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## Business Cards.

**FREDERICK BISCOE, Barrister and Attorney at Law,** Solicitor in Chancery, Conveyancer, &c. Guelph. Office, corner of Wyndham and Quebec Streets. dw

**AUSTIN C. CHADWICK, Barrister at Law,** Solicitor in Chancery, &c., Market Place, Guelph. Office entrance next door to the Queen's Hotel. dw

**STEPHEN BOLT, Architect, Contractor and Builder.** Planning Mill, and every kind of Joiner's Work prepared for the trade and the public. The Factory is on Quebec street, Guelph. dw

**GEORGE PALMER, Barrister and Attorney at Law,** Solicitor in Chancery, Notary Public and Conveyancer. Office, over E. Hurry & Co's Drug Store. Entrance on Macdonnell street. dw

**OLIVER & MACDONALD, Barristers and Attorneys at Law, Solicitors, Notaries Public, &c.** Office—Corner of Wyndham and Quebec Streets, up stairs, Guelph, Ont. R. OLIVER, JR. (dw) A. H. MACDONALD.

**DR. BROCK, RESIDENCE**  
Directly opposite Chalmers' Church, QUEBEC STREET. d

**DR. CLARKE** has resumed the practice of his profession. He will remain in his office, Quebec Street, Wednesday and Saturday from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. for consultation. my17-dw

**JOHN KIRKHAM, Silver Plater and Brass Finisher.**  
All orders promptly attended to. Shop—opposite Chalmers' Church, Quebec Street, Guelph. dw

**H. H. PASS, Painter, Glazier and Paper Hanger**  
All orders promptly attended to. RESIDENCE—Two doors above St. Andrew's Church, Guelph, Feb. 29, 1872. dw

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

**D. OUTHRIE, J. WATT, W. H. CUTTEN,** Guelph, March 1, 1871. dw

**F. STURDY, House, Sign, & Ornamental Painter**  
GRAINER AND PAPER-HANGER.  
Shop next to the Wellington Hotel, Wyndham Street, Guelph. 127-dw

**NEW BAKERY.**  
The Subscribers beg to notify the people of Guelph that they have started a new Bakery  
On Essex Street, one door south of Dr. Keating's.  
Where they will always have in stock a supply of bread of the first quality.  
Having secured the services of Mr. George Watson as baker, they feel assured in giving satisfaction.  
Bread and Flour promptly delivered in any part of the town.  
They hope by strict attention to business, and making bread of the best quality, to merit a share of public patronage.  
A. McPHAIL & Co. Guelph, March 12, 1872. 3nd

**DUGGAN'S 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.  
Sept. 1, 1871. do JOHN DUGGAN

**SODEN'S PUBLIC CAB.**  
The subscriber having purchased Mr. D. Coffey's splendid Cab, begs to inform the public that it will be at their service at all times, either by the hour, the day, or any other way, at the most liberal and reasonable rates.  
It will attend all the regular trains, also Concert and Balls, and can be engaged for Marriages or Funerals on the shortest notice.  
Orders sent to the Express Office, Mr. Harvey's Drug Store, Parker's Hotel, and Hewer's Western Hotel.  
A careful and steady driver always with the Cab. A share of public patronage respectfully solicited.  
Orders may also be left at the Owner's Grocery Store, Upper Wyndham Street.  
Oct. 19, 1871. dw R. SODEN.

**JESSOP & CORBET, General Insurance, Loan and Real Estate Agents.**  
Office—ONTARIO BANK BUILDING GUELPH ONT.

Life, Fire and Accident Policies issued in first-class Companies on the most favorable terms.  
Several valuable farms and town property for sale on easy terms.  
\$5,000 to invest on first-class security.  
Parties requiring a loan, or desiring to invest money will find it to their advantage to give us a call. Charges moderate.  
Ontario Bank Building, Guelph, Ont.  
May 11, 1872. dw

**HART & SPEIRS, Conveyancers, Land, Loan, Insurance and General Agents.**  
4 Day's Block, Guelph

In reference to the above, Wm. Hart begs to inform his friends and the public that he has entered into partnership with Mr. J. S. Speirs in the above business, and while expressing his grateful acknowledgments for the liberal share of patronage bestowed upon him for the past three years, would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same to the new firm.  
All business entrusted to us will receive prompt and strict attention.  
Deeds, Mortgages, Wills, Leases, &c., &c. neatly and correctly prepared.  
MONEY always on hand in sum to suit borrowers, on mortgages of good personal security. No delay or extravagant charges.  
Our list of Town and Farm Property is large and varied, and parties in want of real estate of any kind should call on us before purchasing elsewhere.  
Agents for the Commercial Union Assurance Company of London, England.  
HART & SPEIRS, 4 Day's Block, Guelph, Ont. My11-dw

## New Advertisements.

**WANTED,** a good experienced servant girl. Apply at this office. 27-dw

**PIANO FOR SALE.**—\$140 cash will purchase an excellent piano. Can be seen at the Royal Hotel, Guelph. 22-dw

**FIRST-CLASS PASTURE,** with good Stevenson's Nurseries. Apply to Robert White, near 26-dw

**WOOLEN RAGS, CARD, on FARM WASTE.**—Best cash price paid. Apply to SMITH & WILBY, 110 Adelaide St. East, Toronto; 26-dw

**DURHAM BULL.**—The subscriber has a thorough bred Durham bull, which will serve this season at his farm (Guelph), and take it away. JOHN KIRKHAM, May 29, 1872. dw

**40 ACRES OF GOOD PASTURE** in TOWNSHIP OF HAYTER upon one side of it. Apply at the Law Office of the undersigned. ROBT. MITCHELL, May 8, 1872. dw

**AN OWNER WANTED.**—A box containing machinery was left at the Great Western Hotel, Guelph, about a year ago. The owner is requested to call, pay charges, and take it away. JOHN HEWER, May 21, 1872. dw

**C. M. L. B. B. C.**  
A meeting of the Guelph Maple Leaf Base Ball Club will be held at the QUEEN'S HOTEL, THIS EVENING, at 8 p.m. Business important. T. GOLDIE, Sec. By order.

**CHIEF LOST.**—About three weeks ago, a horse, principally last year's lamb, and one oblique eye with black mark over her eye, with lamb at foot. The finder will be liberally rewarded on application to Robert Goehano, York Road. midwt

**HORSE STRAYED.**—Strayed from the premises of John Hall, Ermosa Road, on the 11th inst., a dark brown horse, fitted on the high side. Any person returning him or giving information of his whereabouts to the owner, or at this office, will be rewarded. midwt

**FOR SALE.**—The Guelph Packing House, with or without appurtenances, containing one horse boiler in a new jacket, kettles, scales, &c. Dimensions of cattle slaughter house eight, hog slaughter house seven, packing rooms in two compartments, each with good cellar. For particulars apply to Geo. Loos, Guelph. 29-dw

**LOTS FOR SALE.**—For sale twenty-four lots in Jackson's Survey, near Mr. John Husbands' residence. Twenty-three of the lots are a quarter of an acre each, more or less. Terms, one-fifth of the purchase money down, the balance in five years, with interest at 6 per cent. Apply to John Jackson, tinner, Guelph. my30-3nd

**TO MECHANICS AND OTHERS.**—The subscriber has about 50 of the best lots in the West Ward, Guelph, which he is prepared to sell cheap and give a good title free from incumbrance. HENRY HATCH, Land & Loan Agent, Guelph, March 27, 1871. dw

**ICE, ICE.**  
The subscriber begs to inform the inhabitants of the Town of Guelph that he can supply them with ice.  
**DELIVERED DAILY**  
At their houses, at a moderate charge. Parties leaving their orders for the same at Mr. John Webster's, Cook Street, or at Mr. Port's confectionery store, Wyndham street, will be punctually attended to.  
RALPH SMITH, Guelph, April 29th, 1871. dw

**ICE, ICE.**  
Ice supplied daily in any part of the town. Leave your order with  
**J. HARRIS,** Baker and Confectioner, Market Square, Guelph, May 22, 1872. dw

**TO CONTRACTORS.**  
North Wellington Registry Office.  
Tenders are invited for the Mason, Brick, Laver, Carpenter, Plastering and Iron Work for the erection of the New Registry Office in the Village of Arthur, according to the Government plans and specifications to be seen at the County Treasurer's Office, Guelph.  
Tenders to be sent in to the undersigned on or before the 1st June.  
The Council does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.  
Chairman of the Property Committee, Guelph, May 13, 1872. dw

**ONTARIO COAL YARDS.**  
**MURTON & REID**  
Have received and are receiving a large stock of Delaware, Lackawanna and Western R. R. COAL of all sizes.  
EGG, STOVE AND CHESTNUT, in FIRST-RATE CONDITION, CLEAN AND DRY.  
This Coal, for general use, is the best article in the market—low for coal.  
All other Coals, such as Briar Hill, Mount Morris, Lehigh and Bloisburg, in large quantities. Order early and secure your stock at present prices.  
Office—James Street, one door south of the Canada Life Assurance Co., Hamilton.  
GEO. MURTON, Agent at Guelph. dw

**HOUSE PROPERTY FOR SALE.**  
\$1800 will buy 3 two story tenements on Cork Street, adjoining the Wesleyan Methodist Church.  
\$650 will buy a comfortable rough cast Cottage on Perth Street, near the Ermosa Road.  
\$700 will buy a good stone Cottage at Nottingham Street.

