

confidence in Sandfield McDonald's "Pa-tent Combination Government." Will you sell all the political privileges which you have theretofore so nobly and victori-oualy fought for? Then vote early on Friday for the men who will keep down bribery and corruption-men who will see that the new machiney of Confedera-tion is ast agoing sconomically. Vote for STRUEON and GOW.

GENTLEMEN'S

Travelling Satchels

JUST RECEIVED Mool. Hide and L A LARGE ASSORTMENT tlemen's Travelling Satchels,

At DAY'S BOOKSTORE

OPPOSITE THE MARKET. Guelph, 21st Aug., 1867.

SOUTH RIDING OF WELLINGTON.

To the Electors of the South Riding of Wellington. GENTLEME

the delegates of the Reform Convention of the South Riding of Wellington, I am a candidate for the representation of this Riding in the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario.

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lighty administrative purposes, as being m at the expense of the community, SOUTHEREDUNG

To the Electors of the South Riding of Wellington:

nate for the representation of Sou n the House of Commons. I ha the request of a Convention of R s, lately hald in the Town to Guelpi e request of many of my politics hout the Riding, who, while applyon the career in the past, have been) express a willingness to stitu-te outdance receases to stitu-

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Wynham street, the now occupies to Lower Wynham street, the now occupies the shop directly opposite Mr. Horstian's Hardware store, The Ghange of place will make no alteration in the quality of the goods. Customers will find his work as efficient as a war and supported. Officers and then ser their homes and their busines a efficient as ever

Don't Split your Votes!

Vote for STIRTON and GOW the Re

efore 12 o'clock on Frida

point: Anithal Revended which the line will ages are claimed by its advocates. It will open up a country rich in timber and thus supply the city with an article much required, namely cordwood, and it will give the farmers on the routs who are now shut out from the market at the best sensor of the year an opportunity of getting out their grain, and its construc-tion unlike that of the Northern Railway it is thought will be a good unbalanced by counter evils.

REFORMERSI D. STIRTON.

EVENING METCULL THUESDAX EVENG, SEPT. 5. **Reformers ! recollect** that you cannot vote for Stone and Leslie with-out renouncing Reform principles. Being both uncompromising Tories they have no pretext for claiming you as their supporters. Be at their Polls to-morrow morn-

WELLINGTON.

Vote against the nominee of the Li-censed Victuallers' Combination, and for Mr. Gow, who as Chief Magistrate only did his duty, and exerted his influence to have our laws carried ont, and for the preservation of order and good morals.— One vote before 12 is worth two after.

The Little Idolator of Hespeler. The following is from the Dumfrie

and is any that we swear by John A. Macdonald. I say that John A. Mac-donald swears by us: Gentlemen. I say that John A. Macdonald is almost an angel. I say that John A. Macdonald is almost an archangel. Yes, I say that John A. Macdonald is almost a demi-igod." — Jacob Hespeler's celebrated neeth nt Preston. god." — Jacob neech at Preston

speech at Presson. Here we have the character of that pure and saint-like individual, John A. Macdonald, portrayed in virid language by Jacob Hespeler, well qualified we suppose to speak on the subject. The impious harangue was delivered in the midst of a frenzy and machess which seemed to have seized the man, and the andience stood aginast. Doubtless he imagined his own position to be like that of Belzebub when addressing hiskindred spirits:

DAVID STIRTON and PETER Gow, 'the Mechanics' Candidates.

Vote for STIRTON and GOW. One vote before 12 on Friday is worth two after.

A Good Example.

A Good Example. The following, which we clip from the *Trade Review*, shows the benefits that result from the harmonious co-operation of labor and capital :---"Opposite the city of Frederickton, in New Brunswick, a stream called the Nashwauk flows into the River St. John. It has its course through a magnificent limiber country, and about three miles, from its mouth is eitnated the isplendid milling establishment of Mr. Alex. Gib-son. The side is not a new one for mill-ing operations, having heae, about five years ago, in the possessible of the some-what calebrated firm of Robert Rankia & Cool. Since it has passed into Mr. Gibson's hands it has been completely metamor-phosed, and is now, perhaps, one of the fine stied up in the most approved, and is now, perhaps, one of the fine stied up in the most approved, amaner, for sawing deals; there are eight circular saws is the mill, beside and efform and trimmer to cache grang and about for man are employed about it in prations are employed about for a set eight are employed about for the mouth of the Name and the set of the are raited to the mouth of the X where they are transferred to w which deliver them alongside lying in the harbor of St, John them to England—thus saving pense for lighterage. The erth

