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

**OLIVER & MACDONALD**  
BARRISTERS AND ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW  
Solicitors, Notaries Public, &c.  
Office—Corner of Wyndham and Quebec-sts., Guelph, Ont.  
K. OLIVER, J. R. A. H. MACDONALD, dw  
Guelph, Oct 27, 1871

**AUSTIN C. CHADWICK**  
BARRISTER, SOLICITOR IN CHANCERY,  
Notary, &c. Town Hall Buildings, Guelph,  
Guelph, June 28, 1871. dw

**STEPHEN BOULT,**  
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A Planning Mill, and every kind of Joiner's Work prepared for the trade and the public. The Factory is on Quebec Street, Guelph.  
March 17, 1871. dw

**GEORGE PALMER,**  
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Office, over E. Harvey & Co's Drug Store—entrance on McDunnell street  
Guelph, 17th August. dw

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BARRISTER AND ATTORNEY AT LAW, Solicitor in Chancery, Conveyancer, &c., Guelph.  
Office, corner of Wyndham and Quebec streets,  
Guelph, August 5, 1871. dw

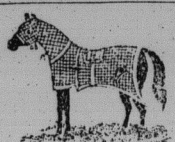
**GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN,**  
Barristers, Attorneys-at-Law,  
Solicitors in Chancery,  
GUELPH, ONTARIO.

**F. STURDY,**  
House, Sign, & Ornamental Painter  
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GUELPH, ONT. dw

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**JOHN SPIERS,**  
Veterinary Surgeon  
(Member of the Ontario Veterinary College.)  
Hirsch's Union Hotel,  
Dec 23 GUELPH dw

**WHY ARE**  
LAZARUS, MORRIS & CO'S  
SPECTACLES  
LIKE

**Brigham Young on Trial for Murder?**  
Notice—Any person sending the answer to the above to the Agent, D. SAVAGE, GUELPH, within the next thirty days will receive an order from L. M. & Co., for a pair of their superior pattern Eye Glasses.  
Jan 20th, 1872. dw

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Feb 18th, 1872. dw

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\$1300 will buy a TWO STOREY HOUSE, brick and frame, (suitable for two families) situated on the corner of Queen and Ellis both streets, near Allan's Bridge, with stabling, &c., rented for \$150.

\$1000 will buy Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 (Block Neve's Survey, at the passenger station of the G. T. R., or \$500 singly.  
\$150 will buy Lot 27, corner of Powell and Strang streets.  
\$120 will buy Lot 26, on Strang Street.  
\$120 will buy Lot 25 on " "  
\$120 will buy Lot 30 on " "  
\$150 will buy Lot 28, corner of Powell and Strang Streets.

\$750 will buy a LARGE DOUBLE FRAME HOUSE on Pearl-street (Lot 3, one four down, and five years for the balance.

\$800 will buy

**Six Acres and Water Privilege**  
on the River Speed, fronting on the Edinburg Road, well adapted for a mill or factory. It is situated on the Grand Trunk and Great Western Railways front upon the same street.

\$400 will buy 4 building lots on the Waterloo Road, 23, 24, 40 and 41 in Oliver's Survey.  
\$300 will buy Lot 38 on Charles Street, Hubbard's Survey.  
Apply to Davidson & Chadwick, Estate Agents.

\$300 will buy Lots 7, 8, and 9, on Perth street. These lots front the River, and are admirably adapted for a Factory. If purchased for that purpose, SPECIAL TERMS will be given.  
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\$1000 will buy a neat frame roughcast cottage containing 6 rooms on Lot 41, George street directly opposite Mr. Hogg's new block.  
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\$800 will buy Lots 1 and 38, on the London Road, in Buckland's Survey.  
Apply to Davidson & Chadwick, Estate Agents.

\$75 will buy Lot 109, corner of Neve and Richardson streets—Sir John A. Macdonald's Survey.  
\$100 will buy Lot 149, Bridge Street, in Sir John A. Macdonald's Survey.  
Apply to Davidson & Chadwick, Estate Agents.

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

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

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**TOWN HALL BUILDINGS**  
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TOWN HALL BUILDINGS, GUELPH.  
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**Railway Time Table**  
Grand Trunk Railway

Trains leave Guelph as follows:  
WEST  
4:22 a.m.; 9:50 a.m.; 6 p.m.; 8:30 p.m.  
To London, Goderich, and Detroit. To Berlin.

EAST  
3:15 a.m.; 7:30 a.m.; 11:04 a.m.; 3:45 p.m.  
The 1:55 p.m. and 6:50 p.m. trains are cancelled.

**Great Western—Guelph Branch**  
Going South depart at 6:50 a.m., 1:05 p.m., and 4:55 p.m.; also by mixed train every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 1:40 p.m.  
Going North, depart at 11:45 a.m., 4:55 p.m., and 9:05 p.m.; also by mixed train every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 1:05 p.m.

Trains leave Hamilton every morning at 10 a.m., reaching Guelph at 1:45 p.m., and in addition a mixed train every Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday at 9 a.m., reaching Guelph at 1:40 p.m. The train which passes Guelph going north at 11:45 a.m., runs every day to Guelph, arriving there at 3:15 p.m., and a mixed train which passes Guelph every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 1:40 p.m., reaches Chifford at 5:00 p.m.

**Town and County News**  
WORKING MEN'S CLUB.—Remember the meeting of the Working Men's Club to-night in the Temperance Hall—See advertisement.

FIELD BATTERY.—The members of the Wellington Field Battery, who go to Kingston to the School of Instruction, left on Wednesday afternoon.

ODDFELLOW'S LODGE.—We learn that it is the intention of some of our prominent residents to form a lodge of the Independent Order of Oddfellows, of the Baltimore Unity, in Guelph.

W. G. & B. RAILWAY.—The inhabitants of Hamilton are now experiencing the benefits to be derived from the Wellington, Grey and Bruce railway. On Tuesday a large quantity of pork was brought into its market from Guelph, where it had been bought from along the route of the said railway, and were it not for the supply thus brought, there would have been no dressed pork on the market on that day.

ROSA D'ERINA'S CONCERT.—The second and last concert given by Rosa D'Erina last night in the Town Hall was fairly attended. The fair singer was in splendid voice, and by her artistic rendering of the songs of many lands called forth enthusiastic applause. We have already spoken so fully of the excellence of her singing that it would be superfluous now to repeat it. Suffice it to say that the pieces, both vocal and instrumental, were given with a grace, spirit and power which took possession of all hearts.—Should Rosa D'Erina ever favor Guelph again with her presence, we are sure she will get a hearty welcome.

FIRE IN GEORGETOWN.—Last (Wednesday) night about half past five o'clock the Tannery of Mr J B Dayfoot took fire in the west end of the building, and it spread so rapidly that the men and girls employed, had enough to do to get out. The whole of his stock, with all the machines were burned. There is very little insurance. From some cause or other the new engine would not work, though there was plenty of water. The shoe shop would have gone also, but for the great efforts made to save it by throwing snow on it. The loss of the building will draw quite a number of men and girls out of work, as the shoemakers worked in the Tannery. The origin of the fire is not known.

**GUELPH POLICE COURT.**  
Feb. 1, 1872.

Charles Markell was charged before the Mayor with assault and battery on Thos. Ward. Fined \$1 and costs.

FIRE IN KESWICK.—The premises on Queen street, occupied by the Revue printing office, Dr. Johnson's office, and Crozier & Leslie's harness shop, were totally destroyed by fire on Wednesday morning. Crozier & Leslie's loss over insurance, \$2,000; Dr. Johnson's loss, \$400, no insurance; C. Cliffe, editor of the Revue, loss \$400 over insurance.

BOOKBINDERS' STRIKE.—A strike occurred on Tuesday morning among the bookbinders in James Campbell & Sons' establishment, Toronto. That firm lately introduced a ticket system to check the time of the employes, which, proving distasteful, the book-binding department addressed a memorial to the firm. One of the girls was discharged, it is said, for heading the list of names on the memorial, and all the other binders, men and girls, immediately struck work. A meeting was held the same night in the Temperance Hall, where resolutions were passed sustaining the conduct of the men, and means were taken to frustrate Campbell & Sons in obtaining hands from other places.

