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GUELPH, ONT., CANADA, THURSDAY EVENING, JUNE 18, 1868.

PRICE ONE PEN

Apothecaries' Hall!  
MARKET SQUARE.

JUST received, a large supply of

Hagan's Magnolia Balm.  
LAIRD'S

BLOOM OF YOUTH  
For Beautifying the Complexion, Eradicating  
Freckles, Eruptions, Stains and Tan.

A. B. PETRIE,  
Chemist, Market Square.

clap 11.3rd June. d-w 11

OATS

DOWN TO

55 CENTS IN SILVER.

FLOUR DOWN

To \$3.62 in Silver,

At WEBSTER'S.

Guelph, June 12, 1868. d-w 11

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership  
heretofore existing between James Smith  
and Henry Metcalf, in carrying on the saddle and  
Harness business, is this day dissolved by mutual  
consent, and that the business in future will be  
carried on by Henry Metcalf, in the name of  
Guelph, who will discharge all debts and collect  
accounts due to the firm.

Witness  
JAMES SMITH,  
HENRY METCALF.

H. Metcalf begs to return his sincere thanks to  
the numerous customers of the late firm, and would  
solicit a continuance on his own behalf of the patron-  
age so liberally bestowed on them. He shall  
by strict attention to business, endeavor to meet  
the wants of his customers, and to keep up the  
reputation of the old firm.

All overdue Accounts to the late  
firm must be settled immediately.

Guelph, 13th June, 1868. d-w 11

CHEAP  
Photographs

W. BURGESS

BEGS leave to inform his friends and the pub-  
lic of Guelph and surrounding country that  
having received a large lot of FRAMES suitable  
for

Christmas Presents,

he will through the HOLIDAYS furnish all kinds of  
Photographs at greatly

REDUCED PRICES.

Parties wishing to make presents of Photo-  
graphs to their friends should call at once.

PICTURES  
All kinds furnished in the first style of the art.  
Gallery above John A. Wood's Grocery  
Store.

W. BURGESS.  
Guelph 15th December, 1867. d-w

TROTTER & GRAHAM,  
DENTISTS

GUELPH and BRAMPTON

members of the Dental Association of the Pro-  
vince of Ontario.

(Successors in Guelph to T. Trotter.)

OFFICE:

Over Mr. Higginbotham's Drug Store

References: Rev. Archdeacon Palmer, Drs.  
Clarke, Parker and Herod, Guelph; A. E. Scott  
Esq., County Judge; George Green, County At-  
torney; Dr. Parrish, M. C. C.; Rev. Mr. Arnold  
Brampton. Dr. Barnhart, Warren of Post; Dr.  
Hanson, resident Surgeon Toronto Hospital.

The new anaesthetic agents used for extracting  
teeth without pain.

W. K. GRAHAM  
Guelph, 2nd August, 1867. d-w 11

CLEAR OUT DAUBERS.  
SHOW ME THE JOB.

DOUGLAS GOUCK,  
House, Sign and Decorative Painter,  
And Paper Hanger,

No. 1, Douglas-St.,

at the Old Established Stand,

Sign of the man on the Roof.

Guelph, 12th May. w-m d-wm

Second Hand Clothes

SECOND-HAND CLOTHING bought  
and sold. Clothes made to order for Men and  
Boys. Farmers' work made up cheap and strong.  
Washing Cleaned and Repaired.

MARTIN GILL,  
Upper Wyndham Street, nearly opposite the  
Wellington Hotel.

Guelph, 14th May, 1868. d-w 2m

FRESH ROASTED  
COFFEES!

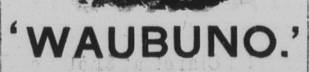
Mocha,  
Java,  
Jamaica,  
Laguayra,  
Rio and  
Maracaybo

THESE COFFEES combine great strength and flavor,  
and FRESH GROUND on receipt of  
orders. Can be had separate or mixed.

GEO. WILKINSON.

NORTH-WEST ROUTE.

The Staunch Royal Mail Steamer



'WAUBUNO.'

J. B. SYMES, Master.

Will leave Collingwood EVERY TUES-  
DAY MORNING at 7 o'clock for the

SAULT-STE. MARIE

Calling at Owen Sound and all Intermediate  
Ports. Also will leave Collingwood for

PARRY Sound every Saturday  
Morning at 7 o'clock.

Passengers leaving Toronto on Tuesday morning  
can make connection by the steamer "Francis  
Smith," with the steamer "Waubuno," at  
Owen Sound, free of charge.

The Parry Sound Route is the cheapest, quick-  
est, and best to the Free Grant Lands of the  
Parry Sound and Muskoka Territory, and connects  
with all its Collingwood Routes.

For freight and tickets, apply at the Northern  
Railway Station, or at their office, Brock Street,  
Toronto.

J. & W. BEATTY & CO.,  
Thorold and Parry Sound.

JOHN McDOUGALL,  
Parry, Collingwood and Owen Sound.  
May 21st, 1868. w-m

MAGAZINES!

Bow Bells  
Sunday Magazine  
Good Words  
English Mechanic  
London Society  
Cassell's Magazine  
Cornhill

Tensley's Magazine  
Temple Bar  
Chamber's Journal  
Quiver  
Sunday at Home  
Leisure Hour, &c.

Back numbers of SUNDAY MAGAZINE,  
and GOOD WORDS for January, February and  
March, 1868, at

DAY'S BOOKSTORE.

Guelph, June 12. d-w opposite the Market.

PAINTING,  
GLAZING, &C.

THOMAS BREADON  
DOUGLAS-ST., GUELPH.

Painter, Glazier, Paper Hanger, &c.

BEGS to inform the inhabitants of Guelph and  
surrounding country that he is prepared to  
execute all manner of work in connection with  
his business at rates as low as

GOOD WORKMANSHIP  
And MATERIAL will allow.

Shop, - - Douglas Street,  
Next door north of Wm. Hoover's Livery Stable,  
and directly opposite Wm. Brownlow's Under-  
writing Establishment.

When not at the shop, orders to be left at  
Mr. Brownlow's.

GALLERY OF ART.

R. W. LAIRD,  
Looking Glass and Picture Frame  
MANUFACTURER,  
79 King-st. West,  
TORONTO.

The Trade supplied with Washable Gilt and  
Inlaid Rosewood Mouldings and Looking Glass  
Plate. Country orders promptly attended to  
Toronto 1st April 1868. d-w 11

POTATOES!

THE Undersigned offers for sale a superior lot  
of Potatoes of all kinds, to suit the trade, at  
his Warehouse, No. 3, Gordon Street,  
Day's Old Block.

D. MOULTON.  
P. S.—Purchasers leaving orders on have their  
produce delivered at their residence  
Guelph, May 11th, 1868. d-w

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

Advertisers having contracts with this office  
are notified that their charges for the EVENING MERCURY are handed  
in before 12 o'clock, their advertisements  
cannot be altered until the following day.  
Advertisements for the WEEKLY MER-  
CURY should be handed in as early as  
possible on Wednesday morning in or-  
der to secure insertion.

Evening Mercury.

OFFICE: - - - - - NASSON'S STREET.  
THURSDAY EVG. JUNE 18, 1868.

There is at present a necessity for  
the Health officers to be active in the dis-  
charge of their duties. Our attention has  
been called to some places that stand  
much in need of being cleaned.

Horse thieves are operating in the  
neighbourhood of London. A few nights  
ago one man lost a span of horses valued  
at \$300, and another had also a valuable  
animal stolen.

