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## Business Cards.

**DUNBAR, HERRITT & BISCOE,**  
Barristers and Attorneys at Law  
Solicitors in Chancery, etc.  
Office—Over Harvey's Drug Store,  
Guelph, Oct. 7, 1873. dw

**LIVER & MACDONALD,**  
Barristers and Attorneys at Law,  
Solicitors in Chancery, etc.  
Office—Corner of  
Windsor and Quebec Streets, up stairs,  
Guelph, Ont. dw

**GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN,**  
Barristers, Attorneys at Law, Solicitors  
in Chancery, Guelph, Ontario.

**GUTHRIE, J. WATT, W. H. CUTTEN**  
Guelph, March 1, 1874. dw

**LEMON, PETERSON & McLEAN,**  
Barristers and Attorneys at Law,  
Solicitors in Chancery,  
Conveyancers and Notaries Public.  
Office—Brownlow's New Buildings, near  
the Registry Office.

**A. LEMON, H. W. PETERSON,**  
E. McLEAN,  
County Crown Attys

**E. W. McGUIRE, Physician, Surgeon,**  
Licentiate of Upper  
Canada, and Graduate in Medicine of  
University of Victoria College. Office and  
residence—Ainsley's brick building, North-  
west corner of Queen and Front streets,  
Guelph. Special attention paid to Diseases  
of Women and Children. Consultation days  
Tuesday and Friday noon. dw

**WILLIAM J. PATERSON,**  
Official Assignee for the County  
of Wellington.  
Office—Opposite Town Hall, Guelph. dw

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

**MONEY TO LEND.**  
In sums to suit borrowers. No solicitors  
fees or commission charged.  
Apply direct to the undersigned.  
**GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN,**  
April 16, 1874. dw

**PLASTER AND SALT.**  
The subscriber has on hand 500 tons of  
the best Guelph and Paris Plaster and  
Lime Salt. Also on hand, seed grain of all  
kinds. The highest price paid for potatoes  
and straw. **W. O. BARK WILLY,**  
Gordon street, near the G. T. R. crossing  
Guelph, Feb. 25, 1874. 3md&w

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

**LIME,**  
BRICKS AND TILES  
FOR SALE.  
The subscribers are prepared to fur-  
nish Limes in quantities to suit purchasers  
at the Kilns on the York Road, Guelph.  
Also, constantly on hand first-class Bricks  
and Tiles, at their respective, Liverpool-st.,  
Guelph. **PEARSON & SON,**  
Guelph, March 31, 1874. 3m

**PARKER'S HOTEL,**  
—DIRECTLY—  
OPPOSITE THE MARKET, GUELPH.  
First-class accommodation for travellers.  
Commodious stabling and an attentive  
hostler.  
The best Liquors and Cigars at the bar.  
He has just fitted up a room where Oys-  
ters will be served up at all hours, in the  
favorite style.  
Pickled Salmon Lobsters and Sardines.

**HOTEL CARD.**  
The Right Man in the Right Place.  
Thomas Ward, late of the Crown Hotel,  
begs to inform the travelling public that he  
has acquired possession of the Victoria  
Hotel, next door to the post office, where  
he hopes by courtesy, attention and good  
accommodation to merit a fair share of  
public patronage, both from old and new  
friends. The best of Liquors, Wines, Cigars,  
&c. constantly on hand. A good hostler al-  
ways in attendance. Remember the apot-  
next door to the post office.  
**THOMAS WARD, Proprietor.**  
Guelph, Dec. 11, 1873.

**THORP'S HOTEL, GUELPH.**—Re-  
modelled and newly furnished. Good  
accommodation for commercial travellers.  
Free omnibus to and from all trains. First-  
class Livery in connection.  
By invitation **JAS. A. THORP Proprietor**

**DOMINION SALOON**  
AND  
**RESTAURANT.**  
Opposite the Market, Guelph.  
The subscriber begs to notify his friends  
and the public that he is now proprietor of  
the above saloon and restaurant, keeping  
the best liquors and cigars to receive a  
share of public patronage.  
Oysters in their season. First-class ac-  
commodation for supper parties.  
**M. DEADY, Proprietor.**  
Guelph, April 7, 1874. dw

**IRON CASTINGS**  
Of all kinds, made to order at  
**CROWE'S IRON WORKS,**  
Norfolk Street, Guelph.  
134w **JOHN CROWE, Proprietor**

**W. M. NELSON,**  
Clothes Cleaner and Renovator  
All Clothing entrusted to his care will be  
cleaned and renovated to the satisfaction  
of his customers. He also has a Laundry  
in connection. He returns thanks for past  
patronage, and trusts he will continue to  
receive the support of the public generally.  
Residence Devonshire street, Guelph.  
April 20, 1874. dw

**CASH FOR WOOL, HIDES, SHEEP**  
SKINS, CALF SKINS, AND WOOL  
PICKINGS.  
The highest market price paid for the  
above at No. 4, Gordon Street, Day's old  
Block, Guelph.  
Plasterers' hair constantly on hand for  
sale.  
**MOULTON & BISH,**  
Guelph, Jan. 1, 1874. dw

**NEW**  
**Paint Shop.**  
The undersigned begs to inform the peo-  
ple of Guelph and surrounding country that  
he has opened a new paint shop in Quebec  
street, next Fenwick's Furniture Shop, and  
opposite St. James' Church. He is now  
preparing to paint all kinds of Buildings,  
Glasings, Grain and Paper Hanging on short  
notice.  
He hopes by strict attention to business  
and using the best material to secure a  
share of public patronage.  
All orders whether from town or country  
promptly attended to.  
**W. HUMPHRIES,**  
Guelph March 1, 1874. dw

## New Advertisements.

**WANTED—A Cook.** 17-41f  
Apply to Mrs. Lemon.

**WANTED—To rent,** by Sept. 1st, a  
new Cottage, 5 rooms, West Ward  
preferred. Apply at this office. 14-4-dw

**TWO ASSISTANT MILLINERS WANTED**  
IMMEDIATELY at the Fashionable  
West End. Must trim well.  
Mav 14-4f **A. O. BUCHAN.**

**HOUSE TO LET—To let,** a dwelling  
house near the Great Western Sta-  
tion, 5 rooms. Apply to John McCrea, Eras-  
mosa Bridge. 14-4-dw

**BOARD—A few respectable young men**  
can obtain board in a healthy locality  
three minutes walk from Post Office. Ap-  
ply at the store of Mr. Murray, next to the  
Express Office, or at the Mechanics' Insti-  
tute. Tu-3

**TWO SOFT WATER TANKS FOR**  
sale. Hand with lead. Size 5 ft. x 3 ft.  
6 in., depth 4 ft. 6 in.; and 6 ft. x 3 ft.  
6 in., depth 4 ft. 6 in. **B. ORAWFORD,**  
4ft. Apply to Next Post Office, Guelph.  
Guelph, April 16, 1874. dtf

**GARDENING.**  
The subscriber is prepared to attend to  
all kinds of  
**GARDEN WORK,**  
Laying out and keeping in order Flower  
Gardens, Pleasure Grounds, &c.

