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GUELPH, ONT., CANADA, WEDNESDAY EVENING, AUGUST 26, 1868.

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A LBION HOTEL,

St. Paul-st., MONTREAL.

MR. DECKER would say that having resumed ale management of the ALBION HOTEL, he topic by personal attention to merit a continuitor of the patronage so liberally bestowed upon him during the last 12 years.

30th March, 1808; d L. W. DECKER.

GLOBE HOTEL, ERIN VILLAGE R. CHISHOLM, Propi

Erin Village, June 10. HALIFAX HOTEL,

THIS Hotel is the largest and most commoditions in the city of Halifax, and being centrally situated will be found most convenient for nen and tourists.

HENRY HESSLEIN, Proprietor
dw3m

DOMINION HOTEL, JOHN BUNYAN begs to inform his friends at the public that he has leased the above Hel, in the BRICK HOURS, MACDONNELT a few doors above Highbotham's Dr. Selestor House and the selection of the

E. HARVEY & CO.

Logwood, Chip & Ext. Brazil Wood,

Indigo and Indigo Compound,

Cochineal, Quercetion,

Alum, Copperas,

E. HARVEY & CO.,

Flavine, Tin Crystals,

Red Sanders Wood,

Nic Wood. Hypemic Wood.

Camwood,

MERICAN HOUSE,

The largest first-class Hotel in New E offers to Tourists, Families and the travellic, accommodations and conveniences to any other hotel in the city. During season additions have been made of in suits of apartments, with bathing room closets, &c., attached; one of Tutts' machine heat ever comfirst floor. Aug 18 do 6m LEWIS RICE & SON, Prop'rs

CANADA HOUSE, CALEDONIA SPRINGS.

Near L'Original, on the Ottawa, County of Pres cott, Ontario, -By A. M. F. GIANELLI. Near L'Original, on the Ottawa, County of Prescott, Ontario,—By A. M. F. GIANELLI.

THIS elegant and fashionable first-class Hotel,
with accommodation of a superior order for
over two hundred persons, will be open for the
reception of visitors on the last of June next. The
House is fitted up in the first style, and is replete
with every accessory demanded by modern ideas
of comfort and convenience. The Halls and Lobbies are spacious, the Public Rooms for Ladies
and Gentlemen elegantly finished, the Private
Apartments comfortable and convenient, all lotty
and well ventitated, and gradient of the conwell of the propose of any, the
arrangements for in-door amusements are confined to a separate building, specially erected for
the purpose, containing a spacious Ball Room,
Billiard Room, Bowling Afley, and other requirements. The Saline, White Surphur, and Cas
Springs are but fifty yards from the house.

13 Charges uniformly moderate.
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A. M. F. GIANELLI, Proprietor, Montreal
Montreal, 30th April dw6m

PRESTON MINERAL BATHS! AND SULPHUR SPRINGS,

NORTH AMERICAN HOTEL
PRESTON, ONTARIO.

THESE popular Baths are open for the accommodation of the public. The Spring which applies these Baths possesses Melleinal qualities not surpassed by any other in America.

S. CORNELL, Proprietor, Away 3m. Away 3m. Preston, June 16.

FOR SALE. SODA ASH-"Gamble's

CAUSTIC SODA - 'Gamble's,' 'Widnes',

SAL. SODA. CHLORIDE OF LIME. PALM OIL. W. T. BENSON,

37 St] Peter Strontreal, 1st April, 1868

CASTLE GARDEN SALOON

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

wil be supplied with the best Wines, Liquors & Cigars And the table with all the delicacies of the seas-an. In fact no expense will be spared to make it a first-class establishment.

LUNCHEON!

OYSTERS AND GAME,

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

JOHN MILLER,

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

MISS L. RHEMMIE,

Teacher of Singing and Pianoforte, No. 2, DAY'S BLOCK.

P UPIL of the best Masters in England, having taught successfully for some in New York, has removed to Guelph, and hopes to receive a share of the patronage of the families and ladies of Guelph and vicinity.

Terms, &c., may be had at Mr. Cuthbert's boo Guelph, Aug. 17.

Educational Classes

THE MISSES RHEMMIE

OF London, England and New York, propose opening their Educational Classes early in September. Young ladies desiring improvement, or jinish in the elegant or useful branches, will be received a boarder or daily pupils.