**FARMS FOR SALE.**  
\$10,000 will buy a splendid farm of 200 acres, 125 cleared, the balance being timbered with Arthur, first-class land, Wellwatered. HENRY HATCH, Land & Loan Agent, Guelph, March 7, 1872. dw

**GUELPH PUMP FACTORY.**  
The undersigned begs to inform the public that he has now fitted up his new shop in the most complete manner, and has on hand a large stock of Pump Tubers. He is prepared to make to order, and furnish on the shortest notice, pumps of superior quality of all kinds.  
Having had long experience in the trade he feels that he can turn out work to the satisfaction of the public.  
All orders for new pumps or repairs promptly attended to.  
Renovate the factory, on the banks of the Speed, near the Ermosa bridge, and directly opposite the new English church.  
GUELPH, May 10, 1872. dw SEVELLE.

**TO CONTRACTORS AND OTHERS.**  
The subscriber keeps on hand Fresh Lime, Stone, Sand, Posts, Lumber, &c., which he will sell at reasonable prices to all who may favor him with their patronage. He also keeps on hand, to be let by the day or otherwise, at his residence near the G. T. station, where he will see to this business in person in the usual way, and hopes to be patronized hereafter as he has been in the past. Orders promptly attended to.  
BENJ. COFFEY, Guelph, April 15th 1872. dw

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### Local and Other Items.

The potato bug has made its appearance in Galt and vicinity.

Mr. James Cartwright has been unanimously chosen as the Reform candidate for Frontenac.

Returned.—Mr. and Mrs. Forrier have returned to Fergus after an absence in Scotland of over a year.

A SPECIAL to the Mail says that the Hon. John S. Macdonnell continues in a critical condition. Dr. Campbell, of Montreal, is in attendance on him.

ESCAPE FROM GAOL.—Three prisoners named Doherty, Meyers and McGuire made good their escape from the Toronto Gaol on Thursday noon.

ACCIDENT.—A brakeman named Jeremiah Curtis, was severely injured at Berlin, on Thursday, while attempting to put a brake on a freight train.

The stores in Elora will be closed at 6 o'clock every Wednesday and Friday evenings during the summer months. Will the movement spread?

A special meeting of the Maple Leaf B. T. C. will be held in the Queen's Hotel this evening at 8 o'clock. A full attendance is requested.

ACCIDENT.—On the Queen's Birthday Mr. Wm. Findlay, of Luther, was run over in Fergus by a horse ridden by one John Bishop, of Garafaxa, and severely injured.

LAW EXAMINATION.—We have been informed that Mr. James McMillan, son of Major McMillan of this place, passed his fourth year examination on the 23rd of May, without an oral.

NEW RAILWAY PROJECT.—A meeting was held near Collingwood on Wednesday in advocacy of a railway from Hamilton to that town, and a motion carried pledging a bonus of \$40,000 to aid in its construction.

FARM SOLD.—We have just learned that Messrs Hart and Spiers have sold the farm of Mr. Geo. B. Hood, Paisley Block, (advertised in the Mercury,) for \$5100 to a Mr. Eddie, recently arrived from Scotland.

FAREWELL SERMON.—The Rev. Mr. Cooper, who has been the respected incumbent of St. James' Church, Fergus, during the past five years, preached his farewell sermon, on Sunday last, to his congregation in Fergus. The Rev. J. E. Fessenden, of Mono Mills, has accepted the incumbency of the parish.—News-Record.

TORONTO, GREY AND BRUCE RAILWAY.—Mr. N. Weatherston (formerly Station Master at the Great Western Railway Station, Guelph), the able and popular general freight and passenger agent of the Great Western Railway in Toronto, has resigned his appointment with that company, to accept the position of Grey and Bruce Superintendent of the Toronto, Grey and Bruce Railway.

SHEEP KILLED.—The News-Record says that one night recently Messrs. Wm. & John McDermott, of West Garafaxa, had 1 sheep and 9 lambs killed outright, and 6 other lambs worried so badly that they have died since. A couple of the lambs were left unburied, and poison put on them, and as several dead dogs were found in the neighborhood soon afterwards, it is supposed the depredation was committed by dogs.

COUNTY LODGE OF GOOD TEMPLARS.—The County of Wellington Good Templars met as a County Lodge, in Ballinafad, Township of Erin, on Friday last. The Elora Lodge was well represented, and members from Douglas, Guelph and other lodges were present. After the transaction of the necessary business, an open meeting was held, in the afternoon, which was both agreeable and profitable. The next meeting of this Lodge will be held at Douglas, on the 12th of September next.

PRESENTATION.—On the evening of the 17th inst., the teachers of the Rockwood Canada Presbyterian Sabbath School waited on Miss Clark, at her home, and presented her with a Bible and album. J. Burns reading an address in behalf of the teachers, and Miss McNab presenting the books in token of grateful remembrance for services rendered as teacher since the establishment of the school. She gratefully acknowledged the gift in manifesting their gratitude. She resigns her charge as teacher, deeply regretted by all.

STREET PREACHING IN ELORA AND SALEM.—Within the last ten days two young men, having, we understand, from Galt, been preaching the Gospel in the open air in the vicinity of the weigh scales, Elora. Open air preaching being a novelty in this neighborhood, quite a large number of people have been attracted to hear them. On Friday last (Queen's birthday) Mr. Grant, of the Plymouth Brethren denomination, preached in the street at Salem. A large number would, no doubt, have been present, the day being a holiday, were it not that the rain fell almost incessantly during the delivery of the discourse.

## The Labour Question.

As this question is being earnestly discussed at present in this section throughout the country, we give the following speech by Mayor Medill, of Chicago, delivered at a working men's demonstration held in that city some two weeks ago, as pertinent to the subject. The reader may not agree with his conclusions, but all must admit that his views on the relations between labor and capital are put in the clearest and plainest light, while his earnest spirit and salutary counsel show how much he has the well-being of the working man at heart. He says:—

First, then, what is the object of this great assemblage of the Trades' Unions? Is it to rejoice at the termination of the long, tedious, dismal winter; and to glad together at the better days coming—at the return of the season of spring with her smiling smiles, and the dethronement of the icy monarch? Is it to resolve to push forward the building of the city with the utmost vigor and rapidity, and to restore it to its former prosperity and greatness in the shortest period of time? Is it to take counsel together as to the speediest way to rebuild the 15,000 dwellings occupied by the labor of 2 sees which were consumed on that dreadful October day, in order to obtain comfortable tenements at cheap rentals? Or have you met to confer in regard to the best manner by which the great stores, warehouses and manufactories which furnished employment to so many thousands of persons can be constructed most expeditiously.

Are these the objects of this imposing demonstration of laborers? Rumor, with busy tongue, assigns very different motives to the promoters of this gathering. It is said that the real purpose of the meeting and march is to absorb into the labor-lodges all the non-union men in the city by means of an overwhelming demonstration of numbers and strength, preparatory to a general "strike" for higher wages and fewer hours of work; that when the lodges have secured control of the labor market they will take advantage of the burnt-out house-owners, turn the screws and squeeze them while a day of blood remains; that, acting on the idea that Capital's calamity is Labor's opportunity, there is to be inaugurated a great raid on employers, and that by means of threats and terrorism non-unionists are to be prevented from working and compelled to remain idle during the period of the strike. Cries of "no," "no,"

I trust, for your sakes, these reports and surmises are wholly false and baseless; and if there be any reckless persons in your organizations advocating such a course, their position will be frowned down by an overwhelming majority. But do not understand me to deny your right to ask for more wages, or to combine and "strike" for it. You have the undoubted legal right to put your own price on your services; you are under no compulsion to work for anybody on any terms. There are neither masters nor slaves now in this country. Each man has the unquestioned privilege to demand whatever wages he pleases, and to work much or little, providing he does not become a "vagabond."