**N. B.—Particular attention given to**  
**MAKING CROQUET GROUNDS.**  
Orders may be left at the Mercury office.

**JOHN HALL,**  
Eramosa Road.  
Guelph, May 15, 1874. dw

**SEED BARLEY and SPRING WHEAT**  
FOR SALE—At the Guelph Packing  
House, opposite the Grand Trunk Passen-  
ger Station.  
Guelph, Apr. 24, 1874. d&wtf.

**MONEY TO LOAN**  
ON FARM SECURITY.  
The undersigned have \$25,000 for invest-  
ment in Mortgages on Farms, in sums to  
suit borrowers, with interest at 8 percent.  
for periods from 5 to 15 years and  
Early applications requested.  
**LEMON, PETERSON & McLEAN,**  
Guelph, March 15, 1874. dw

**UNDER THE DISTINGUISHED**  
PATRONAGE OF THEIR EXCEL-  
LENCIES  
**The Earl and Countess of Dufferin.**

**The Hampton Singers**  
From the Hampton Normal and Agricul-  
tural Institute, Virginia, will give an enter-  
tainment in the Town Hall,  
**On Thursday Evening, 4th of June,**  
When will be presented  
The Slave and Plantation Songs and Sa-  
cred Melodies of the South.

No music like that of the Hampton Singers  
has ever been presented to the Canadian  
public. Both in Europe and America  
crowded audiences have testified their in-  
terest and delight.  
The proceeds of the concert are devoted  
to the building of the new college at Hamp-  
ton.  
Tickets 50 cents each.  
For sale at the stores of T. J. Day and J. A.  
Anderson. Guelph, May 4th, 1874. d&wtm2d

**LONDON AND CANADIAN**  
**LOAN**  
—AND—  
**AGENCY COMPANY**  
(LIMITED)  
This Company have opened a Branch  
Office  
**IN GUELPH**

Under the management of H. D. Morehouse,  
and are prepared to loan money on the se-  
curity of Improved Farms and Productive  
Town Property, on easy terms of  
payment and low rates of interest.  
For full information apply to  
**H. D. MOREHOUSE,**  
Exchange Broker,  
**Market Square, Guelph.**  
Guelph, May 15, 1874. dw3m

**Brass Castings**  
MADE TO ORDER BY  
**HARLEY & HEATHER,**  
IRON FOUNDERS,  
Huskisson street, east side Market house  
Guelph, April 27th, 1874. dw3m

**TO BUILDERS.**  
The subscribers have on hand and will  
continue to keep  
**Glazed Sewer Pipes**  
ALL SIZES;  
**FLUE PIPES,**  
OVAL AND ROUND,  
Made by Messrs. Campbell & Son, Hamilton.  
All orders executed promptly.

**H. CLEARHUE & CO.,**  
Successors to Robert Rae & Co.,  
**GUELPH.**  
May 11. dw1m

**NEW**  
**Paint Shop.**  
The undersigned beg to announce that  
they have commenced business as Carriage  
and House Painters, Paper Hangers, &c.,  
in the Shop near the Eramosa Bridge,  
opposite Dalgleish & Co's Wheel Works,  
Where they will be at all times prepared to  
execute any orders with which they may be  
favored, with promptness, and in the very  
best manner.  
**CORMIE & EAGAN,**  
Z. ALEX. CORMIE, JEREMIAH EAGAN,  
Guelph, May 2, 1874. dw1m

**SEWING MACHINES FOR SALE.**  
Several, several first-class Sewing Ma-  
chines, different makes, all new cheaply  
ash. Apply at the Mercury Office.

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**Town and County News**  
REMEMBER Mrs. R. Chance's great sale  
of household effects to-morrow, at ten  
o'clock. See advertisement.

**CHEAP EXCURSION.**—As will be seen by  
advertisement the Great Western an-  
nounces a cheap trip to the Falls on the  
Queen's Birthday.

**DON'T FAIL to be present** at the enter-  
tainment in the Good Templars' Hall to-  
night. Miss Gerrie and other promi-  
nent vocalists will be present. Admis-  
sion 10 cents.

**FOR THE NORTH WEST.**—Messrs. Geo.  
Aberdeen, Wm. and George Hudson, and  
Jas. Grey, of Paisley Block, left to-day  
(Monday) for Manitoba on a prospecting  
tour with the view of taking up land.  
We hope they will succeed in their ex-  
pectations.

**NICOMEDUS JONES and THE YORKSHIRE**  
**FARMERS** have consorted, and will give  
a concert in the Town Hall on Thursday  
evening, 21st inst. Everybody knows  
Cool Burgess as "Nicomedus," and no  
one with a love of the ridiculous would  
miss seeing James Taylor, the jolly little  
comique as "Simple Simon." These  
well-known artists will be supported by  
a strong company.

**ANNUAL DRILL.**—The *Lions Express*  
learns that the 80th B. Militia will go  
into camp for performance of annual  
drill for 1873-4, some time next month.  
It has not yet been determined whether  
Guelph or Aboyné will be selected as the  
location of the camp, but tenders for  
rations are about to be advertised for  
and the offers will have much to do, we  
presume, in determining the matter.  
The men will receive \$8 each for eight  
days' drill, less cost of rations which will  
be about \$2.

**SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS.**—We learn from  
the Journal of Education for April, which  
has just reached us, that the examination  
for admission to High Schools and  
Collegiate Institutes is appointed for the  
29th and 30th of June next, and that of  
Public School Teachers for 2nd and  
3rd class certificate is to begin on the  
20th, and for 1st class on the 21st July.  
We presume due notice of these examina-  
tions will be given in the usual way  
through the local papers.

**LAYING OF CORNER STONE IN HARRIS-  
TOWN.**—The corner stone of the new  
Wesleyan Methodist Church of Harrison  
was laid with the usual ceremonies by  
Mr. John Macdonald, of Toronto, on  
Friday. The ceremony being over, all  
repaired to the Town Hall to partake of  
a sumptuous tea prepared by the ladies  
of the congregation. After tea, able ad-  
dresses were delivered by Mr. Macdonald,  
Rev. Mr. Howard the Chairman, of the  
District, Mr. Samuel Robertson, and  
the resident ministers of the town. The  
proceeds at the laying of the corner stone  
and at the tea meeting amounted to con-  
siderably over one hundred dollars.

