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Guelph Evening Mercury

FRIDAY EVENING, JAN. 30, 1874 BY TELEGRAPH

The English Elections.

Joseph Arch Declines.

The Home Rule Movement.

Germany and Italy

London, Jan. 30.—Mr. Thos. Hughes repudiates the action of the Liberal candidate for Parliament.

London, Jan. 29.—Mr. Arch has been invited to stand for Parliament in Birmingham.

A meeting of leading Liberals was held in Marylebone last evening to nominate a candidate for Parliament.

The Lord Mayor of London is announced as the candidate from Finsbury.

At a Home Rule meeting held in Dublin last night, the sudden dissolution of Parliament was condemned as a trick for surprising constituents.

The Secretary of the Home Rule League writes that the dissolution was owing to alarm at the progress of the Home Rule Movement.

The Dublin correspondent of the Times says that the organization of the Home Rule party is incomplete, and there is great lack of funds.

The statement in Della Marmora's book with regard to the cession of German territory to France, and Prince Bismark's denial of its truth, causes a coolness between Germany and Italy.

Town and County News

CURLING.—The Dundas and Guelph Curlers purpose to play a match at Hespeler some day next week for the Caledonian Society's medal—four rinks on each side.

COLD.—The thermometer was some degrees below zero this (Friday) morning, and so late as ten o'clock it still registered only one degree above zero.

THE WEATHER.—The winter thus far deserves more than a passing notice.

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South Wellington Election.

COMPLETE RETURNS. Stirton's Majority 1,178!

A GLORIOUS VICTORY.

The polling in the afternoon was even duller than in the early part of the day.

At the close of the poll, several hundreds of the electors assembled in the Market Square, when Mr. Stirton addressed them in a short and pithy speech.

The following are the returns from all parts of the Riding at the close of the poll:

Table with columns: NORTH WARD, STIRTON, HATCH, Division No., and counts.

Table with columns: EAST WARD, STIRTON, HATCH, Division No., and counts.

Table with columns: SOUTH WARD, STIRTON, HATCH, Division No., and counts.

Table with columns: WEST WARD, STIRTON, HATCH, Division No., and counts.

Table with columns: GUELPH TOWNSHIP, STIRTON, HATCH, Div. No., and counts.

Table with columns: PUSLINCH, STIRTON, HATCH, Div. No., and counts.

Table with columns: ERAMOSIA, STIRTON, HATCH, Div. No., and counts.

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Elections Elsewhere.

ADDINGTON.—Mr. Shibley (Ministerial) has a reported majority of 400, with the polls in the back country to be heard from, which will largely increase it.

BRUCE, SOUTH.—Majority for Patterson (M) 469.

BUCKINGHAM.—Col. Crawford is a popular and influential man, but Mr. Buell (M) has again been returned by forty-two majority.

BRUCE, SOUTH.—Mr. Blake, (M) 389 majority.

CARDWELL.—Mr. Hillyard Cameron, (Opposition) has been elected by a majority of 31.

CARLETON.—Mr. Rochester, (M) elected by over 150 majority.

DUNDAS.—Mr. Gibson, (M) is elected for Dundas by about 100 majority.

DURHAM, EAST.—Mr. Lewis Ross, (M) has been re-elected by 626 majority over Beamish.

DURHAM, WEST.—Hon. E. B. Wood, (M) is elected by a large majority.

ELFRINGHAM.—Mr. Casey, (M) is elected by a majority of 284. One polling place to be heard from.

ESSEX.—Mr. McGregor, (M) has been elected by a large majority—so far as heard from, nine hundred and sixty.

FRONTENAC.—Mr. Kirkpatrick, (O) is elected.

GLENGARRY.—Hon. D. A. Macdonald, Postmaster-General, elected by at least 700 of a majority.

GREENVILLE, SOUTH.—Dr. Brouse, (M) has been elected by 109 majority.

GREY, EAST.—Mr. Fleisher, (O) elected by about 400 majority.

GREY, NORTH.—Majority for Snider 63.

GREY, SOUTH.—Dr. Lanckerkin has been re-elected by 500 majority.

HALTON.—Chisholm, (Independent) is elected for Halton by 16 majority.

HAMILTON.—At five o'clock in the evening the poll stood—

Table with columns: Irving, Wood, Witton, O'Reilly, and counts.

Majority for Ministerial candidates, 567.

HASTINGS, EAST.—Mr. John White, (O) has been re-elected by a majority of 83.

HASTINGS, NORTH.—Mr. Bower, (O) is elected by 96 majority. Some back townships to be heard from.

HASTINGS, WEST.—Only a small vote was taken for Mr. James Brown, the Ministerial candidate, his opponent, Mr. Wills, having retired.

KENT.—Majority for Stephenson, (O) 69.

KINGSTON.—Sir John A. Macdonald has been elected by the narrow majority of 36. His success is attributable chiefly to the exertions of Hon. Senator Campbell and such men as G. Offord, who represented that the overthrow of the present Ministry was certain.

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East Toronto.—O'Donohue, 1,276, Coatsworth, 1,149, majority 127.

Centre Toronto.—Wilkes, 1,507, Morrison, 1,223, majority 284.

West Toronto.—Moss 1631, Robinson 1423, majority 208.

VICTORIA SOUTH.—Mr. McQuade (M) elected by 71 majority over Mr. John McLaughlin.

WELLAND.—Mr. Wm. A. Thompson (M) is elected, 250 majority over Mr. Brookfield.

SOUTH WENTWORTH.—Mr. Bymal's majority is about 800 over Dr. Bull. This is the best majority Honest Joe has had yet.

YORK NORTH.—Mr. Dymond (M) is elected by 342.

YORK WEST.—Mr. Blain (M) is elected by about five hundred majority over his opponent, Captain Wallace.

THE OTHER PROVINCES.

Returns from the other provinces are incomplete at present, and we have only space to-day for the total of members returned from each province, including those elected at the nomination, thus:

QUEBEC.—Ministerialists returned, 30; Opposition, 8; Independent, 2.

NEW BRUNSWICK.—Ministerialists returned, 9; Opposition, 1.

NOVA SCOTIA.—Ministerialists, 5. PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.—Ministerialists, 2.

A Timely Hint to the Electors of Guelph.

The Editor of THE MERCURY.

Sir—I listened with some interest to the remarks of Mr. Stirton last evening when returning thanks to the electors of Guelph for his handsome majority in town. I merely wish to refer to that portion in which he placed before the electors of Guelph the position of those persons who deserted their nominee, Mr. Hatch, for the purpose of aiding and defeating Col. Higinbotham in the North Riding. Mr. Stirton pointed out very forcibly that these men were using all their influence against Guelph.

It is not an individual act, but only a sample from a large number. When Sir John's present majority is compared with that of 131 gained at the last election, Mr. Carruthers may feel gratified at the vote polled in his favor, being, as it were, an expression of the sentiment of the honest men of this place, and gained under many disadvantages and against the lavish use of money. A protest will be entered, and there is no doubt that the majority will be changed into a minority.

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lane, P. McLean, Jr. A vote of thanks was cordially passed to the retiring President, also to the Secretary and Auditors, and the meeting adjourned. Later in the evening a meeting was held for the discussion of a Farmer's Association in the Township, when it was moved by P. Mahon, seconded by J. Scott, that it is the sense of this meeting that it is necessary and expedient in the interest of the farming community of Puslinch that a Farmers' Association be organized, and that Messrs. W. Thompson, P. Mahon, J. H. Glennie, F. B. C. Cookburn and J. Grant be a Provisional Committee to call a meeting for the purpose of organizing the same.—Carried.