One Minister Defeated. Mr. Stenhen Richards one of John ald's Patent Combination pie-bald Ministers has sustained an ignominious at in South Leeds. Tett has beaten him by a majority of 114. Defeat is nothing new to him, as he has felt its pangs two or three times before. These, however, may be a little keener now that he intended to be made a Minister than gress is conducted with the strictest secresy is the proceedings, From New Y New York, Sept. 5th.— special says there has sure rel of some character to do President and Gen, Gran, nature of the matter is no sure of the matter is no when he had no hopes beyond those of a ommon M.P.P. In the same chev his brother, A. N. Richards, has been defeated for the Commons; Mr. Grawford winning by a majority of 96. known. It is given, out as positive Sherman's friends that Grant moved in a few days. The Work's special says th can be said with accuracy see Presiders and General Grant 1 still continue to different Grant 1 still continue to different work.

MECHANICS.

Vote for PETER (QOW, for his ene-mies say that you are admined of your own class. Show them you are not, but that you have unbounded confidence in the Working Man's briends-STIRTON and GOW.

NOMINATIONS AND ELECTIONS. NORTH BRANT .-- Bown's majority for commons 3 ; Finlayson's for the As-

embly, 84 South OXFORD .- Oliver's majority,

BOUTH LANARK.—Shaw's majority, 511. NORTH RENFREW.--Rankin 50, Sup

MON-MONCK.-Majority for McCallum 274; for Secord 245.

for Secord 275. North ONTARIO.—The nominations of candidates for this constituency took place on Wednesday last. Those nomi-nated for the Commons, were Messrs. M. C. Cameron and John H. Thompson; those for the Local Legislature were Mr. Thos. Paxton and Mr. Malcolm Gillespie. West Duray A. The pominations for Parton and Mr. Malcolm Gillespie. WEST DURHAM.—The nominations for this Riding also took place on Wednes-day. Sir John A. Macdonald and Mr. day... Sir John A. Macdonald and Mr. George Brown were present. Mr. W. A. Loacks, Mr. H. Murro, Mr. Edward Blake, Q. C., and Mr. John Milne were nominated for the Coumons. For this Local Legis-lature, Mr. E. Blake, Q. C. Mr. W. Martin, Mr. John McLeod, Mr. John Milde and Mr. D. Bethune were animinated. The assembly was large, and was addressed at length by the Premier and Mr. Brown among others. J. M. All. M. Brown

Threadbare Honesty.

Threadbare Honesty. When John Sandfield Mcdonald was in Brantford, he promised, in order togain support, that his Gov-eranment would build the Branch Bailway from Brantford to Harrisburg or Lynden, te comack with the Grant Western. He also promised to make the Grand River Navigation equal to the capacity of the Welland Canal. But not a soul believed him-and why? Because he stated afterwards, in the presence of a few of his support-ers, ministers were willing to promise anything them the elections were gend-ing. This is the principle on which the 'patent combination' is worked is it not seandalous. If you wish to backtarte such dodging vote for Peter Gow, who will fearlessly oppose all such trickery.

DAVID STIRTON and PETER Gow, the Manufactur-

ers' Candidates.

Vote for STIRTON and COW. One vote before 12 on Friday is worth two after.

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estly and conscientiously, over tion arising from the enforcement reconstruction act. CableNe OF TO-DAY. From Baden.

From New Orles

From Cleveland

Badon, Sept. 4.— The rat lace yesterday at Iffezhein nocess. They were atten iense congregation of spe very nationality was repri irge number of the leidil urope were on the ground as at international affi-xing hear thrown offen was an international amar, inving been thrown offen to all parts of the continent and The principal event of the d international St. Ledger race some of the best. French, E German stock was entered. after a most exciting confest, the celebrated French horse he celebrated French horse wned by the Marquis De La Me result was received with en heers by the vast assemblage.

