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GUELPH, ONT., CANADA, TUESDAY EVENING, JANUARY 16, 1872.

PRICE ONE PENNY

BUSINESS CARDS.

DR. BROCK
RESIDENCE
The Stone House opposite Davidson's Old Marble Yard, Elora Road.
Guelph, Oct. 19, 1871. dw

OLIVER & MACDONALD
BARRISTERS AND ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW
Solicitors, Notaries Public, &c.
Office—Corner of Wyndham and Quebec-sts., Guelph, Ont.
H. OLIVER, A. H. MACDONALD.
Guelph, Oct. 27, 1871. dw

AUSTIN C. CHADWICK
BARRISTER, SOLICITOR IN CHANCERY,
Notary, 100 Town Hall Buildings, Guelph.
Guelph, Jan. 12, 1872. dw

STEPHEN BOULT,
ARCHITECT, CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER.
A Planning Mill, and every kind of Joiner's Work prepared for the trade and the public. The Factory is on Quebec Street, Guelph.
March 17 1870. dw

GEORGE PALMER,
BARRISTER AND ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, Solicitor in Chancery, Notary Public and Conveyancer.
Office—over E. Harvey & Co's. Drug Store—entrance on McDonnell street
Guelph, 17th August. dw

WILLIAM HART
CONVEYANCER, Land and General Agent,
Negotiator of Loans, &c. Office hours from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Office No. 4 Day's Block.

FREDERICK BISCOE,
BARRISTER AND ATTORNEY AT LAW, Solicitor in Chancery, Conveyancer, &c., Guelph.
Office—corner of Wyndham and Quebec streets, Guelph, August 9, 1871. dw

GUELPH ACADEMY
WILL OPEN ON MONDAY, JAN. 8, 1872
COMFORTABLE Accommodation for a few Select Boarders.
Terms on application at JOHN MARTIN, Guelph, Dec. 28, 1871. dw

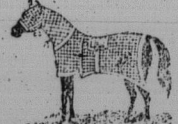
GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN,
Barristers, Attorneys-at-Law,
Solicitors in Chancery,
GUELPH, ONTARIO.

F. STURDY,
House, Sign, & Ornamental Painter

GRAINER AND PAPER-HANGER
Shop next to the Wellington Hotel, Wyndham street,
Guelph, Feb. 27, 1871. dw

NELLES, ROMAIN & CO.
CANADA HOUSE,
General Commission Merchants
AND SHIPPERS,
34 South Clinton St., Chicago, Ill.

REFERENCED:—Sir John Rose, Banker, London, England; F. W. Thomas, Esq., Banker, Montreal; The Mercantile Company of Chicago, Bankers; Hon. J. H. Brown, Esq., London, Ontario; Messrs. Gault, Bro. Merchants, Montreal; Senator Frank Smith, (Frank Smith & Co.) Toronto; J. Morton Miller, Esq., Perth, Ont.; date of J. M. Miller & Co., Commission Merchants, Chicago; Walter Watson, Esq., Banker, New York; D. Butters, Esq., Montreal; Joseph Whitehead, Esq., M. P., Clinton, Ont.; Geo. McGill, Esq., M. P., Hamilton, Ontario; T. C. Chisholm, Esq., Toronto; Samuel B. Foote, Esq., Quebec. fully



JOHN SPIERS,
Veterinary Surgeon
(Member of the Ontario Veterinary College.)

Hirsch's Union Hotel,
Cor. 23 GUELPH dwlm

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A careful and steady driver always with the cab. A share of public patronage respectfully solicited.
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Guelph Dec 25, 1870.

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\$1300 will buy a TWO STOREY HOUSE, brick and frame, suitable for two families, situated on the corner of Queen and Elizabeth streets, near Allan's Bridge, with stable, &c., rented for \$150.

\$1000 will buy Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4 (Block) Neve's Survey, at the passenger station of T. & C. Chisholm, or of the City of Guelph.

\$150 will buy Lot 27, corner of Powell and Strang Streets.

\$130 will buy Lot 25, on Strang Street.

\$120 will buy Lot 25 on " "

\$120 will buy Lot 29 on " "

\$150 will buy Lot 28, corner of Powell and Strang Streets.

\$750 will buy a LARGE DOUBLE FRAME HOUSE on Pearl-street (Lot 3, one four down, and five years for the balance.

\$800 will buy

Six Acres and Water Privilege
on the River, fronting on the Edinburg Road, well adapted for a mill or factory. The Freight Stations of the Grand Trunk and Great Western Railways front upon the same tract.

\$400 will buy 4 building lots on the Waterloo Road, 23, 24, 40 and 41 in Oliver's Survey.

\$300 will buy Lot 33 on Charles Street, Hubbard's Survey.

Apply to Davidson & Chadwick, Estate Agents.

\$5000 will buy Lots 7, 8, and 9 on Perth street. These lots front the River, and are admirably adapted for a factory. If purchased for that purpose, SPECIAL TERMS will be given.

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\$500 will buy Lots 1 and 23, on the London Road, in Hubbard's Survey.

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\$75 will buy Lot 100, corner of Neve and Richardson streets—Sir John A. Macdonald's Survey.

\$100 will buy Lot 149, Bridge Street, in Sir John A. Macdonald's Survey.

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\$15 per acre will buy Lot 2, in the 7th con., 200 acres, next lot to Gordon's steam saw mill. There is a considerable fall in the stream which crosses this lot, which might be used to advantage.

\$12 per acre will buy Lot 4, in the 8th con., 200 acres, a very excellent lot and well timbered.

\$12 per acre will buy Lot 5, in 9th con., 200 acres, one of the best lots in the township.

