

ALLAN SIMPSON,

Guelph, Dec. 9th, 1872. dtwjt

pend on us overtaking the carriage. "Side to daylight, at least. There's no fear of the carriage proceeding from then, at any rate, for there can be no manner of doubt that it is either at the Beehive or at the road near it. "Impossible," exclaimed Harry, as rapidly he buttoned up his topcoat. "We cannot, dare not stay all night, added George. "At whatever risk we must reach the vehicle. "Oh, well, if that must be, you'll just have to do your best. I think the wind is hardly roarin' so loud, and the stars are isna pepperin' on the window list-sae muckle. But we'll see how the night looks. " "No stir a step," said Jamie, very resolutely. "If nobody else has sense, I have."

A USELESS LUMINARY.—An old woman of Cabrach, who had never left the parish, was at last prevailed upon to visit some friends in Aberdeen. It happened to be the time of full moon, when the granite city presents a singularly fine appearance at night. Struck by this, but thinking it due to some improvement of these advanced times wrought on the nightly luminary, she expressed her satisfaction thus:—"Weel, I like a' thing about Aberdeen that I have seen, but 'specially yer bonny moon; it's a rare treat to see it; for the sun we had at the Cabrach's like the back of a heuk, an' gies nae light worth speakin' o'."

Mansion House, Baltimore, Md., 26th October, 1871.—Mr. James I. Fellows—Dear Sir: I have just finished the tenth and last bottle of your estimable Syrup of the Hypophosphites. To its use I ascribe cessation of cough, of sharp pains in my back and chest, and of copious expectoration; also, return of appetite, buoyancy of spirits, increase of flesh and strength to perform my daily duties with a degree of pleasure unknown to me for a long time. The good I have experienced from it is beyond description, and I advise all persons afflicted with consumption not to delay a day in taking it. Feeling sure that were it not for your Hypophosphites, I would now be in my grave. Yours truly, Geo. C. Four.

Over-exertion, either of body or mind, produces debility and disease. The usual remedy is to take some stimulant, the effect of which is the same as giving a tired horse the whip instead of oats. The true way is to fortify the system with a permanent tonic like the Peruvian Syrup, (a protoxide of Iron), which gives strength and vigor to the whole system. BREAKFAST—EPSS'S COCOA—GRATEFUL AND COMFORTING.—By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected cocoa, Mr. Epss has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavored beverage which may save us many heavy doctors' bills.—Civil Service Gazette. Made simply with boiling water or milk. Each packet is labelled "James Epss & Co., Homeopathic Chemists, London." Also, makers of Epss's Milky Cocoa (Cocoa and Condensed Milk).

COMMERCIAL.

GUELPH MARKETS.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes items like Flour, Wheat, Oats, Beans, etc.

HAMILTON MARKETS.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes items like Spring Wheat, Red White Wheat, Barley, etc.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes items like Spring Wheat, Treadwell Wheat, Barley, etc.

POSITIVELY A FACT.

Mustard's Catarrh Specific

Cures Catarrh, Cold in the Head, Neuralgia, Toothache, Nervous and Sick Headache, Weak and sore Eyes. The Specific is a new remedy, prepared from Medicinal Herbs, Roots, Gums and Flowers. Free from poisonous Drugs, it is harmless, novel, and philosophic in its operation. Try it if you are afflicted with the above diseases. It is also one of the best Cough and Croup Remedies extant. Mustard's Vegetable Pills should also be used in connection with this specific for Sick Headache and Catarrh; and those who are afflicted with Rheumatism should try Mustard's King of Oils.

IF You Have Been an Invalid for years

with some Chronic Wasting Disease of the Lungs, Heart, Liver, or Kidneys, you need not flatter yourself that medicine is going to cure you immediately. Repair goes on slowly, and time is necessary to build up a broken down constitution. Do not take every nostrum you read about, nor follow the advice of every friend who has a specific to offer you. Procure a remedy scientifically prepared, that is the result of experience, that has a large amount of evidence of sensible people in favor of its reliability, and persevere in its use until the whole system undergoes a radical improvement, and health is restored. DR. WHEELER'S COMPOUND ELIXIR OF PHOSPHATES and CALISAYA. A Chemical Food and Nutritive Tonic, which combines everything necessary to perfect digestion, nutrition, and the formation of Healthy Blood, and to vitalize all the organs and tissues of the body. Sold at \$1.00 per bottle.

OSBORN SEWING MACHINE

Prize List for 1872

VICTORIOUS EVERYWHERE

Gold Medal at Lyons, France, for Complete Perfection.

Osborn First Prizes.

List of locations where Osborn Sewing Machines were awarded prizes, including Guelph, Prescott, Hamilton, etc.

Family Sewing—First Prizes.

List of locations for family sewing prizes, including Hamilton, Guelph, Almonte, etc.

Osborn Second Prizes.

List of locations for second prizes, including Hamilton, Woodstock, Parkhill, etc.

OSBORN 25 First Prizes, 3 Second Prizes and two Diplomas, for 1871

At each competition the contests were keen, the leading Machines of Canada and the States being represented.

FIRST PRIZE

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