

#### **VOL. VII. NO. 86**

## GUELPH, ONT., CANADA, THURSDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 13, 1873.

# Business Cards.

EDICAL CO-PARTNERSHIP. M undersigned, have entered in p for the practice of the Medic under the style and firm

refersion under the style and firm of Seating & McDonald. THOS. AUCHMULY KEATING, M. D., M. B. C. S., England A. A. MACDONALD, [M. B., LR.C.P., Eidm., and L. B. C. S., Edin. Gueiph, July 185, 1873. dim w6m REMOVAL OF SURGERY.

DR. HEROD

removed his Surgery to the ro e the Guelph Drug Store, where he r und from 10 s.m. to 6 p.m. Entre ork street. After 6 p.m. at his reside dw

DUNBAR, MERRITT & BISCOR Barristers and Attorneys at Law olicitors in Chancery, etc. Office-Over Harvey's Drug Store. A. DUNBAB. W. M. MERRITT. F.BISCOE. Guelph, Oct. 7, 1873 dw

OLIVER & MACDONALD, Barristers and Attorneys-at-Law, Soli Barristors and Attorneys.at-Law, Soli-zitors, Notaries Public, &c. Office-Corner.of Wyndham and Quebec Streets, up statrs, Guelph, Ont. (dw

GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN, Barristers, Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitor in Chancery, Guelph, Ontario.

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

LEMON & PETERSON, Barristors and Attorneys at Law, Solicitors in Chancery, Conveyancers and Notarios Public.

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WILLIAM J. PATERSON, Official Assignee for the County of Wellington.

-Opposite Town Hall, Guelph. dw

STEPHEN BOULT, Architect, Con-tractor and Builder. Planing Mill, and every kind of Joinor's Work prepared for the rade and the public. The Factory is on Quebec street, Guelph. dw

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HORP'S HOTEL, GUELPH, remod

lled and newly furnished. Good ac oution for commercial travellers omnibus to and from all trains First-May 14 dwtf JAS.A. THORP, Proprieto

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OPPOSITE the MARKET, GUELPH First-class accommodation for travellers Commodious stabling and an attentive

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

Pickled Salmon, Lobsters, and Sardines. Guelph, Feb , 1873

HOTEL CARD .

The Right Man in the Right Place.

THOMAS WARD, late of the Crown Hotel, bogs to inform the travelling public that he has acquired possession of the Victoria Hotel, past door to the PostOffice, where he hopes by courtesy, attantion, and gof pub-lic patronsge, attantion, and gof pub-riends, its part of liquors, Wines, Cigars Active and you hand. A good hostler attendation of the courtes of the spo and the part of the spo and the spontantion of the spontantic spontantion of the spontantion of the spontantic spontantic

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New Advertisements. Guelph Evening Mercury

NOTICE.—Pork cuttings for sale at the Guelph Packing House, opposite the Grand Trunk Passenger Station. Guelph, Nov. 7, 1873. ddwtf.

TO LET — A large two-storey Stone Building in the centre of the Town mitable for manufacturing purposes. Apply to Robert Melvin, Guelph. jly18dt

**DURSE FOUND** — Containing a sum of money, near the railway track. The where can have it on applying at the Mer ury office, by describing the property and aying the cost of this advertisement. dtf DOCKET BOOK LOST. - Lost, on Wyndham street, on Wednesday after noon, a leather pocket book, containing on \$10 bill, one \$5, one \$4, and one \$1, also some silver. Any person finding the same will confer a great favor to the owner (who is al orphan boy) by returning it to this office.

A N EXCELLENT Tavern Stand to Sell or Rent At Arkell Village, Puslinch Plains, with good stabling, driving shed, and plenty o good water. An old and favourable stand Possession immediate. for further

ossession immediate. For further particulars, enquire of Jame urgess, the proprietor, at Arkell Village. Nov. 13, 1873. d2w2 COMFORTABLE DWELLING

TO LET.

A large stone house, opposite Mr. Ro-naine's rosidence, Waterloo road. Possession by 25th Nov., inst. Apply to R. Taylor, or Lemon & Peterson. Guelph, Nov. 7, 873. d190 Y. M. C. A.

SOCIAL.