**THE SCOTSMAN.**—We have received  
the first number of "The Scotsman and  
Caledonian Advertiser," published by a  
company lately organized in New York,  
and under the editorial management of  
John Laird Wilson. It takes the field  
as the representative of Scotsmen and  
Scottish interests in America. We had  
thought that the *Scottish American* suffi-  
ciently covered this ground, but have  
now this new claimant for public favor.  
The sheet is handsomely got up, well  
printed, and contains a great deal of old  
country and foreign news, as well as ex-  
cellent miscellaneous reading, and if  
properly conducted will no doubt become  
a keen competitor with the *Scottish*  
*American* for the patronage of Scotsmen  
in the United States and Canada.  
Sample copies may be had at Anderson's  
bookstore.

**DEATH OF MR. D. SAVAGE.**—We regret  
to announce the death of Mr. David  
Savage, one of our oldest and most re-  
spected business men, which took place  
on Sunday evening. Deceased had been  
in infirm health for some time past,  
although he was able, almost up to the  
day of his death, to move about, and was  
in town so late as Friday last. Although  
from old age and other causes he was  
greatly weakened, his death was unex-  
pected to his friends as well as to his  
family. Deceased learned his trade of  
watchmaker and jeweller in London, and  
after he came to Canada, he resided in  
Montreal for seven years. He afterwards  
came to Guelph, where he has resided  
and carried on business for twenty-six  
years. His character as a business man  
was unimpeachable, and his quiet, re-  
served Christian life won for him the re-  
spect and esteem of all with whom he  
came in contact. He was for many years  
Depositary to the Guelph Bible Society,  
and had at heart every movement for  
the spread of religious truth. He was  
also a valued Elder in the First Presby-  
terian Church, which will miss an active  
member, as the community will do a good  
man and a devout.

**POLICE COURT.**  
(Before the Police Magistrate.)  
May 18.  
George Thorp, charged by Henry C.  
Raye with assault and battery on the 14th  
inst., was fined \$1 and costs.

St. Catharines is to have a new Music  
Hall.

## DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

Ottawa, May 16.

The Commons had an afternoon ses-  
sion on Saturday.  
A Bill making more stringent the law  
prohibiting the sale of liquor to Indians  
was, on the motion of Mr. Laird, read a  
first time.

After one or two notices of Govern-  
ment measures had been given,  
Mr. Ross moved the third reading of  
the Military College Bill.  
Mr. Mackenzie, in reply to Dr. Tupper,  
explained the difficulty of deciding on  
the site of the proposed College, but  
stated that the choice appeared to be be-  
tween Quebec and Kingston.

Mr. Hill suggested the assent of  
Parliament would be necessary.  
Dr. Tupper urged that, on the score  
of political consistency, the Premier  
should take the house into his confi-  
dence.

Mr. Jones (Halifax) thought the sug-  
gestion came with a very bad grace from  
Dr. Tupper.  
Mr. Mackenzie denied that either as  
to Kingston or Quebec had any pressure  
been exercised. The difficulty was the  
Government were not yet in possession  
of the information necessary to a final  
decision.

The Bill was then read a third time  
and passed.  
Mr. Laird moved the third reading of  
the Dominion Lands Act.  
Mr. Cunningham (Marquette) moving  
an amendment to provide that old settlers  
should be entitled to the purchase of  
wood land at one dollar per acre, and to  
strike out other clauses.

After some discussion the Bill was read  
a third time and passed.  
On motion of Mr. Dorion, the Judges'  
Salaries Bill was recommitted to insert  
a clause empowering the Government to  
grant a retiring allowance to County  
Judges after twenty-five years of service.

The Bill was read a third time and  
passed.  
Mr. Dorion's Bill amending "the Extradition  
Act" was also passed.  
Some other measures were advanced a  
stage and at six o'clock the House  
adjourned.

**Local and Other Items.**  
The new Baptist Church in London  
was opened on Sunday.  
Weston, the pedestrian scoundrel on  
Saturday at midnight having made 430  
miles.

A justice of the peace at Glencoe has  
very properly inflicted a severe punish-  
ment on a school teacher for selling a  
lottery ticket to a little boy.

The steamship *Prussia*, which arrived  
on Tuesday in Quebec, brought fifty  
Warrickshire farm hands who intend  
making Canada their home.

Two Oxen belonging to Thos. Hoiby,  
Georgetown, weighed 4,200 lbs., live  
weight, and when killed and dressed for  
market weighed 3,200 lbs., together with  
441 lbs of tallow.

All the fixtures, rolling stock, land,  
&c., of the Canada Southern Railway  
were mortgaged on Saturday to parties  
interested, to cover a payment of nine  
millions in bonds.

The prisoners on trial at the London  
Assizes for the murder of Corbridge  
were discharged on Saturday, the Crown  
Attorney having stated that he had no  
further evidence to offer.

A firm have bought a mill site from  
Mr. Adam Johnston, of Millisay, and  
intend erecting a large grist mill for four  
run of stones. The mill will be exclu-  
sively engaged in manufacturing for the  
foreign market.

His Honor Lieut.-Governor Morris has  
made a treaty with the Sioux Indians of  
the Fortage, who are to go on a reserve  
outside the Province of Manitoba, at the  
junction of the Assiniboine and Little  
Saskatchewan.

A person named John Forsyth, of the  
township of Fullarton, County of Perth,  
was run over on the railway near Mitchell  
on Saturday, by the night express train  
going to Goderich, and immediately  
killed.

**NEW CHURCH.**—Mr. T. H. Mackenzie,  
of Dundas, laid the corner stone of the  
new Knox Church in that town on Friday  
last. It is erected on the site of the old  
one, which was damaged by the gale in  
December last. The cost will exceed  
\$10,000. Rev. J. Laing, pastor of the  
church, read the services.

In the Dundas marsh the other day,  
the frogs, thinking the Spring had come,  
emerged from their winter retreat and  
began to make croaking music. A cold  
snap came on in the night, and great  
numbers of them got wedged fast in the  
ice, their heads just sticking above it;  
then a parcel of lawless hens went and  
picked their heads off one by one.

**ACCIDENT AT CUMMINSVILLE.**—A team  
of horses owned by Mr. Beadhead ran  
away while he was in a shop on Satur-  
day, and struck against the railing of a  
bridge, killing one of the horses instan-  
taneously, and throwing out and seriously in-  
juring Mr. Beadhead's two children. The  
doctor has not much hope of their re-  
covery.