The British expedition for the relief of Dr. Livingstone will be ready to start at an early day. At a meeting held on Tuesday evening at the Mansion House, London, called by the Lord Mayor, £3,000 was subscribed, and steps taken to equip the expedition in the most complete manner.

The lumbermen of New England and New York were heard yesterday before the Committee of Ways and Means at Washington, when they urged the repeal of the duty on lumber, contending that the price of that article was rising in Canada, and that it was the American consumers and not the Canadian producer who paid the duty. The deputation represented a lumber interest of one hundred millions of dollars—a pretty nice figure. The deputation who seek the repeal of the salt duties will be heard to-day. The free traders are evidently becoming alive to their own interests over the border.

**THIS MORNING'S DESPATCHES**  
BY TELEGRAPH

**AFFAIRS IN SPAIN.**  
Reception of Gen. Sherman and Staff.

Matamoros, Feb. 1.—A despatch from Camargo yesterday says that Gen. Aurora is at Villanueva with 1,500 men. The weather is frightful, and is retarding the attack on the city. Trevino has issued a decree that all merchandise leaving Matamoros for the interior is contraband. Monterey papers of 25th report the defeat of Alatorre in Oaxaca by Diaz.

Washington, Feb. 1.—It is rumored here that Gen. Sikes has announced to the President his intention to resign his mission at an early day. It is asserted that his strong American attitude on the Cuban question has not been fully sustained by the Department of State.

Gen. Sikes' mail advices from Madrid give accounts of the reception there of Gen. Sherman and Staff. The dinner given by the King and Queen was a decided compliment, while the banquet at the American Legation, under the auspices of the Minister of Foreign Affairs, Minister of Marine, Minister of Colonies and Senator Castellar. The toasts and speeches were regarded by very friendly spirit toward the United States. The ball subsequently given at the Legation was a delightful affair, and was attended by the leading social and political people without distinction of party.

**NEWS PARAGRAPHS.**  
Sir John A. Macdonald is still in Toronto, but he has not yet shown himself in the House.

Col. Chamberlain, Queen's Printer, is engaged in writing a life of the late Hon. T. D. McGee.

The Ferguson Brothers of Chatham challenge the Malcolm Brothers of Toronto to a curling match.

Waterloo County Council has honored the Salt Well Company, of Waterloo village, to the extent of \$800.

The Chatham Planet now says it makes no difference, as the Ontario Legislature is only a big County Council any way!

George Albert Mason has been sentenced to two years in the Penitentiary for destroying documents in the Toronto Police Court.

New York proposes to erect a statue of Horace Greeley, in Printing House Square. Ten thousand dollars have already been subscribed for the purpose.

The County Council of York yesterday adopted a report of a Committee recommending the establishment of a House of Refuge for the county, to cost \$15,000.

A telegram from Paris states that large numbers of Bonapartists are arriving in Ajaccio—a circumstance which is evidently giving some uneasiness to the Government.

Of the 38,555,983 inhabitants reported as residing in the United States by the Census of 1870, 5,556,346 were foreign born, and nearly 10,000,000 more were born of foreign parents.

The gratifying intelligence comes from Birmingham that the Hon. John Bright expects to be able to attend at his place in Parliament during a portion of the approaching session.

As an indication of French Canadian sentiment on the subject, it may be noticed that L'Evenement praises the conduct of Mr. Blake's administration in passing the Scott murder resolution.

Madam Tussaud's Wax Work Show was first opened in Paris, at the Palais Royal, in 1772, and was brought to London in 1802. It is thus a hundred years old. It is said to be ten times as large as it was forty years ago. Effigies of George Hudson, the railway King, and the claimant in the Tichborne case, have lately been added to it.

It is dangerous to live near a railroad in Pittsburgh, unless one occupies an iron-clad house. A fire cart, loaded with pig-iron, jumped to a track in that city one morning recently, and rushing full headway into a neighboring house, completely demolished it. The inmates, a woman and three children, crawled from the ruins somewhat bewildered, but unhurt, with the exception of a few bruises.

CANDY CORN.—The recent sharp weather we have had has drawn marked comments from those experiencing it; but so far, no one has found a fitting synonym for it. The St. Catharines Times, however, has found the name by which it is to be handed down to posterity, and here it is:—I sat night, in the bitter cold snap, a lady who lives on one of the neighboring streets, heard the voice of a woman in evident distress, and going out to ascertain the cause, she found a poor woman leaning against a fence moaning piteously. She was accompanied by her son, who, in answer to the lady's question "what's the matter?" replied—"It's the Candy corn that's got hold." The compassionate lady then requested them to come into the house and warm themselves. They did so, when lo! it at once became evident that the poor creature was drunk! The good lady is now very severe on the "Candy Corn."

LABOR IN CHICAGO.—The following has been issued by Mr. N. K. Fairbanks, chairman of the employment committee:—"Mechanics and laborers in various parts of the country are making a great mistake in coming to this city in search of work. The supply of labor of all sorts is far in excess of the demand, and will be for two months to come. What building is going on is done slowly, and depends on the weather, which is too severe for outdoor work, while the real advance in building will be delayed until spring. Workingmen not understanding this are pouring in from all parts, spending their last dollar to get here, and appealing to the Relief Committee for aid when they find there is no work to be had. Those journals which are urging these people to come here at this season are unintentionally doing them a cruel wrong, and adding to a city already overburdened with the destitute."

REFORM NOMINATION.—Hon. A. Mackenzie received the unanimous nomination of the Reform Convention held at Mount Brydges on Wednesday to contest West Middlesex at the next election for the House of Commons.

**Guelph Tract Society.**

The annual meeting of the Guelph Tract Society was held on Wednesday night in Chalmers' Church. The attendance was larger than we have seen at previous meetings. The President, Thomas McCrae, Esq., occupied the chair.

The meeting was opened with devotional exercises by Rev Dr Hogg, after which the President gave an introductory address, in which he brought before the meeting the importance of the work in which the Society was engaged, and in eloquent and forcible language urged them to continue in the good work of tract distribution.

The Rev W F Clarke, in the absence of the Secretary, Mr Samuel Hodgskin, read the annual report—

**ANNUAL REPORT**  
Your Committee in submitting their Annual Report, must express regret that the operations of the Society, during the past year, have not been characterized by the vigor and earnestness, nor has the measure of success been attained which the importance of its work should lead us to expect. It is, however, gratifying to be able to say that something has been done. Some twelve of the lady distributors, appointed at the beginning of the past year, have met with more or less regularity maintained the good work of tract distribution, and there is reason to believe that their labours have been not only generally acceptable, but in many instances warmly appreciated, and we cannot doubt that precious fruit shall be gathered from the seed thus prayerfully scattered. The regularity of the distributors' work has no doubt been considerably interrupted by the unusual prevalence of sickness during a part of the season, rendering it injudicious, in many cases, to continue their visitation.

It having been found that the committing of the work of collecting funds to the distributors has not produced the results hoped for, your committee recommended that four more persons be specially designated to that work, and that the collection be made of the earliest practicable moment.

Your Committee conclude their report by recommending renewed and more thorough efforts during the ensuing year in each department of the Society's work.

Mr. George Smith, Treasurer, read his report. The total receipts for last year, including balance from previous year were \$29.56, Expenditure \$26.80, leaving a balance in his hands of \$3.26, to which is added \$9.20 subscriptions &c. received since he came into the room, making in all a balance of \$12.46 in hand.

The Rev. W. F. Clarke moved the adoption of the report and that the following officers be appointed for the current year:—

President, Thos McCrae; Vice-Presidents, Charles Mickle, D. Savage, and all ministers of the Town, members of the Society; Treasurer and Depository, Geo. Smith; Secretary, Samuel Hodgskin.

**COMMITTEE.**—Jas. Armstrong, G. W. Sandilands, Jas. Massie, D. Kennedy, C. McLagan, Joseph Ryan, Robt Thompson, C. Raymond, C. Davidson, D. Guthrie, G. Munton, J. Schofield, Thos. Couch, Dr. McGuire and Jas. Tindal.

**DISTRIBUTORS.**—Mrs. Hogg, Mrs. Arnold, Mrs. S. Smith, Mrs. Hayes, Miss Anderson, Miss Goodeve, Miss Mickle, Miss Brodie, Miss Cunningham, Miss Kennedy, Miss Tyson, Miss Hood, Miss Murray.