The Young Men's Christian Associa tion intend holding a Social in the basemen of the BAPTIST CHURCH, on THURSDA EVENING, the 13th inst., commoncing at o'clock. A good programme has been pro-pared. Admission 15 cents. d3

CONCERT AND DANCE Will be given at the Town Hall,

**ON FRIDAY, NOV. 14th** Funds to be devoted to a charity

PROGRAMME-PART FIRE ntola. Mr. and Mrs. Heatl Cen

PART SECOND. Bolo.....Mr. Heathfiel Welcome Hame, My Bonnie Laddie Miss Wiseman Song

Song. Miss Wiseman Song-Beautiful Bird sing on Miss Wiseman Dust-Vocal-Singing Lesson from Fille du Regiment. Mrs. Wolstenholm and Regiment......Mrs. Wolstenholm Miss. Wiseman. Iolo-God bless the Prince of Wales...... Wolstenholm and Mrs Clarke Vale's Quadrille Band will be present. Mr

Doors open at 7:30; Concert to commence at 8: Dancing at 9:30. Gentleman's tickets 91. Ladies tickets 50c. Nov. 11, 1873.

DOMINION SALOON

RESTAURANT.

THURSDAY EV'NG, NOV. 13, 1873

**Town and County News** The Glasgow Weekly Mail may be had

reekly at Day's Bookstore for 5 cents a copy.

ALMANACKS .- Illustrated London, Boy Bells, Cassels, Frank Leslie's, Nasts, Danbury Newsman, and Josh Billing's A large stock of readable books, cheap at

NORWICH-STREET .- A resident of the treet complains that it is in a very bad state, especially in one place, where some excavations have been going on. wants the Council to attend to it. He

CONCERT AND DANCE .--- In our advertis-

programme of the concert and dance to come off on Friday night. It includes ome good music, and we believe that the vocalists and instrumentalists who will execute it are equally good. The pro

stages running now from this point are, one leaving here for Durham on the arrival of the evening train, returning the val of the evening train, returning the next morning in time for the morning train for the city. There is also one leaves here for Harrston at 6:30 s.m., returning on the arrival of the train from Guelph and reaching here at 6:30 p.m.

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Notes from Ottawa. Local and Other Items OTTAWA, Nov. 12. The Montreal City Council on Tuesday voted \$300,000 towards the improved drainage and repairs of streets. The taxpayers are beginning to grumble. A bullet was fired into a street car at Montreal on Tuesday. It created the greatest consternation among the pas-sengers. The Times of this morning comes out uarely in favour of the new Govern-ent. There has been a change of ed-ors and, probably, a change of pro-

PRICE TWO CENTS

announcemen t.

the con

Folks' heads are pretty much like their garrets, where all the rubbish and broken things they've no use for down stairs are slowed away.—Beecher.

it, mum !" Andrew Jackson was once making stump speech in a country village out west. Just as he was concluding, Amos Kondall, who est beside him, whispered, "Tip 'em a little Latin, General; they won't be satisfied without it." The won't be satisfied without it." The We Orleanse' instantly thought of a few phrases he knew, and, na voice of thunder, wound up his speech by exclaiming : "E pluribus unum, Sine qua non, Ne plus ultra, Multum in parvo."-The officet was tremendous, and the shouts could be heard for miles. "How much for this sprint?" Gentle

in the island.

The Brooklyn Common Council have taken measures for the relief of working-men who have been thrown out of em-ployment.

A Jersey paper describes a man as be-ag "as sociable as a batch of candidates

Just the reverse—When a clock is wound up it goes. When a firm is wound up it stops.

stowed away.— Beecher. "What," said a teacher to a pupil, "makes you feel uncomfortable after you have done wrong?" "Wy papa's big ieather strap," feelingly replied the boy. "Lær मmE Toasr GO Rours..—Good Templar — "Very warm, coachman... Have a drop?" Coachman—"Thank ye, sir." (Drinks.) "A aughl 0, murder?" I'm poisoned !— "What's that?" Good Templar—"Only toast-and-water !" As Example.—Old Lady-- "Be care-

AN EXAMPLE.—Old Lady.—'' Be care-ful with my umbrella, cabman; it's a precious one!'' Cabby (gallantly)—'' Not so precious as what's walking underneath it, muun !''

two weeks before election."

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TELEGRAPH

Spanish Ferocity.

Captain, Crew, and Passengers Shot.

Excitement in the U.S.