An American speculator has engaged  
Madame Ristori, the famous tragedienne,  
to give fifty representations in the United  
States. She became in 1855, a rival to  
the celebrated Rachel, over whom her  
genius triumphed. Among Ristori's  
famous roles may be mentioned those of  
Medea, Lady Macbeth, Fazio, Phedra,  
Deborah, Judith, Francaise de Rieviers,  
and Camilla. This lady has already  
paid one visit to America.

**PRESENTATION TO HON. E. B. WOOD.**—  
A number of residents of Brantford and  
the surrounding country met at Kirby  
Hall on Friday evening. Sheriff Smith  
was appointed Chairman, and A. J.  
Wilkes, Secretary, when it was decided  
to give the Hon. E. B. Wood a presenta-  
tion and a public dinner before he leaves  
for Manitoba. Committees were appoint-  
ed to complete the arrangements. The  
affair will come off about the end of this  
month.

The prospectus of the coming Handel  
Festival in London has been issued. It  
will, as usual, occupy four days, the dates  
fixed being June 19, 22, 24, and 26. The  
music to be performed will consist of the  
"Messiah," "Israel in Egypt," and a  
selection which will comprise, among  
other pieces not as yet heard at these  
festivals, movements from "Saul" and  
"Susanna," a portion of the "Utrecht  
Te Deum," a selection from the "Ode  
for St. Cecilia's Day," and one of the  
organ concertos, to be played by Mr.  
Best. Sir Michael Costa will, as hith-  
erto be conductor.

## BY TELEGRAPH TO THE MERCURY

**OVERFLOW of a RESERVOIR**

**FEARFUL LOSS OF LIFE.**  
**MILLIONS WORTH SWEEP AWAY.**

**TOUCHING INCIDENTS.**  
Haydenville, Mass., May 16.—A large  
reservoir, four miles from this place,  
burst about 8 o'clock this morning. The  
water came rushing down the hills carry-  
ing everything before it. It struck the  
south-eastern portion of Williamsburg  
village, carrying away a large number of  
dwellings, thence Skinnerville, where it  
swept away Skinner's large silk mills and  
his boarding and dwelling houses. It  
next struck the large manufactory of  
Hayden, Gore & Co., sweeping it away  
in an instant. Large stones and ma-  
chinery swept through the main streets  
at a fearful rate. Well built houses  
were instantly crushed, not giving the  
inmates a moment's warning. The flood  
then struck the village of Leeds, where  
a large number of shops, dwellings, etc.,  
were swept away. The loss of life is  
very heavy, whole families, in some in-  
stances, being carried away over dams,  
and either killed or drowned. It is im-  
possible at this time to give the number  
of lives lost. Twenty-three bodies so  
far have been taken out of the rubbish  
on the shore. The whole block of tenement  
houses filled with women and  
children, were swept down the stream,  
and all the inmates of course were lost.  
At this hour—noon—the bodies are con-  
stantly being brought in and laid in the  
Church. Most of them can be recog-  
nized.

Springfield, Mass., May 17.—The lat-  
est figures of the loss of life make the  
total one hundred and forty-four, divided  
as follows:—Williamsburg, 60; Leeds,  
49; Haydenville, 35. These figures only  
represent persons whose loss is positively  
known, though the bodies of all are not  
yet recovered. Bodies are constantly  
being found, and in some cases those of  
persons who were not supposed to be  
lost, so that it seems perfectly safe to  
say the total loss of life will exceed 150,  
if indeed it does not more nearly ap-  
proach 200.

Among the incidents of the disaster it  
is mentioned that Dr. E. M. Johnson, of  
Williamsburg, rushed from his house  
with two children in his arms, his wife  
following with the third, but the whole  
family were overtaken and drowned. W.  
H. Adams, whose flouring mill was des-  
troyed, notified his family of the im-  
pending danger, and endeavored to reach  
his mill, but was caught by the flood.  
His house and family escaped unhurt.  
One of the saddest cases was that of H.  
Birmingham's family. The father,  
mother, and three daughters were all  
swept away together. The family were  
at breakfast when the water struck their  
house. Of thirteen women and girls  
who started to run across the bridge  
from the silk mills at Williamsburg, only  
one escaped. She was caught by the  
flood, but was rescued by men witnessing  
the accident. Of a family named French,  
the mother, son, and three daughters  
were drowned. The father and three  
children were saved. H. H. Tilton, of  
Williamsburg, carrying his aged mother  
to a place of safety, was caught. His  
mother was unfortunately drowned, he  
himself narrowly escaping by clinging to  
the branches of a tree, that withstood  
the torrent. J. M. Stevenson and two  
other men climbed a tree. The tree was  
swept away and the men were lost. John  
Atkins, foreman of the weaving room at  
the silk mill, died in saving his wife and  
children.

New York, May 18.—Special despatches  
from the scene of the disaster in Mass-  
achusetts contains details of the incidents  
connected with the late horror. Aid is  
being freely extended by all the town-  
ships in the vicinity, and the Mayors of  
New Haven, Springfield and Watertown  
have rendered assistance. Watertown  
places the residue of the Chicago fund  
at the disposal of the sufferers. The  
living are and will be amply provided  
for, meanwhile all popular anxiety is  
felt concerning the dead and missing,  
who it is decided will number far more  
than anyone has anticipated heretofore.  
The people of Northampton believe there  
are dozens of French Canadian opera-  
tives not known in the district for any  
length of time buried under the ruins at  
Leeds, Haydenville, and the meadows  
between. Hundreds of acres are covered  
with sad remnants of villages which once  
adorned a track of country running  
eight miles through Hampshire County,  
and now a barren waste of land, stones,  
and corpses. The actual extent of mor-  
tality is unknown. Ladies and children  
in Northampton are contributing to the  
wants of the living by sending garments  
to the relief committee.

A *World's* special from Haydenville  
says even now that the waters are down  
the danger is not considered entirely  
over. On the west branch of Mill river  
is the Gosheer reservoir, larger by nearly  
one half than the bursted one, to which  
it has always been reckoned inferior in  
strength. The people of the valley sent  
up on Saturday three messengers in  
quick succession to get the gateway of  
Gosheer reservoir opened and left open  
till the dam could be examined and  
strengthened if necessary. The gate  
keeper refused to open it, and finally on  
Saturday night an agent of the water  
company went up in person and com-  
pelled him to let off the water. The  
people of Mill River Valley have pro-  
mised to themselves that no want of care  
shall make possible such another over-  
whelming disaster.

## The Czar's Movement

The Arkansas Scandal

Erie Railway Affairs

New Atlantic Cable

London, May 16.—The *Times* says that  
the Czar of Russia, at the reception  
given by him yesterday to the diplomatic  
corps, declared that the policy of Russia  
is to preserve the peace of the continent,  
and he hoped the principal governments  
of Europe would be united on this  
purpose.