Mr. Clarke, in moving the adoption of the report, spoke of the importance of tract distribution, and contrasted the healthful influence exercised by the reading of such publications as compared with the pernicious of the sensational literature to be often found in our magazines and newspapers. The Rev. W. S. Ball seconded the motion, and in the course of his speech suggested the publication of tracts more suited to the requirements of the district. He also spoke feelingly of the good results which have in many cases followed the distribution of tracts. The motion was carried.

The Rev. S. C. Eastman, Agent of the Society, was then introduced, and gave an interesting address in regard to the Society's operations throughout the Province.

A vote of thanks was then passed to the lady distributors, and after devotional exercises, the meeting was brought to a close.

**RESTORATION OF WARWICK CASTLE.**—The fire which last December swept away so large a portion of this grand old castle—both of the ancient part and the modern wing—did not spare such of the invaluable contents as could not be replaced in time, and these can never be replaced, being treasures of art, portraits, etc., of which there were no duplicates in existence. But the building itself it is intended to restore as far as may be, to the same condition in which it existed previously to the conflagration. The expense of this will, of course, be very great, altogether beyond the reach of most private fortunes, but as Warwick Castle was not merely the residence of a private family, but was a show-place of all England, as open for the inspection of visitors from any part of the world almost as Niagara Falls, or any other natural curiosity in this country, it is not considered improper, or as placing Lord Warwick under any obligation, to propose to raise the necessary funds by public subscription. Committees have been formed in England for the purpose, and the list of those who have signed the circular to the public embraces the names of the wealthy and titled of the land. There is the more reason in this movement, inasmuch as not only did the present Lord Warwick give access to the castle as had been done during several generations back, but in order to render a number of the rooms more accessible to visitors, he had a new wing built, moved his household into the two rooms, and left all the old open to the public during the largest part of the year.

THE HAMILTON AND NORTH-WEST RAILWAY.—The Town Council of Milton and the County Council of Halton have petitioned the House that the Bill for the construction of a railway from Hamilton to Hog's Bay be passed. Petitions to the same effect were also presented by Mr. Ardagh, from the township council of King, and the town council of Barrie.

**Ontario Legislature.**

Toronto, Jan. 31.  
Mr. Blake moved that during the remainder of the session Government orders appearing on the paper be called on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays, after the other orders of the day have been disposed of. He did not wish to propose an additional day for Government orders, and therefore moved this arrangement. Carried.

In reply to Mr. Patterson, Mr. Blake said the Ministry did not intend during the present session to introduce measures to revise and amend the municipal law.

Mr. Oliver moved for a select committee to enquire into and report as to the best means of protecting the valuable timber of this province from the ravages of fire. Carried.

Mr. Lander moved, "That a select committee be appointed to enquire into the truth or falsity of certain statements contained in numerous sworn affidavits published in certain newspapers, to the effect that one Lewis, acting in concert with others, and who was recently a Government Inspector of lands in the Townships of Melancthon and Proton, in the County of Grey, had during the last election for said County represented to the inhabitants of said Townships that he was authorized by the Government to state that if the voters of the County voted against Mr. Lander, one of the candidates, they should have full benefit of the low estimate which had been made of the value of their lands, but not otherwise." The said committee to enquire into the circumstances connected with the illegal interference of said Lewis in said election, and the authority on which he so acted. Such committee to report the result of such enquiry to the House, together with the evidence taken by them. The committee to have power to send for persons, papers and records."

Mr. Blake said it would be recollected that Mr. Lander, being put on the paper a notice of motion different from the preceding one, had asked leave to have the substituted one put in the place of the former. This was agreed to; in fact the Government agreed that the substituted motion should come up on last Friday. He entirely objected to the system proposed that the House should grant committees of inquiry on every occasion that charges are made in the press affecting the conduct of the members of the Legislature. He also gave his reasons for asking for the affidavits which had been published.—Mr. Lander had stated that the affidavits had come to him voluntarily. But their publication at all events was with his privity and sanction. That he had sent them to the paper was clear; for amongst them was a private letter addressed to himself, which distinctly connected him with their appearance. He had first got up the affidavits; then sent them to the paper; allowed them to reappear again and again; had seen inflammatory articles day after day founded upon them and endorsing their contents; and then, when the slander was spread far and wide, came down to the House, and pretended he made no charge. He went on to deal with the several allegations contained in the affidavits. He showed by a letter from the Assistant Commissioner of the Crown Lands Department, that the valuation books Lewis was stated to have taken into Grey in December had been in the custody of the Department since October, and that no one had either removed or had access to them since the valuation was completed. As to the personal charge against himself he (Mr. Blake) had only once seen Lewis, when at the election in March last the latter had spoken to him at Walkerton. He denied in the most specific and unqualified terms that Lewis had any communication with him whatever respecting the valuation. Mr. Blake left his colleague, the Commissioner of Public Works, to speak for himself; but pointed out that the best proof of the untruthfulness of the affidavits was that, whilst they included a charge against him (Mr. Blake), which Mr. Lander admitted was not true, they omitted all reference to Mr. McKellar, who had seen Lewis, and on whose interview with that gentleman Mr. Lander sought to connect the Government with his proceedings. Of Mr. Lander's hustings statements Mr. Blake could testify from personal knowledge.—The former had warned the people that, in the interest of their resolutions and their railway subsidy, would be imprudent for them to return a member hostile to the Ministry he supported. But the efforts were not confined to the hustings utterances of the candidate. These persons were settled on lands known as Grammar School Lands, which for technical reasons were omitted by the late Administration from participation in the early division of the Land Improvement Fund. But on the 11th of December, and when their own conditions, as well as Mr. Lander's, was becoming desperate, the Government of Mr. Sandfield Macdonald suddenly arrived at the conclusion that justice had not been done to those settlers, and they as well as others should share in the Land Improvement Fund. It is a division, as the result of this re-arrangement, was as communicated to Mr. Lander by Mr. Treasurer Wood. But this was not all. The re-valuation made by Mr. Lewis had been rejected. It was necessary to satisfy the people that, in respect to their arrears too, Mr. Lander's servility to the Patent Combination had not been in vain. So, on the fourth of December, an Order in Council was passed, directing the settlers to send in their claims to the Department. And on the sixth of December the Order was made public. But it was thought necessary to use this decision in the way that would most directly influence the electors in favour of the Ministerial candidate. So, on the fourteenth, the resolution of the Council was embodied in a circular in which the settlers were asked to forward a statement of such reduction as they considered themselves entitled to. The original draft, in the handwriting of Mr. M. C. Cameron, is in the Crown Lands Department, and is even more generous than the printed copy, for it asks the settlers to state what reductions "they desire to be made." If any doubt as to the motive for this gushing liberality remained, it would be removed by the further fact that Mr. Lander's own clerk was supplied with a large number of these circulars, as soon as they came from the press, to send up for distribution where their effect would be the most pernicious. And this proceeding was all the more flagrant and unjustifiable because at the very moment these assurances were sent forth to bias the votes of the Proton electors, the Patent Combination was in the throes of dissolution and had lost all right or power to perform any more than the



purely routine functions of administration. There were plenty of settlers in other townships eagerly waiting to know their fate, but their votes were not wanted just then for Ministerial calculations. The records of the Crown Lands Department show no desire whatever to do them the justice, or more than justice, which, for very obvious reasons, was offered to the electors of South Grey.

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### TO THOSE IN ARREARS.

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

### INDUSTRIAL SCHOOLS.

Mr Williams, member for Hamilton, has introduced a Bill to establish Industrial Schools. It provides that a school in which industrial training is provided, and in which children are lodged, clothed and fed, as well as taught, shall exclusively be deemed an Industrial School within the meaning of this Act, and shall be under the control of the Board of School Trustees for the municipality in which the same is situated, and, so far as applicable, be subject to the same rules and regulations as public schools. The Government may purchase for the public use of the Province in suitable places within the cities of Toronto, Hamilton, London, Ottawa and Kingston, on petition of the School Trustees of the city praying for the same, all such lands as may be necessary, and erect thereon a building for the Industrial School, and provide for the management of it.

