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GUELPH, ONT., CANADA, THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 2, 1874.

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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 handfor ale. Guelph, Jan 1, 1874.

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 possess on of the Victoria Hotel, next door to the rost 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, Cligars, &co., constantly on hand. A good hostler always in attendance. Hememberthe spotmest door to the post office.

Guelph, Dec. 11 1872.

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# BILLIARD HALL,

In the Queen's Hotel, Guelph, opposite the Market.

The room has just been refitted in spiendid style, the tables reduced in size, and everything done to make it a first-class Billiard Hall.

Guelph, Nov. 3rd, 1878.

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# RESTAURANT.

Opposite the Market, Guelph.
Oysters in their season. First-class accommodation for supperparties.
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OPPOSITE THE MARKET, GUELPH.

First-class accommodation for travellers Commodious stabling and an attentive

hostler.
The best Liquors and Cigars at the bar.
He has just fitted up a room where Oysters will be served up at all hours, in the favorite styles.

Pickled Salmon Lobsters and Sardines.

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my 14 dwtf JAS. A. THORP Proprietor.

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The undersigned having opened a Coal Yard in Guelph is prepared to furnish all kinds of

GEORGE MURTON, Guelph, March 1st 1874 dy Proprie

Paint Shop.

undersigned begs to inform the peo-Guelph and surrounding country that s ope ned a new paint shop in Quebec, next Fenwick's Furniture Shop, and te C almers' Church. He is now red to all kinds of Painting, Glaz-ratini and Paper Hangting on short

# New Advertisements.

WANTED-A Cook.
Apply to Mrs. Lem SERVANT WANTED-To do genera housework. Apply to Mr. J. B. Arm

WANTED IMMEDIATELY -

EWING MACHINES FOR SALE

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Four experienced Dressmakers want mmediately at the Fashionable West En Apply to Miss Morrison. EED BABLEY .- Seed Barley for sale

at the Guelph Packing House, opposit he Grand Trunk Passenger Station, Guelph, Feb. 28, 1874. MONEY, MONEY, MONEY.

in unlimited supply on good Farm and wn Security. Lowest rates and most derate charges. Guelph, April 1,1874. HART & SPEIRS, dw2w Day's Block

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The undersigned have \$25,000 for investment in Mortgages on Farms, in sums to suit borrowers, with interest at 8 per cent., for periods from 5 to 15 years.

Early applications requested. Early applications requested.

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Guelph. March 18, 1874

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HWING'S FAMILY WASHER AND WRINGER COMBINED.

The Best, Cheapest, Simplest, and Mo Complete Machine yet offered to the public. The subscribers announce that they have secured the sole right to sell the above mainine in Puslinch, Guelph, Eramosa, and rin townships, and solicit a trial of the machine. The machines have given entire atisfaction wherever used.
All orders addressed to Everton P.O., O. will be promptly attended to.
A. TOLITON, T. NICHOL.
April 1, 1874. w446st

NDEPENDENT

Base Ball Club.

The annual mee'ing of the above Club for the election of officers, and also for the purpose of organizing for the ensuing season, will be held at Hewer's Western Hotel, on THURSDAY EVENING, April 204, at 7.30 p.m. A full attendance of those wishing to join the Club is requested.

LIME,

### BRICKS AND TILES FOR SALE.

The subscribers are prepared to furnish Lime in quantities to suit purchasers at the Klins on the York Road, Guelph.

Also, constantly on hand first-class Bricks and Tiles, at their residence, Liverpool-st., Guelph, March 31, 1874. PEARSON & SON.

TNSOLVENT ACT OF 1869. In the matter of RICHARD CLAYTON, an Insolvent.

W. J. PATERSON, Interim Assignee,

SPLENDID CHANCE FOR INVEST-

Residence for Sale.

That very desirable property situated on a siety street, near the Western Station, consisting of White Brick two stored weeking house, with four bedrooms, front and ack parlor, dining room and stethen, with arge soft water cistern, also, two large dry class. The land comprises two-fiths of n acre, well stocked with fruit trees in full earing. For terms, etc., analy to

Guelph, March 27th, 1874.

REMOVAL.

ON Hand a fine assortment of

MARM FOR SALE. The undersigned offer for sale upon rea-tonable terms and conditions the Northeast alf of Lot Number II, in the second con-tession of the township of Erin, 100 acres, bout 70 acres of which are cleared, 12 acres of hardyand, and the balance when the

NSOLVENT.ACT OF 1869,

March, 1874.
Signéd,
A. MACDONALD,
Judge Courty Court,
County of Wellington.
RTO4, BRUCE & WALKER,
Attorneys for Potitioners.

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# Guelph Evening Hercury By Telegraph to the Mercury

THURSDAY EV'NG, APRIL 2, 1874.

GOOD FRIDAY. To-morrow being Good Friday no poper will be issued from this Office.