A party returning to Galt from a  
concert in Strabane a few evenings ago,  
almost came to grief, in consequence of  
some mischievous individuals having lifted  
some of the logs out of a crossway and  
piled them together. Fortunately the  
foremost driver noticed the obstruction,  
and thus damage to men, horses and ve-  
hicles was prevented.

DROWNED.—On Sunday afternoon a  
young French Canadian, named Paul  
Girardin, was drowned at Ottawa while  
bathing. He was a capital swimmer, but  
having attended the procession of the fête  
Dieu in the morning he went into the  
water while fatigued and was seized with  
cramp or congestion. Just a year ago he  
had saved the lives of two persons in the  
Lachine Rapids.

GREAT CLEARING SALE.—The proprietors  
of the Britannia House announce in our  
columns to-day a great clearing sale of  
spring and summer goods. As the whole  
stock will be offered at the lowest figures  
great bargains will be given. Parties  
should not fail to call and partake of the  
benefits going.

SUMMER.—The hot weather has fairly set  
in, and we think somewhat earlier than  
usual. On Wednesday the thermometer  
stood at about 85 degrees in the shade,  
and to-day was fully as warm. Should  
such roasting weather continue a week  
or so we shall not hear much complaint  
that the crops will be ruined by rankness  
of vegetation.

GRAND CONCERT IN ERIN.—We have  
the pleasure of announcing that a grand  
concert, complimentary to the Erin Vol-  
unteer Company, will be held in the  
Town Hall, Erin village, on Dominion  
Day, the 1st of July. A very attractive  
programme has been prepared. We  
doubt not this will be one of the most  
popular concerts ever given in Erin.  
Particulars in a future number.

PRESTON MINERAL BATHS.—We  
would call attention to the advt., of these  
Baths. Mr. Cornell has at great expense  
put in a new boiler, and made many im-  
provements in the Bath rooms, and the  
grounds about the hotel. The houses have  
also been newly furnished, a large num-  
ber of new beds have been added, and  
in short no expense has been spared in  
fitting up the baths or hotel. This is  
now a favorite resort for invalids, and  
those who wish to enjoy a quiet holiday,  
and we feel sure Mr. Cornell will be well  
patronized this summer.

THE DELAWARE TRAGEDY.—The Free  
Press says: Thomas Jones and his  
daughter Elizabeth were brought to this  
city from Delaware on Tuesday, in charge  
of Constable Fitzalan and lodged in jail.  
The man was confined in a cell with the  
lunatic Cochrane, the girl with three other  
female prisoners. During the afternoon  
they were visited by a large number of  
persons having a curiosity to see them.  
Jones appeared to be somewhat disquieted  
in mind, and after sitting for some  
time in moody silence, walked the floor  
in an energetic manner, the while mum-  
bling to himself snatches of the song,  
"When Johnny comes marching home."  
The girl on the other hand was very de-  
maure; hung her head, and would not  
answer any questions, appearing to be  
entirely absorbed in reflection. For more  
than an hour she remained immov-  
able, and kept her eyes fixed on the floor.  
She is tall, well shaped, and womanly.  
Her visitors were greatly disappointed in  
her general expression and demeanor. A  
despatch to the Hamilton Times says  
that on the way to London the girl made  
a full confession to the Constable of the  
murder of her cousin. She states that  
her father had no hand in the affair till  
after the murder was perpetrated.

DETECTIVE CULLEN.—The Gazette says:  
Detective Cullen is still progressing favor-  
ably, and may be considered in a great  
measure out of danger. The ball appears  
to have been fired from the smallest size  
Smith & Wesson revolver, the diameter  
of which is about that of a good-sized  
pea, which makes it difficult to extract  
under any circumstances.

The United Presbyterian Synod has  
held its annual meetings in Edinburgh.  
The statistics of the Church showed con-  
tinued prosperity. The number of com-  
municants is 166,391, and the total num-  
ber of persons attending on Sunday,  
265,462. The entire congregational in-  
come of the Church for the year 1867  
was \$265,561,—an increase of about  
\$100,000 for the year over the sum raised  
ten years ago. The number of churches is  
597, and of ministers and colleagues  
625. Great improvement has  
taken place in the ministerial stipends,  
there being now scarcely one-tenth of the  
preachers who receive less than \$150 a  
year; while in 1865 more than one-half  
the number received less than that  
amount.

30th Wellington Battalion Drill.

Col. Higginbotham has returned from  
London, whither he went for instructions  
with regard to calling out the Battalion  
for drill. They are to assemble here on  
Wednesday next, the 24th inst., and a  
week from that day, unless some casual  
belli should arise in the meantime, they  
will be allowed to return to their homes  
and avocations. As all the companies in  
the Battalion have already completed  
their annual drill for 1867 what they do  
now will go to their credit for the year  
next ensuing, this is 1868-9. They will  
be required to drill on the day of assem-  
bling, and also on the day of dispersing;  
we believe that six hours' drill will be  
required of them each intervening day, with  
the exception, of course, of Sunday. Be-  
fore being dismissed each of the rank and  
file will be paid \$8, besides travelling ex-  
penses as follows: Those who are less  
than fifteen miles distant from head quar-  
ters receive nothing but the sum we have  
mentioned; for fifteen miles there is an  
allowance of 25c., and for every five miles  
over there is an additional allowance of  
5c. There is no acknowledgment of any  
portion of the five miles; thus, 30c. will  
be allowed for travelling twenty miles,  
and no more for coming twenty-four.

The place where drill will be performed  
has not yet been determined, but two  
pieces of ground have been spoken of as  
being suitable; one of these is on the  
York Road at a short distance from the  
town, and the other is the Scotch Globe  
on the Elora Road. The volunteers will  
be billeted on the townspeople. Quar-  
termaster Harvey was round this morn-  
ing to see how he could dispose of the  
men, and what arrangements he could  
make for providing them with victuals  
and necessary accommodation during  
their stay in Guelph. The cost of ration-  
ing, every man has to pay for himself,  
and as the remuneration is small, no  
doubt the Quartermaster will endeavor  
to make the best terms he can to have the  
members of the Battalion kept at a rea-  
sonable rate. Col. Higginbotham's in-  
structions are, that if the demands of  
those on whom the volunteers may be  
billeted are not reasonable, or if reluct-  
ance is shown in accommodating them,  
they shall be compelled to provide beds and  
cooking utensils for a certain number,  
and for this they will receive ten cents  
per day per man. We do not think that  
in the loyal town of Guelph any such ex-  
treme measure will have to be resorted to.  
The 450 Volunteers who compose the  
Battalion will most likely find comfort-  
able quarters, and not be charged too  
high. We hear that some change is to  
be introduced in the drill, but that will  
be explained by the officers.

Parties willing to accommodate any of  
the volunteers while in town, and who  
may not have been called upon by the  
Quartermaster, will please intimate their  
willingness to receive the men to Mr.  
Harvey, Quartermaster, immediately.