From London. London, Sept. 4.— To-day ond day of the races at Wa run for the Warwick Cup f best horses were entered. came in first and was declar

came in first and was d the cup amid much cho London, Sept. 4th.— Constantinople says inte received those that the who were imprisoned A. despatch from Ma the Spanish governmen ders for the immediate

A. despatch from An the Spanish governmer ders for the immediate now in the Pacific A Congress of the let Europe medis in Genes Victor Hugo, Sonis Bi and Garibaldi have all the of Pacific greent tion of being present.

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o the Editor of the ME GUELPH, Sep

Advertiser's audacity The his gratuitous opinion of this town as to the Christain body should

PETER Gow, the Labourer's Candidates.

Polls to-morrow morn- REFORMERS OF SOUTH

ing and vote early ! A horse which was being driven all the street in a waggon this morning "to "staggers" and fell. Nobody ha waggon shaft broken.

DAVID STIETON and

PETER Gow, the Peoples' candidates.

POLICE COURT.—This morning John Rowse laid a complaint against Peter Powell for having beaten his son George towse. The case was withdrawn, the omplainant paying costs. FELLOW ELECTORS OF GUELPH.

Vote for PETER GOW, whose interests re closely allied with your own and that f the County.

REMOVAL.—Mr. Thomas Brown has emoved his Boot and Shoe-making es

such sacrifices for our protection, we should n heiltate to have a them in return chesurg

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NEW RAILWAY PROJECT.—The people of Toronto seem to have a sort of half-de fined notion that they should have a North-Esstern railway, running from that city to Lake Niplasing. The route at present marked out for this line is through the Townships of Nork, Scarbo-re', Markham, Uxbridge, Reach, Brock, Maripose, Eldon, Senelson, Berley, Lax-ton, Dighy, and Lutterworth. After this portion has been completed and its advan-tages fully tested the line will, at some future time, be carried to the ultimate point. Mutual advantages to Toronto and the country through which the line will pass, are glaimed, by its advactes. If

Be up and doing | Every one who takes heart the demands of the times, and

to heart the demands of the times, and appreciates the present occasion should be up and doing. First, to record his own vote for MR. GOW for the Local Legisla-ture of Ontario, and for MR. STIETON for the House of Commons, and then to assist others to the polls to perform the same duty. A long pull, a strong pull, and s pull altogether, will give the Re-formers a splendid over whething viewory.

and Im Thrones and heaven, thereal virtues ! or these titles now, thereal virtues ! or the set titles now, the set title is the set title is now, the set title is the set title is now, the set title is the set title

We recommend the passage from Mil-ton to the little Napoleon. It would an-swer admirably with a little brimstone thrown in for effect,

County of Wellington.

To the Independent Electors of the South Riding of Wellington ;

VOTE FOR THE

BRM GANDEDATES! uth Wellington HOUSE OF COM ntre Wellington. North Wellington. L H. FOLEY..... House of C. MCKIM...... ONTARIO AS

ph Evening Mercury

SDAY EV'G. SEPTEMBER 5.

and Loyal Reformers! e and Loyal Reformers! not the cry that the Re-ranks are broken. Not a man there wavers, not ut will stand to his post victory rewards his bra-It is a cry used in battle and is now revired the design of infusing vicor into the faltering of the enemy and of thing you Recard it ing and vote early!

Pictures, and Two Parallels.

VID STIRTON

ungrudgingly given years of his the benefit and welfare of the in many ways. He has always prominent part in every move-which had for its object the wellthe County. He faithfully for years as a Township and Councillor, and protected the s of Guelph Town and TowndPuslinch on all occasions. He cted to serve the South Riding ember in Parliament in 1857, lendid exhibition of the people's ce. Nor has he betrayed that ce, although met by a thousand ns. Dozens of public men llen since he was first elected : County of Wellington has nevto blush for its member. If he the inordinate loquacity of a he has something better-comse and discretion-and knows but as this gentlemen himself al points of the day." He unbought confidence of in the Riding.