### Town and County News

Auction Sale .- Don't forget the auc tion sale of dry goods at G. B Fraser's store on Saturday night.

A men belonging to Mr. Robt Mathews, York Road, laid an egg the other day with three yolks. He is proud of her, and thinks she can do it again.

Social on FRIDAY .- There will be a social in Knox's Church on Friday evening in connection with the Bible Classes.

In addition to refreshments there will be vocal and instrumental rusic, &c. A pleasant time is expected. The public are cordially invited. A DANGEROUS DELICACY .- Decayed or

A DANGEROUS DELICACY.—Decayed or-langes may be good enough for some things, but they should not be eaten. A son of Mr. W. Haycock, of Cobourg, after considerable suffering, died on Mon-day last from this cause, and other mem-bers of the family who had partaken of the delicacy were slightly affected.

Only one eclipse will be visible from this continent in 1874—of the moon-total—midnight, October 24-25. Ther will be one other eclipse of the moon, partial, and two of the sun, during the year, but those will not be visible here. The great astronomical event of the year will be the transit of Venus, on Dec. 8, across the face of the sun.

FIRE IN FEROUS .- On Wednesday afternoon a building near Mr. McMahon's stave factory, which he used for drying his staves, was found to be on fire. The fire is supposed to have caught from the furnace, which had been in use durin; the day, and the building was full of staves. day, and the building was full of staves. The fire was kept inside the building till a large quantity of staves which were piled near by were removed. Water not being handy, it took some time before the engine got to work. When it was working, it confined the fire to the building and its contents, which were consumed. Mr. McMahon's loss will be about \$500; no insurance.

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Y. M. C. A.—Meetings will be held in the rooms of the Y. M. C. A. to-morrow (Good Friday) at 2 p.m., and at 6.30 p.m., when it is expected that deputations from Fergus, Elora, Berlin, and Galt will be present, as elso Mr. D. A. Sinclair, General be held in the rooms of the Y. M. C. A. to-morrow (Good Friday) at 2 p.m., and at 6.30 p.m., when it is expected that deputations from Fergus, Elora, Berlin, and Galt will be present, as elso Mr. D. A. Sinclair, General be held in the rooms as a secondary of the Hamilton Association. The public are cordially invited to attend both meetings. The general weekly meeting of the Association will be a secondary of the A tion. The public are cordially invited to attend both meetings. The general weekly meeting of the Association will be held in the rooms to-night at eight o'clock, to which members will please attend.

PRESENTATIONS .- Misses Holmwood and McLagan and Mr. J. T. Cullen, teachers of departments in the Central School, received from the pupils who have been recently promoted, copies of their photographs, as a token of esteem. of a presentation from thegirls and a silver napkin-ring, accompanined by an address, from the boys, who have been promoted from her department.

THE TOWN SEND TROUPE.—The Town-send Family concluded their season here last evening, when Richard III. was presented, with Mr. John Townsend as D. NAISMITH,

HAM CURER,

Has Removed to Brownlow's Buildings, three doors north of the Post Office, late to the character. Mr. Burnet Townsend to the character. Mr. Burnet Townsend to the character of Music. He takes the present opportunity of thanking the inhabitants of cluelph for their liberal patronage for the past twelve years, and hopes by strict at twelve years, and hopes by strict attention to business to merit their support in the future.

On Hand a fine assortment of the cost office and the several members of the family. In the after piece, Mr. E. H. Stephens, as Capias, the Lawyer, played to excellent advantage, his general appearance being well fitted to the character. Mr. Burnet Townsend to the character. Mr. Burnet Townsend to the character. Mr. Burnet Townsend to the character of the family. In the after piece, Mr. E. H. Stephens, as Capias, the Lawyer, played to excellent advantage, his general appearance being well fitted to the character. Mr. Burnet Townsend to the character. Mr. Burnet Townsend to the character of the family. In the after piece, Mr. E. H. Stephens, as Capias, the Lawyer played to excellent advantage, his general appearance being well fitted to the character. Mr. Burnet Townsend to the character. Mr. Burnet Townsend to the character of the family. In the after piece, Mr. E. H. Stephens, as Capias, the Lawyer played to excellent advantage, his general appearance being well fitted to the character. Mr. Burnet Townsend to the character. Mr. Burnet Townsend to the character of the day of a girl named Catharine Smith, have been remanded for a week, and it is expected by that time body of a girl named Catharine Smith, Dain William and concerned in the Yorkville shooting affair, have been remanded for a week, and it is expected by that time body of a girl named Catharine Smith, Mr. Dain will be sufficiently recovered from his wounds to identify the prisoners. Many of our Canadian Debatings of the past time past to day on the Hudson river.

Stephens held an inquest to-day on the body

Breakfast Bacon, Hams, Sausages, it calls "Prolificacy Extraordinary," the first word of the extraordinary capLard, Mince Colleps, etc. etc., Also, a fine let of small Pork for Roasts, Guelph, March 20, 1874.