THE MELADY MURDER.—The correspond-  
ent of the Huron Signal writes to that  
paper concerning the late murder near  
Seaton's as follows:—The inquest on this  
horrible case was held on Monday, in J.  
Brydon's hotel, Edgmontville, and on  
Tuesday and Wednesday in Mr Downey's  
Hall, Seaton, when it was adjourned un-  
til Wednesday, the 17th, to allow time  
for the opinion of Professor Croft, Toronto  
to be obtained relative to spots on the  
prisoners' clothes, supposed to be blood,  
and for perfecting other evidence. The  
prisoners in the meantime being sent to  
Goderich. The following is a synopsis of  
the evidence. The prisoners swore they  
went straight to David Donovan's house,  
on Saturday night about 12 o'clock, and  
were not out till daylight on Sunday  
morning and they were nowhere else but  
on the highway going there. On the  
other hand, in the house where the murder  
was committed, bloody footmarks in  
stocking feet, when measured, were found  
to correspond to Nicholas Malady's feet.  
The tracks of men in stocking feet were  
traced into a potato patch, where there  
was a seat made with sticks, after that  
boot tracks were traced to the Bayfield  
River, one of the boots had peculiar nails  
in it. The place was found where they  
had crossed the river; one had fallen; a  
book was found in the river where they  
crossed, with T. Donovan's name in it,  
and likewise Nicholas Malady's. The  
clothes found at David Donovan's were  
wet. T. Donovan's boots were covered  
outside by black mud like from  
new land, inside wet with a reddish sort  
of water. Donovan's boots correspond  
exactly with the tracks found at the river.  
Mr Parker swore he saw T. Donovan and  
another man pass his house a little after  
sunrise on Sunday morning. Parker's  
place is where the tracks were traced to  
the river. The prisoners said they walked  
on the main road two miles from Mr.  
Parker's. There are a good many more  
witnesses to examine yet.

Synod of the Canada Presbyterian  
Church.

MONTREAL, JUNE 17.

When the Synod opened this morning,  
the overtone on marriage with a deceased  
wife's sister was taken up and dis-  
cussed at considerable length. Finally a  
motion was carried declining to grant the  
prayer of the overtone.

The next business taken up was an ap-  
peal case from the Presbytery of Ottawa,  
which occupied the greater part of the af-  
ternoon, but was not brought to an issue  
when the Synod adjourned at 6 o'clock.—  
During the course of the evening the  
Board of the Montreal College was  
read. It was proposed to appoint the Rev.  
D. H. McVicar as Professor of the Mon-  
real College.

The Anniversary of Waterloo.

Fifty-three years ago to-day the two  
greatest generals of their own or perhaps  
any other age, confronted each other on  
the plains of Waterloo. In the morning  
the fate of Europe was at stake, at night  
the continent was safe—a despot was  
overthrown and fleeing before the incen-  
ded Prussian cavalry. At 11 o'clock in the  
forenoon when Napoleon's cannon opened  
fire on the British lines, he and his mag-  
nificent army were flushed with anticipa-  
tions of a brilliant victory over the raw  
recruits that had been hastily marshalled  
by Wellington: at night the Old Guard  
were dying for quarter (the self-flatter-  
ing fiction that the "Old Guard" would  
die but not surrender, to the contrary  
 notwithstanding), and the Emperor in-  
stead of dining at Brussels as he said in  
the morning he would, was galloping  
furiously towards Paris. "I am going  
to measure arms with this Wellington,"  
was his exclamation when getting into  
his carriage to leave the capital, and he  
returned to let it be known that he had  
found his arm was neither longer nor  
more powerful than those of his marshals  
whom Wellington had driven from the  
Peninsula. English troops have fought  
hard battles since Waterloo was won, and  
gained brilliant victories, but whether it  
was on account of this Generals that were  
opposed to each other or the incalculable  
importance of the result, Waterloo is re-  
garded with more interest and there is  
more glory attached to the winning of  
that field than to any that have since  
been fought. Considered merely in a  
military point of view, and without any  
reference to its political effects, Britons  
have perhaps more reason to be proud of  
it than of Inkermann, where the British  
troops found more to do than at any other  
battle since Waterloo. At the latter there  
were no false movements, no blunders  
except the fatal one which Napoleon per-  
sisted in making from the first, that of  
attempting to overwhelm the English by  
sheer power of numbers; at Inkermann a  
high military authority said, that the en-  
tire battle was a series of blunders, and  
that the English won because their ad-  
versaries blundered more egregiously.

The Toronto Races.

The annual races of the Toronto Turf  
Club opened on Wednesday. There was  
an immense assemblage of people on the  
race ground.

The first race was for the Dominion  
Plate. A sweepstakes of \$10 each, \$5  
forfeit, and \$100 added for all horses;  
weights, 3 years 8 stone, 4 years 9 stone,  
5 years 9 stone 8 lbs, 6 years and aged  
10 stone; entire horses to carry three  
pounds extra; any winner of a public  
race five pounds extra, foreign bred five  
pounds extra—distance 1 1/2 miles. Seven  
horses ran. Mr. A. Smith's "Luxem-  
bourg" won the race.

The next was the United Service Race.  
A sweepstakes of \$15 each, \$5 forfeit,  
and \$100 added for all horses; weights,  
4 years 9 stone 7 lbs, 5 years 9 stone 13  
lbs, 6 and aged 10 stone 4 lbs. The  
whole stakes to go to the winner; 2 miles.  
Sixteen horses were entered, among which  
was Sheriff Grange's "Rathowan," four  
years old. At the start, Gladiator led,  
with Highland Maid and Bessing close  
on his quarters, the remainder following  
in a wedge-like heap. Bessing took up  
the running immediately afterwards, and  
did well for the first mile, but was gradu-  
ally left behind by Nellie and Jack the  
Barber, between the two latter of whom  
the contest became one of great interest.  
As they came up the rising ground on the  
home stretch, there appeared to be no  
difference to one looking from the judge's  
stand, but as they approached the odds  
were seen to be in favor of Nellie, and she  
was declared to be the winner by a neck,  
Jack the Barber second, John Collins  
third—time, 3:55. Nellie is owned by  
Messrs J. & F. White, of Bronte, and is  
the fifth winner of the Queen's Plate  
owned by this firm. Their previous ef-  
forts since the establishment of the  
Queen's Plate in 1839 were by Don Juan,  
Touchstone, Salerno, and Wild Rose.

The next was the Hussar Charger Race,  
which was confined to the Hussars.

The last was the Toronto Hunt Hurdle  
Race, for horses that have been regularly  
hunted with the Toronto hounds in 1867-  
'68. Capt. Moore's "Chang" won the  
race. There were nine entries.

THE FENIANS.—The Montreal corre-  
spondent of the Globe says: Accounts re-  
ceived here from the frontier are to the  
effect that confidential officers appointed  
by the American Government have found  
nothing at all to warrant apprehensions  
of a Fenian attack, and that General  
Sherman, who is in command of the north-  
ern frontier, is actively on the alert. In  
accordance with orders from headquar-  
ters, several frontier volunteer corps are  
to be called out immediately for drill, and  
the city to furnish four battalions for drill  
twice a week. This is said to be merely  
a precautionary movement, and not any  
sign of apprehension on the part of the  
Government.

PISCATORIAL.—The editor of the Huron  
Signal saw on Friday last 4,700 speckled  
trout which two gentlemen had caught  
in a stream at some distance from Sau-  
geen, and brought with them to Goderich.  
They had been angling only a day and a  
half, and had been obliged to stop for  
want of ice to preserve more fish. Those  
that they had weighed from 2 lbs. down-  
wards.

BY TELEGRAPH

Despatches to the Evening Mer-  
BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

Brussels, June 17.—Admiral Farr  
invited Leopold to review the squad  
under his command. The King ac-  
cepted the invitation. The review will  
place at an early day in the harbor  
Ostend.

Paris, June 17.—In the Ministerial  
port on the budget reference is made  
to the general armament represented by  
being on in Europe. Report declares  
the people and Government of France  
are peace, and there is no sign of  
that the existing state of tranquillity  
out Europe will be disturbed.

Berlin, June 17.—In the North Ger-  
man Parliament to-day the entire budget  
adopted. A report is in circulation  
concerning important papers have been  
covered in Silesia which reveal the  
tenor of a plot involving the lesser  
power with France in a war ag-  
ainst Prussia. King William has gone to  
Hanover for the first time since the  
war with Austria.