who employed a horde of'canvassers, OTE against the men who, to gain the of the Licensed Victuallers' Associat says so, and he is an authority New Advertisements. at \$5 a day to gull people, and to get h matters. He does possess at \$5 a day to gall people, and to get and integrity. Hon. Mr. Blair their names to what they pretended LIQUOR TRAFFIC, TO PRINTERS. o, and he is in the government. to call a requisition. Why don't they WANTED at this office a young lad who knowledge of setting type. Apply at at the MERCURY OFFICE. Guelphy 22rd Aug., 1867 which is the great cause of possess the confidence of the publish the names? spleasure-od or evil. or they would not have twice We ask, has Mr. Leslie the ability POVERTY AND CRIME, ed him by acclamation since for the position he seeks, or can he be ad would have done it again at all compared with the man he is and burdens us with much DAVID STIRTON and Last Notice! few wire-pullers not got up a put up to oppose? All who heard PETER Gow are the Farmers **Unnecessary Taxation!** and saw the two at the nomination regarded the exhibition made by Mr. less opposition which will only Choice. MONTREAL BOOT AND SHOE STORE.I UPHOLD COOD LAWS, p their own wretched weakness, Leslie of himself as a broad farce, and were astonished at his temerity in op-129" The fact that Charlotte, Maximil-ian's widow, is now underwrite, Maximilnd more firmly to establish AND STIRTON in the confidence, ian's widow, is now undergoing different treatment, while her condition is steadily REMEMBER THE posing Mr. Gow. Mr. Leslie is well treatment, while her condition is steadily improving since her return to Belgium, is attracting the attention of those practi-tieners abroad who have always condemn-ed the practice of imposing solitude upon the insane. Whilst at Miramar, Char-lotte was entirely left to herself, and there constantly grew worse and worse, until her life was almost despaired of. Since the death of her husband, however, when the Belgian royal family decided to take a more lively interest in the welfare of the and estimation of the electors known not to be the sort of man any-**10th of SEPTEMBER !** BY VOTING FOR South Riding of Wellington. have mentioned some of Mr. ment, but being weak and pliable ment, but being weak and pliable, All unsettled accounts after the 10th Septemb will be put in the hands of **Mr. A. A. Bak** 's virtues. Let us be candid such as the wire-pullers desired for a lph, 27th August, 1867. nfess to one of his most insuper candidate, they have put him up. WM. McLAREN. anlis-at least so some among ard it. He is a Scotchman next to another County, and takes out FOR SALE, the North-east quarter of Lot Post Office Store to Rent. September 5, 1867: is a crime with some, but we are ed not in your eyes, enlightened shmen and Irishmen. F: W. STONE spent one minute in any Village, , Township or County County ilic—not even as School Trus nd always said he would not. his time—that others should do he would not. He has no taste ination for public business. Can pard change his spots in a day? can Mr. Stone be different in cand in eliginations to more the county of went in the set of the rout in the set of the county of the county of the county of the county of the solution of the county of the solution of the the solution of the county of the solution of the county of the solution of the the solution of the the solution of the the solution of the county of the solution of the the solution of the the solution of the the solution of the solution of the the solution of the the solution of the the solution of the solution of the the solu Biora and Saugeen Gravel Road, six miles Aima, consisting of Soi acres, 28 of which are cleared and under cultivation, with a good pering of water. A creek also crosses the cor-ner. The location of the land is high. LT Terms easy, and may be lawred by ap-plying (if by letter post-paid) to the under-signed, or to Mr F J B Forbes, Auctioneer, Guelph. a crime with some, but we are of it every grain of wheat and oats he A 9 A **Another REDUCTION** Guelph, 26th April, 1866. IN THE PRICE-OF MONTREAL COAL OIL OCEAN STEAMSHIP CO'Y. At JOHN HORSMAN'S. 1867 m Mr. Stone be different in better qualified, one who will never the tastes and habits of a life-totally different? He don't to be troubled with office, and half are to be troubled with office are to be t 2.-2 N GUELPH AGENCY. Steam to Liverpool, Lon-donderry and Glasgow. had any feelings of sympathy or pride He will not thank the few lers for using his name and their political intrigues, and their political intrigues, and Trirreton and GOW. Poll your yotes early on Friday morn-the strand for the s had any feelings of sympathy or pride tell you so if you saw him face Steamer NOVA SCOTIAN will eave Queb the 7th September, for Liverpool. **GUELPH RIFLE COMP'Y** ullers for using his name and the 5th September, for Liverpool. Triakets it's and from the Old Country. Passage Count for six on bring Friends out, Return Tickets for any secured, and every information given on application. Insurance Policies for the vorgage is-sued at the low rate of \$1 per 1,090 pp to 10,000. Analy to Poll your votes early on Friday morn-ing, the 6th September. One vote before 12 is worth two after. Vote for the Re-form ticket. the old and faithful ser-Poll your votes early on Friday morn-ing, the 6th September. One vote before 12 is worth two after. Vote for the Re-form ticket. It may not be generally known that the gentleman who floored D'Arcy Mo-Gee is a former resident of London. The Definition of the stame of the stam ATTENTION ! ple, David Stirton. s no taste or inclination rs, Mr. Stirton has and A MEETING of the Company is requested on TUESTAY EVENING, the 10th at half-past Seven, for Battalion Drill, and to receive their pay for the 1st of July. Apply to GEORGE A. OXNARD, Guelph, Aug. 28, 1807. Agent, G. T. R., Guelph Stone was dragged Gnelph, 4th Sept., 1867. stirton without good BEES. BEES. has for ten years Gee is a former resident of London. The Rev. James Boyd was a few years since pastor of the Congregational Church, His health suffering, he went into the mercantile business at Vankleek Hill, and is now a member of the Legislature of Ontario for Prescott, He is a gentle-man of excellent abilities, and will make a valuable member. He is an Irishman. I don Advertiser. cople desired and Rev. James Boyd was"a few years since MONEY TO LEND. THE Subscriber begs to inform the public that an assortment of **Common Hees**. Common Hive, §6 each; moveable Comb do, §6 each. I and also have, late in the full, a limited number of tablean Hees, for all or held the sub-tion of the subscription of the best and most extensive Aplainten in America. DIAL INFORME Select Mills. THE Bubacriber has money to lend on me class farm security, at 8 per cent. half year class farm security must be undoubted, both as to serve them. ar at a public Say twenty of No. apply personally, or by letter G. S. PAPPS, Barrister, &c., Ha JOHN INGLE, Eden Mills