But, like a medal, there is a reverse side to this matter. Rights of persons are exactly equal. The rule works both ways. The employer is not bound to offer more wages than he pleases, nor to accept the services of those he does not see fit to engage. He is under no legal obligation to give any attention to the wishes of labor unions. He can determine the number of men he desires to employ, the hours of labor per day, the kind and quality of work to be done, and the wages he is willing to pay therefor. It is his privilege to propose, and yours to accept or decline; and yours to offer terms, and his to accept or refuse. Neither party can dictate both sides of the bargain, for that would be tyranny, and submission to it slavery.

Joinmen have the lawful right to combine by trades or unions and determine the conditions on which they will exchange their labor for wages; but they have no legal right to compel any outside worker to accept their conditions or to sell his labor only at their price, for that would be to destroy his personal freedom and liberty of action.

Moreover, it is unlawful to use threats, intimidation, or coercion to drive any man into a "strike" or prevent him from working for just such wages and as many hours per day, as he and the employer agree upon. No one will pretend to deny the right of every person to work for himself at any occupation, for many or few hours per day, whether he makes much or little profit thereat, and what he may do for himself he may do for another, or another may do for him.

The freedom of will and action is an inalienable right; and the law extends its invulnerable shield over the weakest and most timid; the whole power of the nation is pledged for the enforcement of the law and for the protection of the humblest citizen in the quiet and peaceful enjoyment of his rights and privileges. And this is the glorious glory of our institutions, and reveals the reason that every true patriot is willing to die in their defense and maintenance.

I am chiefly led to make the foregoing observations in relation to the rights of citizens, protecting power of the laws, and the duty of executive officers, for the information of strangers from foreign countries, attracted hither by exaggerated reports of the demand for labor at high wages in re-building Chicago. Many of these persons were born and raised in countries where "strikes" and "lock-outs," from their frequency, seem to be the normal state of industrial society, and where labor considers capital its enemy, to be crippled and warred against on all favorable occasions. And it is possible their presence here in such numbers has given rise to the rumors that fill the air of impending strikes and disturbances, while they may be perfectly innocent of any such intent or design. Nevertheless, I deem it proper to inform those strangers of the absolute equality of the rights and privileges of employers and employees in this country, and of the irresistible power and supremacy of the laws for the protection of those rights and privileges.

We welcome every stalwart worker from abroad who comes to help to rebuild our devastated city, and hope he will make his permanent home among us. But we desire no mischief-makers or breeders of strife between workmen and employers to stay here. If such persons are disatis-

fied with the wages our capitalists can afford to pay, they are welcome to go elsewhere in pursuit of higher compensation and more perfect happiness. A few words now on the relation of labor and capital from an economical point of view, which I believe to be pertinent to the occasion.

There are loud complaints heard, on all sides, of the recent advance in rents, and landlords are denounced as heartless and depraved for charging them. But are they to blame more than all other men who take the market price for anything? Rents have not been raised by means of any combination, secret or public, among landlords. They have no "unions" to force up rents, or to prevent their decline, or to oblige tenants to pay a year's rent for less than a year's time. Rents, since the fire, have advanced in obedience to the irresistible law of supply and demand. This advance was caused by the sudden destruction of 15,000 dwellings aggravated by an influx of 30,000 to 40,000 strangers who came here in search of employment.

There is a large famine, so to speak, in the market, and the way to relieve it is not by quitting work, and stopping the construction of houses. Rents will not be reduced by over-charging house-builders and springing strikes on those who are straining their credit to the utmost, and mortgaging all they have left to raise money with which to rebuild. When the cost of labor and materials is forced above a certain point, it is a lesser evil to postpone building than to pay such prices, and this is what will result from a demand for higher wages than builders feel they can pay. Taking advantage of the dire necessities of capitalists to force out of the market the wages will result in the shape of high rents for years to come. You could better afford to work this season for half the existing wages than postpone the rebuilding of the city. House rents are high, but the rents of shops, offices, and stores are still higher in proportion, and the purchasers of goods must pay those rents.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

### POLICE COURT.

Before T. W. Saunders, Esq., P. M. BREACH OF MARKET BY-LAW.

May 31.  
This case, which was adjourned from yesterday, against Mr. Pendleton, came up again this morning. Mr. Mitchell appeared for the defendant. The Magistrate not being satisfied that the evidence of the two witnesses examined was clear for the prosecution was sufficiently clear to convict upon, dismissed the case with costs.

### PRESTON MINERAL BATHS.

We beg to direct attention to the advertisement of Mr. C. Kress, proprietor of these Baths, and who announces moderate charges, attention, civility, and an excellent bill of fare to all who may be induced to try the restorative and invigorating effects of one or more of these now famous Preston Mineral Baths. Invalids who may be desirous of testing the beneficial effects of the Baths by a more prolonged residence at the Hotel than transient visitors, can now have the benefit of the professional services of Dr. Mulloy, who has been retained as consulting physician to the institution. Independently, however, of its medicinal virtues, Preston is said to possess charms that are almost irresistible to the many pleasure-loving tourists with which our jaunty village abounds, and friend Kress may consequently anticipate a flourishing busy season.

FUNERAL OF A NUN.—Yesterday afternoon the mortal remains of Sister Michael, of the Convent of the Ladies of Loreto, Guelph, were conveyed to their last resting place in the Roman Catholic Cemetery. Previous to interment the religious services peculiar to the occasion were performed in the Catholic Church, and the procession to the grave was remarkable for the large attendance of young persons of the female sex, who marched two and two; the boarders at the Convent being distinguished by wearing long white crapes veil. The funeral obsequies were witnessed by a considerable number of citizens. Sister Michael was the last of the originators of the Order in Guelph, having assisted to establish the Loreto Convent some eighteen years ago. We understand that she is the first nun who has died in Guelph, and this fact, taken in connection with her extreme popularity amongst those with whom she came in contact, rendered her funeral obsequies of more than ordinary interest. She died aged 48.

STUCK BY LIGHTNING.—The house of Mr. Keys, farmer, Kincardine Township, was struck by lightning on Monday morning while the family were at breakfast. The fluid entered by the chimney, knocking out a portion of the gable, and scattering the brick and stove pipes in all directions, one portion passing through the floor, and the other escaping through the open door. Two dogs, one lying by the stove and the other under the table, were both killed; Mrs. Keys was struck on the thigh, passing down the right limb below the knee, it crossed to the left and down the foot burning her severely, scorching the underclothing and stockings, and carrying away a portion of her foot. She was completely paralyzed for some time, but is now on a fair way to recovery. Mr. Keys, sitting by her side, was knocked down, but received no further injury. The other members of the family were not injured.

STRICK.—A man named Halyard a veterinary surgeon at Chelsey, committed suicide on Tuesday, the 27th inst., by taking laudanum.

## BY TELEGRAPH

### THIS MORNING'S DESPATCHES

#### THE AMERICAN PRESS ON THE SUPPLEMENTAL TREATY.

Washington, May 30.—In the Senate today the amendment fixing the tax on tobacco at six cents per pound was concurred in. The amendment to provide for the re-issuance of income tax for 1871, now due, but uncollected, was agreed to.

New York, May 30.—The Tribune and Times despatches agree that the President refuses further to modify the Supplemental Treaty.

The Times says there are ready for introduction into Congress the moment it is known that Great Britain ratifies the Treaty, half-a-dozen projects for collecting *Tributum* claims by levies of British shipping and commerce. Differential duties and tonnage taxes would soon bring that nation to a sense of her obligations through the pocket.

The World cable special from London says the British Government consider that negotiations with regard to the Treaty of Washington have failed, and will inform Parliament it will withdraw from the arbitration at Geneva.

Washington, May 30.—No intelligence relative to the Treaty has been received here this forenoon. The general feeling is that our Government has made all the concessions compatible with honor that it can afford; and that if Great Britain shall not accept the additional article, as amended, the responsibility must fall on her shoulders if the Treaty of Washington fail. Negotiations, however, are still pending.

Gentlemen connected with the Executive Department and also Senators, talk freely among themselves about the Treaty of Washington, but are not communicative to others. Notwithstanding their caution, it is known from an official source that the Treaty is in peril, the United States having placed upon Great Britain responsibility of its failure, and the President and Senate being determined to make no further concessions. The telegrams last received do not give hope of an early adjustment, and it is said Great Britain requires an unequivocal withdrawal of our claims for indirect damages.

### DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

Ottawa, May 29.  
Mr. Thompson, (Ontario,) asked whether the amount taken from the Municipalities Fund of Ontario by Heifenstein had been made good to the municipalities interested; and, if so, when would it be paid.

Mr. F. Hincks said the Government intended to pay over in good time this amount to the Treasurer of Ontario, with a view to its being distributed to the municipalities.