\$8 per acre will buy East half of Lot 5, in the 3rd con., 100 acres—a valuable lot.

AMARANTH
\$4 per acre will buy west half of Lot 13 in the 3rd con., 100 acres.

FURTHER PARTICULARS on application at their office.

TOWN HALL BUILDINGS
GUELPH.

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK,
TOWN HALL BUILDINGS, GUELPH,
Guelph, Nov. 18, 1871. dw

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TUESDAY EVENING, JAN. 16, 1872.

GUELPH TIME TABLE

Trains leave Guelph as follows
Grand Trunk Railway, East
3.10 a.m. 7.35 a.m. 11.04 a.m. 3.45 p.m. 6.50 p.m.
Going North, depart at 11.45 a.m., 4.55 p.m., and 9.05 p.m.; also by mixed train every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 1.05 p.m., and in addition a mixed train every Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday at 1.40 p.m.
Arriving here at 9 a.m., reaching Guelph at 1.40 p.m. The train which passes Guelph, going north at 11.45 p.m., runs every day to Clifford, arriving there at 3.15 p.m., and a mixed train which passes Guelph every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 1.0 p.m., reaches Clifford at 5.0 p.m.

Great Western—Guelph Branch
Going South depart at 6.50 a.m., 1.05 p.m., and 4.55 p.m.; also by mixed train every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 1.40 p.m.
Going North, depart at 11.45 a.m., 4.55 p.m., and 9.05 p.m.; also by mixed train every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday at 1.05 p.m., and in addition a mixed train every Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday at 1.40 p.m.
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Town and County News

MAYORS ELECT.—Hamilton, D. B. Chisholm re-elected; London, John B. Campbell; Kingston, Alderman Drennan; Toronto, Joseph Sheard re-elected.

ALL THE RAGE.—Mr. A. O. Buchan, in our advertising column, says that his great clearing sale is all the rage. Those who don't believe this should go and see for themselves.

D. MARTIN'S bankrupt stock is selling off fast. Parties wishing to purchase dry goods should call early; the store is continually crowded. It is the most successful sale of bankrupt stock ever held in Guelph.

LECTURE TO-NIGHT.—Remember the lecture to-night in the Congregational Church, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., by the Rev Mr. Guttery, of Toronto. Subject: "The Story of a Lifetime."

LYNX CAUGHT.—Mr James Fennel, of Bowling Green, Amaranth, caught a very large lynx in a trap on the Grand River a few days ago. There has been quite a number of these animals killed of late in that neighborhood.

DIED.—We regret to learn that Mr. George Sayers died last (Monday) night from the effects of the scalding he got by falling into the tank of hot water in Messrs Bell's Melodeon Factory on Saturday. He was not so severely burned, but the shock to the nervous system was so great that he never recovered from it. Deceased leaves a wife and five children to mourn his loss.

PREPARING FOR BUSINESS.—The St. Catharines Journal says that vessel owners and masters are not likely to have much trouble in getting their craft in and out of Port Dalhousie harbour on the opening of navigation in the spring. Heretofore two tugs have been considered quite sufficient to do the business, but on the opening of navigation this year, it is said that no less than six will make the Port their headquarters, and of course each and all will do their best to secure business.

FIRE.—A barn and stables belonging to Mr. Robt. Lowe, Brampton, were burned on Saturday night. The circumstances were such as to leave no doubt that it was the work of an incendiary. About a year ago Mr. Lowe had all his barns burned, with the entire crop for the year, entailing a loss of over two thousand dollars above his insurance; in this case also incendiarism was the undoubted cause. Only a few years previous to this all his barns and crops were burned under similar circumstances.

MONTREAL TELEGRAPH COMPANY.—The Montreal Telegraph Company opened for business on Monday morning in their spacious new building on the corner of Scott and Wellington streets, Toronto. At eight o'clock on Saturday evening the connection was broken with the old office in the Exchange building, and in half an hour afterwards, so complete were the arrangements that all the thirty wires were in full operation in the new building.

A FRACAS.—One evening lately a turkey was being reared for at Lamp's Tavern, Hillsburgh; and a quarrel got up between two men, named Kilburn and Hall, about ten cents or some other trifling sum. After indulging in some hard language at each other, the two clinched, and Kilburn was thrown down when he drew a knife, and one William Whelan interposed, knocked him down, and kicked him severely about the face and head. The effect of the blows and kicks has been such that Kilburn has been ever since confined to his bed, and will probably continue for some time longer under medical treatment.

SAD BEREAVEMENT.—The Stratford Bacon says that the sympathy of the whole community is with Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Waugh, in the sad bereavement which has overtaken them in the past few days. Their eldest little boy was stricken down with fever on Friday, and carried off after a few hours' illness. Before he was buried, the third son was attacked with the same insidious disease, which in his case likewise proved fatal. And next the little girl took the fever, and she is now in a critical condition. The only child to escape was the second son, who fortunately happened to be away.

A Proposition is in force in Ottawa to close the public schools for a month, in consequence of the spread of small pox. The medical men there have their time largely taken up in vaccination.

Sabbath School Conference.

The Presbyterian Sabbath School Conference, which we have announced in some of our previous issues, commenced its proceedings last (Monday) night, in Chalmers Church in this town. Mr. Wardrope, as Moderator of the Presbytery, took the chair, and began by prayer, praise and the reading of the Scriptures, after which he preached a highly suitable sermon from the words, John XXI, 15, "So when they had dined, Jesus saith to Simon Peter, Simon, son of Jonas, lovest thou me more than these? He saith unto him, Yea, Lord; thou knowest that I love thee. He saith unto him, Feed my lambs." In the course of the sermon the preacher dwelt briefly I, On the duty of domestic religious teaching, and II, on the importance of religious instruction in the Sabbath School, closing his remarks by exhorting Sabbath School Teachers to be persevering, believing and hopeful in their work.