The simple facts are these :- James L. Scott, a farmer near Galt, owns a ewe which gave birth last spring to three lambs, and this spring to Three other ewes on the same farm

O'Donnell, a notorious character, who has In the County Court of the County of just been released from jail, where he Wellington. was incarcerated two months for break-ing into Allan's distillery in this town, was brought before the Police Magistrate this morning, charged with a similar offence. Chief-Constable Kelly received information that a suspicious looking Upon reading the petition of Donald stanes, Hugh McInnes and John Calder, it the affidavit verifying the same, and it occaring that Thomas Saunders, who was a Assigneed of the estate and effects of the id involvents, has died in order the state and effects of the id involvents, has died in the control of the county of the

BULL FOR SALE.

The subscriber has a tholoughbred Durham bull, one year old, for sale. Color nearly red. Registered pedigree. Apply to Walter Swanston, lot 11, 2nd con., Eramosa. Wils.

(Before the Police Magistrate.)

Thursday, April 2nd.

Alex. Macdonald, and Robt. Wilson, for being drunk yesterday, were fined walts.

Another Carlist Engagement. Death of Hanson, the Astro-

> Balloting for Senator. Destructive Fires.

State Elections. Rochefort Going to London.

Incendiary Fires in India. sert that the recent movement of Gen-eral Serrano against the Royalists be-fore Bilbos has entirely failed, and that

Howard was re-elected Governor; C. C. Vanseandt elected Lisut. - Governor ;

vices from the scene of war before Bilboa to April 1st, which show that the Republican troops have taken no position since March 25. Three days' armistice, since March 25. Three days' armistice, in which Bilboa was not included, has been agreed upon for the burial of the dead. Meantime the bembardment of the city continues. Gen. Caballero de Rodas, with 5,000 men, is advancing by forced marches to the assistance of Marshall Serrano.

A Della Name of the days' armistice, penditure, \$678,786.

The Oxford Assizes opened on Wednesday. The most important case on the dooket is that of Topping, accused of the murder of his wife and four children.

Forty thousand barrels of flour in the Great Western storehouse, Hamilton, will be shipped to Montreal as soon as

frequent in the neighborhood of Zetta-moiv, in the Givalior district. Two villages are entirely destroyed.

New York, April 2.-John H. Elliott,

cotton merchant, has suspended.

Both passenger and freight steam

Dominion Parliament

jurisdiction, effected considerable discussion, although it provoked very little opposition. The resolution was warmly supported by Messra. Rochester, Cameron (South Ontario), Currier, Ryan, Ross (West Middleser), Kerr, and McDougall (South Renfrew), and opposed by Messra. Cauchon and Bunster, the former avowing his desire to encourage temperance, but objecting that past efforts in this direction had only resulted in secret instead of open drinking. The motion was finally carried without a dissentient. A number of unopposed motions were then agreed to.

Mr. Donald A. Smith moved the appointment of a Committee of nipe members to enquire into the cause of and circumstances surrounding the troubles in the North-west territories in 1869-70, and with respect to any amnesty, or promises of amnesty, for the offences committed in connection with those events.

Dr. Schultz, objected to the motion.

The estimates for 1874 were introduced in the Nova Scotia Legislature yesterday —Estimated revenue, \$763,000; expenditure, \$678,786.

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A pickpacket, recently arrested in Rochester, defended himself by saying that he was only searching the man's pocket for proof of frauds against the Government.

always be given in the negative.

The murderers of the old Indian doctor Neidham, of St. Thomas, Ont, are said to have been traced to Texas, where one of the two suspected parties, named Simmons, a few months ago murdered his companion; a man named McCroby.

Mr. John Fowler is in Huron making arrangements to have a special meeting of the County Council held to submit a by-law for a sum of four hundred thousand dollars in aid of the Huron and Que-

who did the work. Bramm appears to have lived in Chicago for some time last December, and to have been an honest man. The case is causing a good deal of excitement, owing to the frequency of deaths lately from this crime. The jury returned a verdiet of death from natural causes, and Pierce was discharged.

A fire broke out in the Central Hotel, Millerstown, Butler County, Pa., on Wednesday, totally destroying it, and burning nine persons to death. One woman leaped from a third story window, and was seriously injured. Forty-nine other houses were destroyed.

W. G. & B. Rahwar.—On Tuesday injured as the form of the freat Western Railway, and the General Manager, General Superintendent and Chief Engineer of the Company, accompanied by Mr. J. I. Mackenzie, on behalf, of the Wellington, are worked to hear that yesterday they made the distance between Kincardine and Palmerston, on the Southern Extension, 664 miles, in three hours—an average of 28 miles, excluding stoppages. This speaks volumes for the manner in which Mr. Hendrie, fife contractor, has constructed the line under the supervision of Mr. Ridout, the Chief Engineer. It must be remembered that this extension was finished last fall and has lain idle all winter.—Hamilton Times.