Liverpool, June 17.—The steamer  
via, for New York, which put back  
able a few days ago, sailed again  
has been again obliged to put back.

Paris, June 17.—The Corps Leg-  
yesterday gave their assent to the pre-  
ed Spain.

Madrid, June 17.—The following  
gea have taken place in the Spanish  
net: The Marquis de Ronelli has  
made foreign minister, Coronado mi-  
nister of justice, and Rubi minister of col-  
London, June 17.—In the Ho-  
Commons on Tuesday night an in-  
ing debate took place on petition  
people of Nova Scotia against the  
dian Union Act. Mr. John Bright  
that a Commission be appointed to  
quire into the causes of the discom-  
Nova Scotia in regard to the opera-  
the Act of Confederation. Mr. I.  
supported his motion with a speech  
which he declared that an investi-  
into this matter could not be other  
than advantageous; if it was refuse  
people of Nova Scotia would feel  
they were victims of a policy with  
they did not and could not sympathize  
Such refusal would increase their  
loyalty to Canada, and estrange them  
England, and give a powerful ally  
to their sympathy with the U.S.  
to the people of Nova Scotia and  
osity to the United States demand  
enquiry. The Ministry would be  
to blame should any untoward re-  
sult result from a refusal to grant this.  
Mr. Baxter, member for Montreal,  
ed the motion made by Mr. Bright,  
the Right Hon. Mr. Adderley, under-  
retary of Colonial department, re-  
ply for the Government. He ad-  
ledged that discontent prevailed  
provinces of Nova Scotia, and too  
sion to deny the correctness of a  
ment made by Mr. Bright in a spee-  
13th of May last, to the effect that  
the passage of the Canadian Union  
Parliament here was not final, but  
as preliminary to its confirmation  
acts of Legislatures of each of the  
involvement. The hon. gent  
continued by declaring that the ap-  
ment of this Commission of enquiry  
be a great evil, and would be con-  
an insult by the Dominion of Canada  
informed the House that steps had  
taken by the Government to all-  
present feeling in the North Am-  
Provinces. He said this feeling  
so bitter as had been represented,  
acts of the Canadian Parliament,  
at Ottawa, had since been approved  
Nova Scotia, and whatever dis-  
still existed would probably disap-  
the people of that Province had now  
now to apprehend an increase of tax  
or expenditure. After some dis-  
discussion a division of the House  
place on Mr. Bright's motion, and  
ed as follows: For the Commission  
quiry, 87; against, 183; majority, 96.  
Later in the evening, the  
Church appointments suspensory Bill  
passed to a third reading.

PRESS ASSOCIATION OF CANADA.  
Secretary of the Press Association  
issued a circular to the members, to  
the arrangements made for the ap-  
ing annual meeting and execution  
meeting will be held in the Town  
Collingwood, on Friday, the 10th  
next, at 2 o'clock p. m. It is ex-  
timated members, east and west, will  
their arrangements to reach Tor-  
Thursday evening, the 9th of July  
to take the Friday morning train at  
o'clock for Collingwood. The anti-  
cursion to take place from Fort Wi-  
on board the steamer *Albatross*—call  
intermediate places of interest, an  
leave on Saturday morning, the 11th  
—returning in from seven to nine  
as the excursion party may desire,  
fare is placed at the low rate of \$11  
—meals and stationery included,  
is less than half fare, and is sim-  
ply to cover costs. By a glance  
may be seen that this trip is  
to the western shores of Lake Su-  
and will probably prove the most  
interesting and picturesque of any ex-  
ever held by the Association. The  
will return in time to take the ex-  
trains from Toronto east and west  
afternoon of Saturday, the 18th, of  
day, the 20th of July. Members  
send their annual subscriptions to  
Jackson, Newmarket; J. A. Cas-  
Esk, Whitby; or, W. Gillespie,  
Hamilton, before receiving their  
Members of the Press wishing to join  
Association can do so by remitting  
Mr. E. Jackson, of the Erie, New-  
the Secretary of the Association.

REMOVED RESIGNATION.—A tel-  
from Ottawa says that it is rumo-  
the seat of government that the  
Mr. Kenny, Receiver General of the  
minion, intends to

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GUELPH, ONT., CANADA, THURSDAY EVENING, JUNE 18, 1868.

PRICE ONE PENN.

### Apothecaries' Hall!

MARKET SQUARE.

### Hagan's Magnolia Balm.

LAIRD'S

### BLOOM OF YOUTH

### A. B. PETRIE,

Chemist-Market Square.

### OATS

55 CENTS IN SILVER.

### FLOUR DOWN

To \$3.62 in Silver.

At WEBSTER'S.

Guelph, June 12, 1868.

### Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore existing between James Smith and Henry Metcalf, in carrying on the Saddle and Harness Business, is this day dissolved by mutual consent, and that the business in future will be carried on by Henry Metcalf, in the name of Guelph, who will discharge all debts and receive all accounts due to the firm.

Witness: JAMES SMITH, HENRY METCALF.

All overdue Accounts to the 15th inst. must be settled immediately.

Guelph, 12th June, 1868.

### CHEAP Photographs

### W. BURGESS

BEST to inform his friends and the public of his Guelph and surrounding country that he has received a large stock of

### Christmas Presents,

as well through the HOLIDAYS furnish all kinds of Photographs at greatly

### REDUCED PRICES.

Persons wishing to make presents of Photographs to their friends should call on

### PICTURES

All kinds furnished in the best style of art.

Gallery above John A. Wood's Grocery Store.

Guelph 15th December, 1867.

### TROTTER & GRAHAM,

DENTISTS!

GUELPH AND BRAMPTON

Office: Guelph, 2nd August, 1867.

### Over Mr. Higinbotham's Drug Store

Persons desiring to purchase any of the following Goods, viz. Flour, Sugar, Tea, Coffee, Cocoa, Raisins, Currants, Apples, Peaches, Plums, &c., &c., should call on

W. K. GRAHAM

Guelph, 2nd August, 1867.

### CLEAR OUT DAUBERS.

### SHOW ME THE JOB.

### DOUGLAS GOUCK,

House, Sign and Decorative Painter,

And Paper Hanger,

No. 1, Douglas-St.,

Guelph, 14th May, 1868.