Notice of Partnership
The undersigned begs to announce that he has taken Mr. John A. Davidson into partnership, and that the style of the Firm will be Innes & Davidson.
All accounts against the office, up to the 1st of January, to be sent immediately to JAS. INNES.
Guelph, Jan. 1, 1874.

Guelph Evening Mercury
FRIDAY EVEN'G. JAN. 30, 1874

The South Riding Election.
Mr. Stirling has been re-elected for South Wellington by the largest majority which has ever been recorded in his favour. His election by such an overwhelming majority is not only an acknowledgment of his long and faithful services and consistent advocacy of the Reform cause, but a most convincing proof of the favour in which the Government is held by the electors in this Reform constituency. It is also a most signal condemnation of the fact of opposition initiated by some of the unquiet spirits among the Conservatives in the riding—especially in the town—and carried out to a bitter and inglorious end by their dupe and tool, Mr. Henry Hatch. They knew that even with the best man they could bring out, the riding would remain true to the Reform cause, and return its old and tried representative; and therefore in bringing out Mr. Hatch they knew perfectly well that they were only putting him up to be knocked down again. Mr. Hatch thought to have known this, but whether he did or not, he allowed himself to be the nominee of the Conservatives; and though he tried to make it appear that he was an Independent, it was well known, from the company he kept, and the men who spoke for and supported him at his meetings, what party he was for, and under whose auspices he was brought out. And while we have no pity for Mr. Hatch in the position he assumed, we can not help saying that he was basely betrayed, and deserted by the few men who were instrumental in bringing him out. From the first they gave him but a half-hearted support, and at the last, when their aid was most required, they cruelly left him to his fate—neither giving him their presence or assistance in any shape. On the contrary, not a few of the Tory wire-pullers laughed in their sleeve at his folly, and thought it a good joke to get him in such a ridiculous position. He will no doubt retain for some time a lively recollection of the infamous conduct of these pretended friends. It will be seen by our returns that Mr. Hatch has not a majority in any single polling place—the nearest approach to it being ties in one polling place in Guelph Township, and in Erin Village. The Reform votes in several municipalities would have been larger but for gross bungling in the voters' lists. In Puslinch there were more than fifty names left off the list, many of them being among the oldest settlers in the Township. In this town we know of more than one omission. These things will have to be looked into, and steps taken to prevent any such omissions in future.

We cannot but feel well satisfied with the result in South Wellington, and we think the Conservatives will be content to let it alone for some time to come.

The Result of the Contest.
We condense the following from the *Globe's* remarks upon the result of the contest. In Ontario there are returns from 81 constituencies, and South Lanark and South Leeds yet remain to be heard from. Five other constituencies have not yet made their choice—North Huron, South Huron, East Peterborough, Muskoka and Algoma. Of the 81 from which intelligence has been received, the Ministry have carried 63, the Opposition 16, and there are two Independents. If we gave the Opposition all that remains to be accounted for, they would have twenty-three, all told, out of 88; but we apprehend that a majority of these will fall to the Government.

Quebec province sends returns of forty elections, out of which the Opposition have gained only eight, with two Independents.

From New Brunswick, thus far, there are reported 9 Ministerialists and one Opposition.

Nova Scotia and Prince Edward I. send seven Ministerialists, and no Opposition candidates.

We have corrected the foregoing figures in accordance with our telegrams of this (Friday) morning.

Of the two hundred and six members of the House of Commons, one hundred and thirty-four have been

electd. Of these the Administration have one hundred and seven—a clear majority of the whole House, and a present majority over the Opposition of eighty-four. It is a very moderate estimate indeed that a majority of between eighty and ninety will be obtained on a test vote at the opening of Parliament.

There has been great slaughter among the more prominent supporters of Sir John A. Macdonald. Mr. O'Connor, one of his late colleagues, has been defeated by a large majority in Essex; Mr. Carling has been rejected by London for the first time by a majority of sixty-five; Mr. T. N. Gibbs has been rejected by South Ontario, and Mr. W. H. Gibbs, his brother, has lost the seat in North Ontario. Mr. Cookburn, the late Speaker, has been defeated by Mr. Kerr, by a large majority. Sir John A. Macdonald, and Mr. John Hillyard Cameron are about the only prominent men left in the ranks of the corruptionists. Reformers have carried the three seats in Toronto, and the two seats in Hamilton. The ambitious city has certainly been nobly redeemed. Ottawa has returned a Reformer, Dr. St. Jean; and Mr. Currier the other member is a "fair trial" man. The following seats have been redeemed by Reformers from their opponents:—Essex, Hamilton (two), West Hastings, Lincoln, London, South Norfolk, East Northumberland, West Northumberland, South Ontario, North Ontario, Ottawa (one), South Renfrew, Russell, East Toronto, West Toronto, North Victoria and North York. Against these gains we have to place the loss of North Renfrew and Monck.

Centre Wellington.
The Centre Riding has been lost to the Government for the present, in the election of Dr. Orton. We regret Mr. McKim's defeat. He and his friends made a noble fight, and had the contest been fought by fair, honorable weapons he would have been elected; but it was not. In the Township of Peel, where he should have got a majority of about 200, Dr. Orton and his friends practiced a wholesale system of buying, which turned the tide in his favor. Specific cases of bribery have been found out, and will be enquired into in due time. We understand that there are also serious irregularities about the voters' lists, which may have a very important bearing on the legality of the election. These matters will in due time be thoroughly investigated. Meanwhile, let not the friends of Reform be cast down: the defeat is only temporary, the Centre Riding will yet come out all right.

Dr. Orton's majority is reported to be about 40, but we cannot get the correct returns to day.

CURIOUS.—Three old gentlemen proceeded to the polls yesterday at one time in Guelph, and voted, whose aggregate ages amounted to 225 years. The Christian name of each was "William."

MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS.
HARRINGTON—Saturday before the Guelph Fair.
BOWWORTH—Saturday before Guelph.
DRAYTON—The Saturday before Guelph.
ELORA—The day before Guelph.
LESLIE—Monday before Guelph fair.
GUELPH—First Wednesday in each month.
CLIFFORD—Thursday before the Guelph fair.
FERRISBURGH—Friday before the Guelph fair.
NEW HAMBURG—First Tuesday in each month.
BERLIN—First Thursday in each month.
ELMIRA—Second Monday in each month.
WATERLOO—Second Tuesday in each month.
MOUNT FOREST—Third Wednesday in each month.
HANOVER—Monday before Durham.
DURHAM—Tuesday before Mount Forest.
FERRIS—Thursday following Mount Forest.
ORANVILLE—Second Thursday in January, March, May, July, September and November.
MORO MILLS—Third Wednesday in January, April, July and October.
ERIN—First Monday in January, April, July and October.
MASONVILLE—First Tuesday in February, May, August and November.
BRAMPTON—First Thursday in each month.
LESTOWEL—First Friday in each month.
HILLSDALE—Second Tuesday in January, March, May, July, Sept. and November.
MOOREHEAD—Monday before Guelph.
HAMILTON—Crystal Palace Grounds, the day after Guelph.

IF YOU WANT GOOD BREAD USE THE DIAMOND Yeast Cakes.

Ask your Grocer for it FOR SALE—Short-horn Bulls, Cows, and Heifers.

The subscriber offers for sale five bulls—one three years old, Sir William Temple, red, (200), and Vol. Canada S. H. Herd Book. Two over one year old, roan, red and white; two nine months old, red; two cows in calf to Sir William Temple; one with calf by herself; two yearling heifers, red and white. All good registered pedigree. JOSEPH PARKINSON, Elmbrook Farm, Brantford Road, 4 miles from Guelph. D31-wt.

