

HALIFAX HOTEL,

HOLLIS STREET, HALIFAX, N.S.
THIS Hotel is the largest and most commodious in the city of Halifax, and being centrally situated will be found most convenient for business men and tourists.
HENRY HESSELEIN, Proprietor
Halifax, 12th August. dw3m

DOMINION HOTEL,

GUELPH.
JOHN BUNYAN begs to inform his friends and the public that he has leased the above Hotel, in the BRICK HOUSE, MACDONNELL-ST., a few doors above Higginbotham's Drug Store, and immediately opposite Messrs. Sharpe's Seedstore. There is a good stable attached to the house, with good and commodious stabling. Every attention will be paid to customers in order to secure their comfort and convenience. The best of liquors and cigars always kept at the bar. Good accommodation for Boarders by the week at reasonable rates. Guelph, July 13th. dwly

AMERICAN HOUSE,

BOSTON, MASS.
The largest first-class Hotel in New England, offers to Tourists, Families and the travelling public, accommodations and conveniences superior to any other hotel in the city. During the past season additions have been made of numerous sets of apartments, with bathing rooms, wardrobes, &c., attached; one of Tutin's magnificent passenger elevators, the best ever constructed, conveys guests to the upper story of the house in one minute; the entries have been newly and richly carpeted, and the entire house thoroughly replenished and furnished, making it, in all its appointments, equal to any hotel in the country. Telegraph Office, Billiard Rooms and Cafe on the first floor. LEWIS RICE & SON, Prop'rs
Ang 18 do 6m

Anglo-American Hotel

FOR SALE.

THIS HOTEL is the only first-class building that lies on the line of the Grand Trunk Railway between Toronto and London. It is 130 feet long by 45 feet in width, 3 stories high and of cast-iron; 12 and 11 feet between ceilings; cellar full size of building, 10 feet deep. All stone kitchen 10 x 24, with a cistern that holds over 1000 barrels of water. It is situated in the best business part of the Town, and is directly opposite the proposed site of the new Union Passenger Station of the Great Western and Grand Trunk Railways. It is the only first-class building in town that is capable of doing a first-class business. The hall runs through the centre of the main building; the rooms are well ventilated and none in the house dark. The furniture is nearly new, having been purchased only four years ago, and will be sold at a valuation. There is a stone stable capable of affording accommodation for 100 horses, well arranged and runs through to the back street.

A Capital Farm.

Likewise there is a farm of 90 acres of the best land in the county, and the best cultivated, and will produce more per acre this season than any farm of its size in this county. Three barns and feeding stable and log house are on the farm. Also a running spring creek, and other springs that never fail. The fences are of board and new. The farm is laid out in ten acre fields. All the farm implements are new, and will be sold if desired at a valuation.

First-Class LIVERY STABLE.

Also, there is in connection with the hotel a Livery Stable, one of the best in Ontario, of fifteen horses, doing the only first-class business in town and indisputably the largest in all the West. As the proprietor is retiring from business he offers to the public a property, the advantages of which are seldom enjoyed by one man in business. The whole will be sold without reserve within three months either the business separately, or the whole property as may be agreed upon to suit the purchaser.
TERMS: For the hotel property, half cash down will be required, the remainder to be paid in six yearly instalments, at ten per cent, allowed off the second half, if paid at time of sale.
Guelph, Aug. 29. JAMES O'NEIL, Proprietor, dwf

CASTLE GARDEN SALOON

MARKET SQUARE
GUELPH, ONT.

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

THE BAR

will be supplied with the best
Wines, Liquors & Cigars

And the table with the delicacies of the season. The liquors will be spared to make it a first-class establishment.

LUNCHEON!

Every day from 1 to 3 o'clock.

OYSTERS AND GAME,

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

JOHN MILLER, Proprietor,
Late of the Commercial Hotel, Whitby
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.
Guelph Jan. 29, 1868. do

CARD TO THE PUBLIC.

THE subscriber respectfully informs the public that on and after this date his business will be conducted strictly on the

CASH SYSTEM.

No credit will be given to any one. The undersigned hopes by carrying out the above system to be enabled to give his numerous customers Goods at a lower price than they can be bought for elsewhere. He begs to acknowledge past favors, and hopes by strict attention to business to merit a still greater share of their patronage.

T. J. DAY, Bookseller,

Opposite the Market.
Guelph, 13th October. dw

DOMINION LIVERY STABLE

GUELPH, ONTARIO.

H. MARRIOTT

DEGS to inform the citizens of Guelph and the travelling public that he has started a Livery Stable next door to Mr. W. Armstrong's Blacksmith's Shop, Macdonnell Street, where he can supply

Saddle Horses, Horses and Buggies, Commercial Waggon
At the shortest notice. Also, a large

PLEASURE WAGGON!

FOR PIC-NICS
Guelph, 19th June do6m

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FOR THE MILLION.

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E. HARVEY & CO.

NOW offering at the MEDICAL HALL every description of
PARLOR, BED-ROOM, KITCHEN, HALL and SIDE LAMPS,
At prices which defy competition. Who will want LIGHT when a first-rate COAL OIL LAMP, WICK and CHIMNEY can be obtained at the Medical Hall for the small sum of 25 cents.

SPLENDID PARLOUR LAMPS

From 50c. to \$5.

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THAT IS COAL OIL.

If you want the Pure, Genuine O.L. for family use, procure it at the MEDICAL HALL, where none but the very best is kept.

E. HARVEY & CO.,

Cor. Wyndham & Macdonnell-Sts. Guelph
Guelph, October 1st. dw

ONE IN TEN.

Statistics show that One in every Ten of the entire population meets with an Accident every year.

INSURE AGAINST ACCIDENTS

By taking a yearly Policy in

THE TRAVELLERS

INSURANCE CO'Y,

OF HARTFORD, CONN.

Cash Assets, over One Million.

Has paid \$850,000 in Losses for Death or Injury by Accident.

E. MORRIS, Agent for Guelph
October 20. 41m

FUNERALS

WILLIAM BROWNLOW UNDERTAKER,
SHOP, in rear of the WELLINGTON HOTEL
S. Douglas Street. House in rear of Mr. F. W. Stone's Store, and fronting the Fair Ground.
The undersigned intimates that he is prepared to attend.

FUNERAL

As usual in Town and Country. Coffins always ordered and made to order on the shortest notice. Terms very moderate.
March 20 1868. WM. BROWNLOW
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SALT, SALT

[Wholesale and Retailist]

A. H. R. KENNEDY'S

FLOUR AND FEED STORE,
UPPER WYNDHAM-ST., GUELPH
Guelph Jul 24 dw-tf

TROTTER & GRAHAM,

DENTISTS!

GUELPH and BRAMPTON
LICENTIATES OF DENTAL SURGERY,
Successors in Guelph to T. Trotter.
Office, over Higginbotham's Drugstore
Guelph, 2nd August, 1868. (dwly)

Evening Mercury.

OFFICE.....MACDONNELL STREET
THURSDAY EV'NG, NOV. 5, 1868.

Local and Miscellaneous

Christopher Hughes, aged 16 years, fell from a swing at a picnic in the County of Bruce a few days ago, and sustained fracture of both thigh bones.