Any person may bring before two Justices of the Peace any child apparently under 14 years that comes within any of the following descriptions, viz.: That is found in the Province begging or receiving alms in any public place; that is found wandering about, and not having any settled place of abode or proper guardianship, or visible means of subsistence, not attending school, and growing up in ignorance, that is found destitute, either being an orphan or suffering by reason of neglect, crime, drunkenness, or other vices of parents. The Justices of the Peace may order a child thus found to be sent to the Industrial School. A child charged with an offence, or who is a habitual truant may be sent to the Industrial School. A child whose parents represent to the Magistrate that they are unable to control him, and that they desire him sent to the Industrial School, may be sent. All children (under fourteen years) deserting their homes without sufficient cause, or keeping company with vicious persons against the commands of their parents or guardians, shall be deemed disorderly, and may be committed by the Magistrate to the Industrial School. The Trustees of such school shall be under the necessary obligation to teach, train, clothe and feed such children, and shall have power to place them at suitable employments and bind them out as apprentices. Ratepayers of municipalities that have sent children to the Industrial School shall pay *pro rata* for each child at least half the expenses, the balance to be met by appropriation by Parliament. The parent or guardian of a child detained shall, if able contribute a sum not exceeding one dollar per week. The County Council shall contribute one half the expenses for maintaining every child sentenced in the county to the Industrial School. These are the principal provisions of the Bill. The Toronto Industrial School shall receive children from the counties of Victoria, Ontario, York, Simcoe, Peel, Bruce, Grey and Wellington; the Hamilton School from Halton, Wentworth, Waterloo, Brant, Norfolk, Haldimand, Welland, and Lincoln. London School from Huron, Perth, Oxford, Middlesex, Elgin, Essex, Kent and Lambton. Guelph School from Carleton, Glengary, Stormont, Lanark, Leeds, Grenville, Renfrew, Prescott, Russell, and Dundas. Kingston School from Frontenac, Addington, Hastings, Lennox, Prince Edward, Peterborough, Northumberland and Durham.

### Clifford Correspondence.

The principal topic of interest here during the past ten days has been the extraordinary boisterous weather. Snow has been falling almost without cessation, accompanied with high winds, which have caused the snow so to drift that the roads have become almost impassable. The result has been to render the market operations almost nil on most days, and the buyers have been principally engaged in loading the large stock they had on hand and shipping them to their various points of destination. The market stagnation may therefore be considered to them at least, advantageous, looking to the almost impossibility of their being able to keep up their purchases, or the W. G. & B. R. R. to provide necessary storage room, had grain continued to come in as it was doing. Large shipments have consequently been daily made from this excellently managed railway station, and, no doubt, with the weather changes, the farmers' round will come as vigorously as ever, and that business equal to that done three weeks ago will be again doing in this village.

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CHARLES DAVIDSON, 43-63 Guelph, Jan. 29, 1872.

### BAZAAR PRIZES ON EXHIBITION

AT

### PETRE'S DRUG STORE.

of this village, that no less than 70 car loads, containing about 30,000 bushels of wheat, have been shipped to Guelph since from here since this station opened.

In order doubtless to gratify the desire of Walkerton for an opportunity to compete with this market, a vigorous effort was made a few days since to open up the railroad to that point, but it proved fruitless as the snow on the track was several feet deep and the ice on the rails inches thick. The effort was so significant a failure that to repeat it, especially in face of the since constant heavy snow fall, would be absurd, and Walkerton will have to exercise her patience still the spring, satisfied that the Railway Directors have done the best they could to aid the accomplishment of their wishes.

### Guelph Township Council.

This Council met on Monday the 29th, pursuant to adjournment. James Laird, Esq., Reeve, in the chair. Present, Messrs. Darby, Hawes and Sweetnam. The minutes of last session were read and confirmed. Mr. Benham having been absent at last meeting, subscribed to the required declarations of qualification of office and took his seat. The Reeve read applications from Messrs. George D. Porter and Henry J. Sanders for re-appointment to the office of Assessors. The Reeve read a communication from Messrs. James Keough, Ben. Badgion and John Jackson, soliciting aid for Johana Lynch an infirm and destitute old woman. Referred to the Benevolent Committee. Mr. Sweetnam in accordance with notice given at last meeting introduced a By-law for appointing Township officers for the current year, which was passed, appointing Messrs. George D. Porter and Henry J. Sanders, Assessors; Leonard Harland, Collector; Messrs. Wm. Patterson (West End) and Wm. Patterson in Division G. to be Tavern Inspectors. A By-law was introduced and passed for re-nominating Township officers for the current year, allowing the Collector 13 per cent on all monies collected by him on behalf of the Council; Assessors \$60 each; Auditors, \$8 each; Tavern Inspectors, \$10 each; Treasurer, \$100; Clerk, \$150; Surveyor, \$4 per day, when employed by the Council. The Tavern Inspectors were appointed and submitted their annual report, relating to the state they have found the houses kept for the accommodation of travelers during the year, and state that as taken as a whole they are kept in a clean, neat and comfortable manner with very good accommodation for travelers. On motion made and seconded the report was received and adopted. Moved by Mr. Sweetnam, seconded by Mr. Benham, that the Assessors—Messrs. Porter and Sanders—assess divisions A, E, F, & G, in company, and Mr. Sanders to assess the east side of the Township to the 3rd and 4th con. of division D, and Mr. Porter to assess the west side of the Township to the same line. Carried. Moved by Mr. Sweetnam, seconded by Mr. Hawes, that the Reeve, Messrs. Darby and Benham be a committee to co-operate with a committee from the Township Council of Eramosa in the erection of a bridge over the river Speed between the two Townships. Carried. Mr. Harland, the Collector, was present and laid before the Council a very satisfactory return, highly creditable to himself for the prompt and efficient manner in having collected the full amount of all the rates entrusted to him for collection on the Collector's Roll. It was then moved and seconded to adjourn until Monday the 26th day of February, instant. A. MCCORMICK, Clerk.

### Many suffer rather than take nauseous medicines.

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

### New Advertisements.

### Auction Sale of Horses, Harness, Cutters, on Fair Day.

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

### COMFORTABLE HOUSE TO RENT.

Containing 5 large rooms, near Allan's Bridge. Possession immediately. Apply to CHAS. COFFEY, near Hooper's Blacksmith Shop.

### LOOK HERE.

Owners having horses suffering from Ring Bone, Bone Spavin, Blood Spavin, Curbs, Splints &c., can have these ailments effectually removed in a very short space of time and at small expense by applying to JOSEPH HILSH, Union Hotel, Guelph, Jan. 31st, 1872. d.w.m.

### WORKING MEN'S CLUB.

A Meeting of the above Club will be held IN THE TEMPERANCE HALL, THURSDAY EVENING, 1st of FEBRUARY, At seven o'clock, sharp.

### A full attendance of members, and intending members is requested.

BUSINESS—Adoption of By-laws, Election of Officers, and further enrollment of Members. MATTHEW TINKER, Guelph, Jan. 31, 1872. Sec. pro tem.

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AT WHOLESALE

Splendid Quality and Cheap

### AT JOHN HORSMAN'S

Country Merchants

Would study their own interest to purchase of

### JOHN HORSMAN

## Skating Carnival

A SKATING CARNIVAL will be held

ON THE RINK!

Friday Ev'ng, 2nd Feb'y

ADMISSION 15 CENTS

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

### \$1,287,148!

In Cash Gifts to be distributed by the

### Merchants' & Bankers' Association

OF NEW YORK.

### DAILY DRAWINGS

1 Cash Gift \$100,000 75 Cash Gifts, each \$1000

5 " " each 50,000 500 " " 500

12 " " each 25,000 1200 " " 200

400 Gold Watches \$25 to \$200

275 Sewing Machines " " 40 to 150

75 Elegant Pianos " " each 50 to 700

50 Melodeons " " 50 to 200

Cash Gifts, Silver, &c., etc., valued at \$1,500,000.

A chance to draw any of the above prizes for 25c. Tickets describing prizes are sealed in envelopes, and well mixed. On receipt of 25c. a sealed ticket is drawn without choice, and sent by mail to your address. The prize named upon it will be delivered to the ticket holder upon payment of \$1. Prizes are immediately sent to any address by express or return mail.

You will know what your prize is before you pay for it. Any article exchanged for of the same value. No blanks. Our patrons can depend upon fair dealing.

Opinions of the Press—"Fair dealing can be relied upon."—New York Herald, Aug. 20.

"A genuine distribution."—World, Sept. 9.