The adjourned debate was resumed on the proposed motion of Mr. Costigan for an address to the Government on the subject of the School Law of New Brunswick, and praying that the same might be disallowed; the motion of Hon. Mr. Gray, in amendment thereto; and the motion of Hon. Mr. Chauveau in amendment to that amendment.

A long debate followed, when the House divided on Mr. Chauveau's amendment, with the following result:—For, 34, against, 126.

Mr. Colby then moved the amendment which he had previously read, expressing regret at the dissatisfaction caused in New Brunswick by the School Act and hoped that it would be removed by the Local Legislature at its next session. Carried—yeas, 117; nays, 42.

Mr. Dorion proposed an addition to Mr. Colby's amendment, condemning the Governor in Council for not disallowing the School Act. Sir John Macdonald considered this a question of want of confidence. Lost.

Mr. Mackenzie then moved that the opinion of the law officers of the Crown be taken as to the constitutionality of the school act. Carried.

FERGUS AND THE GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY.—A public meeting of the ratepayers of Fergus was held in the Drill Shed on Tuesday night, to decide whether it be expedient or not expedient to grant pecuniary aid to a new industrial enterprise—Dr. Orton, Revoc, in the chair. Mr. H. Michie moved, seconded by Dr. Munroe, that the committee appointed at the previous meeting be instructed to close the bargain with the Great Western Railway Company for the repair shops required on the Wellington, Grey and Bruce branch. The closing of the bargain referred to was the purchase of over three acres of land, which is to be presented to the Company; also the re-issuance of taxes on all railway property within the municipality. The amendment to offer pecuniary aid to the new enterprise was voted down.

GRAND ORANGE LODGE.—This Lodge is still in session in Montreal. The following officers have been elected, viz.: Grand Master and Sovereign, Mr. Macdonald; Bowler (re-elected); Deputy Grand Master, Mr. D'Arcy Boulton; Grand Chaplain, Rev. Abraham Dawson Vanachar (re-elected); Grand Secretary, Mr. Thos. Keys; St. Catharines, (re-elected); Grand Treasurer, Mr. Wm. Anderson, Mountain View, (re-elected); Grand Lecturer, Mr. John Boyd Davis, Toronto; Grand Director of Ceremonies, Mr. Wm. White; Tweed; Grand Tyler, Mr. Robert Dixon, Montreal.

RAILWAY BONDS.—At a meeting held in Collingwood on Tuesday night, in favor of the Hamilton and Northwestern Railway, a resolution was carried, pledging the town for a bonus of \$40,000 in favor of the road.

Guelph Evening Mercury

FRIDAY EVENING, MAY 31, 1872

Notice to Advertisers.

The circulation of THE MERCURY is guaranteed to be three times larger than any paper published in Guelph.

Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railway.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The fifth annual meeting of the Wellington, Grey & Bruce Railway Company was held in the Company's office, Hamilton, on Wednesday, the President, Col. McGivern, in the chair.

Among those present were Messrs. Geo. D. Fergusson, (Vice-President), Donald McInnes, A. T. Wood, Wm. Edgar, James Stewart, J. M. Fraser, (Clerk); Thos. Ridout, Chief Engineer; Wm. McCullough, Secretary; James Turner, John Winer, Wm. Hendrie, Alex. Harvey, A. Copp, J. Watson, and W. Burton.

The Secretary, Mr. Wm. McCullough, read the REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS For the past year, as follows:

To the Shareholders of the Wellington, Grey & Bruce Railway Company.

GENTLEMEN: The Directors have now the pleasure of submitting their fifth annual report. At the date of the last report the line was in operation from Guelph to Alma, a distance of 23 1/2 miles. Since then it has been opened from Alma to Clifford, a distance of 32 miles, making the line now open 55 1/2 miles, up to which point it has been accepted, equipped and operated by the Great Western Company according to the agreement between that Company and the Wellington, Grey & Bruce Company.

The conditions of the agreement between the Company and the County of Bruce bind the Company to finish the line to Paisley by the 7th June, 1872, and to Southampton by 7th December, 1872. The Directors have pleasure in reporting that the contractors are proceeding so satisfactorily with the works that these conditions will be complied with in ample time.

The Directors have to inform you that the Government of Ontario, at its last Session, granted \$2,000 per mile out of the "Railway Aid Fund," as a bonus for the line from Harrison to Southampton, a distance of 53 1/2 miles, but with the proviso that the County of Bruce should be allowed to retain out of the \$25,000 voted as a bonus in that county the sum of \$10,000; thus making the amount of the Government Subsidy to the main line equivalent to \$64,000.

The operation of the line has been entirely satisfactory—the traffic having shown a steady increase. The interest on the bonds has been promptly met, and the fund held in aid by the Great Western Railway Company for acquiring the bonds of this Company under the agreement entered into in the half year ending 31st January, 1871, to \$7,969.16, in the last year ending 31st July, 1871, to \$1,562.38; and for the half year ending 31st January, 1872, to \$7,095.36, making a total of \$1,999 of bonds acquired by the Great Western Company up to the 31st January, 1872.

SOUTHERN EXTENSION. Since the last annual meeting arrangements have been completed for the construction of the South Bruce or Southern Extension branches from the main line at the village of Palmerston, 42 1/2 miles from Guelph, and will extend to Kincaidine on Lake Huron, a distance of 67 miles. The bonuses voted for this extension amount to \$27,000. Therefore the amount which the Company has available for building to Kincaidine is as follows:

Table with 2 columns: BONUSES FROM MUNICIPALITIES, and amounts for various townships like Wallace, Listowel, etc.

Bond issue, sanctioned by the Great Western R. Co. at \$1,000 per mile, 670,000 or nearly \$1,000 per mile.

Surveys were made and tenders were asked for the building of the line to Listowel—9 miles—and on the 17th December, 1871, the first sod was turned at Listowel, Messrs. D. D. Hay & Co. having received the contract. Tenders were also asked for the construction of a further length of 30 miles to Wingham, and in February last, the contract was awarded to W. Hendrie, Esq., of Hamilton. A contract has also been entered into for the supply of iron sufficient to cover the whole distance above named, and the rails will be delivered in the fall of this year.

The report then goes on to refer to the unsurpassed fertility, the abundance of superior pine timber, the rapid erection of mills, and the undisturbed water supply for manufacturing purposes traversed by the line, and anticipates a very large traffic for the Southern Extension.

Reference is then made to the application by the Company, in the fall of 1871, to the Ontario Government for aid from the Railway Aid Fund for the Southern Extension, the proposals of the Government in reply thereto, the almost universal commendation these proposals had met with by all those not interested in the success of the opposing schemes, and the ultimate rejection by the Directors of the Government proposals in their present shape.

The Directors, however, still hope to receive from the Government the aid to which they consider they are justly entitled. They have complied with every condition of the Act providing the fund in aid of railways, and they trust that the Government will yet see the justice of their claim, and grant the amount of aid to which the Company and the Municipalities to be accumulated consider they are entitled.

Annexed is a statement of the receipts and expenditure for the year. All of which is respectfully submitted.

W. MCGIVERN, President. W. MCCULLOUGH, Secretary.

The Secretary also read the financial statement and the report of the Chief Engineer. The President, in moving the adoption of the report, congratulated the shareholders on the prosperous condition of the Company, the satisfactory progress made in the execution of the several contracts, the zeal and energy of the various officials, the hearty co-operation of the Directors and officers of the Great West-

to be borne in kindly remembrance on occasions of this kind, for the assistance they have given, and that it is almost painful to mention names, but at the risk of committing many sins of omission the mentioned those of Mr. Sturton and Mr. Massie, of Guelph, Mr. Malcolm Campbell and Mr. James Somerville, of Lucknow, Mr. Baird and Mr. Ragfall, of Kincaidine, Mr. Leslie and Mr. Livingston, of Ainslieville, Mr. Hay and Mr. Campbell, of Listowel, Mr. Bymal, M. P., of Barton, Mr. Stock, of East Flanore. The many gentlemen in Hamilton, who are also entitled to mention, must accept the will for the deed; they are "too mention."

The motion was seconded by Mr. G. D. Fergusson, vice-President, and carried unanimously. Messrs. A. Copp and John Winter were appointed scrutineers for the election of Directors.

Before proceeding to the election, the President read a letter from Mr. Wilson, of Fergus, in which he stated that he thought a director from the section interested in the southern extension ought to be elected, and to admit of that being done, he declined a re-election. Mr. James Stewart said that owing to private reasons he must also decline a re-election.