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By reading our Illustrated Physiology and Anatomy of the Eye, you will learn how to Restore Impaired Vision and Over-worked Eyes; how to cure Weak, Watery, Itching, and Near-Sighted Eyes, and all other Diseases of the Eye. Waste no more money by adjusting huge glasses on your nose and disfiguring your face. Pamphlet of 100 pages mailed free. Send your address to us also.

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THE GUELPH Mercury and Advertiser

THE WEEKLY MERCURY AND ADVERTISER is published every afternoon. Terms of per annum in advance; credit \$5. Delivered in town, by the week, 10 cents.
Rates of advertising—First insertion, per nonpareil line, 6 cents; each subsequent insertion 3 cents. Situations Vacant, Situations Wanted, Houses for Sale or Rent, Board, Cattle Strayed or Stolen, Lost Articles, Specific Articles for Sale, etc., not to exceed five lines, 10 cents for each insertion; for the same over five lines and up to 10 lines, 50 cents each insertion, cash. If booked 25 per cent. more will be charged.
Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths charged at the rate of 25 cents for each insertion; funeral notices 25 cents additional.
Paragraph advertisement, special notices, or advertisements intended as local, inserted after the reading matter, but not among it, 25 cents for 5 lines, first insertion; for 10 lines 50 cents first insertion, and so on in proportion.
The WEEKLY MERCURY AND ADVERTISER is published every Thursday morning. It has now a GUARANTEED CIRCULATION FIVE TIMES MORE THAN THAT OF ANY OTHER PAPER PUBLISHED IN THIS COUNTY, AND EQUAL TO THAT OF ANY WEEKLY IN CANADA, OUTSIDE OF TORONTO. TERMS:—\$1.50 a year in advance; credit \$2.00.
RATES OF ADVERTISING:—For transient advertisements 5 cents per nonpareil line first insertion, and 3 cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Situations Vacant, Situations Wanted, Farms or Houses for Sale or to Rent, Houses for Sale or Rent, Articles, and all advertisements of that class not exceeding 10 lines, solid nonpareil space, 50 cents first insertion, and 25 cents each subsequent insertion, cash at the time. If booked 25 per cent. more will be charged. For any space over ten lines, the rate will be at the same proportion. The average number of words in a 10 line advertisement are 75.
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SPECIAL NOTICE.
All contracts expiring on the 31st Dec. if renewed are subject to our revised rates.

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Opposite the City Hall, Guelph. Opened in 1873. First-class accommodation for 100 persons. G. F. B. & S. Proprietors. Guelph, Oct. 21, 1873.

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12lbs. of Good Bright Sugar for \$1.
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FAMILY MOURNING.
A. O. BUCHAN devotes particular attention to this department of his business, and Families requiring Mourning Goods of any description can always find a full stock from which to make appropriate selections at this FASHIONABLE WEST END.
New Black Paramattas,
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New Black Baratheas,
New Black Wool Repps,
New Black Empress Cloths,
New Black French Merinoes,
New Black Coubours & French Twills,
New Patent Crapes, Crape Trimmings, Crape Veils, Crape Collars and Sets, Hat Crapes, etc. etc.
We have always on hand a lot of CRAPE HATS AND CRAPE BONNETS in the latest styles.
Fashionable Dressmaking on the premises. Orders for Family Mourning promptly attended to.
A. O. BUCHAN,
Fashionable West End, Dress, Mantle and Millinery Establishment.

THE GOLDEN LION
Goes On with Zeal Unabated at
THE LION.

Store Crowded from Morning till Night!
GREAT BARGAINS STILL
And More Terrific Reduction so as to Clear Out by the First of February.

SEE LIST OF PRICES UNDER:
WOMEN'S WEAR
500 sets of Furs \$2.75, worth \$5.00
Heavy Wool Shawls for \$1.40, worth 2.75
A rich Poplin Dress for 50 cents, worth 75 cents
75 pieces Check Challies for 5c. worth 15c.
Over 200 pieces Heavy Aberdeen Winey to be sold at 8 cents, worth 12c.
Granite and all other mixtures at \$1 the dress, and plenty to choose from.
The best Winey 18c worth 30c.
Rich black Silk 60c, worth 87 1/2c
593 Fancy Silk Dresses in the newest shades \$1, worth 1.50
Horrock's best White Shirtings at 10c per yard.
MEN'S WEAR
\$11 Overcoats for \$6.50
3 Pants for 1.75
3 Beaver Overcoating for 1.50 or half price.
All wool Flannels in white, scarlet and fancy, in endless variety, now down to 20c
Wool Shirts and Drawers, worth one dollar, for 75c
Strong Satinets, worth 65c, for 40c
Heavy Tweeds worth \$1 for 75c
Crain Bags, worth \$4.75 for 4.00
Sealskin for Mantles and Overcoats 62 1/2c, worth 1.25.
Hats and Caps at half price.
Horse Blankets from 75c a pair, worth 1.25.
Buffalo Robes much under cost.

We would remark that we nor any House could maintain the above low prices, as many of the Goods are much under cost, the object being to sell the Stock previous to dissolution of firm, which will shortly take place.
The LION is the spot to get value for your money, and those that buy elsewhere throw away so much cash.
Guelph, Jan. 6, 1874

CHANCE & WILLIAMSON, IMPORTERS.
JACKSON & HALLETT,
Wholesale and Retail Grocers, etc.

New Fruits, Teas, Coffees
Etc., Crop 1873, comprising
New Table Raisins,
New Valencia Raisins,
New Currants,
New Figs, Almonds, Nuts, etc.
TEAS, TEAS.

Choice Gunpowder Tea at 50 cents per lb.
Choice Young Hyson Tea at 50 cents per lb.
Superior Young Hyson Tea at 75 cents per lb.
Finest Young Hyson Tea at \$1 per lb.
Choice Fresh Black Teas at 50 cents per lb.
Finest, Fresh Black Teas at 75 cents per lb.
Selected Japan Teas at 75 cents per lb.
Reduction to parties taking a box.
Also, our own importations of genuine Brandy, Wines, Scotch and Irish Whiskies wholesale and retail.
JACKSON & HALLETT,
Lower Wyndham-street, Guelph.
Guelph, Oct. 11, 1873

ALL READY FOR THE COLD WEATHER
In every Department
AN Immense Stock OF
NEW GOODS
AT
WILLIAM STEWART'S,
Who is now offering some of

The Cheapest Lines of Goods ever Offered in this Town.
A fair comparison asked with any House as he feels satisfied that the Goods and prices will well repay the purchaser, as from
10 to 15 Cents can be Saved
On over-dollar's worth of Goods bought, a all were bought in the Cheapest Markets, and will be sold at the very lowest prices.

DRESS GOODS
A SPECIALTY.
New Flannels, all qualities;
2500 yards Union Shirting Flannels a 25c, worth 35c.
475 Ladies Beaver and Cloth Jackets cheap.

In the Cloth Department
THE NEWEST
Coatings, Trouserings, and Vestings
and made up to order in the most fashionable styles.
WM. STEWART.
Guelph, Oct. 15, 1873.

FURNITURE AT RETAIL
BURR & SKINNER
Take pleasure in announcing that in addition to their wholesale trade they are now selling at retail at their new warehouses
At the Factory, Oxford st.,
ALL KINDS OF
FURNITURE
Spring Beds, Mattresses, &c.