RIEL STILL ATLARGE

Warrants Issued for his Arrest

THE EXCITEMENT IN MANITOBA

The growds surrounding the Parliament buildings long before the hour for the assembling of the House had arrived betokened the intense interest felt to eatch a glimpse of Louis Riel if he should obey the order to attend in his place. A strong body of Dominion police were on duty at the several entrances to keep order and prevent any possible breach the peace should Riel make his appearance. His sean, however, continued empty until the rising of the House, and the order for his attendance, as well as

cral Serrano against the Royalists be fore Bilboa has entirely failed, and that there would be a general engagement between the 28th and 30th March.

Madrid, April 1st.—It is reported that the Carlist leader Radica, was wounded in the recent engagement.

Berlin, April 1st.—Hanson, the German astronomer, is dead.

Boston, April 1.—The eighth ballot for the U. S. Senator was taken to-day, with the following result:—Whole number of votes, 270; necessary for choice, 136. Daws, 95; thear, 74; Curtis, 75; Adams, 15; Banks, 6; Pierce, 2; Washabut, 15; Banks, 6; Pierce, 2; Washabut, 15; Banks, 6; Pierce, 2; Washabut, Wittier and Wendell Phillips 1 wote each. The Convention adjourned until Priday, to-morrow being fast day.

Kingston, N. Y., April 1st.—A fire broke out in Signor's Hotel, in the village of Rosendale, nine miles from here to revised to their down the result and the place is said to burned.

Arrived, steamer Hansia, from Bremen. Providence, R. I., April 1st.—The State election took place to-day, There was no Democratic nomination for State officers, and the vote was light. Henry Howard was re-elected Governor; C. C.

The Dominion notes in circulation the cause of and circumstances surrounding the troubles in 1869-704 and with respect to any smanesty, or promises of ammesty, for the officers and with the North-west committed in connection with those commisted in the recent engagement.

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The Order of the Day was then called f

Meeting in Manitoba.

For Garry, April 1.

Yesterday afternoon intelligence reached here that Riel had been sworn in and had taken his seat. Intense excitement immediately followed, and it was all the topic of conversation. On the streets, What was to be done? seemed to be the enquiry. Mayor Cornish issued circulars, and at five o'clock, less than three hours after the news, the largest mass meeting ever held in this Province assembled in the open air, Mayor Cornish presiding. After spirited, patriotic, and determined speeches, resolutions were carried expressive of the unqualified indignation of the meeting at Riel's attempt to take his seat in the House, and demanding of Parliament to perform its duty and purge itself of his presence, and cause his arrest and transmission to that Province to take his trial upon the charges of treason and murder, of which he stands charged. The resolutions go on to say that if Ruel is permitted to escape untried for the murder of Thomas Scott, of which he now stands charged, it would be an everlasting diagrace to our institution and a defiance of our laws; and we wish to impress upon the Government the fact that while we respect the law, at the same time we demand its enforcement in the case of Riel; otherwise we shall consider it our duty, in justice to our selves, to take such steps as will insure the laws and their enforcement." "That we will wait with patience and forbear ance the intelligence of the action on behalf of the authorities in the case of Riel, and hope for the speedy assurance of our wishes being complied with; failing which, we shall deem it our duty to ourselves to consider our position as a people."

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The meeting was most orderly, and a deep-seated determination seemed to prevail that the subject-matter of the deliberations of the meeting was of great-

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Before the meeting, the City Council passed equally strong resolutions, which will be forwarded.

It is said that there is great excite-ment in Quebec over the news from Ot-tawa concerning Riel. People act cautionsly, and guard against uttering national sentiments on the subject. The French Canadians to a men stand out for Riel, while the English-speaking in-habitants condemn him.

News from Ottawa.

Ottawa, April 1. Ottawa, April 1.

A mass meeting of Orangemen was held last night, with closed doors. The nature of the proceedings were, of ccurse, secret.

A movement is said to be on foot to establish a School of Military Engineering in Canada, similar to the American one at West Point, referred to by Hon.

one at West 1 on the Col. Panet, in his speech on the Senate.