### Second Hand Clothes

SECOND-HAND CLOTHING Bought and sold. Clothes made to order by Montreal. Farmers' work made up. Cheap alterations. 25-35-45-55-65-75-85-95-105-115-125-135-145-155-165-175-185-195-205-215-225-235-245-255-265-275-285-295-305-315-325-335-345-355-365-375-385-395-405-415-425-435-445-455-465-475-485-495-505-515-525-535-545-555-565-575-585-595-605-615-625-635-645-655-665-675-685-695-705-715-725-735-745-755-765-775-785-795-805-815-825-835-845-855-865-875-885-895-905-915-925-935-945-955-965-975-985-995-1005-1015-1025-1035-1045-1055-1065-1075-1085-1095-1105-1115-1125-1135-1145-1155-1165-1175-1185-1195-1205-1215-1225-1235-1245-1255-1265-1275-1285-1295-1305-1315-1325-1335-1345-1355-1365-1375-1385-1395-1405-1415-1425-1435-1445-1455-1465-1475-1485-1495-1505-1515-1525-1535-1545-1555-1565-1575-1585-1595-1605-1615-1625-1635-1645-1655-1665-1675-1685-1695-1705-1715-1725-1735-1745-1755-1765-1775-1785-1795-1805-1815-1825-1835-1845-1855-1865-1875-1885-1895-1905-1915-1925-1935-1945-1955-1965-1975-1985-1995-2005-2015-2025-2035-2045-2055-2065-2075-2085-2095-2105-2115-2125-2135-2145-2155-2165-2175-2185-2195-2205-2215-2225-2235-2245-2255-2265-2275-2285-2295-2305-2315-2325-2335-2345-2355-2365-2375-2385-2395-2405-2415-2425-2435-2445-2455-2465-2475-2485-2495-2505-2515-2525-2535-2545-2555-2565-2575-2585-2595-2605-2615-2625-2635-2645-2655-2665-2675-2685-2695-2705-2715-2725-2735-2745-2755-2765-2775-2785-2795-2805-2815-2825-2835-2845-2855-2865-2875-2885-2895-2905-2915-2925-2935-2945-2955-2965-2975-2985-2995-3005-3015-3025-3035-3045-3055-3065-3075-3085-3095-3105-3115-3125-3135-3145-3155-3165-3175-3185-3195-3205-3215-3225-3235-3245-3255-3265-3275-3285-3295-3305-3315-3325-3335-3345-3355-3365-3375-3385-3395-3405-3415-3425-3435-3445-3455-3465-3475-3485-3495-3505-3515-3525-3535-3545-3555-3565-3575-3585-3595-3605-3615-3625-3635-3645-3655-3665-3675-3685-3695-3705-3715-3725-3735-3745-3755-3765-3775-3785-3795-3805-3815-3825-3835-3845-3855-3865-3875-3885-3895-3905-3915-3925-3935-3945-3955-3965-3975-3985-3995-4005-4015-4025-4035-4045-4055-4065-4075-4085-4095-4105-4115-4125-4135-4145-4155-4165-4175-4185-4195-4205-4215-4225-4235-4245-4255-4265-4275-4285-4295-4305-4315-4325-4335-4345-4355-4365-4375-4385-4395-4405-4415-4425-4435-4445-4455-4465-4475-4485-4495-4505-4515-4525-4535-4545-4555-4565-4575-4585-4595-4605-4615-4625-4635-4645-4655-4665-4675-4685-4695-4705-4715-4725-4735-4745-4755-4765-4775-4785-4795-4805-4815-4825-4835-4845-4855-4865-4875-4885-4895-4905-4915-4925-4935-4945-4955-4965-4975-4985-4995-5005-5015-5025-5035-5045-5055-5065-5075-5085-5095-5105-5115-5125-5135-5145-5155-5165-5175-5185-5195-5205-5215-5225-5235-5245-5255-5265-5275-5285-5295-5305-5315-5325-5335-5345-5355-5365-5375-5385-5395-5405-5415-5425-5435-5445-5455-5465-5475-5485-5495-5505-5515-5525-5535-5545-5555-5565-5575-5585-5595-5605-5615-5625-5635-5645-5655-5665-5675-5685-5695-5705-5715-5725-5735-5745-5755-5765-5775-5785-5795-5805-5815-5825-5835-5845-5855-5865-5875-5885-5895-5905-5915-5925-5935-5945-5955-5965-5975-5985-5995-6005-6015-6025-6035-6045-6055-6065-6075-6085-6095-6105-6115-6125-6135-6145-6155-6165-6175-6185-6195-6205-6215-6225-6235-6245-6255-6265-6275-6285-6295-6305-6315-6325-6335-6345-6355-6365-6375-6385-6395-6405-6415-6425-6435-6445-6455-6465-6475-6485-6495-6505-6515-6525-6535-6545-6555-6565-6575-6585-6595-6605-6615-6625-6635-6645-6655-6665-6675-6685-6695-6705-6715-6725-6735-6745-6755-6765-6775-6785-6795-6805-6815-6825-6835-6845-6855-6865-6875-6885-6895-6905-6915-6925-6935-6945-6955-6965-6975-6985-6995-7005-7015-7025-7035-7045-7055-7065-7075-7085-7095-7105-7115-7125-7135-7145-7155-7165-7175-7185-7195-7205-7215-7225-7235-7245-7255-7265-7275-7285-7295-7305-7315-7325-7335-7345-7355-7365-7375-7385-7395-7405-7415-7425-7435-7445-7455-7465-7475-7485-7495-7505-7515-7525-7535-7545-7555-7565-7575-7585-7595-7605-7615-7625-7635-7645-7655-7665-7675-7685-7695-7705-7715-7725-7735-7745-7755-7765-7775-7785-7795-7805-7815-7825-7835-7845-7855-7865-7875-7885-7895-7905-7915-7925-7935-7945-7955-7965-7975-7985-7995-8005-8015-8025-8035-8045-8055-8065-8075-8085-8095-8105-8115-8125-8135-8145-8155-8165-8175-8185-8195-8205-8215-8225-8235-8245-8255-8265-8275-8285-8295-8305-8315-8325-8335-8345-8355-8365-8375-8385-8395-8405-8415-8425-8435-8445-8455-8465-8475-8485-8495-8505-8515-8525-8535-8545-8555-8565-8575-8585-8595-8605-8615-8625-8635-8645-8655-8665-8675-8685-8695-8705-8715-8725-8735-8745-8755-8765-8775-8785-8795-8805-8815-8825-8835-8845-8855-8865-8875-8885-8895-8905-8915-8925-8935-8945-8955-8965-8975-8985-8995-9005-9015-9025-9035-9045-9055-9065-9075-9085-9095-9105-9115-9125-9135-9145-9155-9165-9175-9185-9195-9205-9215-9225-9235-9245-9255-9265-9275-9285-9295-9305-9315-9325-9335-9345-9355-9365-9375-9385-9395-9405-9415-9425-9435-9445-9455-9465-9475-9485-9495-9505-9515-9525-9535-9545-9555-9565-9575-9585-9595-9605-9615-9625-9635-9645-9655-9665-9675-9685-9695-9705-9715-9725-9735-9745-9755-9765-9775-9785-9795-9805-9815-9825-9835-9845-9855-9865-9875-9885-9895-9905-9915-9925-9935-9945-9955-9965-9975-9985-9995-10005-10015-10025-10035-10045-10055-10065-10075-10085-10095-10105-10115-10125-10135-10145-10155-10165-10175-10185-10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## Evening Mercury

MACDONNELL STREET  
WEDNESDAY EVENING, JUNE 18, 1868.

### THE FATE OF REPEAL.

The intelligence which the cable sends this morning will astonish the repealers of Nova Scotia. Mr. Bright was, as it was announced some days ago he would be the champion of repealers, and made a motion in the English House of Commons for a commission of Enquiry to investigate the causes of grievance set forth in the petition which Mr. Howe and Mr. Adderley carried to England. As might be expected, Mr. Bright made a fine speech in moving his resolution, but the force of his arguments, which were not lent him for the occasion by the repealers of the repeal movement, were, unfortunately for him and his clients, overpowered by Mr. Adderley, who acted on behalf of the Government. A motion for the issue of a Commission was negatived by the very decided majority of 96, and here ended the protest. What will the Repealers do now? What but settle down quietly and consider themselves a part of the nation never to be lopped off, and thank Heaven that there are wiser men in England than they are. They are not into Confederation with their open, and they should have been content to stay there and say nothing about it, and if they do not live to see the time when they will call the 4th of July the best of the year their children very likely will. If they do not reflect on the means by which the union was effected between England and Scotland, and on the which after all resulted from the signing of the two countries, they will surely see on what slender grounds they based their complaints. The Union of 1707 was very aptly compared to a marriage of a woman against her will, yet the parties have since dwelt very harmoniously together, and with mutual benefit. It is the fault of the Nova Scotians who consummated in 1867 the equally productive of happiness.