After the sermon the Clerk read an extract of the minutes from the proceedings of the General Assembly, recommending the holding of Presbyterian Sabbath School Conferences throughout the Church, and gave a narrative of the proceedings of the Presbytery of Guelph in implementing that recommendation. The roll of delegates was then called, and the names of those present were marked. Committees were then appointed on business, and on delegates' commissions, after which the Conference adjourned to meet in the same place this morning at 9 o'clock.

January 16th.
The Conference resumed this morning at 9 o'clock and spent the first hour in devotional exercises. The Committee on business then reported, recommending the following out of the order laid down in the printed programme, with the exception that Mr. Thomson of Erin be requested to attend the meeting on the subject assigned to Mr. Bentley, of Galt, who in consequence of pressing engagements, is not able to be present, and that the Conference adjourn at 8 o'clock in the evening, so as to allow of members attending the lecture of Mr. Guttery to the Young Men's Christian Association.

The Committee on Commissions next reported to the effect that they had next the names on the Roll as called yesterday evening duly certified and that no fresh commissions had been handed in to them.

Both reports were adopted, and the Committees were continued.

Mr. McDonald then addressed the Conference on "The Place and Purpose of Sabbath School Work" treating the subject in a most interesting and satisfactory manner. Mr. Smellie followed in a few remarks expressing his agreement with the speaker in the principles he had laid down, but stating that what he understood by a common remark which Mr. McDonald had made, that Sabbath School Teachers should make it their great aim to secure the conversion of their pupils, was that Teachers should aim at, and not rest with anything short of their actual conversion to Christ. Rev. Mr. McGuire followed and the discussion was kept up till near the hour of adjournment in a way that evinced the deep interest felt in the subject, and that is likely to be productive of great good.

The programme for the afternoon is:—
2—2.30 Singing, reading Scriptures and prayer.

2:30—3 "How to render our Sabbath School work more attractive and efficient," by Rev. J. K. Smith, Galt.

3—4 Five minute addresses on same subject, with singing and prayer.

4—4:30 "Importance of Sabbath School Libraries and best means of procuring them," by Rev. G. Smellie, Ferris.

4:30—5 Five minute addresses on same subject.

EVENING SESSION.
7—7:15 Devotional exercises.
7:15—7:45 "B-4" means of enlisting the hearty aid of parents, congregations, and others in our Sabbath Schools," by Rev. J. A. Thomson, Erin.

7:45—8 Five minute addresses on same subject, with devotional exercises. Collection.

GUELPH POLICE COURT.

Before T. W. Saunders, Esq., Police Magistrate.
Jan 16.

Thomas Kaneby was charged by John Chambers with malicious injury to his property in breaking his windows on the 15th inst. Fined \$2, and \$1 for damages, besides costs. Sent up for one month.

Bernard Gibson was charged with assault and battery. Dismissed with costs.

Five Persons Burned to Death at Bradford.

A dwelling-house was destroyed by fire a few rods from Bradford station at two o'clock on Sunday morning, by which five lives were lost in the flames—a woman named Terrier, her two children and a young woman (her niece) and a man who was boarding in the house. Another man, with his wife and child, barely escaped with their lives by getting out of the bedroom window. The origin of the fire is not known.

LOOK OUT FOR COUNTERFEITS.—There is at present a large number of counterfeit \$2 Dominion notes in circulation, so well executed as to easily deceive the unwary. The St. John Telegraph and the Amherst Gazette both state that several of the notes have been seen in these neighborhoods, and have even been taken by the banks. The signatures at the foot are perfect, being done by lithography.

Le Courier de Canada states that in case Newfoundland and Prince Edward Island enter the Dominion, the Canadian Government will be prepared to establish a line of steamships between Canada and the West Indies.

THIS MORNING'S DESPATCHES BY TELEGRAPH

THE WAR IN MEXICO.

The Mordaunt Divorce Case

The Washington Treaty.

Matamoros, Jan 15.—The siege of Mexico has been raised, the revolutionists under Gen Guirago having been re-enforced by four or five hundred men from Monterey. Gen Coolidge's force fell back across the San Juan River yesterday into Carmargo before an attack could be made on them in force. Coolidge's precipitate retreat prevented a general engagement, which the revolutionists appeared to seek.

New York, January 16.—The World's London special says: It is reported that the Mordaunt divorce case will soon be reopened, with the Prince of Wales as co-respondent. Another divorce case has been filed on the trial of which the Duke of Edinburgh will appear as co-respondent.

Washington, Jan 16.—No little opposition is beginning to be developed to the 28th and 30th Articles of the Treaty of Washington. Representatives of the Commercial interests of the Great Lakes are in Washington, contending that these provisions will have the effect, if ratified and carried into effect, of transferring to the British owners the monopoly of carrying the trade and the ownership of the lake tonnage to British lands, inasmuch as British vessels can be built and sailed at from 30 to 40 per cent less cost in the present condition of our currency and specie taxation than American vessels can be built and sailed, and that in view of this fact the United States will gain nothing while giving up their own commerce for the mere privilege of entering with American vessels into Canadian ports. It is said that the mercantile interests of New York, Boston and Portland are also beginning to be moved by the same considerations. The probability is that the commercial interest thus effected will combine with the fishery interests for their common protection in endeavouring to defer action upon the subject until it can be more thoroughly investigated, or perhaps reopened for diplomatic negotiation.