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THURSDAY EV'NG, APRIL 2, 1874

Such it is said were the memorable words often uttered by Dr. David Livingstone, the great African explorer, when on his death-bed, and drawing near the last solemn scenes of his chequered and eventful life. No one can read the short and simple story of his last illness's and death, as given in our despatch of Monday, without being deeply affected. The courageous traveller had manfully struggled with disease for months, but was at length obliged to yield to its stronger power. Forced at last to give up his journey, and with a sad presentiment thathis complaint would prove fatal, and that his career was almost at an end, he lay down in the hut which his faithful attendants had built for him to die in. Here, in a sense alone—for no white man was near—no kinded spirit present to soothe his sufferings or attend to his wants—we can have some faint idea of the thoughts which in the intervals of pain would pass through the mind of the dying man. His life fast ebbing out, and yet the world as we may say waiting anxiously and hopefully for his re-appearance and return to civilization, to tell all that he had seen and discovered. His work not yet finished—the dream of his life not yet realized—but at the very time when it seemed near accomplishment, the Great Master whom he had served for so many years summons the weary wanderer home to that eternal rest which knows no break or disturbance. What thoughts of home, of friends, of past scenes and events must have crossed the mind of this brave Christian—of home and friends far distant, whom he would never again see in life—of scenes and events fast fading in the light of eternity. And yet the sublime faith which was the guiding star of his life—which enabled him to face and overcome dangers of extraordinary magnitude, which cheered him amid the solitudes of Africa, and gilded with hope all his self-denying efforts for the spiritual and temporal welfare of her people—this faith never forsook him, for when all else was fading from sense and sight, and even when walking throug

going home."
Yes, verily, he who knew no home for so many years has at last found a better one than earth can supply. The brave and indomitable spirit which gould not reet, but which sought to bring civilization and christianity to the benighted tribes of Africa, has at last realized "the peace which passeth all understanding;" and all that remains of David Livingstone are now being carried to Britain to be deposited amid the tears and regrets of the nation in the great national pantheon, among the illustrious of all ages and in all walks of life. And who else better deserves the honor of being laid among the great and good of the mother land, or of having his name enshrined among the heroes of the Empire? His life from his earliest years was a heroic battle. Whether a factory boy at Blantyre, coning over his books while attending to his spindles; or as a student struggling with poverty and sacrificing all comfort in his intense desire to gain knowledge; or as a medical missionary in South Africa, patiently toiling for the spiritual and temporal good of the degraded natives; or asthe fearless and indomitable traveller and explorer who for the sake of science and religion buried himself for years in the heart of Africa, and denied himself for years in the heart of Africa, and denied himself for years in the heart of Africa, and denied himself for years in the heart of Africa, and denied himself for years in the heart of Africa, and denied himself for years in the heart of Africa, and denied himself for years in the heart of Africa, and whose work will descend as a blessed heritage to generation and elevation of the tribes among which he travelled, stamp him as a man whose like humanity rarely produces—a hero in the truest sense of the word—whose memory theworld will not soon let die, and whose work will descend as a blessed heritage to generations yet unborn.

It is scarce two years since the great traveller was searched for and found by an adventurous American. The news was heard by every one as if he had heard

lose friend. And the fond anticipation was cherished by all in both hemispheres, that ere long he would return to his native land, full freighted with the spoils of his weary wanderings, to enrich our stores of knowledge, to unfold the geography of the vast interior of Africa, and to receive from a proud and grateful people all the honors which they could bestow on the illustrious explorer. But it was not to be. The Providence which watched over his eventful life, which guided him safely through so many dangers, decreed that he should die alone amid the seenes of his labors—that in a rude temporary hut, he, who was the superior of kings, should die unattended save by a few faithful Africans. It is not for us to question but to submit. The honors which would have been accorded him while living will be held in grateful rememberance, and we will often with mournful pride think and speak of David Livingstone, the last and greatest African traveller and devoted missionary, whose name will be enshrined among the illustrious African travellers who have gone before him, and whose deeds have shed renown on the name of Briton wherever it is known.

The temperance people in and out of Ottawa are rejoicing over the victory gained in the abolition of the restaurant connected with the House of Commons. It is worthy of note that most of the members who advocated its removal declared that they were not teetotallers.

THE Hon. A. J. Smith, Minister of arine and Fisheries, has left Ottara for Washington to take part in he negotiations connected with the Sisheries and Reciprocal Trade be-ween Canada and the United States. March 25, 1874.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL Clarke of Manitoba is lying seriously ill at the Russell House, Ottawa.

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Re-Division of Counties,—Among the bills which are to be introduced before the close of the session, one of great importance to Ontario will be brought forward for a re-division of those counties which were "gerrymandered" by the late Government in the interest of the Tory party. In the Bill it is expected that Wellington and Huron will be rectified, and Monck will not be forgotten, as it is thought better to have one, bill embracing the whole work to be done, instead of legislating separately for each case were wrong has been instead of legislating separately for each case were wrong has been inflicted. That wrong was inflicted on all these Counties very few Conservatives will now deny, and the sooner a fair and just redivision is made the better.

A YOUNG man named Pique has received at the hands of the Mayor of Dover, the Royal Humane Society's certificate, for having leaped from the height of forty feet into the sea, and saved the life of an artilleryman who had been blown off the Admiralty Pier, by the discharge of a gun.

There is a lady of Sagadahoc county, Maine, who has a head of remarkably fine hair. The average length is seven feet five inches. When unbraided and falling loose, it trails for quite a distance on the floor. She has refused a large offer for the hair, on which she naturally prides herself next to her head.