The Czar went to Chiselhurst this  
morning to see the ex-Emperor Eugenie.  
Upon his return this afternoon he will  
visit the House of Commons.

New York, May 16.—The Irish pil-  
grims to Rome sailed to-day.

London, May 18.—The Czar went to  
Windsor yesterday to bid farewell to the  
Queen. To-day he visits Guildhall. All  
the flags of the city are flying.

The *Times* and other papers say the  
impression of the early dissolution of  
the French Assembly is hourly gathering  
strength.

New York, May 18.—A Washington  
despatch states that a strong effort will  
be made in Congress to have a committee  
appointed to investigate the Arkansas  
affairs, and to ascertain if the State has  
a Republican form of Government. The  
representative of Wilshire, of that State,  
considers Arkansas is now for the first  
time since they were in a condition when  
election by the people can take place  
without being ruled by ring politicians.

London, May 18.—The steamship  
Calabria took out as passenger: Capt.  
Tyler, who goes to New York to investi-  
gate the Erie Railway affairs.

The steamer Faraday, with the new  
Atlantic telegraph cable, has sailed from  
Gravesend.

The Czar's nephew, who was arrested  
in St. Petersburg, is the eldest son of  
the Grand Duke Constantine.

**Brutal Outrage on a British Officer.**  
The following particulars have come  
to hand respecting the recent outrage on  
Mr. McGee at Guatemala:—

Mr. John Magee, British Vice-Consul  
at San Jose de Guatemala, who is per-  
sonally one of the most popular officials  
on the coast, had incurred the enmity of  
Colonel Gonzales, the Commandante at  
that port. Mr. Magee held a semi-  
official Government position which  
placed him out of the Commandante's  
jurisdiction, and this increased the  
latter's dislike. On the 24th of April the  
steamship *Arizona* arrived at San Jose,  
and provisionally this was the day that  
Colonel Gonzales had fixed upon for  
venting his wrath on Mr. Magee. Early  
in the morning he summoned the Vice-  
Consul before him, and when the latter  
excused himself because of lameness, sent  
a file of soldiers, with orders to  
bring Mr. Magee "Dead or alive." Ac-  
cordingly, the sufferer was brought in on  
a cart, insulted, struck in the face with  
the butt of a pistol, imprisoned, and  
ordered to receive 400 lashes at four  
p.m. The surgeon at the port protested  
that it would end in the victim's death.  
The Consul Agent of the United States,  
Mr. James, presented a written protest  
under his official seal. Gonzales brutally  
replied that he would not only adminis-  
ter the punishment but would shoot him  
at eight o'clock next morning, and af-

the town, where he was made prisoner by General Solano. The latter sent word that he would not let his prisoners die of their wounds, but would cure him and shoot him by-and-by. Gonzalez, who rose from the ranks, is an exceedingly brutal man, and the Government of Guatemala say they will be glad to be rid of him. It is scarcely to be wondered at that Gonzalez was shot by the excited passengers of the Arizona, but it was deeply regretted as soon as it was done. The excitement was intense and ought to be felt to be appreciated. Mr. Magee was considerably bruised, but not seriously hurt. Fortunately for him, the soldiers did not make their blows as heavy as the Commandants desired. He was able to be on board the Arizona before she started, and was cheerful though suffering acutely.

### Guelph Evening Mercury

MONDAY EVENING, MAY 18, 1874.

GOLDWIN SMITH ON CANADA.—In a speech lately delivered by Goldwin Smith at the Workmen's College in London, he said:—"As they were aware, he was now a Canadian, although a Professor in Cornell University, and he was much gratified to be able to tell them that he had found the people of Canada a fine, high-spirited, active population. He spoke well of the results of Confederation; but with respect to the French Canadians, he described them as entirely priest-ridden, and so stilted in their ideas that they might be said to be living under the regime of Louis XV. As a general rule, mechanics who could mix trades would do well; but he who was skilled only in a portion of his trade, and would not turn his hand to another, had little chance in Canada. Mr. Smith gave a glowing description of Canadian scenery, and of the beauty of small Canadian towns. Politically, he said, they had nothing to wish for, and all religious sects agreed in promoting education in the public schools. He described the Colonists generally as the most contented people on the face of the earth."

THE HURON BILL.—The Canadian "Lords" have thrown out Mr. Cameron's Bill to re-adjust the Ridings in Huron. When the question for the third reading came up on Friday, the Hon. Mr. Campbell moved the three months' hoist, which was carried by a vote of 30 to 17. The question was one which did not in the slightest degree affect these venerable legislators, and which, had they acted in good taste, they should have left to the decision of the Commons. But they have reversed that decision, and refused to right a wrong which was perpetrated by a weak partizan Government. We suppose they will deal the same way with Mr. Higinbotham's Bill to re-adjust the Wellingtons. The sooner Mr. Mills succeeds in infusing a little more of the popular element into this antiquated body the better, for as now constituted it rarely does anything, and when galvanised into life, seems only bent on doing mischief.

BANK OF MONTREAL.—The profits of this institution for the year ended 30th April were \$2,072,540, out of which two dividends of 8 per cent. have been declared, and the balance, about \$184,000, carried to the credit of profit and loss, increasing the amount of that credit from \$400,000 to \$584,000. Keeping in view the stagnation in money for some months, this result is very satisfactory. The profits of the previous year were \$1,820,813, the increase being about a quarter of a million dollars. The *Monetary Times* says that never in the history of Canadian banking has it been so difficult to make profits as in the last few months.

Mr. Higinbotham has placed notice of motion on paper, asking for returns of copies of the contracts and other papers in connection with the contract recently given to Messrs. Carpenter & Co., to run the Dawson Road.

HARRISON'S MAGAZINE for June—opening the Forty-ninth volume of that most entertaining of periodicals—contains unusual attractions. A series of illustrated articles on Mexico, by Bishop Gilbert Haven, is commenced. The style of the opening paper is crisp and piquant, and the illustrations—of which there are 17—are very attractive. A second illustrative paper on Dr. Schweinfurth's African Explorations, by Helen N. Conant, takes the reader into the land of the Niamnians, and treats of the wonderful race of pigmies beyond.

In view of the interest now taken in the restoration of fish to our rivers, the paper of Charles G. Atkins, "Collecting Salmon Spawn in Maine," with its numerous illustrations, will be peculiarly timely. The most beautiful feature of this Number is the reproduction of the "Nymphidia," by Michael Drayton, first published three years after Shakespeare's death. The poem is illustrated with ten exquisite engravings.