ent has always led him to adopt those pursuits which were more con-genial to him, and for which he feels best fitted. He will never thank the wire-pullers for their gratuitous im-pertinence and unwarrantable use of-bis news his name

PETER GOW

Has for many years lived in this wn, and during all that time has tawn, and during all ken his part in promoting its interests and these of the County. He has de-voted years of his time at the Town voted years of his time at the Town Council Board, and in the County Council. He has for two years acted as Mayor, with ability, efficiency and honour. He has spent his earnings among the people. He has added, and daily keeps adding, to the manufacturing interests of the Town and County as is abundantly shown by the factories and tanneries he has erected in Guelph. As an agriculturist, too, he is enterprising and persevering, and although he is one of the clod-hoppers so much despised by men of the Saxon -who see no virtue but in pettistamp fogging, or rigmarole yarns of political fustian span out to order-yet the of the enemy and of iting you. Regard it it is unreal, it is untrue. the Polls to-morrow taste and ability for public life, is posfarmers and mechanics of the County for their representative. He has the taste and ability for public life, is possessed of sound judgment, perseverance and force of character. Moreover, he can illustrate a position, and defend it by argument, and support with energy and zeal a good cause. He is loyal and patriotic, for Dr. Howitt says he was his ablest supporter in his Rifle Scheme. And who do the people think was its bitterest enemy—Dr. Clarke, Mr. Leslie's right-hand man. Mr. Gow lives in the heart of the Riding, and is well-known to the bulk of the electors. He is accessible at all times, and living in the Town of Guelph, and being an agriculturist, with a farm in the Township, his interests are singularly identified with both Town and County. But Mr. Gow, too, is guilty, like Mr. Stirton, of having drawn his first breath in Scotland. This is an unpardonable fault with some, and they denounce him for it. But this is not the spirit of liberal men, wherever have

been their birth-place. We are assured it is not, and Mr. Leslie and his admirers will soon find it out.