Temporary residence: Mrs. Williams, Water-son Road. Circulars at Mr. Cuthbert's Bookstore. Guelph, August 15.

NOTICE.

M. FRANCIS SMALL is no longer connected with the firm of Mesars Gowdy & Stewart as their Agent in the lumbering business. All accounts due the said firm must be paid to themselves personally, as no other person is authorized after this date to receive money or grant receipts.

Evening Mercuny

...MACDONNELLSTREET WEDNESDAY EV'NG, AUG. 26, 1868

Local News.

Mr. Forbes, Nichol, lost a valuable mare worth \$130 a few days ago in Galt. He went there for a load, and she took ill of inflammation and died.

Jas. Rintoul, of Amaranth, had nine-teen sheep destroyed by dogs on Satur-urday night last.

Walkerton is thinking of procuring a town clock. It is presumed that one can be obtained for about one hundred dollars.

A requisition to the merchants to close their stores at 2 p. m., on Monday next, in order that their employees might witness the lacrosse match between the Indians and the Guelph Club, was circulated in town to-day. At noon it had me with indifferent success.

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THE WELLINGTON HOTEL.—We would direct the attention of our readers to Mr. Coffee's advertisement of removal from his old stand to the Wellington Hotel. He there makes known his reasons for changing his quarters. Mr. Coffee is well known, and under his administration we have no doubt the "Wellington" will be kept a first class house, and prosper accordingly.

Very Uncommon.—Mr. Robert Coulson DYE STUFFS!

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Very Uncommon.—Mr. Robert Coulson
near Rockwood, informs us that a ewe belonging to him had two lambs on the
28th of February, and that on the 25th
of June she gave a birth to a third lamb,
which is alive and thriving. This is a
very rare occurrence and is worthy of
being chronicled.

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Guelfri General Agency.—Before
reading Messrs. Davidson & Chadwick's
advertisement we had no conception that
any firm in Guelph held so large a number of agencies or had so many building
lots and farms to dispose of. Parties desirous of insuring life or property or of
buying or selling real estate should read
their advertisement.

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Fire in Eramosa.—The dwelling house of Mr. Thos. Clarke, on lot 24, 5th con. Eramosa, was burned down on the 8th of this month. The house was part log and part frame. The fire broke out about noon, and spread so rapidly that nothing but the bedding and a few other articles were got out. All the rest of the furniture was burned, 1 together with about 50 cords of cut stove wood. The loss is about \$700 or \$800, and we are sorry to learn there was no insurance on the property.

Town Council—Special Meeting.

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The Mayor said that the meeting had been called in consequence of a communication which bad been received from Adam Brown, Eaq., President of the W. G. & B. Railway, in which it was stated that a deputation would leave Hamilton for Normulpy on the 29th inst, to be present at some meetings which were to for Normanby on the 29th inst., to be present at some meetings which were to be held between the first and fifth prox., and requesting that a delegation from fuelph might accompany them. His Worshipfuther said that he had requested Dr. Parker, the only director in Town to be present, in order that he might give the Council any information they might require.

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Mr. Melvin thought it was the duty of the Council to send a deputation, for the Narrow Gauge men were moving heaven and earth to carry their project, and it they do Guelph will be isolated from a great portion of the country. Berddes, it is necessary that the people to the North should be undeceived with regard to the position of Guelph on the railway question. The intelligent people of the town are in favor of a railway to the Lake, but our other obligations render it altogether impossible that we can aid in any other way than by giving it our countranance. Had we been otherwise circumstanced assistance might have been given it. It is not the case that we are acting the part of the dog in the manger, and a deputation should be sent with the deputation from Hamilton to disabuse the minds of the people up country on this point.

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midds of the people up country on this point.

The Mayor said that he knew the promoters of the narrow gauge said in Mount Forest that Guelph was strongly opposed to the W. G. & B. Railway, and that their assertions had told strongly in their favor.

Mr. McCurry was rather surprised by the communication; he did not know how to take it. This was the first time Hamilton had asked our cooperation. He did not know, however, what other action could be taken than to send a delegation, and if that were done it must be without our knowing what benefit we are to derive.

derive.

Dr. Herod believed that it was best to comply with the request contained in the communication and send the Mayor. He did not see the necessity of sending three or four. It has been said in Elora that Guelph is opposed to the road, and parties there from whom something different might have been expected had, for their own purposes, made this misrepresentation.