There is also in this Number another illustrated poem, full of feeling, finely conceived, and melodiously expressed, entitled "The Prisoner," by Zedel Barnes Buddington. Drayton's *Nymphidia* inevitably suggests *The Cypriot Fay*, of whose author, Joseph Rodman Drake, a very interesting sketch is given by James Grant Wilson, accompanied by a faithful portrait. Mr. Wilson's paper contains some very rare material, including some poems of Drake never before published.

In "The Jews and their Persecutors" we have from the pen of Eugene Lawrence one of those rare historical reviews into which he knows so well how to compress volumes of information, while he gives to the movement and dramatic situations the thrilling interest of romance. General George B. McClellan's second paper on Army Organization is very suggestive and instructive. He gives special attention to the General Staff Corps of

the Prussian service, and its connection with the War Academy at Berlin; and he explains the various systems through which European armies are recruited. Another instalment is given of the "Recollections of an Old Stager," including characteristic notices and anecdotes of John Quincy Adams, Sam Houston, George M. Doolittle, Tom Marshall, and other Congressional celebrities.

Besides the two serial Novels, by Professor De Mille and Miss Mulock, there are two excellent short stories by Kate Hillard and Fannie Hodgson Burnett. Rose Terry Cook contributes a poem entitled "Macarius's Lesson."

George William Curtis, in the *Easy Chair*, renders a grateful tribute to the memory of Senator Sumner, and chats in his characteristic manner about the Wagnerian problem. The *Scientific Record* is very comprehensive and interesting, and the other Editorial departments are full of entertainment and information.

The *Editor's Drawer*, with other facets, contains two humorous poems by R. H. Stoddard, and one, *apropos* of cremation, by John Paul.

Garden Tools,  
Garden Tools,  
Fishing Tackle,  
Fishing Tackle,  
Bird Cages,  
Bird Cages,  
Large variety of each

—AT—  
**JOHN HORSMAN'S,**  
HARDWARE MERCHANT,  
GUELPH.

**MARRIED.**  
KAY-LABELLE.—In Toronto, on the 16th inst., by the Rev. Prof. Gregg, the Rev. Wm. Kay, son of Thomas Kay, Esq., of Galt, to Jessie Labelle, widow of the late Rev. Oliver Labelle.

DEAN.—At the Presbyterian Church, Acton, on the 15th inst., by the Rev. L. Cameron, Mr. James Mann, storekeeper, to Miss Margaret Watson, both of Acton.

**DIED.**  
SAVAGE.—At Guelph, on the 17th inst., David Savage, watchmaker and jeweller, aged 73 years. The funeral will take place from his late residence, Paisley street, on Wednesday, 20th inst., at ten o'clock, a.m. Friends and acquaintances are requested to attend without further notice.

DEAN.—At Guelph, on the 18th inst., Mr. Joseph Dean, aged 22 years. The funeral will take place from the store of Mr. Wm. Walrond, Wyndham street, on Tuesday, at one o'clock, p.m. Friends and acquaintances are requested to attend without further notice.

**TOWN HALL.**  
**ONE NIGHT ONLY.**  
Thursday Evening, May 21st.

The Unapproachable Comedy Alliance  
**JAMES TAYLOR**  
The Champion English Comique, and the Great

**COOL BURGESS**  
Prince of Negro Comedians, and their

**CONSOLIDATED TROUPES,**  
The greatest combination of Talent ever concentrated in one entertainment. Admission 45 cents. Reserved seats 50c.

**GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.**  
Guelph, May 16, 1874. d3-a-t-4

**TOWN HALL, GUELPH.**  
**22 FRIDAY, MAY 22**  
The celebrated English artists

**The Wallace Sisters**  
Jennie, Minnie, Maud,  
Supported by the eminent Comedians

**GEO. K. FORTESCUE,**  
**JOSEPH P. JOHNSON,**  
M. C. DALY,  
Also, the Renowned Dutch Song and Dance Artist and Comedian

**Lewis Spencer.**  
**Burlesque and Comedy Troupe!**  
25 Artists!  
Full Orchestra! (10 picked Musicians)  
Super Brass Band! (a la Fusillier)  
In the Brilliant Operatic Burlesque

**ALADDIN,**  
Or, "THE WONDERFUL SCAMP,"  
Gorgeously mounted and costumed and cast to the full strength of this combination, the scenery used being from the Esabel of La Fayette W. Leary, the famous New York Theatrical Limner.

Prices as usual. Reserved seats on sale at Anderson's from 4 o'clock.  
FRANK B. DOBSON,  
Sole Manager.  
May 15, 1874

**GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY.**  
**Cheap Excursions**  
Queen's Birthday Celebration  
Monday, 25th May.

The Great Western Railway Company will issue Return Tickets by the train leaving Guelph at 6.40 a.m. on the 25th May.

**To Suspension Bridge,**  
(NIAGARA FALLS)  
**At One Single Fare for the Round Trip.**  
Excursion Tickets will be valid only on the train mentioned for the outward journey, but will be accepted on the return journey on any of the passenger trains timed to stop at Stations for which tickets are sold up to midnight of the 25th. Excursion Tickets can be had only at the Ticket Offices.  
Passengers paying on the cars will be charged ordinary fares each way.

**RETURN TICKETS** at greatly reduced rates will be issued from and to all Stations, on Saturday, 23rd inst., valid to return up to Tuesday a.m. following.  
W. K. AUBREY, JR.,  
Gen. Supt. Hamilton, May 12, 1874. d2twt

### UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE

**Valuable Household Furniture!**  
AND EFFECTS  
Belonging to the late Robert Chance, Esq., of Guelph.

W. S. G. Knowles is instructed by Mrs. Chance, who is returning to England, to sell by public auction

On Tuesday, the 19th of May, inst., at her residence, Woolwich street, opposite the English Church, Guelph, the whole of her valuable household furniture and effects, comprising

Drawing Room—Chairs, Sofa, Centre Table, Easy Chair, Whistot, Engravings, Tapestry Carpets, Lace Curtains, and Valance Fire Irons, and a splendid 7 octave Pianoforte.  
Dining Room—Extension Table, Canopied Chairs, Rocking Chair, Folding do., Chiffonier, Carpets, Fire Screen, Muslin Curtains and Valance Pictures, an Osborn Sewing Machine, set of Trays, Electro-plate, clock, glass, china and delph.

The 2nd floor—Very handsome Black Walnut Bed room sets complete, bureau, spring beds, wash stands, toilet sets, carpets, night comode, counterpane, blankets, rep lounge, mirrors, stoves, curtains, blinds, pictures.  
Hall and Stair Carpets, Carpet Rugs, with a general assortment of kitchen utensils. The whole of the property is in excellent condition.