The President expressed his regret at parting with the valued colleagues who had declined; he was quite sure they would have been unanimously re-elected, had they consented to stand. (Hear.) The election was then proceeded with, and resulted in the choice of the following gentlemen: W. McGivern, D. McInnis, A. T. Wood, John Stuart, John Ferrie, W. Edgar, G. D. Fergusson, J. M. Fraser, A. Spratt, M. Campbell, D. B. Chisholm, Mayor.

Votes of thanks were passed to the scrutineers, and the President, and Directors, after which the meeting adjourned. The newly elected Directors then met, when Col. McGivern was re-appointed President, and Mr. Geo. D. Fergusson, vice-President.

The corner stone of Knox's Church, Ottawa, was laid on Wednesday, by the Rev. Mr. Wardrope, of Guelph, late minister of the congregation, in the presence of a large number of persons. The handsome silver trowel presented to the Rev. Mr. Wardrope on the occasion bears the following inscription: "Presented to the Rev. Thomas Wardrope, by the Temporal Committee of Knox Church, on the occasion of laying the corner stone of the Canada Presbyterian Church, City Hall Square, Ottawa, 29th May, 1872."

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Dr. Mulloy, Consulting Physician.

FARM FOR SALE IN PAISLEY BLOCK. The subscriber offers for sale his farm of 75 acres, being lot 4, containing 50 acres, and half of lot 5, containing 25 acres, in concession 6, Division 1, Guelph Township, 9 miles from the town of Guelph.

FARM FOR SALE.—Being the West half of lot 11, 1st concession Brantosa, 30 acres, John house, frame barn and stables, and under good cultivation, eight acres haywood, there is improved and well fenced.

PRIZE YEARLING BULL FOR SALE. Took first prize as a calf at Rockwood Show in 1871; also, another superior animal of the same age. Pedigree first class. Apply to James Parkinson, near Rockwood.

BERKSHIRE DOG.—The subscriber has a Berkshire Dog, which will serve you this season. Terms, \$1 cash. Also, for sale, a Berkshire Pig, 7 months old. Apply to Jas. H. Glennie, lot 11, 4th con. Paisley, 2.

FARMS FOR SALE.—Two excellent farms in the Paisley Block, one of 150 acres, and one of 24 acres. To be sold on very reasonable terms. Apply to HART & SPIERS, May 21-23-24.

FARM FOR SALE.—150 acres of land being lots 11 and 15, 1st concession Div. 1, Township of Guelph, 5 miles from the town. The land is in good state of cultivation, and well fenced. The buildings are log, and there is a first-class orchard. For terms and particulars, apply on the premises, or to Thompson & Jackson, Land Agents Guelph P.O. m27wtf

NOTICE TO DEBTORS.—The undersigned, having entered into partnership with Messrs. John and Henry Roth, do hereby announce to those indebted to him previous to the 1st of April, 1872, that they must settle their accounts on or before the 1st of July ensuing, and that all accounts then remaining unpaid will positively be put into court for collection.

FARM FOR SALE IN ELIN.—206 acres in 2 lots, covering one another, being lot 15, east half 24th concession, near Clifford Station on the Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railway, 2 1/2 miles from the station, on the same line. Good log house and barn, and well watered by a spring. Terms easy. Apply to Wm. McCullough, on the premises, or to James McEwan, Builder, Stratford, p2-3

SCHOOL SECTION No. 6, GUELPH TOWNSHIP PLOUGHING ASSOCIATION.

The second annual meeting of this Association will be held in the School Section No. 6, on THURSDAY, the 13th of JUNE, at six o'clock in the evening, for the purpose of disposing of the annual accounts, secondly, for determining whether the Association shall be continued to the limits of the said section, or form a Township Association; thirdly, for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year, if it is decided to continue the said Association within said section.

FARM FOR SALE.—Lot 41, concession 13, Minto, containing 100 acres, about 60 cleared, well fenced, and in a good state of cultivation. There is excellent timber for mill and firewood purposes on the farm, which is situated within 2 1/2 miles of Clifford Station on the Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railway, 2 1/2 miles from the station, on the same line. Good log house and barn, and well watered by a spring. Terms easy. Apply to Wm. McCullough, on the premises, or to James McEwan, Builder, Stratford, p2-3

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Forms of Application, Detailed Reports and Tables of Rates may be obtained at any of the Company's offices or agencies.

A. C. RAMSAY, Manager. F. W. STONE, Agent at Guelph. March 2, 1872.

NEW FANCY STORE. The subscriber begs to inform the public of Guelph and surrounding country that she is opening a Fancy Store

On the West Market Square, in Paul Cullen's old stand, where she will keep a choice stock of BERLIN WOOLS

General Fancy Goods, and Toys. She hopes that by strict attention to business, and studying the wants of the public, to merit a share of public patronage.

MRS. MOYES, 3rd Guelph, May 22, 1872

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WM. GALLOWAY. Guelph, May 31, 1872

Marmalade Oranges, Marmalade Oranges

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at John A. Wood's.

Belfast Ginger Ale, A Temperate Cooling Beverage.

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In the matter of George How and Edward How, as well individually as Co-partners trading under the name, style and firm of "How & Brothers," Insolvents.

The Creditors of the Insolvents are notified that a Meeting will be held at my office, No. 29 Toronto Street, in the City of Toronto, on Wednesday, the Twelfth day of June next, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, for the public examination of the Insolvents and the ordering of the affairs of the estate generally.

J. T. MASON, Assessor.

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HELEN MOIR

LOVE AND HONOUR.

A TALE OF THE CLYDE. CHAPTER XXXIV.

THE CONTENTS OF THE PACKET—WATCHING BY HERMANN'S COUCH—THE CRISIS APPROACHES.

Edwin led the way into one of the front rooms looking out upon the street. It was now past daybreak, and the soft grey light of early morn was stealing through the casement—sufficient to show the objects in the room, but not strong enough to read by; and as they were all impatient to know the contents of the will, the curtains were closely drawn, and they sat down at the table in eager and excited expectation.

Bridgenorth untied the string, when the packet was seen to consist of two papers—a larger and a smaller—the larger being the will, and the other a sheet of common paper, closely written in what Bridgenorth at a glance recognised as the handwriting of George Jordan.

"It is precisely a copy of the former will," he said, "but without its extraordinary condition of forfeiture. By this document, as by the other, I am made the inheritor of George Jordan's whole property, simply and inalienably, with the proviso that I retain Jasper Jaquin in my service, or pay him an annuity of fifty pounds should I dismiss him."

"Whew!" cried Edwin. "Then that is the document that takes effect. The former will is abrogated!"

"Undoubtedly."

"And the hospital in Melbourne gains nothing by the revelation of your identity?"

"Not under this last and final settlement."

"Is it properly stamped and duly executed?" asked Edwin, delivering his questions one after another in rapid abruptness.

"It is," answered his uncle, "the stamp of the Colonial Government is affixed. George Jordan's name is at the bottom and the names of two witnesses, one of whom is that of Jasper Jaquin."

"The man that sold me!" said Edwin, bringing his clenched hand with violence on the table.

"Yes," sighed Bridgenorth, "Jasper has played me false to the last. His enmity has been unquenchable. In the suppression of this will he retained a cruel power over me, and caused me to endure torment of his presence when otherwise I would have rid myself of the annoyance. Ah, well! his power of mischief is at an end now."

"Not with his will, though," returned Edwin. "He meant to make the injury perpetual, as we saw by the frantic efforts he made even in death to destroy this packet; and, dot, that I was, I would have allowed him to do so yesterday had he insisted."

"But," remarked Ritchie, "what in a world could be the creator's object in working his evil against ye, Master Bridgenorth?"

"Ah, Ritchie, who can understand the feelings of a perverse nature? None of us, I hope, and least of all you, who are cast in a mould entirely opposite. The essential elements of Jaquin's spirit, were malice, cruelty, and fiendish wickedness. In these he lived and moved and had his being. Physically, morally, and socially he was unhappily constituted; as for religion, I could never discover that he had any of it."

"In short," cried Edwin, "he was a very devil, a fiend incarnate, and he has gone to his own place."

"Hush, Edwin," said Bridgenorth, in a gentle tone, "he is dead, and that saves him from all censures from us."

"Good gracious, uncle, can you speak of him so mildly, after the irreparable evil he has done you—the measureless suffering you have endured through his machinations?"

"Yes, Edwin, I can. By the grace of Him who brings good out of evil, I humbly hope that these same sufferings have purified me in some measure."