Latest from Manitoba.

Fort Garry, Manitoba, Jan. 13.
A petition for a commutation of the sentence of Letendre has been numerous signed and forwarded to Ottawa.

The opening of Parliament is awaited with extraordinary interest, as it is known that the breach in the Ministry still exists, and unless there is a reconciliation the defeat of the Government is almost certain, for the French are nearly all with M. Royal.

It is said that M. Girard, Provincial Treasurer, one of the newly-appointed Dominion Senators, awaits the developments of the session before either accepting or declining the recent elevation of the Government; but if sustained, he will decline the honour and retain his present position.

NEWS ITEMS.

The Reformers of Brockville have chosen Lieut. Col. Buest as their candidate for the Commons.

It is stated that Fisk's property, after all the debts are paid, will not amount to more than a hundred thousand dollars.

Mark Twain promises to give every consumptive who is not cured by camp life at Lake Tahoe "a funeral which will be a comfort to them as long as they live."

The New York Grand Jury have formally indicted Stokes of willfully murdering Fisk, with malice aforethought. The trial is expected to take place in a few days.

After a protracted struggle of several months the Jesuits have been expelled from Guatemala. The exiled fathers, eighty in number, will probably go to Ecuador, as none of the other States in the country will receive them.

An effort is being made to erect a distinctively American church in Rome. It will be Episcopal, owned by an Episcopal congregation, and under the charge of the Bishop of Pennsylvania. The present chapel is outside the walls, in an old grapery.

A new kind of trial by jury has been tried in Saxony for petty crimes, and has worked so well that its extension is advocated. It is composed of three lawyers and four laymen. A majority verdict must have the vote of at least one lawyer, as it must have the voice of five of the seven.

The Minister of Marine and Fisheries is actively bringing before the Government a scheme for the adoption of storm signals in the Lower Provinces and in the lakes, and if he succeeds in having his plans carried out he will confer a great boon on the whole of the seafaring community.

It is reported from New York that the Russian Government will sustain Catechy in his course of action while Minister at Washington, and that he will order the American Minister in Russia to demand his passports. This would break off all diplomatic intercourse between Russia and the United States.

The Tichborne Case.—The case for the defence in the weird Tichborne trial was opened by Sir John Duke Cole-ridge, who, in a speech of great vigour and eloquence, denounced the claimant as a common impostor and villain; declared that the claim was a stupendous imposture conceived by Messrs Baigent and Carter, both "unscrupulous rogues." This is, of course, special pleading, but it indicates the course the defendants intend to take.

Town Council.

The Council met last (Monday) evening. Present all the members except Mr. Robertson and Mr. Hogg.

Mr. Kennedy and Mr. Bell having made the declaration of offices took their seats.

Mr. Bruce presented a petition from Mr. Wm O'Connor, signed by about 150 ratepayers, asking the Council to retain the license for his Billiard Room at the same rate as formerly, and to repeal the By-law for increasing the same.

Mr. Bruce read a petition from Wm O'Connor, for a license for his Billiard Room for 1872.

The first petition was referred to the By-law Committee.

Moved by Mr. Bruce, seconded by Mr. Massie, that the petition of Mr. Wm O'Connor for renewal of his license for a Billiard Room be granted.—Carried.

Mr. Howard presented the report of the Committee to strike Standing Committees for the year as follows: [The name of the member first on the list is chairman of the committee.]

FINANCE.—Messrs Massie, Hogg, Allan and Howard.

ROADS AND BRIDGES.—Messrs Robert Mitchell, Kennedy, Stewart and Bruce.

FIRE, WATER AND GAS.—Messrs Robertson, Bruce, Sailer and McNeil.

MARKET HOUSE.—Messrs McNeil, Mitchell, Howard and Kennedy.

PRINTING.—Messrs Howard, Crowe, Stevenson and Sailer.

BY-LAW.—Messrs McMillan, Hogg, Bell and Sailer.

TREE PLANTING.—Messrs Kennedy, Bell, McMillan and Crowe.

LICENSE.—Messrs Bell, Stewart, Crowe and Stevenson.

RELIEF.—Messrs Bruce, Robertson, Stevenson and McMillan.

CENTRAL EXHIBITION.—Messrs Allan, Massie, McNeil and Stewart.

RAILWAY.—Messrs Hogg, Massie, Allan and Robertson.

CHEMISTRY.—The Mayor and Robert Mitchell.

The report on motion of Mr. McNeil, seconded by Mr. Allan, was adopted.

The Clerk reported that as the former By-law for licensing Billiard Rooms was illegal, he had prepared another one, and it would be necessary for the Council to pass that By-law before he could grant a license. Under the former By-law the Council imposed a license of \$250, for which they had no authority, as the statute does not empower any Municipality to charge more than \$130 as a license.

The By-law was accordingly introduced to repeal section 78 of By-law 164 for the licensing and regulation of Billiard Rooms, and was read a first and second time.

The Council went into Committee of the Whole on the By-law, Mr. Allan in the chair.

Moved by Mr. Massie, seconded by Mr. Bruce, that the first clause be filled up with \$100 for the first table and \$30 for every second or other table. The Committee rose and the By-law as filled up in committee was on motion of Mr. Mitchell, seconded by Mr. Massie, read a third time and passed.

Moved by Mr. Massie, seconded by Mr. Mitchell, that Messrs Jas. Armstrong and Joseph Mimmack be Assessors for the current year. Carried.

The Council then adjourned.

From Japan.

SECOND-HAND TYPE FOR SALE!

FOR SALE, at THE MERCURY OFFICE a quantity of second-hand Brevier and Bourgeois in good order.