REFORMATORIES.

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To the Editor of the Mercary.

In looking over statistics one is surprised and alarmed at the number of people that cannot or will not work, and who have no other fair means of subsistance. Now, Mr. Editor, it is a plain case, that since we are supporting them we may just as well do it in a systematic way, and thus save thousands of our fellow-beings from misery and ourselves from alarm. There are hundreds that will neither work nor want, and among their various vicious stratagems, house-burning for plunder is one; and thus, in one night, in one town, ten houses are burnt, any of which cost more than a Reformatory. Every man, woman and child that cannot show their means of subsistence, should be clapped into the Reformatory, and made, if able, support themselves, and help to support others. Never mind the delicate question of "Liberty"; they are not very mindful of ours when they get us asleep. We have among us old men who have worked while, and longer than, they were able, men who have produced ten times as much as they consumed, but who never learned the art of accumulation, nor enough of roguery to detect it in others, and hence have lost all by endorsations and littgations. These men have a moral right to draw on the resources of the Province, since it holds their productions for which they have no equivalent. No sophistic legal eloquence can fairly shuffle a man out of his property. Adversity in its infinity of forms deprives many well natured people of everything but principle, which still steels them to endure poverty rather than ask aid from anyone. We have among us poor widows and orphans recommended to our Christian sympathy by the Great Universal Benefactor himself. We have also among us deluded women whose credulity was too great, and who are now forsaken by all and everything but remorsand are the living mouments of their indiscretions. How immortal is infamy! How perfect woman's reminiscence of woman's fallings. How forgetful that every metal has its peculiar point of fusion. It is

Acton Sabbath School Pic-Nic.

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The annual pic-cic in connection with the Rev. Mr. Cameron's Congregation took place on Monday. At one o'clock about two hundred healthy and cheerful children, accompanied by their parents and guardians, repaired to a beautiful grove adjoining the village, where on the fresh green lawn, shaded by the emblem of our beloved homes, we enjoyed the afternoon in innocent happiness after the hard toils of the harvest; while the gentle breeze fanned our cheeks as we played among the happy youth who know little of the cares and troubles of this life. Amildst our mirth and glee, we were gladly interrupted by a call, "Hither all, and partake of our cheer." And after the disappearing of the rich cakes, we again returned to our various amusements, which we enjoyed until the shades of night reminded us—

"Like little lambking hastening to the fold.

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BY TELEGRAPH

Despatches to the Evening Mercury

(BY CABLE AND STEAMER.)

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London, August 25 — Notwitstandingthe sharp opposition of a large portion of
the British Press, the appointment of the
Earl of Mayo, the present Secretary of
State for Ireland, to be Governor-General
of India, has been determined upon
by the Government. The charred remains of the 32 victims of the terrible
rallway, accident, near Abergile, Wales,
was burled to-day.
Carlsruhe, August the 25.—A grand
festival was held here yesterday to celobrate the anniversary of the establishment of the Constitution. The Minister of
War made a speech at the closing of the
banquet. He expressed the hope that the
Southern States of Germany would soon
reunite with those of the North, and thus
complete the series of great events which
commenced in 1986.
Southampton, August 25—The international regatta at the Isle of Wight,
participated in by the American yacht
Sappho and four selected yachts of the
British squadron, took place to-day according to programme. The following
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participated in by the American yacht Sappho and four selected yachts of the British squadron, took place to-day according to programme. The following are the names and admeasurements of the British yachts entered for the race:—Cutter Condor, 129 tons, owned by Mr. C. J. Tennant; 162 tons, entered by Mr. C. J. Tennant; 162 tons, entered by Mr. C. J. Tennant; 163 tons, entered by Mr. C. J. Tennant; 163 tons, entered by Mr. C. J. Tennant; 164 tons, entered by Mr. C. J. Tennant; 165 tons, entered by J. Ashbury, 167 these boats are the champions of this year's races. The cutters had two-third's tonnage added. The Sappho took the Olmahra even, but gave the Cambria and Alive, 9 min. 12 sec.; and the Condor 12 min. The course was from Cowes Castle around the starting point, to be made within 9 hours. The regatta created much exclument among boating men and others, and large crowds of spectators from London Portmeuth, and Southampton thronged the shore. Innumerable small crafts were gathered around the Island. The scene was very fine. The weather was clear and brisk, with north-west breeze blowing. At ten o'clock the signal gun was fired, and the yachts started amid the cheers from the people on shore and crowds on the steamers which followed close behind. The Alive soon took the lead, but she was closely pressed by the Cambria. The interest was all on these two. The Cambria slowly gained on the Alive, and finally passing her, won the race in 6 hours, 15 min., 15 sec. The Alive came in only two minutes later. The Condor was third; Sappho last. Olmahra was not placed. The result was hailed with great delight by the spectators.