Having large facilities for making Furniture, they are in a position to offer every inducement in the way of fresh new goods, new designs, and best of finish, all at low prices.
Also, all kinds of colored Work, Upholstering, &c., done at the shortest notice.
Guelph, Jan. 27, 1874.
BURR & SKINNER
dwtf

GARDEN AND FLOWER SEEDS
Sent by Mail to all parts of the Dominion.
Our Chromo, "THE LITTLE FLO-RISTS," a beautiful Parlor Picture, 17x 22 inches, is sent free to all who favor us with orders to the amount of FIVE DOLLARS.
Send for CATALOGUE, which we mail gratis to all who wish.
CHASE, BROTHERS & BOWMAN, SEEDSMEN, Oshawa, Ont.
Jan. 28, 1874. w4d1

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S PRESENTS.
Just Received, a large and carefully selected stock of articles suitable
For the Young Folks
BERLIN WOOLS
And all kinds of Fancy Goods in stock as usual.
All orders promptly attended to.
MRS. WRIGHT,
UPPER WYNDHAM STREET,
Next to the Wellington Hotel,
Guelph, Dec. 30th, 1873. dw

HOTEL CARD.
The Right Man in the Right Place.
Thomas Ward, late of the Crown Hotel, begs to inform the travelling public that he has acquired possession of the Victoria Hotel, next door to the Post Office, where he hopes by courtesy, attention, and good accommodation, to merit a fair share of public patronage, both from old and new friends. The best of Liquors, Wines, Cigars, &c., constantly on hand. A good hostler always in attendance. Remember the spot next door to the Post Office.
THOMAS WARD, Proprietor.
Guelph, Dec. 11th, 1873. dwy

The Rival Clansmen

A Scottish Vendetta.

CHAPTER XVII.

AN IMPORTANT CONVERSATION, WHICH INDICATES THE RESULTS LIKELY TO ARISE FROM IT—NEW DANGERS AHEAD.

"It can easily be done," urged Ian. "You can provide yourselves with horses; to cover all your expenses, and something handsome to yourselves in addition. Both of you can speak the Lowland tongue with fluency, and can easily overcome him when he is off his guard."

"I am willing," exclaimed the dark Highlander, "now that I see how it can be accomplished. There is my hand; consent to go with me, Dugald." As he spoke he grasped Ian's hand warmly.

"And I, too, will assist in avenging the injuries done and the insults offered to my Chief," exclaimed the red-haired one, whom the other had addressed as Dugald, also stepping forward and seizing Ian's hand.

"That is well spoken, my kinsmen. And now one word more about the woman who accompanies the man whose life you have pledged yourselves to take. She it is who has set the Lowlander against me, and her purpose is to prevent me from marrying the niece of Cameron of Droghdaire. She must be made as silent as her brother. I will not be satisfied with less; and as for the child she has with her, lay it down where it may soon be picked up. You need not take its life; it would repay the trouble."

"We will do as our Chief desires," replied Dugald. "When do we leave?"

Ian could scarcely repress a smile of diabolical glee as he saw prospectively the success of his plan for removing Ned Gordon and his sister Jennie from his path. Rubbing his hands, he replied—

"Leave now—at once."

Then placing his hand in his breast, he drew forth some money, and, dividing it between them, continued—

"There is money which will keep you well until you accomplish your work. When it is done you shall have more. The horses, I dare say, you know where to find, and the clothing you need as well."

The eyes of the two ruffians—for they were nothing else who would agree to such a proposal as the one they had just heard from Ian—glittered as they received the money from their Chief, and carefully secured it about their persons.

"Long live the M'Kenzie!" they muttered. "The work shall be done."

"Then, as soon as ye done it, come to me," said Ian, "and I shall then give you a further proof of my generosity. Now, farewell."

And Ian turned to leave them, a feeling of savage triumph burning in his soul, but one of his companions stayed him by exclaiming—

"Where will you be going just now?"

"To Glen Listerewe."

"But you are wanted at Kinloch-Ewe. We saw Black Cameron there, and he wished to see you. He looks as if some one were to suffer by him shortly."

"What?" exclaimed Ian. "Is Donald Cameron of Droghdaire at Kinloch-Ewe?"

"He is; and he wishes to meet with you. So he told Dugald and myself."

"It is well," exclaimed Ian. "Thanks my kinsmen, for the intelligence," and then waving a final adieu he resumed his journey, while the other two villains walked on in the opposite direction.

"This is indeed fortunate," he muttered to himself. "Of all men in the world there was none I so much desired to see just now as Donald Cameron. It will save me a walk to Droghdaire. And now we must work in earnest. I am this time prepared to do anything that Cameron may suggest which seems at all likely to further my ends."

VALUABLE FARM, HOTEL, AND OTHER PROPERTY

For Sale by Private Bargain.

The Lang Homestead, 110 acres, situated on Lots 21 and 22, 10th concession, E. 1st R. 30 acres on 21 and 60 on 22, 83 acres cleared, in whole or separately to suit buyers. Well fenced, with two wells and spring creek running through; on lot 21 a small frame house, on 22 a substantial concrete building, 100 feet front; on ground floor 4 rooms and 2 kitchens, 4 rooms above, all well finished. Barn 60 x 32, with log addition 30 x 22; stable and driving house 42 x 30, a stone cellar for roots, and milk house apart. Abundance of building and soft timber, a healthy orchard and small hop yard. Usual rental \$180 to \$190 per annum. Possession on 1st March, 1874. Full particulars apply to Mr. J. Fraser's office, Orangeville.

All titles in dispute. Terms on farm, \$100 deposit on day of sale, \$900 on 1st Jan., 1874. Hotel and building lot one shired down. All unadvised terms made known on application. Inspection invited. Apply to the undersigned, if by letter, post paid.

WILLIAM LANG, Proprietor, Union Exchange, Hillsburgh, Ont. Erin, Dec. 30, 1873.

TO THE OWNERS AND BREEDERS OF HORSES AND OTHER DOMESTIC ANIMALS.

GENTLEMEN,—having been appointed Assistant Demonstrator of Anatomy in the Ontario Veterinary College, Toronto, I find it necessary to be absent from my practice for several days in each week during the winter months, but I will return to Guelph every Friday evening, and remain at Colquhoun's Union Hotel, Woodville street, until the following Monday, where I can be consulted on the diseases of horses and cattle. Thanking you for your past favors, and soliciting your future patronage, I am, gentlemen, Yours obediently,

F. A. A. GRANGE, V.S. Guelph, Jan. 10th, 1874.

CARRIAGE MAKERS.

Success in Business

Is in buying cheap. Using nothing but first-class materials. Having work properly put together, and keeping up to the latest styles.

We are pleased to inform our customers and the trade generally that we are prepared to supply them with every description of Wood-work at such low rates.

Our Wheels are made of best forest hickory, carefully selected and thoroughly seasoned. All sets of Wheels made to order to suit the trade, light or heavy. We have already secured a number of the latest American drafts of Dolls, which will be the novelties of the coming season.

Wheels, Gears, Bodies, Spokes, Hubs and Bent Material for sale at the Factory.

All work warranted. Sent for price list. Factory—Opposite the Agricultural Works, near the Frame from Bridge, Guelph.

W. H. DALGLEISH & CO., Guelph, Jan. 28, 1874.

W. M. HEMPSTREET, Another

of the same name, an adjoining Town-ship, W. H. has had long experience in the business, and parties favoring him with their orders may rely on secured his best services. Orders may be left at his real home, Rockwood.

W. M. HEMPSTREET, Guelph, Jan. 29, 1874.

Country dealers treated liberally.

W. M. McLAR, Assignee. Guelph, Sept. 29, 1873.

GREAT MAMMOTH SALE

GEORGE JEFFREY, WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH,

Offers the Balance of his Stock of

Fancy and Staple Dry Goods at an Immense Reduction!

Previous to Stock-taking. Everything must be Cleared Out before the 1st of March.

Remnants of Table Linens, Remnants of Prints, Remnants of Sheetings, Remnants of Towellings, Remnants of White Cottons,

TO BE RUSHED OFF AT ANY PRICE.