New York, Nov. 12 .- A despatch from

Havana just received here says that Capt. Fry and the crew of the Virginius, and

twelve of the passengers, have been shot by the Spanish authorities. Tremendous

excitement prevails here over the above

The Chairman and Secretary of the

the Cubans, whose success 'will ensure

freedom to the Cuban slaves, while Spanish triumph will perpetuate slavery

Orders have been received at the

Brooklyn Navy-yard to get the sloops of war, Kearcage and Juniata, ready for sea

at once. At noon to-day, under equally

pressing orders, the torpedo boat Admiral Porter was launched, and will be made ready for active operations in a few days.

All the officers about the yard are greatly excited over the news from Havana.

Havana, Cuba, Nov. 12 .- On the 7th

inst. the Captain and thirty-six of the

erew of the steamer Virginius were

executed at Santiago De Cuba, and on

the next day, the 8th, twelve more Cuban

volunteers on the vessel were shot. Among the latter was Franchi Alfaro.

Philadelphia, Nov. 12 .- Orders have

been received at the navy yard here to fit

out the monitor Manhattan for sea by Friday next. A large force of workmen have been employed.

It is understood that other monitors at

League Island are to be made ready for sea at once.

Washington despatch says :- The Presi-

Government can compel the cessation of

barbarity in Cuba, he will take the responsibility. His feeling on this subject

has been long and deep seated, extending

back to the first year of his Presidency ; and it has always been his earnest w

that the Spanish Government would re-sort to peaceful measures.

The Herald says we can no longer

trust to diplomats, protests, and Madrid

orders. Our safety must be in the

weight of our metal and the bravery of

our sailors. For the outrage of the mur-

New York, Nov. 13.-The Tribune's

cession of belligerent rights to

Cuban Anti-Slavery Society morrow carry to the Bresident a petition, signed by 600,000 coloured men, urging

Mr. Mackenzie has won the admira-tion of the entire civil service for his prompt and active management of pub-lic business. ngers

lic business. The statement telegraphed yesterday of changes in the Cabinet is officially con-tradicted. An embryo prize fight occurred at Monreal, on Tuesday and was quashed by the police. Considerable sums of money were staked on the combat. Fourteen Tonto Apaches were killed by scouts in Arizona recent.y.

The Conservative Association met last night and appointed five men for each Ward to assertain the strongest man of their party to run is the Opposition in-The Illinois farmers have carried over ne-half the counties on a largely in-reased vote. their party to run in the opposition in-therest for the Local House. Alderman Fetherstone is likely to receive the sup-port of the Reform party in the coming The attorneys of the Bank of England have withdrawn from the prosecution in the trials of Detectives Irving and Farley.

contest. The British Columbian members and Rufus Stephenson are all that's left of the Opposition in town. They are stay-ing to give "tom" to the banquet to Sir John to-morrow night.

Among the passengers and officials on

The Cause of the Ashantee War.

ALAMINATION OF TEACHERS,—AS will be seen by advertisement, the half yearly examination of Teachers for this county will commence in Guelph on Wednesday will commence in Guelph on Wednesday the 15th December.
The Firemen's ball and supper last in fire fighters and function of Dundas fire fighters and supper last in their friends were the guests of the fire that the last generil election, which was one of the larty state the chair, and speeche and to successful A number of Dundas fire fighters and the returning officers in such time of the section.
The Firemen's ball and supper last All reports from Lennox agree that an oyster supper. Hon. J. G. Currie sub sequently took the chair, and speeche and tonsits of the organities that the last generil election, which was one of the larty site. It is first first for the appropriate for the respective departments every day.
Band supplied the music.
Thr "Family Herald" and "Bow Bells" for Normber are out, ard our for the respective departments every day. The first story one with the appropriate there. The greene there that Mr. Borts, and Mr. Bergh to know if folding-doors in hog-pens will be in fashion this summer.
Morts for the fashion this summer. What may one always have his pockets finder out of chaos, they at reast grees of work and sports in the respective depart ments every day. The merges of the fashion this summer. What may one always have his pockets finder whit, even when they are empty?—
Morts for Normal and the splenty of illustrated field.
Mr. Cartwringh, Frinance, Mr. Greese and the summer. What may one always hav

The first passenger train over the Southern Extension of the Wellington, ing columns to-day will be found the Grey & Bruce Railway arrived here at

five o'clock p.m. to-day. There was grea rejoicing at the different stations as the train proceeded on its way.

vocalists and instrumentalists who will
execute it are squally good. The pro-gramme is not yet quite complete, as the
names of one or two male vocalists are
yet to be added; but there is enough to
show that a very enjoyable evening may
be anticipated.
 STAOR CHANGES.—The Mount Forest
Confederate says:—In consequence of
the completion of the T., G. & B. Rail.
way to Owen Sound, the line of stages
between Mount Forest and Owen Sound
have been taken off the road. The only
stages running new from this point are,

About the time when Napoleon was shipped for St. Helena the Ashantees first swept down from the interior and defaated the coast natives or Fantoes, in every direction, their chief objuct being to obtain unrestricted intercourse with

Guelph Dec. 5th, 1872.