The Orangemen have erected a monument at Belleville, to the memory of the late Mr. Benjamin, a former Grand Master and member of the old Canadian House of Assembly.

HANDSOME DONATION.—Adam Brown, Esq., and Messrs. Kerr, Brown & McKenzie, of Hamilton, have made a joint presentation to the Minto Mechanics' Institute, of over fifty volumes of well bound, useful books.

The total amount of Mr. Peabody's benefactions is over seven millions of dollars. He has not left a single known relative unprovided for, the amount of his gifts to them ranging from \$50,000 to \$150,000 each.

An illicit distillery was seized at Sarnia a few days since. A worm, a tub, two fermenting tuns and a malt kiln came into possession of the officers, but the former owners had fled, although the nest was still warm.

The German book publishers complain bitterly of the dullness of their trade.—They assert that the growing popularity of literary papers in Germany has almost destroyed the book trade, as far as light literature is concerned.

Mr. Carswell, of Ingersoll, the great cheese merchant, has purchased the entire manufacture of the Strathallan factory, and will freight a vessel for England next month with his shipments.

A Mrs. Durkee, of Thorold, died suddenly in that village on Monday. She was apparently in her usual health when she complained of a violent pain in her neck, and shortly afterwards was seized with convulsions from which she never rallied.

There was a considerable quantity of whiskey disposed of yesterday, and the effects were shown in the development of a pugnacious spirit on the part of several individuals. Some police court cases form a sort of epilogue to the drama of Wednesday.

The Prince of Wales laid the foundation stone of the New University buildings in Glasgow on the 9th inst. This noble pile with the grounds on which it is to stand will cost \$350,000 sterling.—\$120,000 of which has been granted by Parliament, the remainder being raised by subscription. The old university was founded in the year 1450.

Murphy, the English anti-Popery agitator, proposes to stand as a candidate for Manchester in the coming general election, and wants his friends to contribute £3,000 toward his election expenses. He says he is determined to go the polls, and once in Parliament, means to say such things as have never been heard there before.

THE WRONG SHOP.—The Toronto Telegraph says that yesterday a gent from the rural districts entered the Montreal Telegraph Company's Office, and after gazing for a while, pulled from the pocket of his overcoat a plethoric pocket book, from which he took a large sum of money. Handing it to one of the clerks in attendance, he requested him to send it by telegraph to a party in Hamilton. It was with difficulty that he could be convinced of his mistake, and induced to try the Express Company.

KEEP OFF THE CROSSINGS.—It is very customary for drivers to stop their teams on crossings, and now that the muddy roads are here, this is a great inconvenience to foot passengers. It is at least very ill-bred and churlish to constrain not only men, but ladies and children, to wade ankle-deep in mud when there is not the shadow of a pretext for so doing. If there is a by-law against stopping teams on crossings there are louts against whom it is a pity not to enforce it.

A touching instance of childish devotion is told in a New Brunswick paper. Three children there got astray. One was about six years of age, the others four and three. It was a wild region, and in wild weather, and at the edge of night. From signs, it seems that the six-year old child soon felt sure there was no hope of their being found, or finding themselves that night, and so it took measures at once for the safe keeping of its little ones. Putting them in the most sheltered nook it could find, it then stripped away the most of its own garments to put on them, and set out to gather dry seaweed and brush to cover them up and defend them. Quite a quantity of this had been gathered and piled about the babes into a sort of nest, and there they lay when the people found them, still alive; but the six-year old mother and martyr lay out on the shore dead of cold—lay beside the last pile of brush it had been able to gather, but was not able to bring in.

Complimentary Tea Meeting.

A complimentary Tea Meeting to the members of the Missionary Committee of the Wesleyan Church was held last night. Although the weather was very unfavourable, being dark and rainy, there was quite a large gathering, for the body of the church was nearly filled. After the ministers and lay members of the Committee and the company had partaken of a most bountiful and excellent tea, which was served in the basement by a corps of very active lady waiters, an adjournment was made to the church. The Rev. W. M. Punshon, the President of the Conference, occupied the chair and on the platform were seated also the Rev. Messrs. Elliott, Borland, Clarke Griffin, &c.

The Rev. W. W. Clarke commenced the business of the evening by presenting, in the name of the Wesleyan Methodist congregation of Guelph, an address of welcome to the members of the Missionary Committee. It is an able and eloquent document. After bidding them a hearty welcome to the homes and Christian hospitalities of the Methodists of Guelph it goes on to say: "We could not consent to allow these exercises to close without expressing the unbounded gratification your visit has afforded us. This has been pre-eminently a family gathering. We feel honoured in having the privilege of opening our homes to the assembled wisdom and piety of Canadian Methodism, and with you we would unite in devout aspirations of praise for her marvellous achievements of the past in missionary enterprise, in prayer for yet greater successes in the future, and in thank-offerings to help forward the glorious missionary work. The address then went on to speak of the history and characteristics of Methodism, which rose in obscurity without secular power to defend, or earthly wealth to aid her. Her foundations were laid amid reproach, and triumphed in spite of opposition. She asked nothing from earth and lacked nothing from Heaven. The pockets of the poor have been her patrimony, the prayers of her children her basis, and the blessings of the Lord her trust. The address then referred in eloquent terms to the great work of Barbara Heck, the founder of Methodism in the new world, had been instrumental in accomplishing, and it is no small matter that Canada has been counted worthy to have the legacy of her dust. Could the fathers who first preached the glad tidings of salvation in the sounding aisles of the wilderness be now recalled to the scenes of earth, they would gaze with rapture of delight upon what, by reason of its familiarity may perhaps excite but little emotion in our minds, for we stand not amid signs of decrepitude and decay, but where the accumulated wisdom and resources of a hundred years surround us, where our great history becomes prophecy for a greater future. The address closed with an earnest appeal to Christians to work for the spread of holiness and the richer baptism of the Holy Ghost. It is the duty of those who have got into the temple of truth, and have kindled their lamps at the altar where burns the fire that comes down from Heaven, to pass back the light, as the Greeks of old did at one of their festivals, until the wide, wide world shall be girdled round with light by seers, and the lands of the Heathen be filled with the knowledge of the glory of the Lord.

The Rev. Mr. Punshon replied on behalf of the Missionary Committee. After referring to the eloquent and suggestive address he expressed their warmest thanks for the hearty welcome and kindness they had received at the hands of the good people of Guelph, which was not yet a royal name, and he hoped would have a royal destiny. It was not possible for them to have received a kinder welcome, nor was it possible for any people to have evinced more interest than they did in the missionary work, as was shown by their attendance at the meeting on the previous night, and the patience which they manifested to its close. He then spoke for a short time on Methodism—that her greatest glory was to preach Christ to every man—that she was the friend of all churches, and the enemy of none. Though there were trivial differences in churches, these did not detract from their beauty. Though the members might each have their own peculiarities, yet they were at the same time the children of one common Father, and they all loved him. He spoke also of the glorious work which Christians had imposed on them. In proportion as every minister and member did his work faithfully and earnestly so would they grow in manliness and power. No work could be nobler than that in which they were engaged—the saving of souls—for the results of the salvation of one soul no one could fully estimate or magnify. After again thanking the people of Guelph for all their kindness, he sat down amid great applause.