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Evening Mercury

TUESDAY EVENG, JAN. 16, 1872.

OUR COUNTY ROADS.

The most important work which lies before the County Council next week, will be to settle on some plan for managing and keeping in proper repair the different County Roads. The Council at its meeting in June last abolished the tolls, and at its meeting in December passed a resolution authorizing the immediate sale of the toll houses. Very soon, therefore, the last vestige of these venerable and unsightly institutions will have passed away, and the resident in the County, as well as the traveller, can, if he choose, ride from the south end of Puslinch to Clifford without paying a cent impost. This is certainly a great boon, and one which we are sure the people of this County will heartily appreciate. Even under the old regime, when a traveller had to pay his two-pence or four-pence every six miles, he would much rather have done so for the pleasure and comfort — to say nothing of the saving in time — of travelling over a good road, than to have his team floundering through the mud, or hopelessly sticking in some rut. Still, the community almost universally regarded the tolls as a vexatious tax, and in reality no profit to the County. At the same time, now the tolls are removed, they do not wish the roads to be neglected, or to get out of repair. Though there is not the same amount of travel on some of them now as there was before the County was permeated by railroads, they are as yet as much a necessity and convenience as they ever were. They are the main arteries by which all our home and foreign travel is carried on. They have helped to raise this County to its present high position, and should not now be thoughtlessly left to their fate as if we had no more use for them.

No one for a moment hesitates in the assertion that our County Roads must be kept up in as efficient a state as they ever were. The difficulty is to obtain a united opinion in regard to the best mode of managing them. Some are in favour of repealing the By-laws by which they were assumed as County roads, and handing them back to the Townships through whose territory they pass. Others again believe it will be better for the County to continue to manage them as before. We are decidedly in favour of the latter course. The County Solicitor has already given his opinion, that in regard to roads originally built and owned by Joint Stock Companies, and which were subsequently purchased by the County, the Council have not the power to pass a By-law annulling the assumption of them. Such being the case, it would be folly to hand over a portion of the roads back to the Townships, while the remainder are kept up by the County. Besides, it would be unfair to some Townships to have them thrown back on their hands. Take for instance the Township of Nichol, through which there are some 19 miles of gravel roads. That Township should have far more than its own share to keep in repair. It would form a grievous burden on the rate-payers of that municipality, who would have to keep up that length of road for the people north and south of them, and who might use it more than they did. Another evil might also creep in under this system. One of these roads, we will suppose passes through two or three Townships. One of them might keep up the road in a very efficient state, while another might neglect it. We would thus have a few miles of good road, and a few miles more of very bad, which would be a great inconvenience, and a positive loss to travellers. We are satisfied it will not do to have the roads under Township management.

It would be impossible to proportionate the work which each would have to do with any degree of fairness. It would be equally impossible for the County to have the direct control and oversight over the Townships which it would have over its own officers or members, and in the end the roads would be allowed to grow worse and worse till they were no better than a second-rate concession road.

We are strongly in favour of the County Council continuing to manage them. Let it do so either by the appointment of a well qualified, practical Superintendent, or through Commissioners chosen from the Council as at present. The yearly repairs on them all will not in future amount to much. — But these repairs must be promptly done, in order to keep the roads in good condition. With proper superintendence they can be done economically and efficiently, and the roads maintained in that excellent state in which they now are. We have full confidence that the Council will deal with this matter in a liberal spirit, and not allow our great thoroughfares—the pride and boast of the County—to lose their reputation as the best in the Province.

DOMINION BOARD OF TRADE.

At the meeting of this body on the 17th inst, a number of most interesting commercial questions will be discussed. So far as announced, these are some: International Navigation, embracing canals, and river and harbor improvements; pilotage and towage; a trunk railway from Toronto via Ottawa to the seaboard; trade relations with the United States, including certain provisions of the Washington Treaty; revision of the tariff; fees charged by American Consuls; changes in the customs and excise laws; the insolvency act; immigration; central system of weights and measures; warehouse receipts; free delivery of letters in cities and towns; appointment of adjusters of averages; inspection of fish and oil; navigation of American canals; extension of telegraphs; extension of postal service; international meteorological observations. The foregoing presents an interesting programme, and affords "food for reflection." Let us hope that the deliberations will be so conducted, and the decisions arrived at so wisely framed, as to reflect credit upon the assemblage which may fairly claim to represent the trading and manufacturing interests of the whole Dominion.

IGNORANCE OF ENGLISH OFFICIALS.—It would seem from an incident narrated in the Montreal News, to be the opinion of the public here and others of London, Eng., that the productive industry of this country is limited to the dressing of bear-skins and curing of cod fish. When Mr. John Lovell entered some three hundred of his Directories at the Liverpool Custom House, the authorities refused to believe that such a book could be produced in Canada—and insisted that the alleged publication of this country in this country was a Yankee dodge to save duties. In consequence of this suspicion, Mr. Lovell, had to pay a duty of thirty shillings per cwt., instead of fifteen; when, however, the strange incredulosity of the officials was finally forced to succumb to facts and evidence, the excess of duty was refunded. What have our immigration lecturers been about, since the people of England do not seem even to know that we can print books here?

It is understood that Sir John A. Macdonald will leave for Toronto on Wednesday or Thursday next. There are various rumours as to the object of his visit, one being that he intends to assist Messrs Cameron and Sandfield Macdonald in the programme of opposition to the Blake Administration. The control of the Ontario Cabinet has so long been in the hands of Sir John that it can be understood how deep his interest is in the matter.