J. H. ROMAIN & Lo., Successors to Nelles, Romain & Co.,

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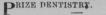
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Ladies visiting the Fashionable West End will have their wants supplied without the slightest difficulty-all at our usual well known reasonable prices Intensé excitement is caused in the United States by the news from Cuba given in the telegrams we pub-lish elsewhere. For a long time the

o20-dw Angus Morrison denies that he has received an official appointment, and

asserts that he still represents Niagara. Sir John A. Maccionald has been nominated for West Toronto, in place of Mr. Crawford. At a meeting on Wednesday night, Hon. J. B. Robinson, M.P., in the chair, Mr. George sistance came chiefly from the United Munroe nominated Right Hou. Su John Macdonald, K.C.B., as the candidate of the Party. Speeches were valis in many quarters for the "Cut under of the full of the particites," as the U.S. Press like subsequently delivered by Mr. Jee. to call them. The U.S. Government Beaty, M.P., Mr. A. W. Lauder, M.P.P., Mr. Canavan, Mr. E. King gents as belligerents, although a Dodds, Mr. Lewis Moffatt, Mr. Bick ford, and Mr. G. D'Arcy Bolton.

SNOW

Cuban insurgents have maintained a

desperate and sanguinary struggle

against the Spanish in the Island of Cuba: but, like the Carlist insurrec-

tion in Spain, neither side seemed to

gain any dccided advantage, and the

interminable warfare went wearily

on. Owing to Cuba's insular position,

the rebels could not of course have

carried on operations very long with-

out outside assistance; and this as-

States, where a strong sympathy pre-

have not yet recognised the insur-

strong and constant pressure has

been brought to bear upon them to

ading fleet cruising off the coast of

Cuba, to intercept the filibustering

vessels which brought supplies and

arms to the rebels. One of the most

successful of these vessels was the

"Virginius." A telegram recently

announced that she had been cap-

tured by the Spanish gunboat 'Tornado;'' but people here had

long since used up all their interest

in Cuban matters, so that the an-nouncement stracted little atten-

has, however, been given to the incident by the news that the captain,

crew, and half the passengers have been hastily shot in cold blood by

the Spanish authorities at Santiago

de Cuba. This brutal massacre has

aroused hot indignation in the States,

and it is not improbable that the

whole affair may lead to serious in-

ternational complications. It is

claimed that the vessel has an

American register; but there seems to be considerable doubt as to

whether she is entitled in any way

to the protection of the American

flag. It is said also that she was

captured in British waters near

Jamaica; if this is the case another element of complication will be

added. The United States naval

authorities are getting war vessels 15ady for any emergency that may

arise; and so the affair stands at pre-

sent. It will, of course, be a power

ful lever in the hands of those who

are pressing for the granting of bel-

ligerent rights to the rebels. The

Cuban campaign has been carried

on with ruthless ferocity on each side,

and it is to be feared that the public

and international character of this

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do this. The Spaniards had a block

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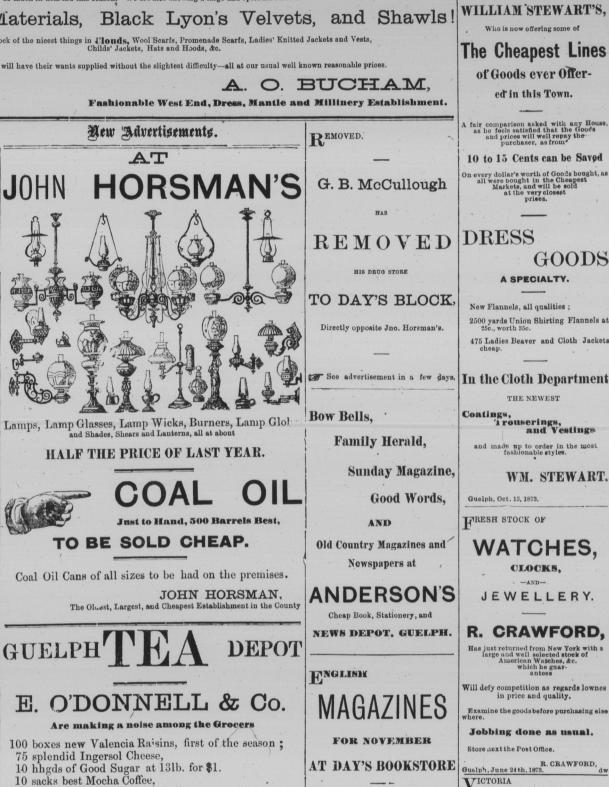
vails in many quarters for the '