### BREWERY ON THE BRAIN.

There are more people than one who imagine afflicted with a disease known as monomania. The editor of the Hamilton Times appears to be, the disorder takes the form of a belief that the country has been, and is being robbed by the rascality of brewers and the lax administration of excise laws. In Tuesday's issue, referring to the notice of a seizure of a brewery, which had appeared in the Mercury some time ago, to the effect that it played in exposing the frauds which were being perpetrated, and in bringing about an investigation, the editor proceeds:

"There is another matter in connection with the former seizure that strikes us as strange, and into which we desire to make some inquiry. When the property was seized for the actual violation of the Revenue laws, it is forfeited, and the owners all right and title to it. The law is that it shall be sold, the Government taking one-half the proceeds and the other half. But, in the case of the seizure in Waterloo, the property was sold, as we are informed, a compromise being made. On what authority, we should like to know?—these excise officers to hold a secret sale, and make such compromises and settlements as they deem proper? This would be more than the Old Star Chamber Court in England, whose proceedings provoked the indignation of the Legislature. If the officers are to determine the nature of the compromise, may they not so arrange the party guilty of the fraud as to put a hundred or a thousand dollars into their pockets and a hundred dollars into the pocket of the brewer?"

The insinuations in the latter part of the quotation are mean, unjust and untrue. It is a grave matter to accuse public officers of peculation, and the present case there is not a shadow of reason for so doing. After the excise officers were seized the brewers never proceeded one single step except by direct instructions from Government. Shortly after the seizure the owners of some of the breweries, if not of all, deposited in the full amount of what they were, belonging to each, that was assessed for sale was worth, and begged Government to take the money and allow them to resume business. There had been such a furore raised at these very same breweries that long time the Government regarded them as an example of the Waterloo brewers in order that others might be deterred, but at length they inclined to a compromise, that is, they voluntarily took the money the brewers deposited in the Bank and taught the latter to consider this leniency whatever were the terms of the compromise were dictated by the Government, the excise officers having no part in "determining the nature of the compromise." Allowing them the credit for the excellence of its intentions, we must censure the impudence which insinuates on mere ordinary grounds that two gentlemen of public suspicion are guilty of peculation. Certainly in this case the journal should have thought before it spoke once, and evinced wisdom by showing its veneration for the old proverb.

THE NEW MINISTER TO BRITAIN.—The appointment of the Hon. Reverend Canon as representative of the United Kingdom in England seems to give entire satisfaction in both countries. Mr. Johnston was the President and signified his readiness to depart as soon as the arrangements are made out. These

## THE NORTH WEST.

The Ottawa correspondent of the Toronto Telegraph sends the following to that paper:—The recent official announcement, made in the Imperial Parliament and sent by Atlantic Cable on the subject of the negotiations for the acquisition of the Hudson Bay Territory, has an explanation of deep significance. The explanation is this: Some new propositions were recently made by the Imperial Government to the Government of the Dominion, on the subject of this purchase. They were embraced under three heads, of which the two most objectionable were—that reservations of land should be made at important points for the Company, and that it should be entitled to receive a shilling an acre for all the land disposed of to settlers in addition to the prices agreed upon, in the first instance. These proposals, together with the third, which related to a matter of detail connected with the conveyance of the sovereignty, were rejected by the Government here, and a despatch containing the decision was sent across the Atlantic. At the time the recent announcement was made in the Imperial Parliament that the despatch was in possession of the Government.

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100 MACKENZIE STREET  
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### THE FATE OF REPEAL.

The intelligence which the cable conveys this morning will astonish the repealers of Nova Scotia. Mr. Bright was, as it was announced some time ago he would be, the champion of protesters, and made a motion in the English House of Commons for a Commission of Enquiry to investigate causes of grievance set forth in a petition which Mr. Howe and Mr. Adderley carried to England. As might be expected, Mr. Bright made a fine speech in moving his resolution, but some of his arguments, which were not lent him for the occasion by the repealers of the repeal movement, were, unfortunately for him and his clients, taken up by Mr. Adderley, who acted on behalf of the Government. The motion for the issue of a Commission was negatived by the very decided majority of 96, and here ended the protest. What will the Repealers do now? What but settle down quietly and consider themselves a part of the Union never to be lopped off, and thank Heaven that there are wiser men in England than they are. They are not in Confederation with their friends, and they should have been content to stay there and say nothing about it, and if they do not live up to the time when they will call the day of July the best of the year their friends only reflect on the means by which the Union was effected between England and Scotland, and on the day which after all resulted from the joining of the two countries, they will surely see on what slender grounds they based their complaints. The Union of 1707 was very aptly compared to a marriage of a woman against her will, yet the parties have since dwelt very harmoniously together, and with mutual benefit. It is the fault of the Nova Scotians that the Union consummated in 1867 be equally productive of happiness.

### BREWERY ON THE BRAIN.

There are more people than one who imagine afflicted with a disease known as monomania. The editor of the *Hamilton Times* appears to be the disorder takes the form of a belief that the country has been, and is being robbed by the rascality of brewers and the lax administration of excise laws. In Tuesday's issue, referring to the notice of a seizure of a brewery, which had appeared in the *Mercury* some time ago, to the effect that it was being perpetrated, and in giving out an investigation, the editor proceeds:

There is another matter in connection with the former seizure—that strikes us as that strange, and here which we desire some inquiry. When the property of a brewer is seized for the actual violation of the Revenue laws, it is forfeited, and the brewer all right and title to it. The law says that it shall be sold, the Government taking one-half the proceeds and the brewer the other half. But, in the case of the first seizure in Waterloo, the property was sold, as we are informed, a copy being made of the proceedings, and the brewer's rights were held in secret, and these were afterwards sold as if they were the property of some other person. This would be a violation of the Charter of England, whose proceedings provoked numerous petitions to the House of Commons, and it is to be determined the nature of the proceedings, may they not be a violation of the party guilty of the offence, and a seizure of the property of the brewer, and a transfer of the same into the hands of another?

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The sound of voices from another apartment reached Gilbert's ear, and the pronunciation of his own name and that of Lady Spens quickened his curiosity.

The Chevalier drew him to the wall, a portion of the panelling was removed, and a diamond shaped eye-hole admitted the light from the next chamber. Gilbert looked thro' the hole and perceived those arch conspirators, Adam Scott of Tushielaw and the slum friar Simon.

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He spoke with a decisive tone of authority.

"Now mark me with the persons you name I have nothing to do. To-night you have blundered as the stupidest gillie to be found on Angus would not have blundered—"

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CHAPTER XI.—SOMETHING MYSTERIOUS.

Whoever is the mother of one child,  
Which having thought long and she is alive,  
Let her by proofs of that which she hath yielded  
In her own breast, this mother's joy describe:  
For other none such passion can conceive  
In perfect form as this good lady felt  
When she so fair a daughter saw arrive.

Gilbert was conducted safely through  
the park to the place where he had found the  
page waiting an hour before. His guide  
having bade him a sulky adieu, our adven-  
turer proceeded with quick strides to the  
spot where the Chevalier had arranged to  
await his return.