Liverpool, Aug 25, 3 p. m.—Marine disasters from the recent gale are still reported. The ship Favourite from Liverpool for New Orleans, was seen by an incoming vessel off the coast of Ireland, dismasted and in a sinking condition. The crew refused to leave the ship.

WEDNESDAY EV'NG AUG 26 1868

The Report of the School Board.

We should think that those who so very ready to charge the Board of School Trustees with total neglect or inattention to the interests of the Grammar School, will now do them the credit to admit that the charge was unfounded, and that they do manifest as much interest in that institution as in the Common Schools. The Report which was presented and adopted at the meeting of the Board on Monday night, is good evidence of this, and we only hope that the recommendation contained therein will have the effect anticipated, in adding largely to the number attending the Grammar School. But we must confess that we do not expect such great results from the enforcement of the new rule as some who are more sanguine. Twice before has the Board adopted a similar regulation, and yet in both instances it failed in the effect anticipated. The organization of an English department distinct from the classical may draw a number of pupils who wish to get a purely commercial education in view of their entering upon business pursuits. But here another difficulty occurs which will be almost as fatal to a large attendance as if the study of classics were enforced in every case. According to the Grammar School Act, the standard for pupils in the English department is relatively as high as in the classical. They are required to study the higher branches of mathematics which are of little use to those who wish only to require a good commercial education. We fancy that there is no way of getting over this rule any more than there is of evading the requirements of the Act in reference to the study of classics. Until the Act is changed in this respect, and more latitude allowed in the admission of pupils and the standards required, both classical and English, the difficulty now complained of in regard to attendance will still be the same, unless a school through the superior attainments of its masters and their success in teaching draws together such a number of scholars as to satisfy the most ambitious of head masters. As the case now stands, the Board have done all for the Grammar School which the law empowers them, and the public must now look; to; the teachers for such results as they have led us to believe will follow the adoption and entorcement of the rale in regard to the promotion of pupils from schools o

The United States and Mexico.

The United States, like Russia, has her sick man, by whose bedside she watches with assiduity. But, unlike Russia she is the only watcher. Russia cannot quietly smother the Turk and rifle his house without the interference of others who want a share of the spoils; but with the United States it is only a question for its own determination what it shall do with Mexico. All danger of foreign interference has passed away, and the world would do no more than look on. In view of the disturbances caused by the factions who are continually molesting the government of Juarez, the United States, it is asserted by well informed politicians, has determined to assist the Mexican President in maintaining law and order. It is generally believed that Gen. Rosecrans, United States minister to Mexico, is empowered by the Executive at Washington to tender all the naval aid possible to the Juarez Government, and that material support will not be withheld if it should be found necessary to enable the Mexican authorities to crush the various factions there and establish a stable government. It is said that this action has been taken at the instance of the Juarez Government and the leading men of Mexico, who that this action has been taken at the instance of the Juarez Government and the leading men of Mexico, who desire the establishment of the republic on a firm foundatiou, and to make an end of the intestine feuds which have so long distracted the country. The Mexican authorities are, it appears, willing to surrender a portion of their northern territory in return for this support, and the whole project commands, it is said, the approval of some of the leading military men of the United States. Mr. Seward, it is understood, made a very earnest opposition in the Cabinet meetings and elsewhere to the scheme, looking to the acquisition of the territory, but he finally consented and agreed with the finally consented and agreed with the other members of the Cabinet on the finally consented and agreed with the other members of the Cabinet on the subject. Gen. Rosecrans is in-vested with discretion in the premises, but it is believed that the preceding outline of the future policy of the present Administration on the Mexi-can question covers the ground.