The Rev. Mr. Elliott also made a few remarks, and he was followed by the Rev. J. Carroll, who made a capital, humorous and appropriate speech. Mr. Glendinning, of Montreal, also thanked the people of Guelph for their address and welcome.

The meeting then broke up after singing the doxology, and prayer by Rev. Mr. Borland, the Committee having still a large amount of business to transact. The company, however, adjourned to the basement, where tea was served to those who could not be present earlier. The very pleasant social was continued till after 10 o'clock.

The Halifax Express, although differing from Mr. Howe, in the course he has pursued, still believes that he will neither allow himself to be over-reached by the Dominion Government, nor gagged by the anti-confederates of Nova Scotia. This means, we presume, that of the three modes of relief suggested by Mr. Howe, in his recent letter, viz: a fresh appeal to the Imperial Government; the Confederation of Nova Scotia with the Maritime Provinces, and the modification of the existing Confederation. Mr. Howe personally favors the last one. We are quite sure that if serious defects in the present constitution are pointed out by the House of Commons will heartily co-operate with him in seeking their amendment. Even sacrifices should be made in favor of Nova Scotia, if making them would convert the Union in name into one in reality.

BY TELEGRAPH

PER ATLANTIC CABLE.

Despatches to the Evening Mercury

MADRID, 4th.—The Provisional Government has abolished the customs duty in Cuba, Porto Rico, and Philippine Islands, on all goods and materials intended for works of public utility. The officers and men of the Spanish navy have been placed on the same footing as to rank and pay as those of the army.

PARIS, 4th.—The Patrie says that Mr. Burlingame and the Chinese Embassy will arrive in Paris in January, when they will make propositions to open to foreign commerce all ports on the interior waters of China, to have European consuls stationed at all great cities of the Empire, and to send Chinese consuls to the principal cities of Europe.

LONDON, 4th.—The sheriff of London gave a dinner this evening, at which Rev. J. J. Jackson was chief guest, and had an enthusiastic reception. In reply to a toast, "The United States," Mr. Johnson said, "Although a Southerner he had always believed the Union should be preserved at any cost. He extolled the heroisms of the war, and particularly Gen. Grant, Sherman, Hancock and Sheridan, and Admirals Farragut and Porter. He believed the American debt would be paid in gold, and said that the American people would have been ungrateful if they had not elected Gen. Grant to the Presidency. Mr. Johnson dined with the working men of London the last part of this month.

MADRID, Nov. 4.—Gen. Dulce delays his departure for Cuba on account of sickness. He takes out a decree providing for the election of Deputies in the Island. He is also instructed to carry into force measures to liberalize the administration of Cuba, to establish the liberty of the press, divide the Island into three provinces and suppress unpopular institutions. Oloaguez and his party have issued a manifesto, urging the necessity of maintaining a Monarchical form of government in Spain. It is positively asserted that the Government will now recognize the Mexican republic.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—The Post announces the following programme as *quasi* official. The dissolution of Parliament will take place on the 11th inst. All uncontested elections are to commence on the 16th, and contested in boroughs on the 17th, and in Counties at a later date. The new Parliament will be summoned to meet on Wednesday the 9th of December, when the Queen's speech will be delivered, and the policy of the Ministry on the questions at issue announced. The Right Hon. John Evelyn Denison will be re-elected Speaker. It is believed that the House will be ready to proceed to business by Monday 14th of December. The opposition will probably move as a test question an amendment to the Queen's speech, which the House will debate until Friday, the 18th, when it is supposed the motion will be carried by a large majority, and the House will adjourn until the following Monday. On the re-assembly of the House, the Premier will announce his resignation and that of his colleagues in the Ministry. Mr. Gladstone will follow with a motion to adjourn over for the holidays, to afford an opportunity for the formation of a new Cabinet.

Edinburgh, Nov. 4.—Mr. John Bright was publicly received here yesterday, by the Lord Provost and members of the city government, and presented with the freedom of this city. The Court of Sessions of Edinburgh, on a final appeal, has rendered a decision disallowing the claims of women to the rights of the franchise.

Berlin, Nov. 4.—King William to-day opened the session of the Prussian Diet with a speech from the throne. He said new sources of revenue were needed to provide for the increased expenditure of the kingdom. The relations of Prussia with foreign powers were satisfactory and friendly. He hoped that Spain would succeed in independently reconstituting her affairs on a basis which would render the future welfare of her people secure. The King concluded by declaring that the wishes of sovereigns, and the popular craving for peace, would ensure peace, and should remove those groundless fears of which advantage is too often taken by the enemies of peace.

American Despatches

New York, 5th.—The Tribune claims 210 electoral votes for Grant, and 79 for Seymour. It gives New York State 6,600 Democratic majority.

Omaha, 4th.—Complete returns from eight counties in Nebraska give a Republican majority of 2132. From all parts of the State the majority cannot fall short of 4,000.

Indianapolis, 4th.—Thirty-five counties have been heard from, thirty-one of which give Republican gains of 3,890. Grant's majority will be 11,000.

Nashville, 4th.—Tennessee has gone over to Grant by a reduced majority.

Havana, Nov. 4.—The Haytian war vessels *Petion* and *Salnavé* have bombarded the Port of Jeremie for three days. President Salnavé commanded in person.—The American, English and French consuls demanded time for the removal of women and children, but their request was denied, the bombardment commenced, many women and children were killed, and all the houses in the city including consular edifices, destroyed or badly injured. The indignation in Hayti against Americans is increasing which is caused by the fact that the Haytian Government was furnished with war vessels by Americans. It is expected the bombardment of Jacmel will soon follow.—Santa Anna has arrived in San Domingo. Venezuela advices state that Gen. Plaza has been elected President of Bolivia.

A system of "passenger postage," is being agitated in certain quarters in England on the Rowland Hill plan, that is to treat a passenger like a letter, and carry him any distance at a fixed minimum rate. 252,000,000 passengers travelled last year in Great Britain, whose average fare was fourteen pence. A uniform threepence fare, it is thought, would increase the passenger traffic six-fold, increasing the present revenue more than four millions sterling, but if the third class was made 3d, the 2nd class 6d, and the 1st class a shilling rate, it is calculated that the traffic in a year would yield £32,000,000, or more than double the present revenue. How pleasant it would be to travel say 500 miles for one shilling! The idea is after all not Utopian.

The Expected Return of Livingstone.

Sir Roderick I. Murchison addresses the following letter to *The Times*:
Sir: I am happy to make known to the public that letters which I have just received from Dr. Kirk of Zanzibar, dated Aug. 18 and 30, inform me that he had received through an Arab messenger short letters from Dr. Livingstone, written at Marungu and Casembe, places which lie to the S. and S. W. of Lake Tanganyika.