It is stated that Mr. Pope is about to appoint an Inspector of Emigrant Agencies in Great Britain and on the Continent. The appointment of a special agent for Liverpool is also likely to be made.

NEGOTIATIONS are on foot to secure the reduction of rates of steamer passage from Europe by the Allan line.

NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY.—The contract for grading the North Pacific Railway from Red River to the Missouri is let, the road to be completed to the river by the 1st of July, 1872, and Montanans will then be able to travel to Fort Benton in the stage, down to the Missouri river to the crossing of the road by the boat, and thence east by the Northern Pacific. The prospects for the completion of the road through the territory are good.

BIRTHS.

SWARTZENBERGER—At Aberfoyle, on the 13th inst, the wife of Mr Francis Swartzenberger, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

MISKIE—DEAN—At the Wedding Parsonage, Elora, on the 13th inst, Mr Wm Miskie, to Miss Margaret Ann Dean, both of the Township of Peel.

EDMONSON—MILL—In Garrafra, on the 1st inst, by the Rev L Tindal, Mr Wm Edmonson, to Miss Annie Jane Mills, all of Garrafra, W. & S.

FELSER—LACE—By the same, on the 3rd inst, Mr John Felser, Jr, to Miss Mary Taylor, both of Garrafra, West.

EVLEIGH—HALL—By the same, at the Methodist Episcopal Church, Mr James Evleigh, of Garrafra, West, to Miss Sarah Jane Hall, of New York City.

GRAHAM—FARREY—At Elora, on the 2nd inst, by the Rev S F English, Mr John Graham, to Miss Lavina Farrey, both of Maryborough.

PERSONS—REYNOLDS—In Morpeth, Ont, on the 23th ult, by the Rev Wm H. B. B. Persons, to Miss Amelia Reynolds, formerly of Pilkington.

ANDREWS—CUMMINGS—Elora, by the Rev Father Ouellette, Mr John Andrews, bachelor, to Miss Elizabeth Cummings, Garrafra.

DIED.

RITCHIE—In Garrafra, on the 12th inst, of inflammation, the wife of Mr David Ritchie, aged 57.

WILKIE—At Wellington Cottage, West Garrafra, on the 4th inst, Grace I W, youngest daughter of James Wilkie, Esq, aged 3 years and 9 months.

BETH—On the 14th inst, at his late residence, Guelph Township, Alexander Wright Beth, senr, aged 64 years.

New Advertisements.

SPEED LODGE, No. 180.

THE Brethren are requested to attend the funeral of our late Brother, GEORGE SAYERS, on THURSDAY, the 15th inst, at 2 p.m., from his late residence. By request of the W. M. P. BISH, Secretary. Guelph, Jan. 16, 1872.

Organ or Melodeon Wanted

MUST be cheap. Address, with particulars, A. B. C. this office.

Guelph Gas Light Company

THE Annual Meeting of Shareholders of the above Company will be held in the TOWN HALL, Guelph, on FRIDAY, the 19th JANUARY, 1872, at 4 o'clock, p.m. J. C. MELAN, Secy. D. GUTHRIE, Pres. Guelph, Jan 8, 1872.

Two Servant Girls Wanted Immediately

At Rockwood Academy, Waags Liberal Apprentices, at this office, or to A. McHILL, 141st St.

Tannery for Sale or to Rent

THE Subscriber will either sell or Rent his Tannery, on Surrey Street, Guelph. Possession given on the 1st March. Apply on the premises to JOHN CLARK, Proprietor.

Good Cook Wanted

MUST be well recommended. Wages \$1.50 per month. Apply to MRS FARR, 104th St.

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AT WHOLESALE Splendid Quality and Cheap

AT JOHN HORSMAN'S Country Merchants

Would study their own interest to purchase of JOHN HORSMAN

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ONE NIGHT ONLY WEDNESDAY EVENG, JAN. 17TH, 1872.

Miss Sallie Holman's ENGLISH OPERA TROUPE

Offenbach's Opera Bouffe. GRAND DUCHESS OF GEROLDSTEIN, —AND— MUSICAL EXTRAVAGANZA.

Tickets 25 Cents Reserved Seats 50 Cents. GOD SAVE THE QUEEN. Guelph, Jan. 15, 1872.

ANDERSON'S FOR

Sabbath Sch'l Libraries Sabbath School Prizes Sabbath School Papers Sabbath School Cards

A Liberal Discount to Ministers and Teachers.

ANDERSON'S

New Bookstore and News Depot Opposite Market House GUELPH

JUST ARRIVED

J. HUNTER'S New Chignons BRAIDS AND SWITCHES

NEW JEWELLERY

In Jet, Vulcanite and Bog Wood, Gold, Plated, Marquise, and Silver. A Great Variety of Small Wares.

Fancy Woollen Goods, WOOLS, &c.

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DAY buys well, and goods well bought are half sold.

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West Side Wyndham Street, GUELPH

Dissolution of Partnership

THE Partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. Mr Martin will continue the business, collect all debts, and pay all accounts of the partnership. THOS H. TAYLOR, DAVID MARTIN.

Witness: Robt Mitchell, Guelph, Jan 10th, 1872.

Lots for Sale in the Town of Guelph.

LOTS from 2 to 22, being the front on the Elora Road of the Catholic Church Glebe, in lots to suit purchasers. For terms and particulars of sale, apply to Messrs. McMillan & O'Connor, Barristers, Nos 2 and 3, Day's Block Guelph.

New Advertisements.

ALL THE RACE

THE GREAT CLEARING SALE OF DRESS GOODS AND MILLINERY AT THE Fashionable West End Dry Goods Store

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PILES OF NEW AND FASHIONABLE DRESS GOODS SELLING OFF Fast at our Reduced Prices. 130 Ladies Fashionable Trimmed and Untrimmed Hats sold last Week!