Apparent in Spain.—The political situation is daily becoming more difficult and perplexing in Spain. From the accounts which reach us there is reason to believe that the anticipated rising will take place early in September, as soon as the great heat is over. The Ministry is seriously alarmed at the danger, but are making vigorous preparations to meet it. Gen. Prim has just passed through Paris on his way from London to Vichy. The Government gave orders to the gens d'armerie that he should be treated with the utmost distinction, or in other words, that his movements should be carefully watched. There is need of it. In the eyes of the Spanish revolutionists, Gen. Prim is emphatically "the coming man."

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Adjoining Coulson's Hotel,

The Emir of Bokhara has accepted the Czar's propositions for peace, except one relating to fortifications. That means the Emir has accepted the position of a vassal of Russia, and will accept any further demands that may be insisted upon.

Farken I DEA OF ENGLISH IN-PANTRY.—It seems that the two French officers who went with the Abyssinian expedition, on their rotuan to Paris, expressed the opinion that the English Infantry was the most formidable in the world; and that there was so little of it. The same estimate was formed of the naval brigade and extiller.

At John A. Wood's.

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Guelph, July 28.

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From our Correspondent.

New School. House.—In a former communication I took occasion to notice the great improvements made in this village within the past few years, and now the inhabitants of School Section No. 7. Puslinch may congratulate themselves on having one of the finest and most artisalcally finished stone buildings for school purposes there is in the country. Mr. Robert Little (whose mission appears to be, to erect seminaries of learning) has been the contracter, and well as he done his part. So well, indeed, that the building was taken off his hands by the trustees, without the usual formality and expense of employing a public inspector, its completion according to specification being apparent and satisfactory. With a laudable public spirit the trustees and people of the section intend to have a bell hung in the edifice, and in order to defray part of the cost thereof, and moreover to commemorate the opening event, a teameeting is to be held in the new building on the evening of the 10th of September. The Rev. Mossrs. Smith, McDonald, and McLean, and Mr. Atkinson, Morriston, will address the meeting, and should Mr. K. McKenzie have returned home by that time from his trip to Rupert's Land, he is expected to give some interesting account of matters in that region. The Galt Brass Band will enliven the occasion with their sweet strains, and as the young ladies of the district never do things by halves, and as their talents in the cocking art are well known, there can be no doubt but a pleasant and profitable evening will be the result.

THE HAMILTON RAILWAY BY-LAW. — The Railway meeting at Hamilton on Tuesday was a large one, the Mechanic's Hall being crammed full. Everything went overwhelmingly in favor of the By-Law, but six hands having been held up for the only amendment offered.

Already we are compelled to regret that the House of Lords threw out Mr. Gladstone's Irish Church Suspensory Bill. The Dean of Limerick having died, a successor must be appointed with a claim for life of £1,100 a year, for mere nominal duties. Had Gladstone's wise measure passed, no such appointments, involving further monetary claims, could have been made until the Irish Church question were settled.

It is reported that a Quebec lawyer, named O'Farrell, is to receive \$10,000 for defending Whelan and the other Fenian prisoners. If we recollect distinctly this is the legal gentleman, who, shortly after Whalen was committed, expressed while at Ottawa his firm conviction that if allowed to plead he would prove adequate to the task of acquitting him. We shall see how he succeeds.

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MURDER IN QUEBEC.—A dreadful murder was perpetrated in Quebec on Sunday last. An Irishman, named Jas. Quinn, stabbed a Canadian, named Joseph Hereux, inflicting a frightful wound in the abdomen, from which the viscera protruded. Hereux died two hours afterwards, and Quinn was arrested. The aftray was the result of one of the feuds which exist among the Canadians and Irish.

Irish.

Mr. Disraeli's "Alarcos" has achieved only moderate success with the London public, and the sarcastic Spectator says "When the world laughs at Mr Disraeli's tragedy, a sense of retributive justice is experienced. Mr. Disraeli has often treated with levity what the world thinks worthy of respect."

The silver discount movement has ceased in Ottawa, silver coins are taken at par as formerly.

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A child of Mr. Bartlet's. of Lindsay, threw a knife at another little one belonging to the family on Friday last, and the point cut the lid, and pierced the eyeball, inflicting a very dangerous wound.

A child of Mr. Laines, Lindsay, fell out of bed a few days ago, and fractured its collar bone.