Ar about two o'clock on Wednesday afternoon the ceremony of swear ing into office Lieut .- Governor Craw ford took place, at the Government House, in the presence of the mem-bers of the Local Administration, the various Consuls in the city, a large number of Senators, members of Parliament and prominent citizens. The oath was administered by Chief Justice Draper. There were about 30 persons present by invitation. The ceremony being concluded, His Honor entertained the party at a banquet.

The Toronto Water commissioner and the Globe has got to loggerheads. The Globe thought that the proceed. ings of the water Commissioners wanted ventilation, and sent a reporter to one of their meetings. The commission ers denied the right of the reporter to be present; and after some tall talk about sending for polickman, the meeting disolved withont doing any business-leaving the reporter alone and noteless-the 'man in possession. A telegram yes terday to the Hamilton Times says :terday to the limition *Times* says:-"The Globe is determined to test in law, if necessary, the right of the Water Com-missioners to prevent reporters from ro-porting their proceedings. The course of events in this matter causes much com-ment. It is reported that, when the ro-porter left, the Commissioners last night decided that the Clerk should prepare a report of the proceedings of every meet-ing, for the press, subject to revision by the Chairman. the Chairman

An action has been taken out in the Su-perior Court against one of the wealthiest citizens in Montreal, by his wife, for sep-aration from his bed and board, on the ground of neglect and ill treatment. Some startling disclosures may be looked DIED

last barbarism is the only thing which makes it worse than many AMDERSON-At Springfield, near Gueiph, or the morning of the 13th inst., David, in-

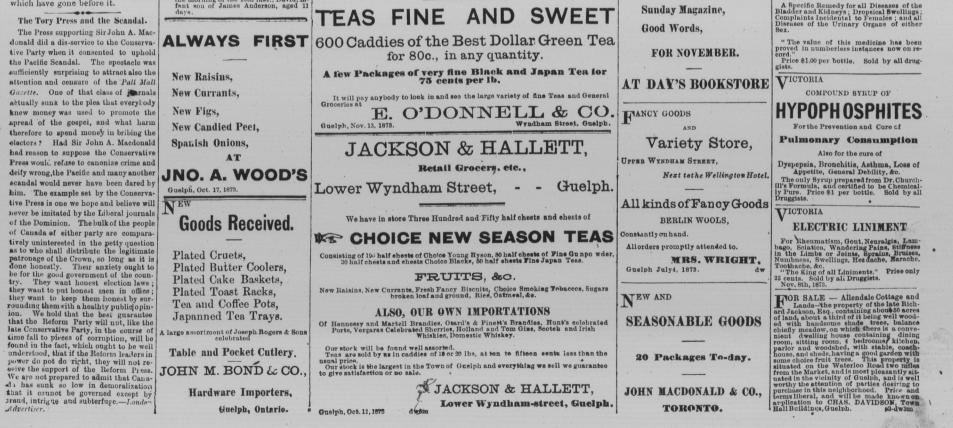


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Guelph Evening Mercury See the Grand Display of Furs THURSDAY EVNG, NOV. 13, 1873. The Rival Clansmen : A Scottish Vendetta. . AT CHAPTER VII.

THE SOLDIERS AND THE CATERANS-A TER RIBLE SURUGOLE.

their movements

BRADFORD HOUSE. THAT

In gazed at Camero, but could not speak, while both nervously clutched at "Howeves." "Howeves." "Howeves." "Howeves." "Howeves." "Howeves." The subscriber has just to hand the Largest stock of Furs ever brought into Guelph, comprising everything new and fashionable in the Trade, and will be COLD OO DED OF BLT. UNDED SOURCED DOING

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ember has reached us. In glancing over vember has reached us. In guadeling over it we noticed the following extract from one of the stories. A little boy deter-mined that he would keep a diary or journal of daily events,—like Mark Twain's friends on board ship. He kept it up for a fortnight, and here is the re-sult.