FURS

This is the last chance for Cheap Furs, as the balance must be disposed of regardless of cost.—A few of these Cheap Dress Goods still on hand, being going fast. Remember this is the Great Remnant Sale of the Season. Parties looking for bargains should call at once.

FURS

GUELPH, JAN. 17th, 1874

GEORGE JEFFREY, GUELPH

C. E. PEIRCE & CO. Elephant Clothing Store.

OVERCOATS

In all Shades and Prices

Undercoats, Pants and Vests.

Our Stock of Men's and Boys' Underwear excels anything yet seen.

ALL STYLES IN HATS AND CAPS.

Low Prices. Come and See Us.

C. E. PEIRCE & CO.,

Hepburn's Old Stand, Wyndham-st., Guelph.

Guelph, December 17, 1873.

GUELPH TEA DEPOT

E. O'DONNELL & Co.

Are making a noise among the Grocers

100 boxes new Valencia Raisins, first of the season, 75 splendid Ingersol Cheese, 10 hhdgs of Good Sugar at 13lb. for \$1. 15 sacks best Mocha Coffee, 15 sacks of the Finest Java Coffee, 18 sacks of the best Rio Coffee at 30c.

TEAS FINE AND SWEET

600 Caddies of the Best Dollar Green Tea for 80c., in any quantity.

A few Packages of very fine Black and Japan Tea for 75c. per lb.

500 Barrels of the Best Salt at \$1.20 per barrel.

It will pay anybody to look in and see the large variety of fine Teas and General Groceries at

E. O'DONNELL & CO.

GUELPH CLOTH HALL

Fine Brown and Blue Beaver and Melton.

OVERCOATINGS

MADE TO ORDER.

Also on hand, Readymade

HUDSON'S BAY OVERCOATS

IN SEVERAL STYLES.

SHAW & MURTON,

MERCHANT TAILORS

Wyndham St., Guelph.

Guelph, Dec. 1, 1873

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869.

John A. McMillan, Insolvent.

The whole of the Estate belonging to the Insolvent is now being sold at a tremendous sacrifice.

BOOTS AND SHOES

20 per cent. less than cost.

Intending purchasers will consult their own interests by giving us a call.

NOTE THE PRICES:

Men's Cowhide Boots - \$2 00 Women's Pebble Ball - 0 75 Boys' Cowhide Boots - 1 50 Women's Prunella Ball - 0 75

Country dealers treated liberally.

Guelph, Sept. 29, 1873.

W. M. McLAR, Assignee.

NOTICE.

ERB'S Celebrated Fall Wheat FLOUR FOR BREAD and PASTRY.

ROBERTSON BROS., SOLE AGENTS

Dealers in Goldie's and Armstrong's Flour, Graham Flour, Buckwheat Flour, Corn Flour, Cracked Wheat, Oatmeal, and Feed of all kinds. Delivered free to any part of the Town.

Do not forget the stand.

Red Mill Flour and Feed Store, opposite Alma Block, Wyndham St., Guelph.

ROBERTSON BROS., Guelph, Dec. 11, 1873

Being about to leave Guelph to seek a home in the Far West, would cordially thank his many kind friends for their continued patronage for the past fifteen years, and as he is likely to be but a short time absent he had it to his stock before leaving for Montreal, Wholesale prices. All goods will be marked in plain figures, and sold at once. No second price will be made. A special discount will be allowed on purchases over \$25. This sale is genuine, the proprietor having to give up possession of his store on the 1st of May next.

Wyndham Street, Guelph.

MR. G. B. FRASER

ALTERATION OF PREMISES

GOODS SELLING

REGARDLESS OF COST.

RICHARD CLAYTON

IN ORDER TO CLEAR OUT THE BALANCE OF HIS IMMENSE STOCK OF

DRY GOODS

"HAS RESOLVED"

On and after Saturday, the 3rd of January, 1874,

TO OFFER FOR ONE MONTH HIS ENTIRE STOCK

REGARDLESS OF COST

THE GOODS HAVE ALL BEEN BOUGHT AT THE LOWEST CASH PRICES, AND IT WILL WELL REPAY ANY ONE TO

SEE OUR GOODS BEFORE PURCHASING.

NOTE THE FOLLOWING LINES:

Good Factory Cotton for 9 cents; Good Bleached Cotton for 8 cents; Horrocks Cotton for 10 cents. See them. Scarlet Flannel for 23 cents. White Flannel for 25 cents. Shirting Flannels, good patterns, for 26 cents a yard, well worth 15 cents. Winceys for 9c, rare value.

Dress Goods in Endless Variety at any price.

MANTLES AND SHAWLS WILL BE SOLD TO SUIT EVERY ONE.

BLANKETS, SHEETINGS, QUILTS, LACE CURTAINS, WINDOW HOLLANDS, CLOUDS, BREAKFAST SHAWLS, CROSSOVERS, &c. &c. &c.

Ladies, the above Goods can all be seen by calling at

THE CASH STORE, Upper Wyndham Street.

No goods advertised but can be seen. Give us a call.

RICHARD CLAYTON,

Guelph, Jan. 3, 1874 UPPER WYNDHAM STREET.

Co-Operative Store.

The Twenty-sixth Quarterly Dividend of 3 per cent. for the Quarter will be paid on presenting Pass-Books.

Dividends are paid every January, April, July and October.

We present Pass Books to any that want them.

J. C. MACKLIN & Co.

GUELPH, Jan. 1

GREAT CHEAP SALE

At I. & J. Andrews'

FANCY STORE,

OPPOSITE THE MARKET,

CONSISTING OF SLIPPER PATTERNS

Toys, Dolls, and a general stock of

FANCY GOODS.

BERLIN WOOLS IN ALL SHADES

All of which will be sold at and below cost

Orders received for Hair Jewellery.

I. & J. ANDREWS, Guelph, Jan. 13th, 1874.

CASH FOR WOOL, HIDES, SHEEP-SKINS, CALF SKINS, AND WOOL PICKINGS.

The highest market price paid for the above at No. 4, Gordon Street, Day's Old Block, Guelph.

Plasterers' hair constantly on hand for sale.

Guelph, Jan. 1, 1874.

MOULTON & BISE, dwy

MANUFACTURE OF COCOA. We will now give an account of the process adopted by Messrs. James Epps & Co., manufacturers of dietetic articles, at their works in the Eastern Road, London. See article in Cassell's Household Guide.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE - Grand Trunk Railway Trainleave Guelph as follows: WEST 2:17 a.m.; 3:45 a.m.; 1:50 p.m.; 6:00 p.m.; 8:35 p.m. To London, Goderich, and Detroit. To Berlin, 8:05 a.m.; 8:10 a.m.; 11:00 a.m.; 4:12 p.m. and 8:33 p.m.

Great Western-Guelph Branch. Going South - 4:40 a.m.; 1:00 p.m.; 5:30 p.m.; 8:20 p.m. Going North - 11:35 a.m. for Southampton mixed 1:40 p.m. for Palmerston; 4:00 p.m. for Fort St. for Fergus.

COMMERCIAL. Guelph Markets.

Table with columns for commodity (Wheat, Flour, etc.) and price. Includes sub-sections for Toronto and Hamilton Markets.

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\$5 to \$20 PER DAY. Agents wanted. All classes of working people, of either sex, young or old, make money at work for us in their spare moments, or all the time, that at anything else. Particulars free. Address G. Stinson & Co., Portland, Maine.

DR. WHEELER'S COMPOUND ELIXIR OF PHOSPHATES AND CALSAYA - A Chemical Food and Nutritive Tonic. This elegant and agreeable tonic combines with a sound Sherry Wine in the form of a delicate cordial, the most reliable agents known for improving the appetite, facilitating digestion, and assimilation of food and the formation of healthy blood.