RESIGNATION OF Mr. BRYDOSS.—It is

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RESIGNATION OF Mr. BRYDGES.—It is stated that Mr. Brydges last week forwarded to England his resignation as Managing Director of the Grand Trunk Railway. He resigned about two years ago, but was at that time prevailed on to retain his office. He will continue to perform the duties of his position until his successor is appointed. It is generally understood that he has a much more lucrative position in view.

Manityde Mounter Police.—This force

A LEX. F. PIRIE, Issuer of Marriage Licenses, Herald Office, Guelph. Guelph, Dec. 18, 1872.

BIRTHS.

BUCHAM—In Guelph, on the 2nd inst., the wife of Mr. A. O. Bueham, merchant, of a daughter.

Winan—At Exeter, on the 24th ult., Dr Winan, in the 62nd year of his age.

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Tenders will be received at the Town Clerk's Office, up to twelve o'clock noon, on MONDAY, APRIL 6th, next, for the

Erection of a New Town Hall and Market House,

As well as an Extension of the present building.
Plans and Special cations can be seen at the
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For further particulars apply to
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Guelph, March 31, 1874.

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MISS MORRISON

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In all shades, comprising

Each package warranted to color one or ore pounds of goods. See sample card in window. Price 15 cents per package.

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Warranted to remove false hair without in-uring the skin, G. B McCULLOUGH, No. 3, Day's Block, Next door to J. E. McElderry's and directly opposite John Horsman's.

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Take pleasure in announcing that in addition to their wholesale trade they are now selling at retail at their new At the Factory, Oxford st.,

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Apply direct to the undersigned GUTHRIE, WATT & GUTTEN, April, 1873 dwtf Guelph

# The Riva Clansmen

A Scottish Vendetta.

CHAPTER XXIV. CHAPTER XALV.

TERON AND IAN BEGIN TO PEEL UNEASY

—PLORA MAGGERGOR, AND ANNE
MYLEOD PRISONERS AT DROCHDAIRGH
NEWS OF THE ASSASSINATION OF NED
GORDON AND HIS SISTER JEAN NIE—

"HECTOR MUST DIE!"

When they had got up to the top of Glen Dochart, and had turned to ride along by the side of Loch Rushk, Cameron and M'Kenzie seemed to throw off their fear to some extent, and talked freely to one another. But neither of them saw a swift-footed though stealthily-moving figure which followed close behind. Had they done so, their cheeks might well have blanched with terror. It was not so, however, with Flora Macgregor. She had detected the figure, and had watched it intently, and felt confident that it promised help to herself and companion. Nor was she mistaken—her hopes were rising on a sure foundation, for the figure she had seen was Ænas M'Donald. The result of his following we saw in our last chapter. And when he had turned to go back to Hector with the intelligence he now possessed, the girl felt buoyed up by the thought that he had gone to bring assistance. In know not who it might have been—she was sure it was not Hector himself, but believed it must have been some of the M'Leods. Oh, how she longed for an opportunity of imparting the information to Anne M'Leod, that she too might share her hopes.

Cameron and Ian had made up their minds to go to Mr. Fender's and have the ceremonies performed at once, so when they drew to the end of their journey and had reached Strathpeffer they gave Drogdairch a "wide berth," and rode direct to Dingwall. It was evident that the snowstorm had not raged in the eastern part of the country, for as they rode through Dingwall shortly after daybreak the sloping hills around weredark and bare, while the hard streets resounded beneath the horses' hoofs. When they had reached the manse Cameron ordered Gregor to dismount and knock at the door. The landlord at once did so but it was a considerable time before any answer was made—Cameron and Ian meanwhile chaing under the delay. At length, however, the door was opened by a shivering half-naked girl, who timorously asked their business.

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He went to Inverness, sir, and I ex-thim home again this afternoon." ameron turned to Ian as he mut-

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"We'll have to brave it out, M'Ken" Then, aloud to the girl—"Tell
to come to Droghdairch as fast as
feet can carry him whenever he comes

him to come to Droghdairch as fast as his feet can carry him whenever he comes home. It he girl promised that she would, and in order to help her memory, Cameron threw a piece of money to her as he turned to ride away. In a few minutes after, they were again spurring through the town on their way westward to Droghdairch. It was not without considerable reluctance that Cameron had made up his mind to pass the time there until Fender should return, for he was well aware that it was far from safe for him to remain many days longer at Droghdairch, known, as he now was, to be the leader of the Caterans of Ben-a-Chrui. It was from Captain Winterton, however, that he anticipated danger chiefly, and, as he believed that the Captain with his men were still in Wester Ross, he did not expect any mishap from the delay of a single day. Besides the day's quiet would be of use. He and M'Kenzie had schemes to conceet and plans to arrange which could be better done in the privacy of Droghdairch than elsewhere. He was clear-headed enough to see that, although both himself and M'Kenzie heat schemes to the two women, a good deal still required to be done to place them in a favorable position.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

Trains leave (Guelph as follows:
2:17 a.m.; 0:45 a.m.; 1:59 p.m., 6:00 p.m.\*, 8:33
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GREAT WESTERN-GUELPH BRANCH Going south-6:40 a m; 1 pm; 2 30 pm; Going south—5:40 am for Southampton; Going north—11:55 am for Southampton; mixed 1:40 p m for Palmerston; 6 p m for Harriston; 9:30 p m for Fergus.