As these brief letters were written in the months of October and December of 1867, we have now obtained intelligence which satisfactorily accounts for the delays that have occurred since he wrote to myself and others from a more southern latitude in the month of February, 1867. It appears that Livingstone has been living during three months with friendly Arabs, and waiting for the close of a native war before proceeding on his way to Ujiji, and he told the Arab messenger that after exploring Lake Tanganyika he intended to return to Zanzibar. This is the first announcement from himself that he intended to quit Africa by that route, and it confirms the suggestion I made long ago to the Royal Geographical Society, as stated in *The Times* of Oct. 7.

The letters of Dr. Kirk are very comforting, inasmuch as they make clearly known to us that Livingstone is still alive, and that information had been sent to meet Livingstone at Ujiji, and that our great traveller was aware of their being so sent. Dr. Kirk also reminds me that when Livingstone went on this expedition (and he has not received any European news since) he was unacquainted with the discovery of Baker and the southern extension of Lake Albert Nyanza toward the Tanganyika; but, as the map of Baker has also been transmitted to Ujiji, Livingstone will at once see that it was more than ever incumbent on him to try to solve the great problem of the Nilotic watershed of Africa, by determining whether these great lakes are united, separated by high lands, and, if separated, by ascertaining into what river system Tanganyika discharges its surplus waters.

With the authentic data now before us we may well believe that the news which came by telegram from Bombay, dated October 3, was perfectly correct; for, after Livingstone quitted the southern end of Tanganyika, he will have had about ten months to explore the whole course of that lake, and afterward to find his way to the seacoast.

Your readers must remember that the ordinary post from Zanzibar, whether by the Seychelles or the Cape, usually takes six weeks or more to reach England, and hence if my distinguished friend reaches that place in a week after the departure of the steamer which carried the news to Trincomeale, some weeks may probably elapse before we can know of his arrival at Zanzibar. He may, indeed, bring the news himself, and enable his admiring countrymen to give him a hearty welcome before Christmas. Your obedient servant,
RODERICK I. MURCHISON.
Royal Geographical Society, 15 Whitehall-place, Oct. 19.

Expulsion of the Jesuits from Spain.

Subjoined is the text of the Ministerial order expelling the Jesuits from Spain:
"MADRID Oct. 12.—I decree the suppression throughout the Peninsula, and adjacent Islands of the regular order called the Company of Jesus. All the colleges and training schools for priests shall be closed in three days, and the temporalities taken possession of by persons appointed by the authorities of the provinces in which these establishments are situated. In this latter measure will be included all the property and effects of the order, movable and immovable, buildings and revenues, which shall form part of the national wealth in conformity with the provision of the royal decree of the 4th of July, 1805. The members of the company shall no longer be able to meet as a body or a community, to wear the dress of the order, nor to be in any way answerable to the superiors of the body existing in or out of Spain. Those not ordained as priests shall remain entirely subjected to ordinary civil jurisdiction. I charge the archbishops, bishops, and those who exercise ecclesiastical or civil authority, to aid, each in what concerns him, the faithful execution of the present enactment, in accordance with the Pragmatic Sanction of the 2nd April 1767, and the brief of his Holiness of the 21st July, 1772.
"AYRONSIO ROMERO ORTIZ,
Minister of Grace and Justice."

THE GUELPH POLICE COURT.

Before T. W. Saunders, Esq., Police Magistrate.
THURSDAY 5th.—*Win Bell* was up again this morning on a charge of disorderly conduct. Fined \$2 and costs.

Herapath of the 17th ult, says:—Hudsonson's Bay Company's shares have been freely purchased, on a report that a bill is about to be brought into the Canadian House of Assembly for the purpose of buying the territory of the Company. In other words, the expectation of humbugging Canada into paying a huge price for the Company's rights has increased the value of the stock. It is rather suspicious to find that this rise in value and demand is contemporary with the arrival of Cartier and McDougall in Europe.

A young gentleman and lady of New Albany, Indiana, have made a novel bet on the Presidential election. If Grant is elected the young man agrees to marry the lady, and if Seymour is elected the young lady is to marry the gentleman. The bet is a good one for the young lady. "Heads I win, tails you lose."

GRAND EXCURSION.—We are informed says the *Intelligencer* that the St. George's Society of Belleville intend arranging for a cheap trip to England and back next year. This will be a big thing if carried out, and from the success of their last excursion to Montreal, we have no doubt it will be well got up.

The corporation of Dublin has granted a site for a monument to Smith O'Brien, at the crossing from D'Olier street to Carlisle bridge. This we suppose is in consideration of his cabbage garden exploits in 1848.

Legislature of Ontario.

TORONTO, Nov. 4.

After a number of petitions had been presented, and a committee appointed to draft Standing Committees, Mr. Lount rose to move that a humble address be presented to His Excellency, the Lieutenant-Governor, thanking him for his speech at the opening of the session. In so doing this he felt a great degree of diffidence. Yet he had every confidence that the House would give him a gracious hearing. He felt excessively gratified at having the honour of moving the address, more especially as he found in looking over it, that it fully accorded with his own views. He would beg to assure His Excellency that in the matter alluded to in the first paragraph, where he expresses his gratification at meeting the House for the first time, that the feeling was fully reciprocated by the House. It was gratifying to find that, in the person of His Excellency, the Province had a gentleman of high attainments, and one who in the past had occupied a foremost position; and it was an assurance on all hands that those who struggled for the attainment of the high positions, might hope to accomplish that end. As to the period of their assembly here he thought it the fittest time. He then proceeded to review the Speech, touching on most of the measures recommended in it and dwelling on the importance of the passing of such measures to the Province. In closing he said it was gratifying to find it stated that the new constitution of the Province had been working to the best advantage. In the spirit of enterprise and progress he felt they must advance under the laws they at present had; it was the hope of all, as expressed by His Excellency, that the hand of Providence would guide them in their deliberations.

Mr. D. D. Calvin, the newly elected member for Frontenac, seconded the address, and spoke in favour of some change being made in the election law. He said that though just elected professedly by the Conservative party, he had many Liberal supporters. He was not bound by his party so as to sacrifice his duty to his country. He would support the Government, but would endeavour at the same time to bring that Government as close as possible to his own views.

Court of Chancery.

NOVEMBER 4th.
The Guelph sittings of the Court of Chancery opened to-day before Hon. Vice-Chancellor Sprague.
MC SWEENEY vs. KAY.—This was a suit by John McSweeney against Charles Kay of Fergus, to redeem the Wellington Hotel property, Fergus. Plaintiff alleged that Kay really only held a mortgage against the property. Kay denied this and asserted that he owned the property subject to an agreement for its sale to Sweeney dated 16th July, 1895, and that Sweeney had failed to comply with the terms of the agreement. A number of witnesses were called on both sides. His Lordship held that the only rights Sweeney had were under the agreement—but reserved judgment on the question as to whether Sweeney had broken the agreement. Mr. Blake, Q. C., and Mr. Peterson for plaintiff; Mr. Roof, Q. C., and Mr. Guthrie for defendant.
LOWES vs. PHILLIPS—A redemption suit. Decree for plaintiff. Mr. Cross for plaintiff; Mr. Drew for defendant.

Rifle Tournament.