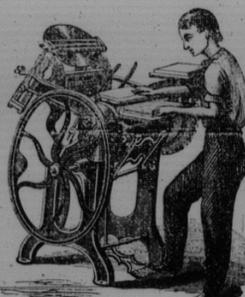
"And the highest Christianity," cried Edwin, as he warmly grasped his uncle's hand. "It is a noble exemplification of the Master's precept. Do you know that that despoiled you and persecute you? I admire you for the sublime altitude you have reached, uncle; but I confess that I am not saint enough to imitate you."

"Nor I!" exclaimed Ritchie, with sturdy candour. "I am perfectly sure that I'll never come to think of Jasper Jaquin but with feelings of anger and bitterness. In fact, the best way will be never to mention his name again."

"Right, Ritchie," cried Bridgenorth. "Your advice is sound, and we shall follow it. Let us finish the subject once for all by seeing that are the contents of this other paper."

It proved to be the candid confession of George Jordan, written in contrition, remorse and sorrow, revealing a human heart struggling between parental affection and the high claims of conscience and duty. George Jordan had been substantially an upright, honorable and true man. The infamous career and miserable death of his only son had truly broken his heart, but his very sense of honour tempted him to yield to temptation, or rather it proved a temptation before which he fell. Through the ravings of Philip on his deathbed he came to know the truth concerning the forgery—that it was really his son who had committed the crime for which the innocent Edwin Allerton had been made to suffer. The right course for his father to take was unquestionably to clear the youth's character, establish his innocence, and restore him to his country and his friends. But he could only do this by publishing the disgrace of his family and his name, and he could not undergo the dreadful sacrifice, to keep silent, but conscience would not permit him to rest, and remorse added its stings to his anguished bosom. He sold out all and went to Australia, but though he could go far from England he could not fly from his own restless soul. Accident led him to discover the whereabouts of Edwin Allerton, living under the assumed name of Bridgenorth, and under the desire to atone for the wrong the youth had suffered at the hands of Philip, he got him to his abode. He lavished every kindness upon him, and came to the resolution to leave him all his property. Still the wish to preserve the honour of his family in the eyes of the world clung to him with undiminished force, and he conceived that idea of preventing all chance of discovery by attaching the singular condition to his will that if Bridgenorth resumed his true name, or revealed his identity to his family in England, the property should be forfeited by him, and go to swell the funds of an hospital. His will was framed and executed to these terms, and he thought now to obtain peace. For some time he did feel the gnawings of remorse less keen, but conscience still

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Fine Gold Sets Brooch and Ear-rings Fine Gold Necklets and Lockets Brooches and Finger Rings Earrings and Studs Guards and Cuff Buttons Alberts

AND A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

GOLD PLATED JEWELLERY

Silver Thimbles, Tea Spoons, Chains,

ELECTRO-PLATED WARE

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

RODGER'S TABLE CUTLERY

Remember the name and JOHN R. PORTE, Guelph, Dec 19, 1871 dw Wyndham-Street, Guelph

BERKSHIRE BOAR "JOHN A."

The subscriber begs to notify the breeders of Swine that he has purchased the above Boar, imported from England by George Bosch, Esq., of Hamilton, which will serve sows this season. Terms, \$4 cash.

Edgemoor—John A. was sired by Sampson out of Swinton I, by 2nd Duke of Gloucester; dam Sniper I, out of Bostall I, by Tim Whiffler. W. A. BOOKLESS, Royal Hotel, Guelph, Dec. 5, 1871 dw

JOHN SPIERS, Veterinary Surgeon

(Member of the Ontario Veterinary College.)

Hirsch's Union Hotel, Guelph, Dec 23, 1871 dw

THE MEDICAL HALL GUELPH



A large and well selected stock.

HAIR, NAIL, AND TOOTH

BRUSHES

FOR SALE BY

E. HARVEY & Co.

A very superior quality

SPONGES

at E. Harvey & Co's.

A large and varied assortment of

TOILET ARTICLES & PERFUMERY

AT THE MEDICAL HALL.

Also a fresh supply of Carbulated Glycerine Jelly.

E. HARVEY & Co. Family and Dispensing Chemists. Guelph, May 9, 1872. dw

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ARRIVED!

A Large Lot of

BOYS' TWEED SUITS,

Knickerbocker " Sailor " Highland Kilt " Tweed "

Also, a fine lot of

CHEAP TWEEDS

For Children's Wear at

JAMES CORMACK'S

No. 1, Wyndham Street.

Guelph, April 25, 1872. dw

W. J. PATERSON,

Official Assignee,

REAL ESTATE, LOAN AND

General Insurance Agent

Office:

Day's Block, - - Guelph, Ont.

REFERENCES.

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DISTRICT AGENT FOR

The Huron and Erie Building and

Saving Society,

Head Office, - - - London, Ontario.

Farmers, Mechanics and others who may desire to borrow money will find it to their advantage to apply to this Society before going elsewhere. Loans payable in yearly instalments. No Lawyers fees charged to the borrower.

Fire and Life Policies issued in first-class Companies on favorable terms.

Several Valuable Farms for sale. Full particulars on application to

W. J. PATERSON, Day's Block, Guelph Guelph, May 1st, 1872. dw

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refused to satisfy; and as he grew aged and drew near the confines of another world, a clear light shone upon the path of duty, and he saw that family honour was not to be compared to the establishment and vindication of truth and justice. Then it was that the condition in the will he had made troubled him. It was nothing less, he saw, than a perpetration of that wrong for which his conscience had suffered these years, and constituted an act which carried his sin and its fruits down through future generations. Still, even now he could not speak the words which proclaimed his son a criminal, but he resolved on a compromising course. He would execute another and final deed, leaving his property unconditionally to Bridgenorth, and write a paper which should fall into the hands of the latter after his death. This was done, but unfortunately he made Jasper, Jaquin's confidential man, give the packet in his charge with the injunction to deliver it up to Bridgenorth on the evening of the day on which he was buried. Also, he neglected to destroy the former will, so that Jaquin had a fatal opportunity to gratify his vindictive hatred of Bridgenorth, and we have seen how ruthlessly he took advantage of the chance.

**BERKFAST—EPPE'S COCOA**—GRATEFUL and COMFORTING.—By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected cocoa, Mr. Epps has prepared this invaluable food, which will surely save many heavy doctors' bills. It is a **Civil Service Gazette**. Made simply with boiling water or milk. Each packet is labelled "Epps's Cocoa & Co., Homeopathic Chemists, London." Also, makers of Epps's Milky Cocoa (Cocoa and Condensed Milk).

Factors and machine shops should not be allowed to run a day without **Jackson's Analytic Liniment**. In case of a sudden accident, an immediate use of it may save weeks of suffering, and perhaps a limb, or even life.

There are several kinds of worms which trouble horses; the pin-worms (pointed at both ends) are the most common and most dangerous. **Merriam's Catarrh Conditioner** will, in a few days, eject the worms, and the horse will begin to thrive.

**MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS.**  
HAMPTON—Friday before the Guelph Fair.  
BOSWORTH—Saturday before Guelph.  
DEALON—The Saturday before Guelph.  
LEONA—The day before Guelph.  
GUELPH—First Wednesday in each month.  
CLIFTON—Thursday before the Guelph fair.  
TEWTON—Friday before the Guelph fair.  
NORTH BRIDGE—First Tuesday in each month.  
BEAVER—First Thursday in each month.  
PERRY—Second Monday in each month.  
WATERLOO—Second Tuesday in each month.  
MOUNT FOREST—Third Wednesday in each month.  
HAWORTH—Monday before Durham.  
DEHAM—Tuesday before Mount Forest.  
PERRY—Thursday following Mount Forest.  
OASDALE—Second Thursday in January, February, May, August and November.  
MONTAGUE—First Tuesday in February, May, August and November.  
BRAMPTON—First Thursday in each month.  
HILLSBURG—Second Tuesday in January, March, May, July, Sept. and November.  
MOUNT PLEASANT—Monday before Guelph.  
HAMPTON—Crystal Palace Grounds, the day after Guelph.

**RAILWAY TIME TABLE.**  
**Grand Trunk Railway**  
Trains leave Guelph as follows:  
WEST  
2:00 p.m.; 9:50 a.m.; 1:55 p.m.; 6 p.m.; 8:30 p.m.  
\*To London, Goderich, and Detroit. To Berlin, EAST  
3:15 a.m.; 7:30 a.m.; 11:04 a.m.; 3:45 p.m. and 6:50 p.m.  
**Great Western—Guelph Branch**  
Going South—5:50 a.m., 1:05 p.m., 1:19 p.m. for Hamilton; 4:50 p.m.  
Going North—11:45 a.m. for Clifton; mixed 9:10 p.m. for Clifton; 4:55 p.m. for Ferris; 1:55 p.m. for Ferris.  
The mixed train due to leave Clifton at 8 a.m. will not be run on Monday, Wednesday and Friday between Clifton and Guelph, and the mixed train due to leave Guelph at 1:15 p.m. will not be run on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday between Ferris and Clifton. This change will take effect on and after Tuesday, 24th April.