New Advertisements. LACROSSE MATCH

The Six Nation Indians vs. Guelph.

The members of the Tonsorial Profession, viz. Messrs. Mimnack, Sumer and Allen, beg to notify their customers, that it is their intention to reduce the price of SHAVING to the old standard charge of FOUR PENCE. They also beg to state that the reason of the late advance was in consequence of their total mability to obtain small change; but now as their bankers have kindly are quite willing to reduce their charge, attafied their customers will duly appreciate this constitutional change.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN. Guelph, Aug. 25.

GOOD

Pure CIDER VINEGAR

25 cents per gallon,

AT JOHN A. WOOD'S.

New Advertisements.

THE undersigned will lecture in the LEMPER-ANCE HALL, on THURSDAY EVE'G FIRST,

At half-past seven o'clock. Subject, "Ethiopia—The humanity of the Anglo-Saxon; and the African digging a grave for the Anglo-Saxon." JOHN GRANTIER.

Servant Girl Wanted.

WANTED, a smart, active servant girl, to a to a Village a few miles out of Guelph. Apply at the Mercury Office.

Guelph, Aug. 21. dtf

SPEED LODGE No. 180.

JOHN CRIDIFORD, Secretary Guelph, 20th August, 1868.

WANTED TO RENT.

WANTED to Rent a Cottage, or Single Dwelling of five or six rooms. Address Drawer Box No. 9, Guelph P.O. Guelph, August 15.

NOTICE.

A LL persons indebted to Dr. PERKINS, Rock.
wood, are hereby notified to settle the same
manediately, otherwise their account will be put
uto Court for collection.

LADIES' SCHOOL. Conducted by Mrs. W. Budd.

THE present v cation terminates on MONDAY August 17th. Norfolk Street, Guelph, Aug. 5. daw 1m Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

Witness: JOHN SLEEMAN, GEORGE SLEEMAN Silver Creek Brewery, Guelph, August 12, 1868. daw 1m

FOR SALE.

F. J. B. FORBES has been instructed to sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Town

Wednesday, 2nd of Sept., 1868, At Two o'clock p. m., the following Valuable Properties:

1.—Lot No. 1, in the Town of Guelph, nearly quarter of an aere of land, with three fronts, situated in a good business part of the town, between the Grand Trunk Station and the Anglo-American Hotel. This lot will be sold in subdivisions of twenty feet. Frontage on Market Square, extending to Macdonneilst., about 106 feet.

to Macconneil-st, about 105 etc... 22—Park Lots Nos. 19 and 20, being part of subdivision of Lot1, in the 3rd concession, di-tion C. Township of Guelph, 11½ acres in 3 cck, situate on the Grand Trunk Railway, and joining Judge Macdonald's residence, with ar dinished house thereon.

3.—Park Lots Nos. 25, 31, 32, 34 and 36—27 cres in a block—being part of Lot 3, 3rd conces ion, division C, Township of Gueiph. The lanc s of the best quality, free from stones and stumps and eligibly situated for building sites.

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4.—The west third of I to No. 909, south side of Northumberland street, in the Town of Guepin, with a commodious Frame Cottage, Ganden, &c.

5.—Lot No. 13, in Thomnson's Survey, South and good substantial Stone House 34 *22, containing five rooms and a good cellar. Also, a good Stons Stable, Gartein, Pump, Well, &c., with the option of more land if required.

6.—Lot No. 13 on Liverpool Street, near the Grammar School, with a good cottage, contained four rooms, cook house and cellar. The lot is well fenced and cultivated.

13 Conditions of sale and time of payment made known on day of sale.

THOMPSON & JACKSON,

OLD POST OFFICE BUILDING

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RIFLE-CLEANER!

For cleaning Rifles and Sporting Guns, and in stantly removing fouling and leading without the use of water or oil.

A. B. PETRIE,

SPECIAL ATTENTION.

THE Highest Market Price paid for Wool, Hides, Sheepskins, Calfskins, and Wool Pickings, At No. 4, Day's old Block, Gordon Street. Guelph, July 28 dw D. MOLTON.

BARGAINS BILLIARD HALL!

20 PER CENT BELOW COST

New Advertisemnts.

LECTURE. No. 1, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

JUST RECEIVING. AT

Gentlemens' Ties & Collars, in the newest Styles,

SIZES COMPLETE. Also, all the LEADING STYLES in

ENGLISH FELT & SILK HATS.