The Annual Rifle Tournament, under the auspices of the Guelph Rifle Association began at the Ranges this morning. A large number of competitors presented themselves. The tournament will be continued to-morrow, two matches being arranged for each day. The Association Match, open to members of the Guelph Rifle Association, was concluded about noon. The distances were 300 and 400 yards; Wimbledon targets. The highest number of points made by any of the winners of prizes was 29, the tenth man making 22. Scores to-morrow.

"THE WOMAN'S KINGDOM."

This story has been running through successive numbers of Harper's Magazine, and is now published in book form. A distinguished French litterateur has said of a contemporary writer that "she has written novels that excite the deepest interest in men of the world, and which every girl will be the better for reading." The remark applies with equal force to the distinguished authoress of "The Woman's Kingdom," (Miss Mulock) a copy of which is now before us. The story is at once intensely interesting and instructive, a strong moral feeling pervading it throughout. It will undoubtedly obtain a large sale. Copies may be had at Day's bookstore.

We have also received from Messrs. Tunis & Co., two volumes of Henry Ward Beecher's Sermons, which will be noticed in a few days.

At a meeting held to-day for the nomination of candidates for the office of Deputy Reeve for Guelph township, two candidates were proposed, namely Mr. George Darby and Mr. Mathew Sweetman, jr. The polls will be opened on Saturday morning next at nine o'clock and closed at five p. m.

NEW STAGE.—We observe that Mr. Gerrie, of Fergus, has put another stage on the road between that village and Guelph. It does not make the circuit of Elora, but runs direct, its time being as follows. Leave Fergus at 9 a. m., arrive in Guelph at 11.30; leave Guelph at 1 p. m.; arrive in Fergus at 4 p. m.

GOVERNOR GENERAL.—Private information from Ottawa states that Lord Monck will leave Quebec for England on the 14th inst. As it is not likely Sir John Young will leave England until Lord Monck arrives there, General Wyndham will be sworn in as Administrator in the meantime.

An unknown man was shot and fatally injured by one Shirky, in Chatham, on Friday night.

THE DESERTERS FROM THE REFORM RANKS, says the Galt Reformer, at last General Election were many, but the folly of their course has since been fully proved to a very great proportion of those who temporarily leagued themselves with the Conservative Party, by the shameful conduct of Gov. Howland, and the vacillating course of the Coalition Cabinet. All, however, have not seen the error of their ways, and among the few Liberal journals who saw fit to champion the Union of Parties, the Guelph Advertiser alone remains to glorify John A. & Co. We have always held fast to the belief that the change of principle on the part of the Advertiser was due to its fading fortunes, caused by the withdrawal of Reform support, and it is now becoming more clear than ever that the Ministerial "leaves and fishes" are what our friend is hankering after. That he has gone over "body and bones" as is said in electioneering language, there can now be no doubt, for we see in a late number that the editor favors the nomination of Mr. Thomas White of the Hamilton Spectator as a candidate for the representation of Centre Wellington in the Dominion Legislature, in the room of the late Dr. Parker. Mr. White is himself a deserter from the Reform Party, but his defection dates back many years, since which time he has become the most fossilized Tory journalist in Ontario. He was defeated by Mr. Sexton in South Westworth at last Election of members for Local Legislature, and for a young man who can conceive nothing in the way of antiquated old fogyism which could at all compare with the ideas expressed in his writings and his speeches. Centre Wellington deserves a better fate than to be represented by such a politician.

CENTRE RIDING PLOUGHING MATCH.—The ploughing match in connection with the Centre Riding of Wellington Agricultural Society took place on Friday last, in a field of sward, on the farm of Mr. Jas. Richardson, Garafraxa. There were only fourteen ploughs on the ground—nine in the men's class, and five in the boys'. No doubt the paucity of the number of competitors was owing to the fact that the match was open only to residents of the Riding, and partly to the weather being so favourable for the taking up of turnips. The field was all that any ploughman could desire, and the ground in most excellent condition. The work was all well done, and that performed by Edwin Day, with a Milroy plough, although he received no prize, was much admired by the spectators. Directors, Judges, ploughmen and spectators had their physical wants minutely administered to in the course of the day by Mr. Richardson. The Judges were Messrs. Bilby, Beattie and Johnson. Prizes were awarded as follows:—Men's Class—1st, Thos. Pritchard, Nichol, (McInnes plough); 2nd, Alfred Day, (Ramona, (Younger plough); 3rd, Watson Day, Ermosa, (Younger plough); 4th, John Nelson, Garafraxa, (McInnes plough); 5th, George Wilson, Garafraxa, (McInnes plough); 6th, Colin Campbell, Erin, (Milroy plough). Boys' Class—1st, J. Tindall, Nichol, (McInnes plough); 2nd, J. Corneer, Nichol, (McInnes plough); 3rd, Jas. Matric, Ermosa, (Younger plough); 4th, Wm. Shand, Nichol, (Johnson plough); 5th, Geo. Shand, Nichol, (Johnson plough).

THE ROCHESTER MURDER CASE.—Chas. Lamb was tried at the Wentworth Assizes in Hamilton last week for the murder of his son. The sad affair was proved to have arisen from an unfortunate misunderstanding which had existed between the father and son. The father in self-defence threw his hand behind him to defend himself against the attacks of his son, and in doing so cut his son from the effects of which he died. The prisoner was found guilty, but recommended to mercy, when he was sentenced to nine months imprisonment in the common gaol.

SOCIAL.—A social gathering of the Presbyterian congregation in Acton was held at the residence of Mr. Peter McGregor on Thursday evening next, 12th inst. The public are cordially invited.

YOUNG BOAR FOR SALE.
For sale a boar, drooped on the 1st of April. Same breed.
ALLAN SIMPSON,
Bucksouth, Guelph.
Guelph, Nov. 4.

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ON CORK STREET,
Opposite Dealy's Hotel,
Where he is prepared, as formerly to make up
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of every description at short notice, and in a superior style.
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Get a good coat carefully finished, and at moderate rates.
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Terms—One-fourth of the purchase money down and the balance in approved notes at three and six months, or a liberal discount for cash in full.
W. S. G. KNOWLES, Auctioneer,
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MONTEAL BOOT AND SHOE STORE.
Wholesale and Retail.
Just received:
GENTS' DRESS GAITERS,
GENTS' DRESS BALMORALS,
GENTS' FELT GAITERS,
GENTS' FELT OVERSHOES,
LADIES' WALKING BOOTS,
LADIES' FELT CONGRESS & Balmorals,
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Misses and Children's Shoes of all kinds, Also, a large stock of Boots and Shoes made by HAND, for Fall and Winter wear. Cheap for CASH only. Trade supplied at Montreal Prices.
JOHN McNEIL,
Montreal Boot and Shoe Store, Wyndham-St.
Guelph, November 4. d5

County Right for Sale.
TAKE NOTICE.
THE Subscriber having purchased the right of sale of Weer's Patent Lamp Burner, which does away with the use of Glasses with perfect safety, whereby the great saving of glasses for street and parlour lamps, and other places is effected, an active man can make \$4 a day by selling the burner. All parties selling without my consent will be prosecuted.
JAS. O'NEIL, Anglo-American Hotel,
Guelph, October 24th. d5w2w