NOW IS THE TIME, LADIES! Go straight up to the Alma Block. Don't waste time by calling anywhere else. Our Stock is large and the most fashionable can be suited. Another Lot of Beautiful Clear White Clouds at various prices. COME AND SEE.

A. O. BUCHAM

Fashionable West End Dry Goods Store, Alma Block, Guelph. Jan 15, 1872.

THE ALMA BLOCK

Christmas and New Years.

ROBERT RAE & Co.

Will show during the Holidays a fine assortment of Plated Ware, Fancy Goods, CHINA TEA SETTS, &c. FOR CHRISTMAS and NEW YEAR'S GIFTS

Also received—a Splendid Assortment of Glass Flower Shades, with stands, all sizes and shapes. The Ladies are respectfully requested to bear this in mind.

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Guelph, Dec 19 Alma Block, Guelph.

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NOTICE WE, the undersigned, beg to inform the public that we have sold out our Lumber Yard on Upper Wyndham Street to

MESSRS. DOUGLAS & BANNERMAN,

And as they have been in our employment for a number of years we have much pleasure in recommending them to the public as our successors.

AND we also beg to inform our numerous customers that our business will hereafter be carried on

At the GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY STATN

Where we will as usual, wholesale and retail. Guelph, Jan 10, 1872. Gowdy, Stewart & Co.

New Goods for the Holidays

AT JOHN R. PORTE'S

Fine Gold Setts Brooch and (Ear-rings) Fine Gold Necklets Brooches, Earrings, Studs, Guards, Alberts, Finger Rings, Cuff Buttons

AND A FULL ASSORTMENT OF GOLD PLATED JEWELLERY Silver Thimbles, Tea Spoons, Chains, ELECTRO-PLATED WARE

Castors, Breakfast and Dinner Butler Coolers, Cake Baskets, Children's Mugs, Salons, Butter Knives, Pickle Forks, Spoons and Forks of all kinds.

RODGER'S TABLE CUTLERY

Remember the name and place— JOHN R. PORTE, Wyndham-Street, Guelph.

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AT PERRY'S

Choice Teas Choice Coffees New Raisins New Currants

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A VARIETY CONSISTING OF— Potted Game, Potted Tongue, Potted Ham, Potted Beef, Potted Ham and Chicken, Strasburg Potted Meats, &c. &c.; a variety of Jams and Jellies.

Groceries, Crockery, Glassware, Wines & Liquors AT PERRY'S GROCERY STORE, Highbotham's Block, Wyndham-Street, Guelph. Dec 12, 71—dwf

NEW MILLINERY SHOW ROOMS

MISS ELLIS BEGS to inform the public that she has just received a fresh lot of

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IN ALL THE LATEST STYLES, and respectfully solicits an early call. One door east of the Royal Hotel Guelph Oct 5, 1871.

PUBLIC CAB.

THE Subscriber begs to inform the people of Guelph that he has purchased a handsome and commodious Cab, which will always be at their service. He will be at the Railway Stations on the arrival of all trains. Parties wishing to hire by the hour or otherwise will be charged the most reasonable rates. As he will make it his study to see to the comfort of all passengers he hopes to receive a share of public patronage. Orders left at the Express Office, Mr Hugh Walker's, and at the Post Office will be promptly attended to. JOHN DUGNAN, Guelph, Sept 4, 1871.

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JUST RECEIVED A Large Supply of

Light Port Wine

(Vin Rouge de Roussillon) for Medicinal Use Price only 50c per bottle

Also—a very

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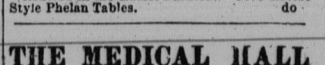
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Prepared only by E. Harvey & Co. Also a fresh supply of

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Dispensing and Family Chemists, Wyndham-st, Guelph, Jan 10th, 1872.

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MASTICK Slate Cement, on felt, \$8.00 per square, warranted light and sound for fifteen years. Old gravelled roofs repaired, gravel removed, cemented and recoated at 25 per square, and warranted fifteen years. Old Tin Roofs cemented over, warranted tight and sound for twenty years, 50 per square. My cement can be used on steep or flat roofs—is fire and water proof. N.B.—To parties that have old shingle roofs that are too flat and leak, I can cement with my cement, and make them tight and perfect, and warrant them for twenty years. All orders left with Mr Daniel Heffernan, Guelph, will be promptly attended to, or to James A. Appleby, Brantford.

RESPECTERS—We, the undersigned property and house owners certify that we have used Appleby's Cement on steep and flat roofs, and we consider it superior to any other composition for repairing old or new roofing; Benias Clark, Charles Miller, James Money, Louisa and last agent, Buffalo, N.Y.; G. Walker, Class Road, New York City; Peter J. Funk, Dr. Dodge, Brooklyn, N.Y.; Fred Miller, John Norton, Jersey City, N.Y.; J. A. Austin, Paul Jones, Philadelphia; A. Patrick McMahon, Suspension Bridge, N.Y.; J. Spirling, Niagara Falls, N.Y.; S. M. Spencer, Rochester, N.Y.; George Green, Lancaster, N.Y.; Hiram Johnson, Brantford, N.Y.; H. James, Lockport, N.Y.; John Bush, Clifton, Niagara Falls, Ont.; George S. May, St. Catharines, Ont.; Wm. Amundell, J. F. Dumville, Ont.; Wm. Watt, builder, J. J. Wilkes, J. P. Brethour & Co. Brantford, Ont.; L. G. Severens, Wm. Roberts, H. Bowry, H. Harvey, Simcoe, Ont.; Charles Whitlaw, W. Radial, Paris, Ont.; Wm. Osborn, Gal., Ont.