WITH A LARGE STOCK OF

Guelph, 24th June, 1868.

Canadian & American Hats & Caps

JAMES CORMACK,

Golden Lion, Guelph. DYE-STUFFS.



A CARD TO FAMILIES,

Boarding Houses, Boarding Schools & Hotel-keepers

TOWN and PARK LOTS COLD WEATHER is approaching, and preparation for it is necessary

CANADIAN BLANKETS! New Method of Washing

AT A MUCH LESS PRICE

Than any of my competitors in the business here. Those wishing to turn a No. I BLANKET at the Wholesale Price, will find it to their interest to call at once at the COLDEN LION.

JOHN HOGG. Upper Canada College

Guelph, 22nd August, 1868. -

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

RIFLEMEN. Wellington Boot and Shoe Manufactory,

WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH.

THE Machinery in this establishment is now all fitted up, and in a few days we will be in full open

On Wednesday, 26th Instant, PETRIE'S Drug STORE, The Largest, Cheapest, Best and most Serviceable Stock of Boots and Shoes ever offered to the People of the County of Wellington, will be open for Inspection.

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'It is a mere scratch, sir; and besides it is my left arm.'
'Have your way, then. You will guard the private entrance from the gardens to his Majesty's apartments with six men-at-arms.'

his Majesty's apartments with six men-atarms.

'The word for the night?'

'Scotland for the King.'

Master Elilot selected his company and
was conducted to his post by the Captain.'

The part of the gardens which lay behind
the King's chambers was only faintly illuminated by a few lamps placed at such distances apart that the spaces between were
quite dark. This arrangement was observed in order that the masquers would not
penetrate to this place and disturb the repose
of his Majesty. The pathway from the portal of the wall which separated the gardens
and the park was not lighted at all.

The keys of this portal, and of the gate
which guarded the entrance to the small
court in which was the private entrance to
his Majesty's chambers, were delivered to
Gilbert. He placed his men, and, although
the fire in the guard-room burned pleasantly,
he proceeded to pace up and down in front
of the gate instead of taking his case within.

His feelings were a puzzle to himself. He DUNDAS WARP.

of the gate instead of taking his case withHis feelings were a puzzle to himself. He
felt that it would have been better to have
availed himself of the excuse his wound supplied of shirking duty for that night, for he
instinctively and unaccountably feared the
issue. Yet he was eager again to meet Mistress Douglas, that he might better express
his gratitude to her than he had done, and
that he might receive from her the explanations she had promised.

Captain Lindsay had told him that he was
deputed to this post on account of his conduct during the day.

How did Mistress Douglas know on the
night previous that he would be on guard
here? NEW GREY COTTONS.

nere?
It was singular, and seemed as if the action of the day had been made the excusor appointing him to the post which it have been previously determined he should guard By whom was this arranged? CHAHTER XXXIII .- THE POST OF HONOUR

A hundred torches flashing bright.
Dispell'd at once the gloomy night
Thatlour'd along the walls,
And show'd the King's astonished sight
The inmates of the Halls.

The imnates of the Halls.

For nearly an hour Master Elliot continued his solitary promenade without other interruption to his meditations than the occasion sound of music which the wind brought to him from the farther end of the garden.

*But at length*he came to an abrupt halt at the sound of the voice of one of the sentries.

*Stand; who goes there?

*A friend, answered a voice which sent a thrill through Gilbert's heart.

*The word?

*She has not got the word, for I was to give it to her,' thought Gilbert, and almost as the thought flashed upon his mind the answer was given.

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'Scotland for the King.

Scotland for the King.

Second and a mazed Gilbert now waited for the appearance of the pretty intriguant. He strained his eyes through the dim light in the direction whence the sound of the voice had proceeded; but he saw nothing, heard nothing more.

Ten minutes—it seemed more than half an hour to him—he waited, and then strode hastily forward to the sentine!s post. The soldier was not there. Gilbert walked over the man's ground and still failed to find him. He went to seek the second sentine! He too had apparently deserted his post. Gilbert called to him by name—

"M'Kay."

'M'Kay'.

No response. Becoming now alarmed as well as perplexed, he hurried on to the third sentry's post at the portal of the park.