**SPRING STOCK**  
**JOHN HORSMAN'S.**  
Bird Cages, several varieties;  
Garden Tools and Flower Baskets;  
Clothes Wringers and Mangles;  
Floor Oil Cloth and Mats, elegant new patterns;  
Furniture, Stove, and Picture Varnish;  
White Wash and other Brushes;  
Fishing Tackle, etc.;  
Family Glass Pots, a useful little article, should be in every house, quite cheap, at  
**JOHN HORSMAN'S.**

**COMMERCIAL GUELPH MARKETS.**  
Guelph, May 31, 1872.  
Flour per 100 lbs. .... \$3.50 to \$3.75  
Fall Wheat, per bushel .. 1.45 to 1.50  
Treadwell Wheat .. 1.40 to 1.45  
Barley, per bushel .. 1.20 to 1.30  
Oats .. 0.87 to 0.95  
Rye .. 0.75 to 0.80  
Peas .. 0.52 to 0.55  
Hops, per ton .. 15.00 to 17.00  
Straw .. 4.00 to 6.00  
Wood, per cord .. 8.00 to 9.00  
Eggs, per dozen .. 10 to 11  
Butter, store packed, per lb. 0.12 to 0.13  
" dairy packed .. 0.09 to 0.11  
" rolls .. 0.12 to 0.13  
Potatoes, per bag .. 0.20 to 0.25  
Apples .. 0.25 to 1.25  
Wool, per lb. .. 0.54 to 0.57  
Dressed Hogs, per cwt. 4.30 to 5.25  
Clover Seed per bushel .. 5.00 to 5.25  
Timothy Seed .. 3.00 to 3.00  
Sheepskins, each .. 2.00 to 2.50  
Hides, per cwt. .... 7.00 to 8.00

**HAMILTON MARKETS.**  
Hamilton, May 30, 1872.  
Spring Wheat, per bushel .. \$1.40 to 1.45  
Diels' Wheat .. 1.45 to 1.50  
Treadwell Wheat .. 1.40 to 1.45  
Red White Wheat .. 1.40 to 1.45  
Barley per bushel .. 0.74 to 0.75  
Oats .. 0.48 to 0.49  
Peas .. 0.45 to 0.45  
Butter, per lb. roll .. 0.13 to 0.17  
" tub .. 0.12 to 0.14  
Potatoes, per bag .. 0.25 to 0.30  
Apples .. 1.00 to 1.50  
Dressed Hogs, per cwt. 7.00 to 7.00  
Wool, per lb. .... 0.48 to 0.55

**TORONTO MARKETS.**  
Toronto, May 23, 1872.  
Spring Wheat, per bushel .. \$1.40 to 1.40  
Barley, per bushel .. 0.78 to 0.84  
Peas .. 0.45 to 0.45  
Oats .. 0.45 to 0.45  
Wool per lb. .... 0.50 to 0.55  
**FARM AND SAW MILL FOR SALE IN ERIN**—Being composed of the East half of Lot No. 15, 6th Concession Township of Erin, County of Wellington, 100 acres more or less, well fenced, and in a good state of cultivation, the remainder under hard-wood and cedar. A frame barn, two frame houses, a good well and young orchard. Also on the premises a sawmill driven by water, 20 feet overhead wheel, large circular saw, shingle machine, lathe, etc., all in good running order. All of which are conveniently situated, being within one mile of two good gravel roads: one leading to Georgetown, and the other to Guelph. For further particulars, apply to the proprietors on the premises, or by letter, to J. & D. Burt, Cobleskill P.O., N.Y. 23-78

**BUSINESS CARDS.**  
**THE GUELPH HOTEL, GUELPH,** remodelled and newly furnished. Good accommodation for commercial travellers. Free omnibus to and from all trains. First-class Livery in connection. May 11 dwt. JAS. A. THORP, Proprietor.

**ROYAL HOTEL LIVERY STABLE.**  
The subscriber begs to notify the public that he has purchased the above livery from Mr. Geo. W. Jessop, and will continue the business as heretofore. Having made considerable improvements, he will be able at all times to meet the wants of the travelling public. First-class Turnouts ready at the shortest notice.  
Guelph, 6th Dec. dtf W. J. WILSON.

**O'CONNOR'S BILLIARD HALL,**  
IN THE  
**QUEEN'S HOTEL, GUELPH, OPPOSITE THE MARKET.**  
Fitted in the latest fashion. Five latest do styles Plehan Tables.

**DOMINION SALOON.**  
The table supplied with all the delicacies of the Season in a first-class manner.  
At the Bar will be found the Choicest Brands of Liquors and Cigars.  
JAMES BUNYAN,  
Guelph, Nov. 21, 1872.

**PARRENS HOTEL,**  
—DIRECTLY—  
OPPOSITE THE MARKET, GUELPH  
First-class accommodation for travellers. Conspicuous stabling and an attentive hostler.  
The best of Liquors and Cigars at the bar.  
JAMES PARREK, Proprietor.  
Guelph, Feb. 6, 1872.

**DEADY'S WELLINGTON HOTEL.**  
The undersigned begs to intimate to his numerous friends and the travelling-public generally that he has assumed the management of the above hotel, and trusts by courtesy and strict attention to business to make the "Wellington" one of the most popular hotels in town. The best wines and liquors kept at the bar.  
Superior stabling; and a careful and attentive hostler always on hand.  
MARTIN DEADY,  
Guelph, April 2, 72 wy-dtf

**UNDERTAKERS.**  
**MITCHELL & TOVELL,**  
(Sign of the Hoarse).  
Having on hand a Splendid Hearse, Horses etc., hope by strict attention to business to merit a share of public patronage. We will always have a full assortment of  
**Coffins always on hand.**  
Funerals furnished if required. Carpenter work done as usual. Practices, a few doors north of the Post Office, and next to D. Guelph's new Office, Douglas Street.  
JOHN MITCHELL, NATH TOVELL  
Guelph, Feb. 3, 1872. dtw

**NELLES, ROMAN & CO.,**  
General Commission Merchants  
AND SHIPPERS,  
34 South Clinton St., Chicago, Ill.  
REFERENCES:—Sir John Rose, Banker, London, England; F. W. Thomas, Esq., Banker, Montreal; The Macdonough Chicago, Bankers; J. H. Morton, John Carling, London, Ontario; Messrs. Gault Bros., Merchants, Montreal; Senator Frank Smith, Frank Smith & Co., Toronto; J. Morton Millar, Esq., Perth, Ont. (late of J. M. Millar & Co., Commission Merchants, Chicago); Walter Watson, Esq., Banker, New York; D. Butters, Esq., Montreal; Joseph Whitehead, Esq., M. P., Clinton, Ont.; Chas. Magill, Esq., M. P., Hamilton, Ontario; T. C. Chisholm, Esq., Toronto Samuel B. Foot, Esq., Quebec. July 14

**W. M. FOSTER, D. D. S.,**  
SURGEON DENTIST, GUELPH.  
Office over E. Harvey & Co's Drug Store, Corner of Wyndham and Macdonnell-sts. Guelph.  
Nitroxide (Lauding gas) administered for the extraction of teeth without pain, which is perfectly safe and reliable.  
References kindly permitted to Drs. Herod, Clarke, Tuck, McGuire, Keating, Cowan and McGee, Guelph; W. K. Graiani, Dentist, Brampton.