FURS, FURS.
WE have opened our stock of Furs, of our own manufacture, which we will sell at LOW PRICES, viz:
EXTRA DARK MINK
ROYAL ERMINE
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RIVER MINK
LADIES' HOODS
And a full assortment of CHILDREN'S FURS, GENTS' TRIPPERS and GLOVES, SLEIGH ROBES, &c.
The highest price paid for Raw Furs.
F. CARLAND,
Market Square,
Guelph, 3rd Nov. d5w

FRESH ARRIVALS.
500 dozen Turnip Baskets.
50 dozen Corn Brooms.
12 " Fancy Corn Wines.
12 " Spruce Pails.
5 " Stable Pails.
12 " Toy Pails.
10 Cases Telegraph Matches.
5 Cases Parlor Matches.
12 dozen Butter Spoons, Cards, &c.
JOHN A. WOODS,
Wyndham Street,
Guelph, October 21st. d5w

First Prize Boar
THE splendid large-sized Berkshire Boar belonging to the undersigned, which took the First Prize at the late South Riding Fall show will serve sows for the season. Terms, \$1, cash at time of service.
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SPEEDVALE MILLS.
NOTICE.
THE Undersigned having purchased the Speedvale Mills from Mr. James Goldie, will always have the highest Market price for Wheat at his Mills. BEANS, SPORTS, MIDDINGS and SCALANINGS constantly on hand and will be sold at a reduction on Guelph Prices.
Speedvale Mills, Oct. 14. JOHN PIPE,
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JUST OPENED OUT AT
PETRIE'S
DRUG STORE
Old Post Office Building, Wyndham-St.

A Large Assortment of COAL OIL LAMPS, all sizes and kinds, will be sold CHEAP.

No. 1 COAL OIL.
A supply of No. 1 COAL OIL KEPT CONSTANTLY ON HAND.
A. B. PETRIE, Druggist.
Guelph, September 25th. d5w

EUREKA!
Money Saved is Money Gained
SAVE YOUR MONEY by purchasing at the GREAT CLOSING SALE of
MISCELLANEOUS & SCHOOL BOOKS,
STATIONERY
and FANCY GOODS,
WALL PAPERS
and Berlin Woods, now going on at
Shewan's Old Stand
Wyndham Street, Guelph.

GREAT POWERS
Are always neutral in small squabbles.
PREST & HEPBURN
In the leather war now going on between their opponents on the north side of Wyndham-st.

WE do not believe in hush and crankum, but deal with facts, and leave the verdict in the hands of the intelligent people of Wellington. We are prepared to prove, and we positively affirm, notwithstanding all the puffing and blowing which has become the order of the day, that PREST & HEPBURN, Wyndham Street, Guelph, manufacture more
BOOTS AND SHOES
And employ double the number of Workmen of any other establishment in the County of Wellington. We invite the public to call and look through our Factory, and they will be convinced that we are telling the truth, and nothing but the truth. A great deal has been said for and against machine-made Boots and Shoes. Now we believe, and we are confident that every well-balanced mind in Wellington will agree with us, that the less machinery used in the intelligent people of Wellington, the better. All our staple Boots and Shoes are made by hand, which must be admitted is far superior to any machine-made Goods. We have now on hand the largest and best assortment of Boots and Shoes ever offered to the people of Wellington, which we will sell as cheap as the cheapest.
Remember that all our work is warranted, and no second price. Repairs done as usual.
PREST & HEPBURN,
Guelph, 2nd November. d5w

RUTHERFORD HOUSE
All the remaining Stock of
DRY GOODS
AT COST PRICES,
And under cost prices, as the whole stock must be SOLD WITHOUT RESERVE before the
First of January,
As I am going out of that branch of the business and would particularly invite all to come and get a share of the GREAT BARGAINS, as they will get
As much for a Dollar as they can get elsewhere for a Dollar and a Half.
My Stock of GROCERIES is complete as I intend to carry on that part of the business. LIQUORS of the very best Quality of a kinds for Tavern-keepers.
Some very Cheap CROCKERY arrived.
Robert Rutherford,
Guelph, September 19th. d5w

Wools, FANCY GOODS
TOYS, &c.
JUST Arrived, an Immense Stock of Berlin, Zephyr, Saxony, Andalusian, Lady Betty, and Fancy Wools. English, Scotland American
FINGERING YARNS.
A Splendid assortment of Brains, Frillings, Ruffles, and General Fancy Goods.
A great variety of Slippers and Slipper Patterns, Ottomans, &c.
JET and RUBBER GOODS.
Juvenile Clothing always on hand and made to order.
Stamping for Braiding and Embroidery from the Latest Designs.
J. HUNTER,
Opposite the English Church, Wyndham-St
Guelph, September 12th. d5w

IMMENSE RUSH
CROWDED, CROWDED, CROWDED.

A. O. BUCHAM desires to record his thanks for a very large increase of business this fall. Our store presents an animated appearance.

WE ARE BUSY, BUSY, BUSY.

Dress Goods! Dress Goods!

Dress Goods selling rapidly. The demand continues. We present in this Department the most Attractive and Cheapest Lines to be found in the Trade. Our Stock is assorted weekly, and customers can rely on having a splendid choice of the latest productions to choose from.

Our Millinery, Mantle and Jacket Departments have been a decided success this season. Ladies invited to examine.

SATINETTES, FULL CLOTHS, TWEEDS—on hand an immense Stock of CANADIAN GOODS of every description, including a full supply of ROSAMUND'S CELEBRATED BLANKETS, from \$3 a pair up. Satinettes at 62 cents. Astonishing Goods.

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Frock Overcoats, Sack Overcoats, Pique Jackets, Sack and Shooting Coats, Superfine Frock Coats. Pants in Super Black Dressing, Fancy Dressing—silk mixed, Fancy and Canadian Tweeds, Woolen Coats, Filled Coats and Satinettes. VESTS—Single and Double Breasted in splendid variety. BOY'S CLOTHING, Overcoats, Body Coats, Pants and Vests.

HATS AND CAPS FOR MEN AND BOYS.
Collars, Neckties and Underclothing, Dress Shirts, Fancy Flannel, and Winesy Shirts. The Cheapest and most Complete Stock in the Trade. At

A. O. BUCHAM'S.
Guelph, 5th November. d5w

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SWEET POTATOES,
HAVANA ORANGES,
MALAGA LEMONS,
FINNAN HADDIES,
FRESH LOBSTERS,
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HUGH WALKER,
Nov. 6. d5w
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J. A. McMILLAN, Proprietor.
Guelph, 31 Oct. d5w
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ARE this day opening out the largest, most desirable, and CHEAPEST ASSORTMENT of Mourning Goods ever shown in Guelph.

New Sicilian Cloths,
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New Empress Cloths,
New Say Cloths,
French Merinoes,
French Cobourgs,
French Lustres, Silk warp
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Parasitic-Crape Cloths, Banettes, &c., Groat & Co's Superior Silk Crapes. SILVER taken at PAR.

BRITANIA HOUSE,
Guelph, November 4, 1898. d5w
Wyndham Street, Guelph.

SILVER TAKEN at PAR
PREMIUM FOR BILLS.