He found him, and briefly related all that  
had passed, not omitting the singular com-  
munication made to him by the lady who had  
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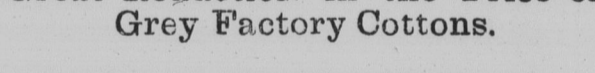
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AMERICAN shears, Trimmers, and Points  
of all sizes, Squares, Carved Rules, Straps,  
Edges, Improved Irons, English and Ameri-  
can, Crochets, Bartlett's Needles, Tapes, &c. All  
best quality, and at lowest prices.  
RYAN & OLIVER  
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to, 1st April, 1868. d

## TO MACHINISTS.

STEEI Squares, Steel Rules, Centre-Gauges  
Vernier Callipers, Steel Calliper Rules, Calli-  
pers, Ames' Universal Squares, Self-regu-  
lating Callipers and Dividers, Stub Files and Tool  
Patent Cutters, Sheet Steel, &c. For sale by  
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## Cabinetmakers & Upholsterers

HAIR Seating, Curled Hair, Towels, Sofa Spring  
Twine, Chair Web, Button, Screw, Ring  
Locks, Tacks, Flat Paper, Glass, Piano Stools,  
Coffin Trimmings, Upholsterers' Needles and  
Gauges, Adair's Carvers' Tools, Extension  
Singer Bits, Melodion Hardware, &c. For sale  
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A most speedy, safe and effective preparation  
of the purest of

Coughs, Colds,  
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PRICE, - - 25c. per Bottle

Prepared and for sale only by  
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## Carmina Collegens

A COMPLETE COLLECTION OF  
The Songs of the American  
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WITH Piano-forte Accompaniments, to which  
is added a Compendium of College History  
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This is the most extensive collection of Student  
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ity, permanency and general interest, only such  
being used as possessed intrinsic merit, or cast  
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Prices: In Cloth, embellished with  
gold and durable, \$2.50. Superior Edition, on  
fine paper, full cloth, embellished with  
gold edge, \$3.00. Mail, post-paid.  
OLIVER DITSON & CO., Publishers, 27 W.  
Norton Street, Boston. CHAS. H. DITSON &  
71 Broadway, New York.  
June 4, 1868. daw 1f

## PLASTER

THE subscriber has now on hand, and will  
be sold during the whole year a large supply  
of

## White and Grey Plaster

for sale at the Warehouse of G. B. GARDNER, near  
the railroad crossing.  
GEORGE BARKWILL  
Guelph, 27th May, 1868. daw

## Canard Ocean Steamer



LEAVING New York every Thursday for Que-  
bec on the 1st of June.

## FARE FROM HAMILTON

First Cabin, - - - 85¢, gold value  
Steerage - - - - 25¢, " "

Berths not occupied until paid for. For further  
particulars apply to  
CHARLES T. JONES & CO.,  
Exchange Brokers, Hamilton.

## FOR SALE.

SODA ASH - "Gambles,"  
CAUSTIC SODA - "Gambles," "Widow"  
Alkali Comp'y, "Garrett's."  
SAL. SODA,  
CHLORIDE OF LIME,  
PALM OIL.

W. T. BENSON,  
37 St. Peter Street, Montreal.  
Montreal, 1st April, 1868. daw-dm

## The Ontario Packing House

HAMILTON.

THE Ontario Packing House has commenced  
slaughtering and packing hogs, and will  
pay for

## SELECTED FAT HOGS

delivered at the Packing House, Hamilton, 40  
cents per pound, live weight.  
Guelph, 1st June, 1868. dawm

## TO BRICKLAYERS.

TWO Bricklayers wanted immediately. Apply  
to  
WILLIAM DAY, Builder  
Guelph, 27th May. daw-1f

## CHEAP TOWN LOTS

A OUT Sixty Building Lots in the Town  
of Guelph, belonging to the Blair Estate, will  
be sold for about \$20 each, to wind up the estate.  
Apply to  
EDWIN NEWBERRY  
Guelph, 20th May, 1868. daw

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AT EXTRAORDINARY LOW PRICES.

JAMES CORMACK,  
Guelph, 6th June, 1868.

### LUMBER & WOOD YARD.

CHARLES HEATH

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.

CHARLES HEATH,  
Guelph, May 14, 1868.

### BARGAINS CHEAP BOOKS

AND CHEAP STATIONERY.

HAVING purchased the Stock of M. Shewan, the member is prepared to sell it off at once at the cheapest possible rates to make room for a new and large assortment of Family and Pocket Bibles, Congregational and Wesleyan Hymns, Paw Bibles, Pocket Testaments, Albums, Stationery, &c., that are on their way to his store. My arrangements with publishers and manufacturing establishments enable me to supply all kinds of Books, Newspapers and periodicals on the most reasonable terms.

Law Forms of every kind always on hand, and got up to order at the shortest notice.

Fancy Goods, Window Shades, and a large lot of Paper Hangings on hand.

W. J. McCURRY,  
Guelph, 26th May, 1868.

### GUELPH BOOKBINDERY!

In the binding department, I would invite the attention of intending purchasers to the specimens on hand, or that which has been executed for many of the Registry Offices and Division Courts.

A large assortment of School Books just arrived.

Picture Framing done on the premises promptly and in the neatest style.

W. J. McCURRY,  
Guelph, 26th May, 1868.

### STANDARD Life Assurance Company

(Established 1825.)

Accumulated Fund £3,700,005 ls. 4d. Stg

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK,  
Agents at Guelph.

### TO FARMERS.

NOW is the time for free your Sheep and Lambs from Ticks. On hand, at

Apothecaries' Hall, Guelph,

A large supply of

Miller's Tick Destroyer.

Maccougall's Tick Destroyer

A. B. PETRIE,  
Guelph 3rd June. dw Druggist

### NEW Oyster Rooms

VALENTINE WALT

BEGS to announce to the public that he has fitted up Oyster Rooms in connection with his Hotel, on MACDONNELL STREET.

The very best of Oysters always on hand, and served up in all styles at short notice.

TOM and JERRY, and all kinds of Fancy Drinks prepared in the most approved manner.

Guelph, 27th December, 1867. dw dw.

### MONTREAL OCEAN STEAMSHIP CO'Y.

CANADIAN LINE—Quebec to Liverpool every Saturday.

GLASGOW LINE—Quebec to Glasgow every Thursday.

CABIN—Guelph to Liverpool, \$72.50 and \$82.50

STEERAGE, do do \$39.50

CABIN—Guelph to Glasgow, \$66.50 and \$49.50

INTERMEDIATE, do do \$45.50

STEERAGE, do do \$29.50

Return Tickets at reduced rates. Prepaid Passage Certificates issued to bring friends out, at the lowest rates. For Tickets, Staterooms, and every information, apply to

GEO. A. OXNARD,  
Agent, G. T.  
Guelph, April 29, 1868.

### W. H. JACOMB PAINTER,

House and Sign Painter, Hanger, Glazier, &c.

Shop on QUEBEC STREET, near Mr. Howard's Stove and Tin Depot

All orders from the Town and Country will receive prompt attention.

Guelph, April dw m.

### ALBION HOTEL!

St. Paul-st., MONTREAL.

M. DECKER would say that having resumed the management of the Albion, he hopes by personal attention to merit a continuance of the patronage so liberally bestowed upon him during the last year.

L. W. DECKER,  
Montreal, 30th March, 1868. dw

### GUELPH, ONT.

THE Subscriber begs to inform the public that he has leased the above premises for a term of years, and has refitted it in a very superior and substantial manner, and hopes to share a portion of the patronage of the public.

### THE BAR

will be supplied with the best Wines, Liquors & Cigars

And the table will all the delicacies of the season. In fact no expense will be spared to make it a first-class establishment.

### LUNCHEON!

Every day from 1 to 5 o'clock.

### OYSTERS AND GAME,

&c. Dinner and Supper parties provided short notice, at reasonable charges.