Guelph Lumber Yard

WE, the undersigned, beg to inform the inhabitants of Guelph and surrounding country that we have purchased the stock in trade of the Guelph Lumber Yard.

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Bill Stuff Cut to Order! We beg by strict attention to business to merit a share of public patronage.

Douglas & Bannerman, Guelph, Jan 17, 1872.

Dog Stolen

STOLEN from my sleigh, at St. Du's Hotel, Hotel, 104, Wood, on or about the 22nd December last, a spotted Coach Dog, aged months, a reward of \$10 will be paid by me for the dog, and \$20 for the apprehension and recovery of the thief; and any person harbouring the dog after this notice will be held responsible according to law. JOHN CURRIE, Barton P.O. Jan 17, 1872.

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A large Bankrupt Stock just arrived at D. Martin's

DIRECTLY OPPOSITE THE MARKET.

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Grey Cottons from 5c. per yard; Bleached Cottons from 8c. per yard; Bleached Cottons, best in town, 12½c. per yard, over a yard wide. There is a large lot of Cottons, and parties buying a piece will get it cheaper. Tweeds, all wool, from 50c. per yard, Prints from 8c. per yard, Ladies' Whitney Jackets from \$1.50 each, Ladies' Velvetten Jackets from \$1.50 each, Ladies' Silk Jackets, very fine, from \$2.50. Shawls at any price you like. There is a large stock, and must go for what they bring. An extra large lot of Window Holland for 12½c. per yard, sold elsewhere for 30c. per yard; Flannels from 20c. per yard. Ribbons, Flowers, Plumes, Feathers, Trimmings, &c., of all kinds and prices.

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TUESDAY EV'NG. JAN. 16, 1872.

HELEN MOIR

Love and Honour.

A TALE OF THE CLYDE.

CHAPTER II.

TWO EVIL SPIRITS IN COMMUNION.

Jasper Jaquin lay peering out upon them from under his leafy coverlet, and so much was his attention directed towards their movements that he ceased to keep his eye on the road behind, till the sound of a footstep came to his ear, when, looking hastily round, he saw Victor Dubouque not many yards off, his dark face scowling with passion and hate, and his gaze fixed on the pair across the water. He, too, had recognized them, and the rage within his bosom was manifesting itself untrammelled, and all the more openly and violently that he knew not anyone was near to observe him.

He never noticed Jaquin under the bushes, though he crept within the covert, and throwing himself on the ground, lay glaring at Hermann and Helen like a wild beast watching its prey.

So near was he to Jaquin that the latter, by stretching forth his arm, could lay his hand on his shoulder. He was, however, able to observe him minutely, and saw his firm compressed lips twitching violently, saw his hands clench till it seemed as if the nails would penetrate the flesh, saw his bosom heave and fall with spasmodic rapidity, and heard his teeth come hissing forth with fitful audibility.

Oh, curses on the chance that made my work fall the other night! he muttered, with husky hoarseness. But for the help that came to them, my triumph and revenge had been complete. Yet they live still—live to mock and baffle me. Ere long, if I cannot circumvent them, I shall see her the wife of that German swine, and be powerless to avenge the humiliation. Oh, my dearest wish is to crush them both. If I am not to possess her, I would keep her from him at any cost, any risk, any—

He stopped his muttering with a violent start, for just then a hand was laid on his shoulder, and turning suddenly round, he saw the hideous form of the hunchback crouch beside him, and his ghastly face leering into his own.

You love her—I thought so, said Jaquin, with a nod and a glance at the other side of the loch.

What do you mean by this? exclaimed Dubouque, springing half up, and regarding the hunchback with an angry, threatening gesture. How dare you crawl behind me, and listen and watch as you have been doing?

Because I am your friend, and would help you, was the answer.

How am I to believe that? I don't know you—you don't know me, yet you have played the snavedropper, and the spy, and by this means you have gained a knowledge which to me is dangerous. Have you counted the risk you run?

No, because I run no risk. I am your friend, I tell you—I told you so in the steamboat, and would now prove so.

Give me the proof, then, for I cannot part with you, when I know I am in your power, without being assured that the power is not to be used against me.

I will give you the proof. Did I betray you, or denounce you, at Kilman the other night?

No. I saw you though no other person did—I saw you looking at them over the churchyard wall; I saw you lying by the water side when they took to the boat, and I heard your words there.

Yes; and by what followed I knew you had scuttled the boat.

By heavens, but your knowledge of my affairs may cost you dear, said Dubouque, his countenance livid with fear and wrath. Think you I shall leave you free to go to and fro with a secret that, if known, would ruin me. By all the fiends, this shall not be. You must satisfy me beyond all doubt that I have nothing to fear from you, or—

when I had only to open my mouth, or point my hand, to show you as the author of the boat accident? I saw what I saw and heard what I heard, and kept it to myself.

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NEW Breakfast Shawls and Sontags.

NEW Waterproof Tweeds—Cheap.

NEW Lavender Kid Gloves.

NEW Dress Goods—some special Lines.

NEW Gloves and Hosiery

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A lot of Antimacassars, beautiful goods, bought cheap, price less than cost of wool.

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Direct from the Manufacturers

A large stock of Linen Collars and Cuffs, in the following kinds:

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SMALL FARM, situated in the Township of Gairfarrax on the Gravel Road, within three miles of the Village of Fergus, consisting of 63 acres good land, with barns, &c. Will be sold cheap.

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First-class Turnouts ready at the Shortest Notice.

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