The man was there; but he was sitting upon the ground, his back leaning against the wall and fast asleep. Gilbert shook him violently, but the soldier only answered with a drunken snort.

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With a cry of alarm Gilbert rushed back to the gate, convinced that there was some treacherons act in progress. He had the key in his hand intending to aummon the Gentlemen of the guard from the King's chamber, when his arm was gently grasped by some one behind him.

He wheeled round and descried a ladyone of the masquers—in the dress of an Egyptian girl. Her face was concealed by a mask of lace.

'Stay, Master Elliot, do you not wait for me?'

'Stay, Master Elliot, do you not wait for me?'
'Mistress Douglas!'
She removed the mask from her face.
'Are you surprized that I am here—have you forgotten your promise?'
'No, madam, I have not forgotten it,' he said, taking her hand respectfully;' and you, I hope, have not forgotten how the promise was given—it was without knowledge or suspicton of what it might lead to. You said I would know all to-night!, after you have heard me,' she said sadly,' You wish to withdraw your promise, do so; but there our friendship ends.'
He touched her hand with his lips almost reverently.

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The Cattle Plague

The New York papers say there are no new developments as to the disease in that city, but Sanitary Inspector Morris, who was sent on an inspecting tour through Duchess County, has made a report concerning its prevalence in that portion of the State. He substantiates the report in respect to the arrival of certain diseased cattle from Millerton. These were part of a mixed lot, comprising cattle from Illinies, Ohio, Canada, and N. Y. State, the drove having originally contained 65 head, of which 20 were left at Copake, Columbia Co., and the balance some 17 or 18 of them were shipged to this city.

At Amenia N. Y. State, the disease broke out last week or a dairy farm, and up to the disease of the last of Dr. Morris's arrival at that places derived from the diseased cowner of the last of Dr. Morris's arrival at that places derived from the disease of the placed in say derived from the disease of the plague was held in Bufialo, on Saturday, and determined to devote several days to the investigation. The Commissioners will be appointed in the different sections of the State, whose duty it will be to prevent the admission of diseased cattle from abroad. With these and the other precautions already taken, no fears of a further spread of the plague need be entertained.

In Cincinnati, O, the disease is making great headway, having carried off seven-

In Cincinnati, O, the disease is making great headway, having carried off seventeen cows on one dairy farm alone. There as in New York, it is supposed to have been introduced by Texan cattle.

The large increase of mortality in New York over the previous week—an increase of eighty-eight—is attributed by the President of the Board of Health to the use of flesh of diseased animals. If this state of things should continue it must eventually create a panic which would be far more disastrous to the butchers than any loss they may suffer by the slaughter of diseased animals and the destruction of their carcases.

ROME IN A STATE OF SIEGE.—The Roman correspondent of a Paris paper states that the 'eternal city' is virtually in a state of siege. The preparations for defence against a presumed attack from some mysterious, quarter are more extensive than re-assuring. The sentinels have been greatly increased, and their responsibilities enlarged in a manner which may sooner or later lead to accidents. It is impossible to enter or leave the city, or to walk in many quarters at night, without being accosted by the cry of "Who goes there?" to which it is necessary to immediately reply "A friend" to avoid the risk of a bullet. The same correspondent reiterates his former statements as to the chance of a Garibaldian rising. Opposition to an English Judge in Jamaica to the 4th inst. Considerable excitement prevaled in the parish of St. Thomas, the scene of the disturbances of 1885, in consequence of the course which was being pursued by one of the Judges, Mr. Masheder, recently appointed to the Colony by the British Government. He is charged with having made a series of attacks upon the planters of the parish, accusing them of injustice in their dealings with the laborers they employ, and of abusing their powers as magistrates to the injury of the blacks. His real offence seems to be that he holds the scales of justice evenly, knowing no distinction between whites and blacks, or between planters and peasants, in his administration of the law. The planters were up in arms against him for protecting the people in their rights, and laborers, men and women, who have been suffering at the hands of their employers, were threatening to abandon the plantations. He is bitterly denounced for having sent a female of fair skin and "respectable connections" to the House of Correction; but he meets the storm fearlessly, and says he is determined to dispense British justice, and not planters' law. Guelph April 1st 1868 INDIA & CHINA TEA CO'Y

COMMERCIAL.

Guelph Markets.

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August 26, 1868.

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