EXHAUSTED VITALITY. - The SCIENCE OF LIFE, OR SELF-PRESERVATION. A Medical Treatise on the Cause and Cure of Exhausted Vitality, Premature Decline in Man, Nervous and Physical Debility, Hypochondria, Impotency, Spermatorrhoea, and all the errors of youth or the indications or excesses of mature years. This is indeed a book for every man. Thousands have been taught by this work the true way to health and happiness. It is the cheapest and best medical work ever published, and the only one in this class of its worth reading. 190th edition, revised and enlarged, illustrated, bound in beautiful French cloth. Price \$1. Sent by mail, post-paid on receipt of price. Address FEA 104 MEDICAL INSTITUTE, No. 4, Broad Street, Boston, Mass., or Dr. W. H. PARKER, Assistant Physician, N. Y. authority on medicine, consulted on the above as well as all diseases requiring skill and experience.

NOTICE. - Pork cuttings for sale at the Grand Trunk Passenger Station, Guelph, Nov. 7, 1873.

THE HOTEL, GUELPH, renovated and newly finished. Good accommodation for travellers. Free omnibus to and from station. First-class Livery in connection. JAS. A. JOSEPH proprietor. May 14 dwtf.

MONEY TO LEND. In sum to suit borrowers. No solicitor's fees or commission charged. Apply direct to the undersigned. GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN, April 24, 1873. dwtf

DURHAM BULL FOR SALE. - Two years old last November, color red and white - registered pedigree. Will be sold cheap - apply to Geo. Jones, lot 2, 5th con. Puslinch 3 miles from Guelph, on the Brock Road. Jan 7-wt

FOR SALE. - A stallion rising three years old, got by Mr. Buckland's imported draught horse Briton, owned by the undersigned, on Lot 9, Concession 5 in the township of Nichol, near Ennalsville, Barnet Post Office. D.B. WAT. ALEX. McCONACHIE.

DURHAM BULLS FOR SALE. - The undersigned has three thoroughbred Durham bulls for sale - one two years old in March next; the other two one year in April next. Color red with little white. All came of good stock. No stars, and having good pedigrees. For further particulars apply to J. ERASMUS Township, 6 con., lot 12, Jan 6, 1874. wtf.

NEW SAW MILL, &c. The subscriber begs leave to announce to his friends and the public generally that he has erected a new Saw, Shingle and Lath Mill three miles from Guelph and that he is now prepared to cut Lumber any length from nine to twenty-five feet. Parties having logs to bring in can do so at any time. He is also putting in a Run of Burr Mill stones, large size, for chopping feed for stock, which will be in operation in about a week. JAMES CAULFIELD, Jan. 21, 1874. 31 Puslinch, Guelph P.O.

GUELPH Marble Works. The undersigned will furnish Grave Stones, Monuments, Tablets or Posts as cheap as any dealer in the Dominion. Granite Monuments or Headstones IMPORTED TO ORDER. ALFRED S. FEAST, Woodlitch street, above Bruce's Carriage Works Guelph.

ROBERT MITCHELL, LAND, LOAN, Insurance and General Agent. Conveyancer, Commissioner in Queen's Bench, &c., &c. of Marriage Licenses, Arthur, Ont.

LANDS FOR SALE. VILLAGE OF ARTHUR. A number of Town and Park Lots, 2nd and 3rd Divisions of Lot No. 26, on the West side of the Owen Sound Road, with the Gore in the rear, 148 acres; 10% of which is under a high state of cultivation, laid out into regular fields. This dwelling house is almost new. It is of brick, two stories high, with brick kitchen in the rear. The barns, stables, and other offices. This farm is well worth the notice of agriculturists either as a breeding farm or otherwise.

4th Division of Lot 34, Owen Sound Road, 50 acres, nearly all under cultivation. Good log dwelling house, frame barn and shed. Only one-and-a-half miles along the gravel road from Arthur Village. UNIMPROVED. South half of 15, in 3rd con., 100 acres. TOWNSHIP OF GARRARA. Lot No. 1, and west half of 2, in 6th concession, 300 acres, 150 under cultivation. Good log dwelling house, frame barn. Can be sold in two farms, if desired.

South half of Lot No. 1, in 5th concession, 100 acres, 65 of which is under cultivation. A good dwelling house and frame barn, about 2 1/2 miles from Arthur railway Station on the Town Line between Arthur and Lutter. UNIMPROVED LANDS. North half of 2, in 4th con., 200 acres. Lots 14 and 15, in 11 con., 400 acres. Lot 13, in 12 con., 200 acres. Lot 14, in 12 con., 200 acres. This is a fine lot of land. There is a new frame dwelling house, and a log stable on the lot, which is distant about 2 1/2 miles from Simpson's saw mill, on the town line, between Simpson and Lutter. It will be sold on very reasonable terms.

TOWNSHIP OF GARRARA. Lot No. 21, in 5th con., 100 acres, unimproved. TOWNSHIP OF PERL. Lot 17, con. A, 2nd con., about 60 cleared undercultivation, log dwelling house and frame barn and sheds. Also, 20 acres, 25 or there by under cultivation. North west part of Lot No. 14, in 17 con. 33 acres, 25 or there by under cultivation. Good dwelling house, spring creek runs through the land, which is of excellent quality. The above lands will be sold on very reasonable terms, only part of the purchase money required down, the balance to suit purchasers. ROBERT MITCHELL, Arthur, 12th Dec. 1873.

GREAT CLEARING SALE. JOHN McLEOD, ROCKWOOD. Wishes to announce to the inhabitants of Rockwood and surrounding country that he has commenced selling off his large and well assorted stock of goods.

At Cost and Under! - CONSISTING OF - Dry Goods, Ready-made Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Rubbers, Robes, Hats and Caps, Fur Sets, Buffalo Robes, Groceries, Hardware, Crockery, School Books and Stationery. Sale in Barrels. Coal Oil per barrel or gallon. A lot of Overcoats and Ready-made Clothing sold regardless of cost. A lot of Ribbons, Trimmings and Flannels sold less than manufacturers' prices. A call is solicited before purchasing elsewhere, as I am convinced that I will offer goods as cheap as the cheapest. Rockwood, Jan. 21, 1874. JOHN McLEOD.

TAVERN FOR SALE OR TO RENT IN ROCKWOOD. The subscriber offers his Tavern for sale or to rent, opposite the Grand Trunk Passenger Station. The premises are in good order. There are new shelling on premises for 30 horses; also good sheds. The hotel is well fitted up for doing a good business. This is a good chance for any party wishing to rent or purchase a good hotel stand. For particulars apply on the premises, to J. B. DUFFIN, opposite G. T. R. Station, Rockwood, Jan. 23, 1874.

FARM FOR SALE OR TO RENT - Lot No. 16, 5th concession Puslinch, con. A Brock Road, containing 100 acres, cleared, balance good hardwood, frame house and unfinished stone house 30x40, frame barn 50x60, with stone foundation and stables underneath, two root houses and carriage house. The farm is well watered, and in a good locality. Apply on the premises to Mrs. Todd, or by letter postpaid to Aberfoyle P.O. J. B. DUFFIN.

A SPLENDID FARM FOR SALE IN THE Township of Waterloo, containing 105 acres of very superior land. It is well watered, and in a good locality, being only six miles from the town of Guelph. There is a good school on the premises, and convenient to a place of worship, post office, and grist mill. Terms easy. Apply to Henry Crossin, proprietor, Kossuth P.O. J. B. DUFFIN.