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The Best Value and Largest Assortment, and why? Because we have adopted the only genuine mode of receiving Goods from France and
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Goods, Ribbons, Flowers, and Laces.

# Another addition of 1500 pieces of those Good Prints at 12<sup>2</sup>c. worth 16c.:

105 pieces Best Grenadine at 12½c, worth 25c; 279 pieces Fig Lustre in the newest shades for Easter dresses 25c, worth 37½c. New Checks, Pompadour Robes including trimmings at \$2 a robe, worth \$3. New Skirts, Printed Lawn, 75c a full dress, worth \$1.50. New Gloves, New Hose, all of which is stunning value.

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Wholesale and Retail Grocers, etc.

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New Table Raisins, New Valencia Raisins,

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New Figs, Almonds, Nuts, etc. THAS THAS

Also, our own importations of genuine Brandles, Wines, Scotch and Irish Whiskies wholesale and retail.

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# GUELPH E. O'DONNELL & Co.

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320 caddies best dollar Young Hyson Tea for 80c. per lb. 600 caddies of the best 75 cent Tea for 50 per lb. 95 caddies of nice Sweet Tea at 40c per lb. 120 caddies of Japan Tea worth 75c, for 50c. A few packages of Black Tea for 35c per lb. 10 hogsheads of Good Bright Sugar, 12lb. for \$1. 50 Ingersoll Cheese, very choice.

A very large stock of Groceries of all kinds always on hand Cheap.

Terms-Strictly Cash.

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Is now fully assorted in every department.

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HATS AND CAPS. GENTS' FURNISHINGS,

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We would inform our customers and the public in general that we never before

GUELPH, March 21, 1874

Shaw & Murton, MERCHANT TAILORS. Elephant Clothing Store.

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# READY-MADE CLOTH

Well Made and Fashionably Cut

Which they are selling at very low prices. Also, a new stock of

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OUR NEW TWEEDS

Were selected from six different houses, therefore we have a choicelot to choose from. We employ a Tailor.

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Hoyles & Ashton's Fancy Prints will be offered at 121 cents per yard

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For style, finish and durability will be found superior to former years. Ladles Pruncila Boots 75c per pair.

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OZENGES, all flavors;

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His Biscuits took the first prize over all others at the London Western couly place where they were outered for competition.
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stitution fitted for a life more enjoyable to themselves and more useful to the community. Since the opening of the institution 207 pupils have been admitinstitution 207 pupils have been admit-ted, but this is only a small fraction of those who should receive such benefits, as the census returns of 1871 show that in that year the total number in Ontario alone of the deaf and dumb was 1,412. In the County of Wellington there were 21 males and 25 females, making a total of 46, and of these 4 males and 4 fe-males have been sent, leaving at the pre-sent time in our midst no less than 17 males and 21 females. The Principal expresses the desire to obtain the names of all such, in order that they may se-cure the advantages of the institution.

# Fergus Correspondence.

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The sad suicide of Mr. Winstanley, formerly a Barrister in Fergus, caused much sorrow among his acquaintances. A deputation from the Fergus Y. M. C. A. intend visiting Guelph on Friday, the 3rd April, and a good time is expected with the Guelph Association.

Special Easter services are being held in the English Church this week, and are well attended.

THE Galt Reformer understand that the Rev. Mr. Muir, of that town, will accept a call from the congregation of Huntingdon, Quebec.

A correspondent informs us that the examination on the 20th, of the school in section No. 6, Minto, taught by Mr. Thomas R. Clark was very successful. The proceedings were varied by some excellent singing and reciting by the pupils. A number of prizes were given at the close.

The Troy Press has this Little Falls item: "A majority of the farmers have decided to make their cheese and butter at home thisyear, instead of sending it to factories to be made, as in years past. They claim they can make cheaper and better individually at home than collectively in factories."

PRESINTATION.—Mr. Alex. Ferguson, Teacher, Eden Mills, was presented by his pupils on Monday with an album, gold pen and pearl handled knife. Robt. Ramsey made the presentation, and Agnes Ramsey read the address, to which a feeling response was made.

WHAT IS IT?—The St. Catharines Times says that on Wednesday forenoon as some navvies were excavating for the new Canal near Merritton, they came upon some relies, which had apparently been concealed for many years in the bosom of mother earth. Among them is a sword and urn, both marked with the inystic letters, in antique style, L. O. O. F. L. I. R. P. A.