Terms cash, except the pianoforte, the terms of which will be stated at the time of sale.  
Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, sharp.  
W. S. G. KNOWLES,  
Auctioneer.  
Guelph, May 17th, 1874. dw

**AUCTION SALE**  
OF A  
**VALUABLE PARCEL OF LAND**  
IN THE TOWN OF GUELPH.

Mrs. W. S. G. Knowles has received instructions from the Executors of the late G. M. Stewart, to sell by Public Auction,  
On Wednesday, 20th May, inst., at the Town Hall, Guelph, at Twelve o'clock, noon, those certain parcels of land and premises being composed of

Lots Nos. 11 and 12, in the First Range of Division F, in the Town of Guelph, containing nine and one-third acres, more or less.

The land is all cleared, and is nicely situated upon Delhi Street, immediately in rear of Mr. Guthrie's residence.  
This good  
Terms—One fourth cash, and the remaining three fourths in three equal annual instalments, with interest at 7 per cent., secured by mortgage upon the property.  
For further particulars apply to Thomas W. Saunders, Solicitor for the Vendors, or to

W. S. G. KNOWLES,  
Auctioneer  
Guelph, May 11, 1874. d2toaw

**PLANTS.**  
**1,000,000**  
**Plants Now Ready**

Comprising all the choicest varieties of the undermentioned, which are grown from selected Stock Seeds:

**Cabbage,**  
**Cauliflower,**  
**Tomato,**  
**Celery,**  
**Kale,**  
**Kohl Rabi,**  
**Asparagus.**

VERBENAS,  
PETUNIAS,  
ASTERIS,  
BALSAMS,  
ZINNIA ELEGANS,  
PELOX DRUMMONDII,

And other Bedding Varieties, for sale at  
**SHARPE'S SEED STORE**

Or at their Gardens down the Waterloo Road, Guelph.  
C. & A. SHARPE.  
Guelph, May 13th, 1874. dwim

**GREAT**  
**CLEARING SALE**

—OF—  
**WALL PAPER, &c.**  
Enlargement of Premises

Owing to increase of business, Mr. J. Anderson is obliged to enlarge his premises, and before doing so will sell off his immense Stock of Wall Paper, Books, Stationery, etc., at

**GREATLY REDUCED PRICES**  
Call at once and secure bargains while they are going on.

**ANDERSON'S**  
**BOOKSTORE,**  
Wyndham St., Guelph.

**NEW**  
**WALL PAPER**

—AT—  
**DAY'S BOOKSTORE.**

The Largest, Choicest, and Best, as well as the Cheapest Stock of

**Fine Paper Hangings**  
Will be found at Day's Bookstore.

For stylish, nice new Wall Paper, and at low prices go to DAY'S, for he has now in stock the paper to suit.

**Call and Examine**  
The papers and prices for yourselves, and you will find that  
**DAY SELLS CHEAP.**

### New Advertisements.

**CHEAP, STYLISH, DURABLE**

**BURR & SKINNER'S**  
**NEW FURNITURE WAREROOMS**

A Splendid Assortment of  
**FANCY CHAMBER SETTS**

Of New and Handsome Designs  
In imitation Walnut, Chestnut and English Oak, all beautifully ornamented, making the cheapest and most stylish furniture people can put in their houses.

**Call and See them at once.**  
ALSO, ALL KINDS OF FINE FURNITURE, UPHOLSTERED GOODS, Spring Beds and Mattresses, cheap as the cheapest.

Come to the New Warerooms for Bargains in Furniture.  
**BURR & SKINNER,**  
Manufacturers and Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Furniture  
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**REMOVAL.**  
**G. B. FRASER**

Has removed directly opposite his old stand, where he has opened with a brand new stock at much lower prices than could be bought earlier in the season.

G. B. Fraser is too modest to advertise that he is selling much cheaper than those who make a great blow. Still facts are stubborn chieftains, and a discerning public pronounce Fraser's to be the cheap store to deal in.

G. B. Fraser gives his old friends a cordial invitation, and invites all who wish to save money to call and see his new stock.  
**G. B. FRASER,**  
Wyndham Street, opposite his old stand.  
Guelph, May 16, 1874. dw

**Co-Operative Store.**  
**NEW ARRIVALS!**

SATIN STRIPE GRENADINES;  
THOMSON'S GLOVE FITTING CORSETS;  
AMERICAN BLACK LUSTRES;  
JOB LINE DRESS GOODS;  
ASHTON'S DARK FANCY PRINTS;  
LACE CURTAINS,  
TABLE LINENS,  
COTTON TWEEDS,  
HOSIERY AND GLOVES,  
STRAW HATS, FELT HATS,  
CARPETS, TICKINGS,  
SHEETINGS, PARASOLS,  
LACES, SHAWLS.

**Boot and Shoe Department fully**  
assorted.  
**CLOTHING MADE TO ORDER.**

**J. C. MACKLIN & Co.**  
GUELPH May 9, 1874 dw

**FRESH ARRIVALS DAILY!**

**FIT**  
**DEPOT**  
5000 Coconuts,  
100 Boxes Oranges,  
50 Boxes Lemons,  
10 Barrels Pine Apples,  
FOR SALE TO THE TRADE AT CITY PRICES.

**HUGH WALKER,**  
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**GREAT CLEARING SALE**  
—OF—  
**FURNITURE**  
—AT—  
**MITCHELL & TOVELL'S**

Warerooms, next door to the Post Office.  
A large assortment of first-class Furniture to be worked off in the next few weeks, consisting of

**Parlor Suites, Bed Room Setts,**  
Dining Room, Hall,  
AND ALL OTHER KINDS OF FURNITURE.

Parties may rely on getting cheap bargains. **TERMS CASH.**  
**MITCHELL & TOVELL,**  
Guelph, April 30, 1874. dw

### IMPORTANT

**SALE OF PIANOS**

The Committee appointed to dispose of the Pianos at the Manufacture of  
**JOSEPH F. RAINER,**

WEST MARKET SQUARE, GUELPH,  
Will offer them at a considerable reduction on cost on reasonable

**TERMS OF CREDIT.**  
The stock consists of about  
**40**

**First-class Instruments!**  
Similar to those shown at the last Central Exhibition, and for which he was awarded the first prize.