TO MASON, BUILDERS AND OTHERS - The subscriber here notifies Builders, Masons, and the public that he is now prepared to furnish stone for Sills, Lintels, and Cornices, cut on short notice, and on reasonable terms. Building stone of all descriptions constantly on hand. W. F. TOLTON, Rockbrook Quarry, Eramosa wtm Everton P.O. Oct. 13, 1873.

FARM FOR SALE - 100 acres, being lot 30, con. A, Puslinch, 50 in good state of cultivation, remainder in bush, good frame buildings, with both hard and soft water, good orchard of large fruit trees, 12 acres of fall wheat in the ground, 20 acres fall ploughing done. The farm is one lot from the Brock Road. Will be sold cheap and on reasonable terms. Apply to James Makelin on the premises, or by letter postpaid, to Puslinch P.O. J. B. DUFFIN.

BERKSHIRE BOAR - The pure Berkshire Boar owned by the subscriber will serve sows this season. Terms \$1 cash; balance on 1st of May. JOHN SIMPSON, Puslinch, Dec. 3, 1873. dwtf Blacksmiths

FOR SALE - The undersigned has for sale two thoroughbred Durham heifers, both with regist. red pedigrees and both with calf, one time up to calve on the 10th inst., and the other on the 9th of April. JOHN JOBE, Lot 7, con. 3, Eramosa near Rockwood, Oct 10-wtf

TO BLACKSMITHS - There is a good opening for a blacksmith at Brisbane, in the Township of Erin. For particulars, apply to G. J. Maclean, Postmaster, Brisbane. JOHN JOBE, Lot 7, con. 3, Eramosa near Rockwood, Oct 10-wtf

NOTICE - All persons are hereby notified that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Ruth, after the date of this notice left by her and board without any provocation whatever. JOHN McKESSIE, Puslinch, Jan. 22, 1874. wtf

NOTE LOST - Lost, a note of hand, drawn by William McMillan and William England, both of Beverly, in favor of John Ballantyne, of Puslinch, for the sum of \$91.25, payable one year after date. All persons are hereby forbidden negotiating said note. JOHN BALLANTYNE, Puslinch, Jan. 23, 1874. wtf

VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE IN PILKINGTON - The Executors of the Estate of the late Patrick O'Brien offer for sale a valuable farm of 100 acres, on Lot 14, 1st con., Pilkington. The farm is situated about half way between Elera and Guelph, 20 acres are cleared, and in a good state of cultivation. There are a frame dwelling house and barn on the premises; also a good well and a spring. Apply to Patrick Neagle or John Murphy, Executors, Guelph P.O. Oct 20-wtf

INMAN LINE OF STEAMERS BETWEEN New York and Liverpool. Consisting of Sixteen of the Best Equipped and Fastest Steamships in the World, Sailing from New York every Thursday and Saturday.

Rates of passage as low as any first-class line. Tickets for Liverpool, Londonderry, Cork and Glasgow, and Prepaid Certificates good for 12 months to bring out passengers, issued by H. D. Morehouse, Exchange Office.

LSO, Agent for the Michigan Central and Erie Railroads. Passengers booked to all points in the United States. MARKET SQUARE, GUELPH.

ANCHOR LINE OF STEAMERS. Sailing from Pier 20, North River New York, every Wednesday and Saturday. The passenger accommodation on this line is unsurpassed for elegance and comfort.

RATES OF PASSAGE. Glasgow, Liverpool and Londonderry. Cabin - Saturday, \$75 and \$85 gold; Wednesday, \$75 and \$85 gold. Cabin return tickets, securing best accommodation - Saturday, \$130 gold; Wednesday, \$130 gold. Storage, \$30 currency. Prepaid certificates for passage from any seaport and railway station in Great Britain, Ireland, or the Continent at rates as low as any other first-class line. All information given and tickets issued by JAMES BRYCE, Agent American Express Company, Guelph, Guelph, Jan. 1873.

THE ALLAN Steamship Line. GUELPH AGENCY. Prepaid passage certificates issued. Berths and outward tickets secured at best rates. G. A. OXNARD, G. T. R. Agent.

FALL AND WINTER, 1873-4. POWELL'S BOOT & SHOE STORE. Call and examine my new stock of LADIES', GENTS' & CHILDRENS' Boots and Shoes, which for moderate prices, style and workmanship, cannot be surpassed in the town. Particular attention paid to Custom Work and Repairing. West side Wyndham Street, Guelph, Nov. 4th, 1873. dw

JAMES CORMACK, Tailor and Clothier, No. 1, Wyndham Street. Has now on hand a superior stock of FRENCH, SCOTCH, ENGLISH AND CANADIAN WOOLENS Suitable for the Fall and Winter. A specialty this Season. A magnificent display of Gents' Furnishing Goods; Also a large and well selected stock of Ready made Clothing at very low prices. JAMES CORMACK, No. 1, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

IMPORTANT NOTICE. A LARGE STOCK OF MEN'S Felt OVERSHOES - AT - \$1.25 PER PAIR. Call early, as they are going fast. W. D. Hepburn & Co., Corner Wyndham Street and St. George's Square, GUELPH.

GUELPH Pianoforte Factory. IS NOW IN FULL OPERATION. affording an opportunity to intending purchasers of inspecting the construction of these celebrated instruments. All new instruments Warranted for Six Years; Tuned (fin. town) free for one year. Second hand taken in exchange or repaired. TUNING ATTENDED TO PROMPTLY. Prices lower than any imported and quality and finish unsurpassed. Show Rooms and Office, WEST MARKET SQUARE, GUELPH, ONT. JOSEPH F. RAINEY, Proprietor, Guelph, Dec. 14, 1873.

THE Guelph Bakery, Two doors above the Wellington Hotel. W. J. LITTLE. While thanking the public generally for their liberal patronage heretofore bestowed upon him, would respectfully inform them that he is still prepared to supply them with all kinds of Biscuits, Pastry, Bride's Cakes, Confectionery, OF EVERY DESCRIPTION. Bread, plain and fancy, always on hand and delivered. W. J. LITTLE, Guelph, Oct. 17, 1873. dw

Perpetual Motion DISCOVERED AT LAST! See Perpetual Motion PERFUMERY. G. B. McCullough's NEW DRUG STORE TO-NIGHT. You will find also a choice lot of Fancy and Toilet Articles Gold Top Smelling Bottles, very suitable for the holidays. G. B. McCullough, Dispensing Chemist, No. 3, Day's Block, Next door to J. E. McElderry's and directly opposite John Horsman's. SEASONABLE GOODS. Ivory Handled Knives, AT BOND'S. Bone " " AT BOND'S. Superior Carvers, AT BOND'S. Electro-Plated Forks, AT BOND'S. " " Spoons, AT BOND'S. " " Butter Knives, AT BOND'S. " " Pickle Forks, AT BOND'S. " " Cake Baskets, AT BOND'S. " " Salt Stands, AT BOND'S. " " Butter Coolers, AT BOND'S. " " Cruets, AT BOND'S. Britannia Metal Tea Pots, AT BOND'S. Plated Call Bells, AT BOND'S. Fire Irons in Sets, AT BOND'S. Dish Covers, AT BOND'S. Table Mats, AT BOND'S. Best Steels, AT BOND'S. Superior Scissors, AT BOND'S. " " Pocket and Pen Knives, AT BOND'S.