JACKSON & HALLET.
WE BEG to draw the attention of our friends, both in Town and country, to the EXTENSIVE STOCK OF

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Which we have now to hand, and we beg to assure that we can and will sell as cheap, if not cheaper, either wholesale or Retail, than parties who pretend more largely.

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NEW LONDAY LAYERS,
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NEW FIGS, Cases LEMONS.

Hotel-keepers will find it to their advantage to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere, as we are determined to put down the wholesale prices of Brandy, Rum, Gins and Cased liquors.

D. JACKSON.
Guelph, November 4th, 1898. d5w
J. HALLETT.

The Braes of Yarrow

An Historical Tale of the Sixteenth Century.

I expected that, he said with a mocking laugh, and you see was prepared for it.

High words, my lady, may serve at whiles, and he responded coolly, but they will not cut this leather strap, or carry you to your paramour.

You have been brought here, madam, to keep you out of harm's way, and by the authority of your good brother Lord Angus.

You lie, sirrah, she cried, indignant as much at the thought of her brother's complicity in this outrage, as at the insolent sneer of the man's tone.

Lord Angus would never have trusted such a you as are with the custody of his sister.

Lord Angus would intrust such as me with more things than you wot of, mistress to serve his own wise ends.

A friend of you, she retorted scornfully, 'Ay, when the lamb trusts itself to the wolf.'

To this she made no response. She perceived that she was unable to cope with this man, who was apparently ready to proceed to any extremity of violence should she give him occasion.

But I will bawle their purpose, whatever it be, she said to herself, subduing her passion and preparing to avail herself of the first opportunity that might be presented to escape.

The priory of St. Margaret on Mount Beniger had been founded in honor of the good Queen of that name.

They had now arrived at the gateway, and on the summons of Barras the postern was opened for their admission.

She followed, and he, being well acquainted with the place, crossed the court and ascended a flight of stairs, and halted before a low arched doorway, which he struck thrice with his whip.

They were conducted into a small room, in which the only articles of furniture were an image of the Saviour, a prie-dieu, and a block of wood, intended to serve as a seat for anyone who might be disposed to sit while waiting the pleasure of the priory.

'Stay here a few minutes, madam,' said Barras as he was leaving Mary.

She was a brave woman, but the import of these words, and the sneer with which they were accompanied, indicating how completely she was at this man's mercy, made her heart quake.

She began to pat the stone floor impatiently with her foot, and in this occupation she interrupted by the appearance of an attendant to inform her that the Prioress awaited her.

TO BE CONTINUED.

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BIRTHS. LASS. In Minto, on the 21st ult., the wife of Mr. John Lang, of a daughter.

MARRIAGES. HERMAN DENMAN. At Guelph, on the 4th inst., by the Rev. N. Fowley, of a daughter, to Mr. Philp Hurron, of Sarah E. Dingman, all of Erin.

DIED. KEANEY. On the 30th ult., Guelph, Frederick, on the 31st ult., Mr. Hugh Keane, a native of Down, aged 71 years.

DISEASES OF THE SCALP. PRODUCE GREY HAIR AND BALDNESS. The use of HALL'S VEGETABLE SICILIAN HAIR REGENERATOR.

HALL'S VEGETABLE SICILIAN HAIR REGENERATOR. Will restore it to its natural color and promote its growth. Our Treatise on the Hair sent free by mail.

R. P. HALL & CO., Nashua, N. H., Proprietors. October 31st.

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A CARD to THE PUBLIC. LEAVING New York every Thursday! Queen's Town or Liverpool.

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READY-MADE CLOTHING, Buffalo Skins, Grain Bags, &c.

JOHN HOGG, Golden Lion, Guelph.

SILVER TAKEN AT PAR

GUELPH CLOTH HALL. A. THOMSON & CO. Guelph, 24th October 1868

\$30,000 OF

Watches, Clocks, Jewellery. Books, Stationery and Fancy Goods.

IN R. CUTHBERT'S ESTABLISHMENT.

SILVER TAKEN AT PAR. R. CUTHBERT. Guelph, 29th October.

TO TAILORS. AMERICAN Shears, Trimmers, and Points of all sizes, Squares, Curved Rules, Straight-edges, Improved Irons, English and American Crayons, Bartlett's Needles, Tapes, &c.

TO MACHINISTS. STEEL Squares, Steel Rules, Centre Gauges, Vernier Callipers, Steel Calliper Rules, Calliper Squares, Ames' Universal Squares, Self-regulating Callipers and Dividers, Stale Piles and Tools Patent Oilers, Sheet Steel, &c.

Shoe Tools & Findings. A COMPLETE assortment of the latest patterns of Shoe Tools, Shoe and Machine Trimmings, Machine Silk, Shoe Pegs, Shoe Nails, Shoe Tacks, Heel and Toe Plates, &c., wholesale and retail.

Cabinetmakers & Upholsterers. HAIR Sealing, Curled Hair, Tow, Sofa Springs, Twine, Chair Web, Buttons, Screws, Hinges, Locks, Tacks, Flint Paper, Glue, Piano Stool screws, Collin Trimmings, Upholsterers' Needles and Regulators, Adair's Carvers' Tools, Extension Lap Anger Bits, Melodion Hardware, &c.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COY. CANADIAN LINE—Quebec to Liverpool every Saturday. GLASGOW LINE—Quebec to Glasgow every Thursday.

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LUMBER & WOOD YARD. CHARLES HEATH. Has opened a Lumber and Wood Yard on Quebec St. West of English Church.

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FLOUR & FEED. Also for sale, Flour and Feed, delivered in any part of the Town according to order.

Funerals, Funerals! NATHAN TOVELL, Nelson Crescent.

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RAI - Boxes Layer Raisins
do Bunch do
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do Lemon do
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SUGARS - Bbls. Redpath's, 2, 3 and 3.
Ground, Crushed A
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SYRUPS - Standard
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SOAPS - Brown Windsor
Magnolia Honey
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HERRINGS - Car loads Labrador
do Round.
PICKLED CODFISH in half barrels.
DRY COD in quantities.
To the trade only.
JOHN L. LEWIS.
Guelph, Nov. 3. daw tf

COMMERCIAL.

Table with 2 columns: Commodity and Price. Includes Flour, Wheat, Oats, Peas, Barley, Hay, Straw, Shingles, Wood, Eggs, Butter, Cheese, Turkeys, Chickens, Ducks, Potatoes, Apples, Lamb, Beef, Pork, Sheep Pelts, Hides.

Money Market.

JACKSON EXCHANGE OFFICE.
Guelph, Nov. 5, 1868.
Gold, 132 1/2.
Greenbacks bought at 74 1/2 to 75; sold at 75 1/2 to 76.
Silver bought at 44 dis.; sold at 45.
Upper Canada Bank Bills bought at 55c. to 60c.

MONTEAL MARKETS.