"Not one of the humbugs of the day."—Weekly Tribune, July 7.

"They give general satisfaction."—Stadts-Zeitung, Aug. 5.

References—By kind permission we refer to the following: Franklin S. Lane, Louisville, drew \$10,000; Miss Hattie Banker, Charleston, \$2,000; Mrs. Louisa T. Baker, St. Paul, piano, \$700; Samuel V. Raymond, Boston, \$5,500; Eugene P. Brackett, Pittsburg, watch, \$300; Miss Annie Ogden, New Orleans, \$500; Emory L. Pratt, Columbus, O., \$700.

One cash gift in every packet of 200 tickets guaranteed. Six tickets for \$1; 13 for \$2; 45 for \$3; 50 for \$5; 200 for \$15.

Agents wanted to whom we offer liberal inducements, and quantities satisfaction.

WOOD, COLLINS & CO., 28 Broadway, N.Y. January 30, 1872. d.w.m.

### WELLINGTON LUMBER YARD.

### NOTICE TO DEBTORS.

We, the undersigned, beg to inform all those indebted to us, either by Note or Book Account, that they must pay up on or before the 15th FEBRUARY, and all accounts not paid on that date will be placed in Court for collection.

GOWDY, STEWART & CO.

N.B.—Accounts can be paid to Mr. Douglas, at our old office, opposite the Alma Block, who is authorized to give receipts for the same. G. S. & Co. Guelph, Jan. 31, 1872. w16

### New Magazines

AT

### ANDERSON'S

ALL THE ENGLISH & AMERICAN MAGAZINES

AND

CHRISTMAS NUMBER ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS

CHRISTMAS YOUNG LADIES JOURNAL

CHAMBERS' JOURNAL

QUIVER

LONDON JOURNAL

AND

ALL THE ENGLISH & AMERICAN MAGAZINES

### ANDERSON'S

New Bookstore and News Depot

Opposite Market House

GUELPH

### Berkshire Boar "John A."

THE Subscriber begs to notify the breeders of Swine that he has purchased the above Boar, imported from England by George's Ranch, Esq., of Hamilton, which will serve sows this season. Terms \$4 cash.

Pedigree—John A. was sired by Sampson out of Swinton I, by 2nd Duke of Gloster; dam Sniper I, out of Robtall I, by Tim Whiffler. W. A. BUCKLESS, Royal Hotel Guelph, Dec. 8, 1871. Proprietor d.w.f

### Lots for Sale in the Town of Guelph.

LOTS from 9 to 22, being the front on the E. side of the Catholic Church Glebe, in lots to suit purchasers. For terms and particulars of sale, apply to Messrs. McMillan & O'Connor, Barristers, Nos 8 and 9, Day's Block Guelph. 11-25w

### Fire, Marine and Life INSURANCE

Provincial, Lancashire and Phoenix.

Canada Landed Credit Compy

Lower rates than any Loan Co. in Ontario.

JOHN McCREA, Agent, Office over Bank of Commerce Buildings, Guelph, Guelph, Nov 25th, 1871. 11-25w

### THE Lancashire Insurance Company

Capital £2,000,000 Sterling

Head office for Ontario

North West Corner of King and Church Streets, Toronto.

General Agents, S. C. DUNCAN-CLARK & Co.

Manager, WM CAMPBELL

Agent at Guelph, JOHN McCREA.

## New Advertisements.

## NEW TEAS!

To Hand, another Lot of New Crop Teas, comprising all the favorite kinds in

### Young Hysons, Javas, Pekoes

Assams, Gunpowders, Souchongs, Oolongs, &c.

Choicest Java Tea . . . . . 75 cts. per lb.

Extra Fine Young Hyson . . . . . 75 do

A splendid Mixed Tea . . . . . 50 do

## J. E. McELDERRY,

(Successor to K. Carroll & Co.)

NO. 2, DAY'S BLOCK.

## HAMS AND BACON

CAMPBELL'S

CELEBRATED

SUGAR-CURED HAMS

AND

ROLLED BACON

HUGH WALKER,

FRUIT DEPOT

WYNDHAM-ST, GUELPH

Guelph, Jan 27 1872. d.w

## You Know how it is Yourself

PEOPLE naturally go where they can get the Best Selection of

Goods, the best value for their money, and the best attention

and the consequence is that, while others are complaining about

dull times, &c., we are as busy as ever, selling away at our

Dresses, Millinery, Shawls, Jackets, &c. &c. THIS WEEK, we will

show a remarkably cheap lot of Beautiful Silk Finished Black

Lustres, bought at a great bargain about six weeks ago, the prices

are 20c, 25c, 30c, and 40c, and they are not equalled in this town

at a much higher figure. We are also clearing out this week another

lot of Choice Fancy Dress Goods at 12c. per yard. Still on

hand, a good selection of PURE WHITE and Fancy Clouds, of

every kind.

REMEMBER THIS, LADIES! Our stock is all new, and composed

of First Class Goods of every description. We must have

the best Goods produced in the British and Foreign Markets in

order to give our customers satisfaction.

N. B.—The recent advance in Cotton Goods will not affect our

prices for the present, as we have a large stock on hand.

Come and see.

### A. O. BUCHAM,

Fashionable West End Dry Goods Store, Alma Block.

## FOR GOOD TEAS

GO TO

## PERRY'S GROCERY STORE.

A New Stock of

## VERY CHOICE TEAS

Received, Selling at the Lowest Possible Prices.

## China Tea Sets from \$1.50;

—ONE DOLLAR AND FIFTY CENTS—

GREAT INDUCEMENTS IN CHINA

For Good Goods and Low Prices

Go to PERRY'S GROCERY STORE

## LUMBER

NOTICE

WE, the undersigned, beg to inform the public that we have sold out our Lumber Yard on Upper Wyndham Street to

MESSRS. DOUGLAS & BANNERMAN,

And as they have been in our employment for a number of years we have much pleasure in recommending them to the public as our successors.

AND we also beg to inform our numerous customers that our business will hereafter be carried on

At the GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY STATION

Where we will as usual, wholesale and retail.

Guelph, Jan 16, 1872. d.w

NEW MILLINERY SHOW ROOMS

MISS ELLIS

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

### Millinery Goods

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

One door east of the Royal Hotel

Guelph Oct 5, 1871. do

THE Subscriber begs to inform the people of Guelph that he has purchased a handsome and commodious Cab, which will always be at their service.

He will be at the Railway Stations on the arrival of all trains.

Parties wishing to hire by the hour or otherwise will be charged the most reasonable rates.

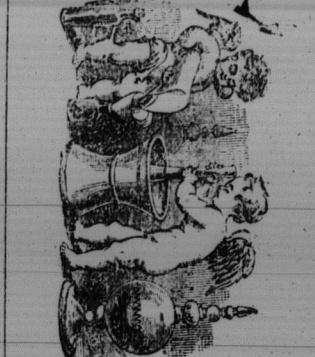
As he will make it his study to see to the comfort of all passengers he hopes to receive a share of public patronage.

Orders left at the Express Office, Mr Hugh Walker's, and at the Post Office will be promptly attended to.

JOHN DUGNAN, do Guelph, Sept 4, 1871

## THE MEDICAL HALL

GUELPH.



## Apprentice Wanted

WANTED, an Apprentice

TO THE DRUG BUSINESS

APPLY TO

E. HARVEY & CO.

## Positively a Fact!

### Mustard's Catarrh Specific

CURES Catarrh, Cold in the Head,

Headache, Weak and Sore Eyes, and Sore

Throat, is a new remedy, prepared from Medicinal

Roots, Gum, and Flowers. Free from poisonous

Drugs, it is harmless, agreeable, and Philosophical

in its operation. Try it if you are afflicted

with the above Diseases. It is also one of the

best Cough and Croup Remedies known.

Mustard's Vegetable Pills should also be used

in connection with the Specific for Sore Head-

ache, and Catarrh; and also for persons afflicted

with Rheumatism about the Neck & King

Oils.

Sold in Guelph by McCullough & Moore,

Druggists.

Manufactured at Ingewell by N. H. Mustard,

Proprietor. Nov. 23-54w

## THE JANUARY



# LOOK OUT THERE!

## A large Bankrupt Stock just arrived at D. Martin's

DIRECTLY OPPOSITE THE MARKET.