JOHN MILLER,  
Late of the Commercial Hotel, Whitby.

GUELPH, Jan. 29, 1868. dw

### FUNERALS.

WILLIAM BROWNLOW, UNDERTAKER,

SHOP in rear of the WELLINGTON HOTEL, 5 Doughty Street. Homes in rear of Mr. F. W. Stone's Store, and fronting the Fair Ground.

The subscriber intimates that he is prepared to attend

### FUNERALS

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

WM. BROWNLOW,  
Guelph, March 29, 1868. dw

### SUMMER DRINKS.

JAMES McCULLOCH,

IN thanking his customers and the public for the liberal patronage bestowed on him in past years, begs to inform them that he has made extensive preparations for the coming season, and is now manufacturing at the

### Spring Brewery Depot

GORDON STREET, GUELPH.

All kinds of Summer Drinks, such as Soda Water, Lemonade, Sarsaparilla, Ginger Ale and Ginger Beer.

Also a superior quality of Champagne Clarified BOTTLED CHAMP in pints or quarts, which has been tested and highly recommended for years.

All orders left at the Depot, or addressed to the undersigned will be promptly attended to.

JAMES McCULLOCH,  
Guelph, 22nd May, 1868. dw dtf

### TORONTO SAFE WORKS.

J. & J. TAYLOR'S PATENT FIRE PROOF SAFES,

Fire & Burglar Proof COMBINED.

The only real security against FIRE AND BURGLARS!

READER, if you want a reliable safe, purchase none but

### TAYLOR'S

Remember the best is the cheapest. We also manufacture every description of Fire and Burglar Proof Securities, such as Vault Doors, Locks, &c., &c.

Please send for a Price List.

J. & J. TAYLOR,  
Manufacturers, 198 & 200 Palace-St., Toronto.  
Toronto, April 11, 1868. dw dtf

### R. GALBRAITH TAILOR,

ST. GEORGE'S SQUARE, GUELPH,

IN rear of the English Church, BEGS to inform the inhabitants of Guelph and vicinity that he has rented the premises lately occupied by Mr. Jeanneret, Watchmaker, where

Parties Furnishing their Own Goods

Will always find him on hand ready to attend to their orders. All work carefully executed and on reasonable terms.

Garments Altered, Repaired and Cut with Neatness and Dispatch.

Guelph, April 8, 1868. dtf wlm

### Fire Crackers.

THE best Fire Crackers that can be got for sale wholesale and retail at the

### Dominion Store!

Upper Wyndham Street, next to the Wellington Hotel, Guelph.

### FISHING GEAR

of all kinds for sale.

MRS. ROBINSON,  
Upper Wyndham Street, Guelph.  
Guelph, 8th May 1868. dw

### DOMINION SALOON,

(LATE GRAND'S SHADES SALOON,

### OPPOSITE THE MARKET, GUELPH.

CHOICE LIQUORS, Cigars, Oysters, &c. &c. always on hand. Meals furnished at all Hours.

DENIS BUNYAN,  
Guelph, December 2, 1867. dw

### Savings Bank.

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

OPEN a Savings Bank Department at their Branch in Guelph this day.

The rate of interest allowed on all deposits will be four per cent. per annum, to commence from date of deposit, and five per cent. on all sums remaining in the Bank six months from 3rd of June or 31st of December.

The terms in other respects have been made as favorable as possible to depositors.

Further information will be given upon application at the office of the Bank in Guelph.

For all deposits made in this Savings Bank, the Canadian Bank of Commerce is fully responsible.

R. J. DALLAS, Cashier.  
Guelph, 1st April, 1868. dw-tf

## C. & A. SHARPE

HAVE for sale a large number of the following assortment of

### BEDDING PLANTS!

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CABBAGE PLANTS, in best Varieties, CAULIFLOWER, in best Varieties, KEYES' TOMATO, 30 days earlier than any other Variety extant, CUCUMBER and MELON.

Also a choice assortment of FLOWER SEEDS of last year's growth, selected by ourselves from the most reliable seed-growing Establishments in Europe.

For further particulars apply at the Store, Market Square, for Catalogues. dw

## MUSLINS!

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Guelph, May 30, 1868.

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BOOT AND SHOE STORE.

NEW GOODS

Suitable for Spring and Summer Wear, among which will be found all the Latest Styles.

### INSPECTION INVITED!

THESE GOODS have been selected from the best makers in the Dominion, and can be confidently recommended as equal, if not superior to any in the market, and at

Prices Lower than any House in the Trade.

For cash only. All work warranted.

Guelph, 1st May, 1868. dw

## A. R. McMASTER & BRO.,

IMPORTERS OF BRITISH AND FOREIGN DRY GOODS,

AND Manufacturers & Dealers in Canada Fabrics

32 Yonge Street, TORONTO.

102 Cross-St., Albert Square, MANCHESTER.

Alexandra Building, James-St., LIVERPOOL.

Toronto, May 3, 1868. dw dtf

## THE CO-OPERATIVE STORE.

FIRST IMPORTATIONS

OF

## NEW SPRING GOODS!

WILL BE OPENED

## ON WEDNESDAY, THE 8TH INST.

The subscribers are now paying the third half-yearly dividend.

Guelph [April 7, 1868

## W. MACKLIN & CO.

Commercial Union Assurance Company,

CHIEF OFFICES—19 and 20 CORNHILL, LONDON, ENGLAND.

CAPITAL £2,500,000.

Fire Department.

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

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

Life Department.

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

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

Claims are paid one month after Proof of Death.

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

MORLAND, WATSON & Co., General Agents for Canada.

Office—385 and 387 St. Paul St., Montreal.

FRIDERICK COLE, Secretary, Inspector of Agencies—T. C. LIVINGSTON, P.L.S., Upper Canada.

TROTTER & GRAHAM, Agents for Guelph.

Guelph April 1st 1868

of locomotives and 100 miles of carriages, and of night, gravel, cattle, and trucks.

The Council of the Dominion Rifle Association will meet on the 29th inst. and the question of sending a Canadian team to Wimbledon, will be discussed, and that some of our best shots will be sent.

Reports from Halifax state that the regiments are under orders to be ready to start for Canada at an hour's notice. The iron clad Royal Alfred is to convey them to Quebec.

Every steamer bound for Europe goes out crowded with passengers. Germans in large numbers are embarking every day. They say they can live cheaply in the old country than in the States.

Charles Oshel, of Detroit, who proposes to shoot Niagara Falls in an India-rubber boat, will start on Friday for the Falls to try the preliminaries.

It is reported that Sir John A. Macdonald is about to permit the liberation of Nolan, who was arrested lately in Guelph, in connection with the Fenians.

There is less Fenian activity on the western frontier, and it is thought not probable that the rigorous preparations going on on our side may deter any attempt in that quarter.

Small-pox is very prevalent in Montreal. Eighteen children died from it last week.

### GREEN PEAS.

A Machine for Shelling Green Peas, which a child of nine or ten years of age can in a few minutes shell as many green Peas as will serve twelve persons dinner.

JOHN HORSMAN, Guelph.

### MARRIAGES.

WEDNESDAY—At the Court House Hotel, on the 17th inst., by the Rev. G. Wood, Miss George Watson to Miss Elizabeth Scriven, all of Guelph.

### COMMERCIAL.

Guelph Markets.

MERCURY OFFICE, GUELPH, June 18, 1868.

Wheat, No. 1, 3 50 @ \$ 3 75

do do do 3 40 @ 3 65

do do do 3 30 @ 3 55

do do do 3 20 @ 3 45

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