A TRAFFLEED CENT.—The Por Jan 1

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A Travelled Cent.—The Porland (Maine) Press says that five years ago a gentleman in that city scratched his name on a nickel cent and sent if on its travels. Eighteen months after, this cent came into the possession of a Lowell asquaintance, who marked his name up in Pennsylvania, and came into the hands of a former chum of the Porlander. Beegnizing the name, he inscribed his also on the coin. One day this week the men who started the cent on its travels was making a prirchase in a Lowell store, when the indentical nickel which left his pocket five years ago was handed to him in change.

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are afforded every facility for obtaining a practical acquaintance with the mechanical arts. During the year from October 1st, 1872, to September 30th, 1873, the total cost of management was 331, 234. 130 male and 63 female pupils have been sent from different parts of the Dominion, of whom 68 are supported by friends, 11 by the Government as orphans, and the remaining 114 by manicipalities, our own County sending 4. The benefit received is perhaps beyond computation, as this unfortunate class of society is by the aid of this institution fitted for a life more enjoyable to themselves and more useful to the Backerser.—Epps's Cocoa,—Grarkwell Backerser.—Epps's Cocoa,—Grarkwe

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BREAKFASE.—Epps's COCOA,—GRATEFUL AND COMPORITION. "By a thorough knowiedge 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 flavoured beverage which may save us many heavy doctors bills."—Givil Service Gazette. Made simply with boiling water or milk. Each packet is labelled—"James Epps & Co.", Homosopathic Chemists, London."

# To Business Men.

The circulation of the Mer cury and Advertiser being nearly five times that of any other paper published in the County of Wellington, business men and others would study their own interests by advertising in the Mercury and Advertiser.

FACTS FOR ADVERTISERS.

THE Gait Reformer understand that the Rev. Mir. Muir, of that town, will accept a call from the congregation of Huntingdon, Quebec.

The new Great Western Railway Freight House at St. Catharines, is being rapidly pushed forward, and when completed will be a very convenient building.

Ar the Fergus Easter fat cattle show Mr. Arthur Walker was awarded first prize for the herd, 2nd for the cow, and 2nd for the steer.

A correspondent informs us that the examination on the 20th, of the school in section No. 6, Minto, taught by Mr. Thomas R. Clark was very successful.

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### Galt Markets.

White Wheat from \$1.22 to \$124; Tres well \$119 to \$12; Barley \$1.25 \$1.99; Oats 38e to 40e; Pras 50e to 60e; Pot toes 30e to 47; Butter Be to 22e; Legis 17e 20e; Huy \$1.00 to \$14.00; Straw \$750; \$5 50; Pork \$7.09 to \$750.—Reformer,

By Telegraph to The Weekly Mercury. Elora Markets.

Fergus Markets.

April 1.
Fall Wheat from \$1.87to \$1.90; Spring Wheat 175 to \$1.77; Treadwell Wheat \$1.85 to \$1.87; arloy \$2.40 to \$2.50; Peas 930 to 950; Oats 112; to 114; Butter 25c to 25c; Eggs 12c to 135; ork \$6.25 to \$6.75; Wool 30c to 33c.

Fall Wheat from \$1 93 to \$1 95; Spring Wheat \$1 70 to \$1 75; Treat well \$1 \$5 to \$1 95; Spring Wheat \$1 70 to \$1 75; Treat well \$1 \$5 to \$1 90; Barley \$2 40 to \$2 50; Peas 90c to 90c; Oats 90c to \$15 5c; Batter 90c to 22c; Eggs 10c to 10; Pork \$7 50 to \$7 50. Drayton Markets.

Fall Wheat from \$1.55 to \$190; Spring fheat \$1.72 to \$1.72; Treadwell Wheat 180 to \$1.82; Barley \$2.40 to \$2.50; Peas 90c to 49, Oats clot to \$10.75 there \$2.50 to \$2.50; Earls to to \$00c; Pork \$7.00 to \$7.50; Wool Oue idea \$5.50 to \$4.05. Harriston Markets.

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March 31.

Wheat \$1 it to \$1.7; Spring Wheat of \$1.3; Barley \$1.15; to \$1.20; Pens-55c to lats 35c to 35c; Flour per br! \$6 to \$6.5c. eal per br! \$5.50; Pottatoes per bag 60c is per bag \$1.30 to \$1.50; Hece per br. c; Mutton per b \$6 to 10c; Pressed \$7.00 to \$7.00; Butter; \$2.5 to 25c; Eggs 90c; Turkeys 70c to 70c; Geose 60c to cleks per pair 40c to 90c; Chickens per 0; Hidos per 100 ewt \$8.00; Shoepskins 5c to \$1.25; Hay \$15.00; Wood percord

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