Kirkwood, Livingstone & Co.'s report by special
Telegraph to 'Evening Mercury'.
MONTEAL, November 5, 1868.
Flour - Extra, \$6 25 to \$6 50; Fancy, \$5 00 to
\$5 25; Welland Canal Superfine, \$5 30 to \$5 50;
Superfine No. 1 Canada wheat, \$5 30 to \$5 50;
No. 2 do, \$4 80 to \$5 00; Bag flour, \$2 50 to
\$2 60; Wheat - Canada Fall, \$1 20 to \$1 22 1/2;
Spring, \$1 19 to \$1 20; Western, \$1 12 1/2 to \$1 14.
Oats, per 22 lbs, 47c to 49c; Barley, per 10 lbs,
\$1 30 to \$1 40. Butter - dairy 22c to 24c store
packed 20c to 22c. Ashes - Pots \$5 85 to \$5 90;
pearls \$5 40 to \$5 55.
Flour - market very quiet and limited business
done; rates generally unchanged. Grain - Wheat,
rates unchanged but no business reported; Peas,
dull and tendency lower. Provisions - Pork, dull
and irregular. Butter, choice wanted and rates
fully maintained. Ashes - pots, drooping; pearls
firm but quiet.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, Nov. 4.
Fall wheat, 1 38 to 1 59; spring wheat,
1 10 to 1 11; flour, No 1 super, 5 00 to 5 65;
extra, 6 25 to 6 60; barley 1 20 to 1 25; peas,
85c to 88c; oats, 51c to 52c.

HAMILTON MARKETS.

Hamilton, Nov. 4.
Barley, 1 35 to 1 40; peas, 55c to 58c;
oats, 45c to 50c; spring wheat, 1 03 to 1 05;
white wheat, 1 25 to 1 29; red winter, 1 03
to 1 09.

FAMILY SCALES.

Grocers' Scales, Union Scales,
Platform Scales, Warehouse Scales,
Hopper Scales, Hay Scales.

JOHN HORSMAN, Guelph.

Special Notices.

FOR SUMMER COMPLAINT,
DIARRHŒA, DYSENTERY & CHOLERA,
or any other form of bowel disease in Children or
Adults,
THE PAIN KILLER IS A SURE REMEDY.
It has been favorably known for nearly 30 years,
and has been tested in every variety of climate.
IT IS USED BOTH EXTERNALLY AND
INTERNALLY
And for Sudden Colds, Coughs, Fever and Ague,
Headache, Neuralgia and Rheumatic Pains in any
part of the system, it is the most popular Medicine
extant. Sold by all Druggists and Country
Dealers.
PERRY DAVIS & SON, Proprietors,
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BACHELOR'S HAIR DYE

This splendid Hair Dye is the best in the
world. The only true and perfect dye - Harmless,
Reliable, instantaneous. No disappointment.
No ridiculous tints. Remedies the effects of bad
dyes. Invigorates and leaves the hair soft and
beautiful brown or black. Sold by all Druggists
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Songs, Ballads, Duets & Quartets,
with Piano Forte Accompaniment.
The 'Home Circle,' known by all as a most admi-
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finds a fit companion in this superior collection of
songs with piano accompaniment, songs that have
become as household words in nearly every com-
munity - with many new candidates for public
favor, not so well known but which when known
will be appreciated, are all here. Every one hav-
ing a piano and a voice will not fail to look at this
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what they want, and having purchased it and given
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Pianos, (made under the direction of J. P. Hale
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York.) with the instruments of some of the other
leading manufacturers, we have decided to drop
all others and confine our sales to the

Union Pianos!

Being fully satisfied, after having sold over 800
of these splendid instruments in New York, Cin-
cinnati and St. Louis, that they are the first-
toned and most durable Pianos now made. They
have given us and our agents less trouble than
any Pianos we have ever dealt in, and we would
invite both dealers and customers to try them in
preference to any other now made. THEY ARE
SUPERIOR INSTRUMENTS.
PHILIP PHILLIPS & CO.,
Music Dealers,
New York, Cincinnati and St. Louis.
About 5,000 of the above Pianos are now in use
giving entire satisfaction. Samples constantly on
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Market Square, Guelph.
Guelph, Oct. 13. daw tf

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WOULD intimate to the inhabitants of GUELPH and SURROUNDING COUNTRY, that he has
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Next door to Mr. Berry's Confectionery Store, Wyndham Street,

Where he will keep on hand a large assortment of

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Repairing done in all its branches. Satisfaction Warranted

Wyndham Street, Guelph, October 29, 1868. daw tf

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OPENING OF SHOW ROOMS.

New Pattern Bonnets,

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Another Lot of those Cheap Jackets, from

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TINUES. Real Irish Poplins, in all the New Colours.

The only House in Guelph that keep the same Goods.

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Baltimore Oysters

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Lobsters, Sardines, Fresh Salmon,

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Orders Solicited and promptly executed. All goods warranted as represented.

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JAMES CORMACK,

MERCHANT TAILOR, No. 1, Wyndham

Street, Guelph.

HAS now the pleasure to announce the arrival of his Fall Stock,

which you will find one of the Largest and Best Assorted in the

Province, comprising the CHOICEST GOODS OF THE SEASON,

in Overcoatings, Undercoatings, Trousersings and Fancy Vest-

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We would call the especial attention of our friends to several large lots of Plain and Fancy

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We have imported a more Complete Stock of Staple Goods than we have hitherto

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J. CHARLESWORTH & CO.

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Agents for investing Money for the

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ble rates, and Policy holders are secured by the

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Have a number of FARMS for sale, in the Co.

of Wellington and adjoining Counties.

Also, Town Lots and Houses

In Guelph, Berlin, Fergus, &c.

AMARANTH.

Lot 22, in the 10th Concession, 200 acres.

Lots 17, 18 and 19, 8th Con., 600 acres.

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South-half of Lot 15, 3rd Con., 100 acres, 60 of

which are in a high state of cultivation, and well

fenced, watered by a creek crossing the centre of the

farm; a two story house and good barn on the lot.

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Par of West-half of 2, in the 3rd Con., four

acres with a good stone house and hog-stable.

West-half of Lot 30, in the 5th Con., 100 acres,

25 acres cleared.

Part of, in 1st Con., 90 acres, 70 cleared, good

building.

West-half of Lot 32, 5th Con., 100 acres, 75 ac-

res cleared; new frame house and barn; spring creek.

East half, in 4th Con., 100 acres, 40 cleared, 25

excellent bush.

ERIN.

West-half of Lot 8, in the 1st Con., 100 acres,

80 cleared, good frame barn and shed, and parting

and frame dwelling house; well watered & fenced.

East-half of Lot 32, 5th Con., 100 acres, 75 ac-

res cleared; new frame house and barn; spring creek.

West-half of Lot 32, 5th Con., 100 acres, 75 ac-

res cleared; 25 excellent bush.

ELORA.

Valuable Tavern Stand for sale in the

Village of Elora, present place of Robert Cook

being lots 5 and 6, corner of Victoria and Walnut

Streets, with stabling for 40 horses.

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Lot 11, in 13th Con., 100 acres; 60 acres cleared,

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GUELPH TOWNSHIP.

Lots 3 and 4, in 3rd Con., Div. D, 140 acres;

90 acres improved; frame dwelling house, and

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Gloves, Hosiery, Ribbons, Flowers, Trimmings, Buttons, Belts, Collars, Handkerchiefs, Edgings,

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