WILLIAM LESLIE

Is positively such a stranger to fame money in Parliament as as to be almost unknown to any one out of it. He, perhaps, lacks except his own neighbors and friends osophical profundity of a in his own Township. How many know him or anything about him in Mr. Stirton, at the Reform Guelph? And yet he is the man the he is sound on all the wire-pullers want the electors to swall points of the day." He low holus bolus, on credit, so to speak. not possess the financial These wire-pullers think they can so Dr. Clarke, but the public gull the electors that they have only his plain clothes and farm to bring out a Jack-in-the-Box, and are stylish equipments, for he never trafficked indirect-Pray, who brought out Mr. Leslie to opbehol children s, money, pose Mr. Gow? Let the mass of the be like C.ESAB'S WIFE, electors individually, each for himself, PICION and possesses the answer this question if they can. They will say to a man, we don't know. Who did then? Why aknot of intere does possess patriotism. Dr. ested wire-pullers and office seekers.

IS IT TRUE? Vox populi, vox Dei (the voice the people is the voice of God). So we are told by the coalitionists, while

we are tool by the continues, while caps are flung up and the air is rent with the acclamations, "The Ministry is everywhere being gloriously sustain-ed, and the country is saved." Sup-pose that we admit the infallibility of the proverb, does it follow that the

voice of the people always demands and obtains those measures which are and obtains those measures which are for the common good ? Is the thoughtss, tumultuous majority always right and the contemplative, orderly minor-ity always wrong? Is passion a safer guide than reason, or is an evanescent scritement à surer means of obtaining a what is good and beneficial than the efforts made after calm and dispas-sionate deliberation? We may ac-the admission that the vociferations of the people or their maddened efforts would produce agreeable or desirable results. God may make the people's yoice His voice, but its tomes may be those of anger, and not of pleasure. He may allow them to be the instruments of their own punishment. Nothing is more improbable than that He would make known His wisdom by the months of such multitudes as it is generally, emerted speak with His voice. He is not in the cloud of ani-mosity which men at certain periods on in the whillwind of passion which then sweeps away their judgment, but is far more likely to be found in the solin and varie fellow men ; He is not in the whillwind of passion which then sweeps away their judgment, but is far more likely to be found in the soling evil; we have Scripture proof of it, and we are warred not to follow them and participate in their orimes. This fact, however, never seems to be considered by those who ory out-"Euroka. The voice of the people has carried it, and we are about to en-loy of the increased munificence of Hes-tor." If we fully believe that, order is Heaven's first law, we must be careful how we accept it as an undeniable fact, that all ameliorations of giv-neces, all amendments of laws (which were in reality ameliorations and a mendments) were brought about by popular demonstrations. The tendency of an idle multitude is certainly more to sedition than to the quiet, legitimate discussion of any subject which may be engrossing their thoughts. Those who imagine that the Almighty al-ways confers favours on the geople to the notice of the poople is the voice of the prince of the poople is the voice of the prince of the lower regions. To even would be usces, although by no means difficult, since they are so nu-ment wou

ELORA CORRESPONDENCE. THE FAIR.

held in this village, but on son of the year, little busin acted.

THE OF Harvesting is nearly past. The crops generally are light, but good. The yield BICKNES

BICKRESS. There is and has been a great amount of sickness is the village and its vicinity. The prevailing compliant is diarrhors. It has swept off a large number of infants and children. The Rev. John Smitharst, of Lea Hurst, Minto, died at St. John's Parsonage, in this village, last night— disease, dropsy. I think a great deal of the sickness, especially in the village, is caused by the condition of the rivar, which is at present nearly dry, thus exposing a vast surface of unhealthy alime and mud. Nearly all the mills are stopped for want of water, some few working occasionally. The country is thus suffiring for the wholesale destruction of the forests along the banks of the presens. It is the most a stream should become smaller in fis course if exposed for mile after mile to the free action of the sun and air. DITROVEMENTS.

DITROVEMENTS. The improvements in the village this summer speak well for the prosperity of the place. Several handscome stores, be-aides numerous other buildingi, have been exected or are in course of creetion. The principal street, by a indicious and generous enlargement, has added consid-erable beauty. The Irvine Bridge is un-dergoing a thorough repairing, and is to a supported in the centre by a massive stone pier, costing \$1800. A sidewalk over a mile in length, between Salem and Elora, is nearly completed. A new dam has been made in the east part of the village by Mr Ross, and still further east or up the river, at Aboyne Mills, a new bridge is being built. POLATICS. IMPROVEMENTS. POLITICS.