The largest Bankrupt Stock ever brought to Guelph, amounting to over \$12,000, consisting of a general assortment of

## Dry Goods, Cottons, Prints, Tweeds, Cloths,

Whitneys, Skirtings, Flannels, Wools and Woollen Yarns, Silk and Perry Velvets, Borders, Ribbons, Flowers, Trimmings, Hollands, Buttons, Braids, Hats and Hat Shapes, Silk, Cloth and Velvet Jackets of all shapes and kinds, Waterproof Cloaks and Shawls. Extra bargains in Cottons. LOOK AT THE PRICES:

Grey Cottons from 5c. per yard; Bleached Cottons from 8c. per yard; Bleached Cottons, best in town, 12½c. per yard, over a yard wide. There is a large lot of Cottons, and parties buying a piece will get it cheaper. Tweeds, all wool, from 50c. per yard, Prints from 8c. per yard, Ladies' Whitney Jackets from \$1.50 each, Ladies' Velvet Jackets from \$1.50 each, Ladies' Silk Jackets, very fine, from \$2.50. Shawls at any price you like. There is a large stock, and must go for what they bring. An extra large lot of Window Holland for 12½c. per yard, sold elsewhere for 30c. per yard; Flannels from 20c. per yard. Ribbons, Flowers, Plumes, Feathers, Trimmings, &c., of all kinds and prices.

## DON'T FORGET TO COME EARLY AND SECURE BARGAINS

for such a chance rarely occurs. This is really a CHEAP SALE—none of your humbug Clearing Sales. This Stock was bought at a lower figure than was ever known in the country before, and MUST BE CLEARED OFF WITHIN THIRTY DAYS.

**DRESS GOODS**—all kinds, shades and patterns—a magnificent assortment at 15 cents and 20 cents per yard, good width. A good Waterproof Cloak for \$2, very large. COME QUICK AND SECURE BARGAINS.

Remember the Stand—directly opposite the Market.

dw

**DAVID MARTIN, Successor to Taylor & Martin.**

### Guelph Evening Mercury

THURSDAY EVENING, FEB. 1, 1872

## HELEN MOIR

Love and Honour.

A TALE OF THE CLYDE.

CHAPTER XIV.

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

Alas for Helen! Her state was indescribable. The conversation with Ritchie had substantiated to the fullest extent and in the worst form the allegation of Victor Dubouche. She was the daughter of a criminal.

This was a blighting, crushing fact, of which there could be no doubt. So long as it rested but on the statement of the Frenchman there was room for entertaining the thought that it was a malicious calumny; nay, though certain recollections of the past which her alarmed mind called up went in the direction of its support, there was still the possibility that these admitted of a different and innocuous explanation. But the minute, unvarnished story of Ritchie—so difficult to extract from him, and on his part so reluctantly told—swept any refuge in which her shrinking soul sought to shelter, and she was face to face with the terrible truth.

She blamed no one for the ignorance in which she had been kept, though it was an ignorance which had led her to that grief of woe over the brink of which she now quiveringly hung, fully conscious that into its dreadful depths she must plunge. Had the truth not been kept from her, she had been saved all that, for, with the knowledge that she was the daughter of a dishonoured man, she had never abandoned herself to love, or allowed herself to receive the love of Hermann Rheinbach. Yet, we say, she blamed not those who had kept the truth from her, for bitter as was the cup which thereby had been mingled for her, their motive had been one dictated by the tenderest and most devoted affection. Passionate and ill-regulated natures would have heaped reproaches on the memory of the dead and the head of the living, but Helen Moir had a nature far above this. She was not apt to cherish anger or bitterness of any sort, even when she had cause; but unjust and useless anger she would have scorned as unworthy of her—and this is what all true souls feel! Their capacity of suffering is great, and they do not evade the suffering by distracting and modifying rage, which, though it might lessen the keenness of their pain, would deteriorate their nature by its indulgence.

No complaint, no reproach escaped the lips of Helen Moir, but in silence she sat herself to confront the tremendous duty which lay before her. That, too, she never for a moment hesitated to understand and accept. It was clear to her at the first glance, and not once did she weakly try to hide her face from it.

All must be at an end between Hermann and her. This was the duty which must be done—reached through a sacrifice never to be estimated, and followed by a life-suffering equally measureless—a sacrifice most terrible, but still imperative, and therefore to be discharged with steadfast determination.

He and she could not marry now—could never marry. Honour forbade it, and her pledged word, which she counted even less binding, forbade it likewise.

This was the inevitable consequence which Helen accepted, without one moment of doubtful hesitation—accepted with a full consciousness of the misery and anguish which it implied. Thus, in utter silence she left the churchyard, and was rowed across the loch by Ritchie, no word passed between them. And all she said on the other side, when she was leaving the boat, was to ask Ritchie, with a wan smile, not to speak to any one of the conversation which had just been held—a request which we may be, Ritchie was not slow to respond to; then she turned slowly away, and passed up the gravelled path to the door of the villa.

She could not join Mrs. Allerton in the parlour; she was not in a state just then to see or be seen by any one. It was absolutely necessary that she should be alone. She therefore quietly ascended the stair, and shut herself up in her own room.

For the two succeeding hours she was there undisturbed. Mrs. Allerton was asleep on the sofa when she came in, and therefore did not know she had come back; and Ritchie, after fastening the door, went up to the wooded height behind, for he, too, had much to think about, and sought solitude for his cogitation.

For these two hours, then, Helen was alone, with in the privacy of her room—a privacy too sacred to be invaded by any one. We shall not break in upon it; we shall only indicate that it was for her—the

hour and the power of darkness." She was once in the wilderness of temptation and the Gethsemane of sorrow. Do not, O reader, be shocked at these allusions to the experience of the Divine One, who is at once the Forerunner and Exemplar of every true life in this world. For just as surely as He had to pass through the temptation and the agony in the prosecution of His infinite work, so every human being who reflects His life must pass through a far-off shadow of the same; and shall we hesitate to say that the sacrifice which Helen Moir had now to accomplish was in some respects akin to the one sacrifice which embraces all sacrifices within it. She was assailed by temptation—the temptation to pass her cup and not to drink it, and it was not without much wrestling and many pangs of soul, and the reception of a strength higher than her own, that she conquered and triumphed.

**BREAKFAST—EPPS'S COCOA**—GRATEFUL and COMFORTING.—By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavored beverage which may save us many heavy doctor bills.—*Civil Service Gazette.* Made simply with boiling water or milk. Each packet is labelled "James Epps & Co., Homoeopathic Chemists, London." Also, makers of Epps's Milky Cocoa (Cocoa and Condensed Milk).

HAVING used Fellows' Compound Syrup Hypophosphites for some time; in my practice, I have no hesitation in recommending it to my patients who are suffering from General Debility, or any Disease of the Lungs, knowing that even in cases utterly hopeless, it affords relief.

H. G. ADY, M.D.

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

**FOR**  
Eave Troughs, etc.  
Cast Iron Sinks,  
Iron Well and Cistern Pumps,  
Lead and Iron Pipes,  
**CALL**  
At Howard's  
Where you can get the Best Value for your Money be had in Guelph.  
Guelph, Aug. 1, 1871

**COAL, COAL**  
MURTON & REID,  
Ontario COAL YARDS,  
HAVE received and are receiving a large stock of Delaware, Lackawanna and Western R. & Co's  
**COAL**  
of all sizes. Egg, Stove, and Chestnut in first-rate condition, clean and dry.  
This Coal, for general use, is the best article in the market, LOW FOR CASH.  
All other coals, such as Briar Hill Mount Morris, Lehigh and Blossburg, in large quantities Order early and secure your stock at present prices. Office—James Street, one door south of the Canada Life Assurance Co., Hamilton.  
GEO. MURTON Agents Guelph  
An. 25, 1870.