A well selected and choice stock of articles suitable. To be had at Bond's. HART & SPEIRS, Conveyancers, Land, Loan, Insurance and General Agents, 4 Day's Block, Guelph. In reference to the above, Wm. Hart begs to inform his friends and the public that he has entered into partnership with Mr. Jas. S. Speirs in the above business, and while expressing his grateful acknowledgments for the liberal share of patronage bestowed upon him for the past three years, would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same to the new firm. All business entrusted to us will receive prompt and strict attention. Deeds, Mortgages, Wills, Leases, &c., &c. neatly and correctly prepared. MONEY always on hand in sums to suit borrowers, on mortgages or good personal security. No delay or extravagant charges. Our list of Town and Farm Property is large and varied, and parties in want of real estate of any kind should call on us before purchasing elsewhere. Agents for the Commercial Union Assurance Company of London, England. HART & SPEIRS, 4 Day's Block, Guelph, Ont. Mv14-dw Dav Block Guelph, Ont.

J. H. ROMAIN & Co., Successors to Nelles, Romain & Co., CANADA ROYAL, General Commission Merchants, 26, City National Bank Building, Chicago, Ill. References: Sir John Ross, banker, London, England; F. W. Thomas, Esq., banker, Montreal; The Marine Company of Chicago, bankers; Hon. J. Carling, London, Ont.; Messrs. Gault Bros., merchants, Montreal; Senator F. Smith (Frank Smith & Co.) Toronto; J. M. Miller, Esq., Perth, Ont.; (late of) F. M. Miller & Co., commission merchants, Chicago; W. Watson, Esq., banker, New York; D. Butters, Esq., Montreal; J. Whitehead, Esq., M. P., London, Ont.; G. Macgill, Esq., M. P., Hamilton, Ont.; T. C. Chisholm Esq., B. F. Footes, Esq., Toronto.

NEW COAL YARD. The undersigned having opened a Coal Yard in Guelph is prepared to furnish all kinds of Hard and Soft Coal. At moderate prices. Orders left at the store of John A. Wood, Upper Wyndham Street, will be promptly attended to. G. B. MURTON, Guelph.

FIRST PRIZE BISCUITS. JAMES MASSIE, Manufacturer of CHOICE CONFECTIONERY AND BISCUITS, Alma Block, Guelph. Invites the attention of the Trade to the Superior Quality of Goods now produced at his Manufactory. Having introduced many new improvements, and employing only first-class workmen, and possessing every facility, he is prepared to supply the trade with a class of goods unsurpassed by any manufacturer in OZENGES, all flavors; DROPS, assorted flavors and shapes; GUM and LICORICE DROPS, CONVERSATION LOZENGES, MOULDED SWEETS, new patterns; SODA, SWEET and FRUIT BISCUITS, FRUIT BISCUITS, GINGER NUTS, CHEWING GUM, ROCK CANDY, LICORICE.

A Large Stock of Choice and Favorite Brand Cigars. His Cigars took the first prize over all others at the London Western, & this year the only place where they were honored for competition. All Goods carefully packed and shipped with dispatch.

COMPOUND SYRUP OF HYPOPHOSPHITES. For the Prevention and Cure of Pulmonary Consumption. Also for the cure of Dyspepsia, Bronchitis, Asthma, Loss of Appetite, General Debility, &c. The only Syrup prepared from Dr. Chabre's Formula, and certified to be Chemically Pure. Price \$1 per bottle. Sold by all Druggists.

GIFT ENTERPRISE. The only reliable Gift Distribution in the country! \$75,000 00 In Valuable Gifts! To be distributed in L. D. SINE'S 16th Regular Monthly GIFT ENTERPRISE. To be drawn MONDAY, FEBRUARY 25th, 1874.

Two Grand Capitals of \$5,000 each in Greenbacks! Two Prizes \$1000 each in greenbacks! Five Prizes, \$500 each in greenbacks! Ten Prizes, \$100 each in greenbacks! 1 horse and buggy, with Silver-mounted harness, worth \$400. One Fine-tuned Rosewood Piano, worth \$500. Ten Family Sewing Machines, worth \$100 each! Five Gold Watches and Chains, worth \$300 each! Five Gold American Hunting Watches, worth \$125 each! Ten Ladies' Gold Hunting Watches, worth \$100 each! 1000 Gold and Silver Lever Hunting Watches (in all) worth from \$20 to \$300 each! Gold Chains, Silver-ware, Jewelry, &c., &c. Number of Gifts 7,500! Tickets limited to 75,000. AGENTS WANTED to sell tickets, to whom Liberal premiums will be paid. Single Tickets \$1; Six Tickets \$5; Twelve Tickets \$10; Twenty-five, \$20. Circulars containing a full list of prizes, a description of the manner of drawing, and other information in reference to the distribution, will be sent to any ordering them. All letters must be addressed to MAIN OFFICE, L. D. SINE, box 86, 101 W. Fifth-st. CINCINNATI, O.

Buchu and Uva Ursi. A Specific Remedy for all Diseases of the Bladder and Kidneys; Dropsical Swellings; Complaints incidental to Females; and all Diseases of the Urinary Organs of either Sex. The value of this medicine has been proved in numberless instances now on record. Price \$1.00 per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

VICTORIA Baking Powder. The only reliable Powder in the market. EXTRA FIRST PRIZE At the Provincial Exhibition, London, 1873. MANDERS' New Drug Store, ACTON. A new and freshly selected stock of Winter Requisites, Glycerine, Glycerine Cream, Glycerine Jelly, PEROUS PLASTERS, HORSE AND CATTLE MEDICINES, Tick Destroyer, Manders Drug Store, Sign of the Big Mortar, NEAR THE POST OFFICE, ACTON. Acton, Nov. 19, 1873.

CUTTERS. Now is your time to get first-class Cutters cheap for cash or short credit. Robert Parker. Has now on hand a large stock the same style as the one which took the first prize at the Central Exhibition, Guelph, last fall and which for comfort, style, and excellence of material, cannot be surpassed in Canada. All are invited to call and examine the work. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Repairing, Repainting, Retrimming, as usual, at low prices. ROBERT PARKER, Macdonnell Street, near the Grand Trunk Station, Guelph. No. 24th, 1873. wtf

THE LIVERPOOL & LONDON & GLOBE Insurance Company, Available Assets \$27,000,000. Losses paid in course of thirty-five years exceed Forty Millions of Dollars. Claims by Chicago fire estimated at nearly \$4,000,000, are being liquidated as fast as adjusted without deduction. Security, Prompt Payment, and Liberality in adjustment of its losses are the prominent features of this wealthy company. Fire and Life Policies issued with very liberal conditions. Head Office, Canada Branch, Montreal. G. F. C. SMITH, Chief Agent for the Dominion. THOMAS W. BAUNDERS, Agent at Guelph. Guelph, Nov. 22, 1873.

GEORGETOWN GYMNASIUM. Will reopen after the holidays on the 5th of January, 1874. Who attend it? Teachers preparing for a certificate. Candidates for Matriculation in Arts, Law, and Medicine, and Commercial Students, Who desire to obtain a knowledge of Writing, Book-keeping, Commercial Arithmetic, etc. Classes in Telegraphy, Short-hand, French and German. JOHN TAIT, Georgetown, Dec. 11, 1873. wtf

FANCY GOODS AND BOOKS. Stationery and School Books, Wall Paper, very cheap; also, Window Blinds. AGENT for the WEEKLY MERCURY AND ADVERTISER, Sunday School Times and World. Also, any Book or Magazine ordered on the shortest notice. Call and see for yourself. Becher the Stand, next door to the Post Office, Fergus. W. M. SMILLIE, Fergus, Dec. 10th, 1873. wtf

ROCKWOOD Clothing Store and Gent's Outfitting Establishment. Just opened out a large stock of English, Scotch and Canadian Tweeds. Also a fine stock of Cloth for Overcoats. As the subscriber is a practical tailor, parties ordering clothes will be guaranteed a perfect fit in all cases. Call and examine the stock before purchasing elsewhere. JOHN McKESSIE, Rockwood, Oct. 29, 1873. wtm