FOLITICS. Almost everyone dabbles in politics, and many are the controversies at the corners of the streets anent the triangular contest between Dobbin, Loghrin and Ferrier. Judging from present appear-ances in this district, Mr Dobbin will have the votes of all Reformers with the or-ception of a few moderate ones, who will vote for Mr Ferrier. Besides these few moderate reform votes, Mr Ferrier will carry the Conservative influence, and Mr Loghrin will have scarely a single vote. DELTA.

for the Millers, Manufacturers, Pro-duce Dealers, and Farmers of Canada.

GENTLEMEN. — We beg to advise an artiser in to Mr. John C. More, of Halifax, as a partner in to firm, and have opened a Branch of our business that City, where it will be our aim to serve friends in Canada to the utinose of our power the attaining the best possible rates for Consi ments, the extension of the manufacturing in ests of the Lower Provinces, the importing the on commission their Fabs Oils, &c., and the on commission their rate Oils, add the one of the server the attain of correct and unbiased informa--We beg to advise having admit ore, of Halifax, as a partner in

Montreal, 2nd Sept., 186

THE CUMING ELECTION Is something which iscreating quite an excitement in the Town of Guelph, and at present it is not known which of the opposing candidates will be successful, both having a fair show of hands. Be this as it may, SMITH & BOTSFORD have the largest, best and cheapest stock of CLOTHING ever offered in Guelph, which they are selling at remarkable low prices. Sign of the Elephant, opposite the Market [Adva] SMITH & BOTSFORD.



tors of the Estat ice of Messrs. Blair & Guthrie, op Rist of September, 1867. CHARLES ADSETT , Ass JAMES GOW, GUELPH TOWNSHIP COUNCIL !

THE Last meeting of this Council will be held at the Council Room on Monday the 9th of

NOTICE

The Queen's Book.

At DAY'S BOOKSTORE,

Guelph, 27th August, 1867.

HEIFER LOST.

TRAYED from a field adjoining Mr. Sie Brewery, on the Waterloo Road, a tw heffer, white, with red spots. Any ling her will be rewarded by the owner.

C. WILSON, Waterloo Ro Guelph, 24th August, 1867. d3in

LOT FOR SALE.

FOR sale, a valuable lot on the main street is the village of Banover, on the Durham Road with a Blackwith's Shop, 24 × 26 ft. And a Dwel ling House attached 18×23 ft. will be sold cheap and on reasonable terms. The owner being a wag commaker would like to sell to a good blacksmith for particulars apply (nost-paid) to

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A. McCORKINDALE, 2in Township Clerk August 29th, 1867. COW STRAYED.

STRAYED on the 7th instant, a three year old Cow, color red and white, with heavy horn standing well up. A reward will be given for her ANDREW SIMS, Lot 29, Con. 5, Eramosa, Ostic P. O d August, 1867.

Primary Girls' School. HE Primary Girls' School (Miss Unsworth will be opened on Monday next, the 2nd eptember, at 9 o'clock, forenoon.

Farm Hand Wanted.

GOOD farm hand wanted to work on and take charge of a farm. Must be a married Apple to A Gnelph, 27th August, 1867. dwtf

For Sale or to Rent.

FOR sale or to rent, a house and lot of five acres, with or without the crop, situated near to Judge Macdonald's. Apply to GEO. SMITH, Collecto

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OST on Thursday evening a small black and tai dog, with white spot on breast. Answers's the name of "Carlo." Any one returning it will be suitably rewarded. JOHN MCNEIL, Quebec-St Guelph, Aug. 24, 1867.

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Mittory, My address has been circulated the Riding. To it I would refer you for n the political topics that are now as country, also for my views on the powe on the Legislative Assembly of Ontar my views on the duties of your repres-der the new state of thinks, innerments

der the new state of things innugnistet unde Confederation Bill. I shall endeavor to see as many of the eleg as time and circumstances will permit a meetings that I intend holding before the eleg comes on, when I shall explain myself more on the political questions of the day. I am, Gentlemen,

JAMES LOGHRIN a, 6th August, 1



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