**ELECTRO**  
—AND—  
Carriage Plating Shop!  
THE undersigned begs to inform the Public that he has purchased the business of the late E. J. Robinson, and that he intends to carry it on in all its branches. Prices, &c., as usual. Small articles plated from 15c and upwards. Country orders promptly attended to.  
He has also moved his  
**New Machine & Repairing Shop**  
To the same premises, where all orders in that line will be promptly attended to.  
Guelph, Jan. 10, 1872 JOHN KIRKHAM, dtf

**CASH FOR WOOL**  
Hides Sheep Skins, Calf Skins and Wool Pickings.  
THE highest market price paid for the above at No. 4, Gordon Street, Dwyer's old block, Guelph. Plasterer's Hair constantly on hand for sale.  
D. MOLTON'S  
Guelph, May 30th, 1871 dtf

**DOMINION SALOON BILLIARDS**  
CONNOR'S BILLIARD HALL  
IN THE  
"QUEEN'S" HOTEL,  
OPPOSITE THE MARKET  
We hope by strict attention to business to merit a share of public patronage.  
Douglas & Baberman,  
Guelph, Jan. 17, 1872. dtf

**FRESH OYSTERS**  
IN EVERY STYLE.  
THE table supplied with all the delicacies of the season in a first-class manner.  
If you wish to be found the choicest brands of Liquors and Cigars,  
DUNN BUNYAN  
Guelph, Nov. 21, 1871 dtf

**NEW GROCERY STORE**  
Next to Petrie's Drug Store.  
**SCROGGIE & NEWTON**  
Beg to announce to the inhabitants of Guelph and surrounding country that they have just opened an entirely new and carefully selected stock of first-class  
Groceries, Glass, Crockery and Earthenware  
WINE AND LIQUORS, &c.  
Which they are prepared to sell at as low rates for cash as any other store in the town of Guelph.  
CHOICE TEAS, comprising all the favorite brands  
NEW FRUITS  
TOBACCO, smoking and chewing.  
WINE AND LIQUORS.—The finest Port and Sherry  
Wines, Brandy, Rum, Gin, Ale and Porter. The finest  
Rye, Malt and Toddy Whiskies.  
The public generally are cordially invited to call and examine our Stock of Goods, as we are confident that they can be supplied at our Store with as good and cheap articles as can be found in any other establishment in town.  
Be sure and note the address—next door to Petrie's Drug Store.  
October 26th dw SCROGGIE & NEWTON. G

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IMPORTERS

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General Groceries,

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WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS

WYNDHAM STREET

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HAVE just received in store

350 Packages

OF

NEW SEASON TEAS

Consisting of Ooyone, Fine Young Hyson, Gunpowder, Imperial, Japan and Twankays;

500 Boxes, Butts & Catties

—OF—

TOBACCO

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

COFFEES, SUGARS

&c. &c. &c.

FOREIGN and DOMESTIC

LIQUORS

Hotel Keepers and Families supplied with pure Brandy, Rum, Gin, Wine, Old Irish, Scotch and Canadian Whiskies from the best distilleries.

Manilla Cigars, Foreign and Domestic Cigars.

JUST RECEIVED direct from Goderich

Barrels Fine New Dairy Salt in Good Order;

Half Barrels Trout and White Fish— and Lake Herring.

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

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Water proof Tweeds --- Cheap.

NEW

Lavender Kid Gloves.

NEW

Dress Goods --- some special Lines.

NEW

Gloves and Hosiery

NEW

Table Linens and Table Napkins.

NEW

White Quilts and Toilet Covers.

NEW



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

COMMERCIAL.

QUELPH MARKETS

MERCURY OFFICE, QUELPH, Feb. 1, 1872.

Flour, per 100 lbs.	\$ 3.00 to \$ 3.25
Fall Wheat, per bushel	1.25 to 1.25
Treadwell	1.20 to 1.21
Spring Wheat	1.14 to 1.14
Oats	0.41 to 0.42
Peas	0.68 to 0.70
Barley	0.60 to 0.60
Hay, per ton	13.00 to 18.00
Straw	4.00 to 6.00
Wood, per cord	5.00 to 5.00
Eggs, per dozen	0.16 to 0.17
Butter, store packed, per lb.	0.14 to 0.15
Butter, dairy packed, per lb.	0.13 to 0.14
Potatoes, per bag	0.75 to 0.90
Apples, per bushel	0.80 to 1.00
Sheepskins, each	7.00 to 8.00
Hides, per cow	7.00 to 8.00
Dressed Hogs, per cwt.	4.50 to 5.25

HAMILTON MARKETS

HAMILTON, January 31, 1872.

Spring Wheat, per bushel	\$ 1.20 to \$ 1.22
Wheat	1.20 to 1.22
Treadwell	1.20 to 1.22
Barley, per bushel	0.62 to 0.63
Peas	0.60 to 0.70
Oats	0.41 to 0.42
Butter, per lb.	0.14 to 0.15
Potatoes, per bag	0.75 to 0.90
Apples, per bushel	0.80 to 1.00
Dressed Hogs, per cwt.	5.00 to 5.25
Wool, per lb.	0.40 to 0.42

TORONTO MARKETS

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CALT MARKET

White Wheat from \$1.22 to \$1.25; Treadwell \$1.20 to \$1.22; Barley 50c to 60c; Peas 60c to 65c; Oats 40c to 45c; Flour \$2.75 to \$3.00; Pork \$4.75 to \$5.15; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 17c to 18c.—R-former.

BY TELEGRAPH

Rockwood Markets

Fall Wheat from \$1.15 to \$1.25; Spring Wheat \$1.14 to \$1.16; Barley 50c to 60c; Peas 60c to 65c; Oats 40c to 45c; Flour \$2.75 to \$3.00.

Hesperia Markets

Treadwell from \$1.20 to \$1.25; Spring Wheat \$1.22 to \$1.24; Barley 50c to 60c; Peas 60c to 65c; Oats 40c to 45c; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 17c to 18c.

Elora Markets

Treadwell from \$1.16 to \$1.18; Fall Wheat \$1.18 to \$1.22; Spring Wheat \$1.10 to \$1.12; Barley 50c to 60c; Peas 60c to 65c; Oats 40c to 45c; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 17c to 18c; Pork \$4.50 to \$4.75.

Fergus Markets

Fall Wheat from \$1.10 to \$1.15; Spring Wheat \$1.10 to \$1.12; Barley 50c to 60c; Peas 60c to 65c; Oats 40c to 45c; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 17c to 18c; Pork \$4.50 to \$4.75.

Mount Forest Markets

Treadwell from \$1.12 to \$1.15; Fall Wheat \$1.12 to \$1.16; Spring Wheat \$1.07 to \$1.10; Barley 50c to 60c; Peas 60c to 65c; Oats 40c to 45c; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 17c to 18c; Pork \$4.50 to \$4.75.

Harriston Markets

Treadwell from \$1.11 to \$1.15; Fall Wheat \$1.11 to \$1.15; Spring Wheat \$1.07 to \$1.10; Barley 50c to 60c; Peas 60c to 65c; Oats 40c to 45c; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 17c to 18c; Pork \$4.50 to \$4.75.

Clifford Markets

Treadwell from \$1.12 to \$1.13; Fall Wheat \$1.12 to \$1.16; Spring Wheat \$1.06 to \$1.08; Barley 50c to 60c; Peas 60c to 65c; Oats 40c to 45c; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 17c to 18c; Pork \$4.50 to \$4.75.

Drayton Markets

Treadwell from \$1.12 to \$1.14; Fall Wheat \$1.12 to \$1.16; Spring Wheat \$1.06 to \$1.10; Barley 50c to 60c; Peas 60c to 65c; Oats 40c to 45c; Butter 17c to 18c; Eggs 17c to 18c; Pork \$4.50 to \$4.75.

GENERAL Fire and Life Insurance Agency.

OFFICES REPRESENTED

The Royal Fire and Life Insurance Company CAPITAL \$12,000,000  
Scottish Imperial Fire Insurance Company CAPITAL ONE MILLION STERLING  
Andes Insurance Company CAPITAL \$1,000,000, all paid up  
Isolated Risk Insurance Co. of Canada CAPITAL \$500,000  
Agricultural Insurance Co. Insures only Detached Residences and Farm Property.  
Etna Life Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn. Accumulated assets over \$15,000,000  
Travellers' Accident Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn.  
The Hamilton Provident and Loan Society Head Office, Hamilton, Ont.  
To the Owners of Real Estate who want to borrow money, the above Institution offers facilities and advantages which can be obtained from no other Company or Private Lender in the Province.

Higinbotham & Walker GUELPH, ONT.