**PRIZE DENTISTRY.**  
**DR. ROBERT CAMPBELL,**  
Licentiate of Dental Surgery.  
Established 1861. Office next door to the "Akwatser" office, Wyndham-st., Guelph.  
Residence opposite Mr. Bull's Factory, Quebec Street. Teeth extracted without pain.  
References, Drs. Clarke, Tuck, McGuire, Herod, McGee, and Cowan, Guelph; Drs. Buchanan and Phillips, Toronto. Drs. Elliott & Meyers, Dentists, Toronto. dtw

**RAYMOND'S SEWING MACHINES**  
Family Sewing Machine (single thread) "Hand Lock Stitch (double thread) No. 1, Foot Power."  
Furnished with plain tables, half, or Cabinet Cases, as required.  
**CHARLES RAYMOND,**  
GUELPH, ONT.  
July 12, 1871 dtwy

**HEATHER'S STOVE AND PLOUGH DEPOT**  
The subscriber would call the attention of the public to Kinney's Patent Improvement in Stove Furniture, by which pots, kettles, frying pans, etc., are so constructed that all smoke, smell and steam from frying meat or other cooking are conducted up the chimney as perfectly as in the old-fashioned fire-place. Ladies give them a trial.  
Sole agent for Guelph.  
A good assortment of STOVES, TINWARE, and PLOUGHS always on hand, and at the lowest prices.  
WM. HEATHER,  
Corner Woolwich-st. and Eramosa Road  
Guelph, 22d August, 1871. dtw

**NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.**  
**A. H. R. KENNEDY'S Flour and Feed Store.**  
Call and leave your orders with A. H. R. KENNEDY if you want the best  
**Flour, Potatoes and Feed**  
of all kinds, as cheap as any in the town, and always delivered to any part of the town when required.  
Also, a fine lot of wheat, oats and peas, for seed.  
Remember the stand—Anderson's new buildings, next door to Wm. Sullivan's tinshop, West Market Square. Feb 15—dwtm

**CASH FOR WOOL, HIDES, SHEEP-SKINS, CALF SKINS, and WOOL.**  
The highest market price paid for the above at No. 4, Goron Street, Day's Old Block, Guelph.  
Plasterers Hair combs only on hand for sale at  
GUELPH, APRIL 19, D. L. dtw

**HATS AND CAPS**  
**CO TO HATS**  
AND AND  
**BYRNE'S**  
AND AND  
**CAPS**  
**HATS & CAPS**  
**D. BYRNE**  
HAS just opened the largest and best assorted stock of Hats and Caps ever shown in the Town of Guelph.  
**IN ALL THE VERY LATEST STYLES**  
Comprising English and American Silk and Felt Hats; Cloth Hats, stiff and soft; Cloth, Silk and Velvet Caps; Boys and Children's Felt Hats; Scotch Caps of every shade and color.  
Call at the Guelph Hat, Cap and Fur Store, and See for Yourself.  
**D. BYRNE,**  
Guelph, March 23, 1872 dtw  
W. Indiana Street, Guelph.

**NEW DEVELOPMENTS**  
—AT—  
**The Brantford Stove and Plough Depot**  
CORK STREET, GUELPH.  
**MESSRS. WEBSTER & WOOLHOUSE**  
Having entered into partnership in carrying on the Stove and Tinware Business, are pleased to inform the public of Guelph and vicinity that they are now better able than ever to supply them with every desirable article in their line, and at prices that will astonish their customers. The stock is the largest in Guelph, comprising  
**TIN, JAPAN, SHEET IRON & COPPER WARE,**  
Coal Oil Lamps, Wicks and Chimneys, and every article pertaining to the Trade.  
**THE ATTENTION OF FARMERS**  
is called to their immense stock of  
**STOVES AND PLOUGHS!**  
Which for Cheapness and Perfection in all the latest improvements, stand unrivalled in the country. We make a specialty of Ploughs, and are therefore able to supply the Farmers with just what they want.  
PLOUGHS and CASTINGS always on hand from the factory of Lutz & Co., Galt. Our store is crammed with TINWARE of all descriptions, and our prices are as low as our stock is varied.  
CISTERN PUMPS always on hand, and HAVE TROUGHS put up in town and country on short notice.  
**WEBSTER & WOOLHOUSE,**  
Brantford Stove and Plough Depot.

**MR. WEBSTER** begs to tender his thanks to the Public for the liberal support he has received during the last 12 years, and hopes, under the new arrangement, to extend his business and render it more worthy of the support of his old customers. They will always find him at his old place.  
**ALL** outstanding accounts up to the 2ND OF APRIL will be paid to the undersigned. Parties indebted will please CALL AND SETTLE AS PROMPTLY AS POSSIBLE.  
JOHN WEBSTER,  
Guelph, April 20th, 1872. dtw

**NEW GROCERY STORE**  
Next to Petrie's Drug Store.  
**SCROGGIE & NEWTON**  
Beg to announce to the inhabitants of Guelph and surrounding country that they have just opened out an entirely new and carefully selected stock of first-class  
**Groceries, Glass, Crockery and Earthenware**  
**WINE AND LIQUORS, &c.**  
Which they are prepared to sell at low rates for cash as any other store in the town of Guelph.  
**CHOICE TFAS,** comprising all the favorite brands  
**NEW FRUITS**  
**TOBACCOS,** smoking and chewing.  
**WINE AND LIQUORS.**—The finest Port and Sherry Wines, Brandy, Rum, Gin, Ale and Porter. The finest Rye, Malt and Toddy Whiskies.  
The public generally are cordially invited to call and examine our Stock. Goods, as we are confident that they can be supplied at our store with as good and as cheap articles as can be found in any other establishment in town.  
October 20th dtw  
**SCROGGIE & NEWTON.**

**LUMBER, LUMBER.**  
**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 STATION**  
Where we will sell as usual, wholesale and retail.  
Guelph, Jan 10, 1872. dtw  
**GOWDY, STEWART & Co.**

**WILLIAM BROWNLOW,**  
**AGRICULTURAL Implement Works,**  
SASH, DOOR, AND BLIND FACTORY,  
AND  
PLANING MILL GUELPH.  
**LEVI COSSITT**  
MANUFACTURER OF  
The Horse Turnip Seed Drill, "Self Regulating."  
The Wethers' Hand Seed Drill, with shifting slides to sow all kinds of seed.  
The Paris Straw Cutter, for horse or hand power.  
The Little Giant Straw Cutter for hand power only.  
Cossitt's Improved Fanning Mill, of the best material and workmanship.  
—ALL KINDS OF—  
**Agricultural Implements Repaired**  
Also, Manufacturer and Dealer in Sash, Blinds, Mouldings, Door and Window Frames, etc. etc.  
Planning, and Planing and Matching.  
NELSON CRESCENT, | TERMS LIBERAL.  
Guelph, April 3, 1872 dtw

**TO SHOEMAKERS.**—Wanted immediately a good journeyman shoemaker, to whom constant employment will be given. Also, a smart lad, 14 or 15 years of age, as apprentice.  
**JAMES KAVANAGH,**  
May 8, 1872 dtw  
Everton, Ont.

**MUSTARD'S Catarrh Specific**  
Cures Catarrh, Cold in the Head, Neuralgia, Toothache, Nervous and Sick Headache, Weak and Sore Eyes. The Specific is a new remedy, prepared from Medicinal Bark, Roots, Gums, and Flowers. Free from poisonous drugs. It is harmless, novel, and philosophic in its operation. Try it if you are afflicted with the above diseases. It is also one of the best Cough and Croup Remedies extant.  
Mustard's Vegetable Pills should also be used in connection with the Specific for Sick Headache and Catarrh; and those who are afflicted with Rheumatism should try Mustard's King of Oils.  
Sold in Guelph by McCullough & Moore, Druggists.  
Manufactured at Ingersoll by N. H. Mustard, Proprietor.

**TRAVELLERS DIRECTORY.**  
**Temperley's Line**  
STEAM BETWEEN LONDON, QUEBEC and MONTREAL, composed of the following first-class iron steamships:  
Scotland, Medway, Teed, Thames, Hector, Niger, Severn, Nile, Adalia.  
The steamers of this Line are intended to sail weekly, as follows, during the season of navigation of 1872, TO and FROM London, Quebec, and Montreal calling at PLYMOUTH outwards for passengers, and leaving that port every Friday.  
FROM LONDON  
Hector .. .. . Wednesday, 8th May  
Thames .. .. . " 15th May  
Adalia .. .. . " 22nd May  
And every Wednesday thereafter.  
FROM QUEBEC  
Niger .. .. . Tuesday, 7th May  
Nile .. .. . " 14th May  
Scotland .. .. . " 21st May  
Thames .. .. . " 28th May  
Adalia .. .. . " 11th June  
And every Tuesday thereafter.

Rates of Passage from Quebec to London  
**Cabin \$60; Steerage \$24**  
Through tickets from all ports west at reduced rates. Certificates issued to parties desirous of bringing out their friends. Through bills of Lading issued on the Continent, and in London, for all parts of Canada, and in the United States, to Detroit, St. Louis, Chicago, and other points in the West. For freight or passage, apply to Temperley, Carter & Drake, 21 Billiter St., London; Willocks & Woodes, Barbican, Plymouth; Ross & Co., Quebec; David Shaw, Montreal, or to  
CHAS. DAVIDSON Agent,  
Apt. 6ndy Town Hall Buildings, Guelph.

**ANCHOR LINE**  
or  
Transatlantic, Peninsular and Mediterranean  
**STEAM PACKET SHIPS**  
The well-known favorite Clyde built Iron Steamships  
America, Anglia, Britannia  
Caledonia, Columbia, Europa  
Scandinavia, Iowa, Ismailia, India  
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