HIGINBOTHAM & WALKER Real Estate Agents

VALUABLE PROPERTIES FOR SALE

WHAT excellent farm situated on the Grand River, within 2 miles of the Village of Fergus, consisting of 200 acres, 250 cleared, the balance in good hardwood. The farm is well fenced; with a plentiful supply of water. The buildings consist of one roughcast dwelling house, two workmen's houses, bank barn with stables and room under the same, all in good condition; there is also an excellent orchard with trees in full bearing. This is without exception one of the finest farms in the County of Wellington and well adapted for stock raising. Terms easy.

SMALL FARM, situated in the Township of Garsfron on the Grand River, within three miles of the Village of Fergus, consisting of 88 acres good land, with barns, &c. Will be sold cheap.

SMALL FARM situated in the Township of Nichol, within two miles of the Village of Fergus, consisting of 23 acres excellent land, 26 cleared and the balance in hardwood. Well fenced; with a good supply of water. The buildings consist of a good dwelling house, frame barn, with stone foundation, stables and sheds. The floor of the stables are paved with stone, all in good condition. Terms easy.

162 ACRES in the Township of Saugenee, on the Grand River, about two miles from the thriving Village of Port Egin, an important station on the Wellington, Grey and Bruce R.R. 20 acres cleared, the balance covered with hemlock and hardwood, with a log house and double barn. There is also a good water privy on Snake Creek, with 14 feet head.

FARM for sale, 2 miles from Guelph, fronting Elora Grand River, 100 acres free from mortgages, well fenced, 45 acres seeded down with timothy and clover. Superior two story stone dwelling with lawn and orchard. Commodious barn and outbuildings.  
Also, a number of lots of good wild lands in the Counties of Wellington, Grey and Bruce, some of them situated near the line of the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway. To be sold cheap.  
Terms and full particulars of above can be obtained on application from  
HIGINBOTHAM & WALKER, Real Estate and Loan Agents, Guelph, Sept. 8, 1871.

Medical Dispensary McCULLOUGH'S

Worm Powders

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

WINE OF CALISAYA

A pleasant and gently stimulating tonic containing all the valuable properties of the best Calisaya or Yellow Bark united with other aromatics in a rich and palatable form. It is especially adapted to females, children, and those with weak or delicate stomachs.  
PREPARED BY McCULLOUGH & MOORE.  
Also a superior quality of COAL OIL kept constantly on hand for sale by McCULLOUGH & MOORE, Dispensing Chemists, Guelph, Jan. 20, 1872.

JUST ARRIVED J. HUNTER'S

New Chignons BRAIDS AND SWITCHES

JEWELLERY

Fancy Woolen Goods, WOOLS, &c.

J. HUNTER, Berlin Wool, Fancy Goods and Toy Store, Guelph, Jan. 13, 1872.

Soden's Public Cab.

THE Subscriber having purchased Mr. Duff's Coffee splendidly adapted to inform the public that it will be at their service at all times, either by the hour, day, or any other way, at the most moderate charges.  
It will attend all the regular trains, also connects at Berlin, and can be engaged for Marriages or Funerals on the shortest notice.  
Orders at the Hotel, or at Mr. Harvey's Drug Store, Parker's Hotel, and Hower's West-end Hotel.  
A capital and steady driver always with the cab. A share of public patronage respectfully solicited.  
Orders may also be left at the Owner's Grocery Store, Upper Wyndham Street.  
R. SODEN, Guelph, Dec. 12, 1871.

New Goods for the Holidays AT JOHN R. PORTE'S

Fine Gold Sets Brooch and (Ear-rings) Fine Gold Necklets Lockets Finger Rings Studs Cuff Buttons  
Brooches Earrings Guards Alberts  
AND A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

GOLD PLATED JEWELLERY Silver Thimbles, Tea Spoons, Chains, ELECTRO-PLATED WARE

Castors, Breakfast and Dinner Butter Coolers, Cake Baskets, Children's Mugs, Salons, Butter Knives, Pickle Forks, Spoons and Forks of all kinds.  
RODGER'S TABLE CUTLERY Remember the name and Guelph, Dec. 10, 1871. JOHN R. PORTE, Wyndham-Street, Guelph.

GUELPH CLOTH HALL LINEN COLLARS

SHAW & MURTON

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

Marlborough Alexior Byron Florence Von Buest Dickens Egbert Bishop Jules Favre, &c. SHAW & MURTON, Wyndham Str Guelph, Jan. 5, 1872. GUELPH CLOTH HALL

CO-OPERATIVE STORE.

Price List for December DRY GOODS

Blankets, per pair, \$2.00 Undershirts and Drawers, 90  
Full Cloths, from 45 Women's Sateen Hose, per pair, 45  
All Wool Tweeds, 65 Crossovers, 35  
New Winceys, 10 Knitting Yarn, from 40  
36 inches Horrocks Cotton, 12 1/2 White Fingering Yarn, per lb 1.00

CLOTHING BOOTS and SHOES  
Boys Overcoats, \$2.75 Boys' Long Boots, \$1.50 and \$2.00  
Men's All wool Pants, 4.50 Men's Stogies, 2.25 and 2.50  
Men's All wool Vest, 2.00 Men's Kip, 2.75 and 3.00  
Men's All wool Vest, 1.00 Men's Overboots, 1.50 and 1.75  
Cardigan Jackets, 1.25 Women's do 1.25 and 1.50  
Mens do 1.00 Children's do 70

GROCERIES

New Raisins, Currants, Figs, Nuts, Sardines, Tobacco, &c. Will be sold retail almost as low as the present wholesale prices.  
Parties purchasing 5 lbs and upwards of Tea will be allowed a discount of Ten Cents per lb, during the present month.  
N.B.—No Liquors kept.

J. C. MACKLIN & CO. Guelph, Dec. 9, 1871. Wyndham-st Guelph

WONDERFUL SUCCESS AHEAD OF ALL COMPETITION W D HEPBURN & Co.

THE LARGEST Boot and Shoe Manufacturers In the County of Wellington, and the Oldest Shoe Store in Guelph.  
W. D. HEPBURN & Co's Boots and Shoes give entire satisfaction, and do not need any putting to sell them as they are manufactured out of the best material, and the best workmen in the Dominion.  
We have now on hand a large stock of Fall and Winter Boots and Shoes which will wear well and keep the feet dry, and will be sold at a low price as the common slop work is generally sold.  
Every variety of Boots and Shoes made to measure promptly and neatly.  
Our Manufacturing and Custom Department is under the care of MR. T. BROWN, who is well and favorably known as a very superior workman.  
All kinds of Leather and Fittings kept constantly on hand, and sold at reasonable prices.  
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GUELPH TEA DEPOT

E. O'DONNELL & CO.

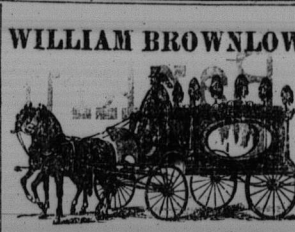
HAVE just received Three Car Loads of Teas and other Groceries—the Bargains we are now giving are Wonderful!

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

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

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

60c caddies of Japan Tea, Black Tea, Police Tea, varying in price from 40c to 75 cents per lb. Come to The Tea Depot, the great Tea House of Ontario.  
E. O'DONNELL & CO. Guelph, Nov. 17, 1871. Wyndham-street, Guelph



WILLIAM BROWNLOW UNDERTAKER GUELPH

Respectfully solicits the attention of bereaved of earthly friends to his Undertaking Establishment, in rear of the Wellington Hotel where all things necessary for the proper service of the last rites of the departed can be furnished on the short notice.  
Metallic, Walnut and other Coffins kept in stock. SHROUDS supplied, and Funerals conducted with the utmost decorum.  
Charges moderate.  
WILLIAM BROWNLOW

Undertakers! MITCHELL & TOVELL SIGN OF THE HEARSE

Having bought out Mr. Nathan Tovell's hearse horses, &c., we hope by strict attention to business to gain a share of public patronage. We will have  
A FULL ASSORTMENT OF COFFINS always on hand.  
Funerals Furnished if required. Carpenter work done as usual. Premises, a few doors north of Post Office, and next D. Guelph's Law Office, Douglas Street, Sign of the Hearse.  
JOHN MITCHELL NATHAN TOVELL, Jr. Guelph, December 1, 1871.

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Next to the Wellington Hotel.

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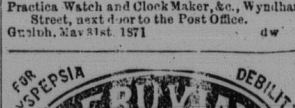
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