They are equal in compass of tone, finish and durability to the best instruments of any of the celebrated manufacturers, and as such an opportunity seldom occurs, parties in want of pianos would do well to avail themselves of it.  
An inspection invited.  
A competent person will be on the premises, near Mr. John Harris's, who will show the instruments.  
Guelph, March 18, 1874. dwt

**R. CRAWFORD'S**  
**SALE**

**Watches,**  
**Clocks, and**  
**Jewelry**

Will only last till the 1st of June, when the stock will be transferred.  
**STILL ON HAND**  
**Some Fine Gold Watches, \$100;**

Fine Silver Watches, all prices;  
**CLOCKS AND JEWELRY IN EVERY VARIETY.**

All who want such articles will save money by purchasing from me, as I will give bargains such as cannot be had again for some time.  
Call early and judge for yourselves.  
Store next the Post Office.  
Guelph, May 5, 1874. R. CRAWFORD, dw

**DOMINION BOOT AND SHOE STORE**  
**SPRING STOCK**

**BOOTS AND SHOES**  
FOR  
**Mens', Womens', Misses and Children's Wear.**

We meet the demands of the times with the best goods and the lowest prices.  
**OUR SPECIALTY IS**

**Custom-made Work**  
Which is made in all the latest styles. Sure fit. Reasonable prices.  
Repairing done as usual.  
Remember the House—The Dominion Shoe Store, Day's Block, opposite the Town Hall.

**WM. TAWSE & SON.**  
Guelph, April 23rd, 1874 dw

**POWELL'S**  
**Boot and Shoe Store**

**NEW SPRING GOODS**  
Men's English and American style of

**Gaiters and Shoes;**  
Ladies and Children's

**GOAT, KID AND PRUNELLA**  
Which for style, finish, and durability, will be found superior to any in Guelph.

Particular attention paid to  
**Custom Work and Repairing.**

Remember the Noted Shoe Store,  
G. S. POWELL,  
West side Wyndham Street, Guelph.  
Guelph, Mar. 20th, 1874. dw

**BEAUTIFUL**  
**FLOWERS**

**Cheap Window Plants**  
Purchasers will find it to their advantage to inspect our stock before going elsewhere.

**Bouquets,**  
Pine Apples,  
Bananas, &c.,

—AT—  
**R. EVAN'S**  
**Cheap Fruit Store,**  
WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH,  
Next to Jackson & Hallett's.  
May 17, 1874. d1m

**RICE'S**  
**BILLIARD HALL,**  
In the Queen's Hotel, Guelph, opposite the Market.

Therom has just been refitted in splendid style, the tables refitted in size, and everything done to make it a first-class Billiard Hall.  
Guelph, Nov. 3rd, 1874.

**TIRED MOTHERS.**  
 A little elbow leans upon your knee,  
 Your tired knee that has so much to bear,  
 A child's dear eyes are looking lovingly  
 From underneath a thatch of tangled hair.  
 Perhaps you do not heed the velvet touch  
 Of warm, moist fingers holding yours so  
 tight;  
 You do not prize this blessing overmuch;  
 You almost are too tired to pray to night.  
 But it is blessedness! A year ago  
 I did not see it as I do to-day—  
 We are all so dull and thankless, and too  
 slow  
 To catch the sunshine till it slips away;  
 And now it seems surpassing strange to me,  
 That while I wore the badge of mother-  
 I did not kiss more oft and tenderly (hood  
 The little child that brought me only good,  
 And if, some night, when you sit down to  
 rest,  
 You miss this elbow from your tired knee—  
 This restless, curly head from off your breast  
 This hissing tongue that chatters con-  
 stantly;  
 If from your own the dimpled hands had  
 slipped,  
 And ne'er would nestle in your palm again;  
 If the white feet into the grave had tripped;  
 I could not blame you for your heartache  
 then.  
 I wonder so that mothers ever fret  
 At little children clinging to their gown;  
 Or that the footprints, when the days are  
 wet,  
 Are ever black enough to make them  
 frown.  
 If I could find a little muddy boot,  
 Or cap, or jacket on my chamber floor;  
 If I could kiss a rosy, restless foot,  
 And hear it patter in my home once more;  
 If I could mend a broken cart to-day,  
 To-morrow make a kite to reach the sky—  
 There is no woman in God's world could say  
 She was more blissfully content than I.  
 But, ah! the dainty pillow next my own  
 is never rumpled by a shining head;  
 My singing birdling from its nest has flown  
 The little boy I used to kiss is dead!

**FOR THE KING**  
 A STORY OF 1745-46.



# Grand Display of Millinery

—AT—  
**GEORGE JEFFREY'S.**

GEORGE JEFFREY has much pleasure in informing his numerous friends and the public generally that his Show Room is now open, and is prepared to show

**One of the Best Assortments of Millinery and Mantles  
 EVER EXHIBITED IN GUELPH.**

As the stock is all new, Ladies will have no trouble in selecting the newest goods at reasonable prices.

**GEORGE JEFFREY, GUELPH**  
 Direct Importer, Guelph.

Another large arrival of New Goods direct from France and Britain

**AT THE LION**

GUELPH



**AT THE LION**

GUELPH

**Our Weekly Arrivals of Goods make things Lively at THE LION!**  
 Trade better than Ever!

Over Thirty Thousand Dollars worth more Goods sold this Spring than last, and there will be more in the future, for we are determined to keep prices down in spite of increase in the tariff. Every one remarks the great business doing at THE LION. Of course it must be so,—our stock is larger than any six stocks in Guelph, and our prices so much lower, and the people find out these things, and go where they get the best value for their money.

We have received a specialty this week of over one thousand dollars worth of Double Ballon's Kid Gloves direct from French makers, that we will sell at one dollar a pair; elsewhere you pay from \$1.25 to \$1.50 for the same.

Also, French Silks in all the newest shades in plain, striped, and shot, at \$1, worth \$1.50 a yard.  
 Another lot of lovely Dress Goods in Plain Lustres, Zenobin Stripes, Australian Crapes, and Polka Spots.  
 59 Boys' Suits just received to suit little chaps from 4 to 10 years old at \$3.50, \$3.75, \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00 a suit.

Our Agent advises that next steamer will bring us 100 pieces Linen Tasso Dresses that he has bought very cheap. The goods are worth 25 cents; we will sell them at 12½ cents. The next Allan steamer will bring them.

**J. D. WILLIAMSON.**

Golden Lion, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

**A LARGE STOCK OF  
 NEW  
 China, Crockery,  
 and Glassware,  
 NOW OPENED AT  
 No. 2, DAY'S BLOCK,  
 and will be sold Cheap for Cash.  
**J. E. McELDERRY**  
 2 DAY'S BLOCK,  
 THE NOTED TEA HOUSE.**

**SPRING CLOTHING**  
 AT THE  
**Elephant Clothing Store.**  
**C. E. PEIRCE & CO.**  
 Have now on exhibition one of the Largest Stocks of  
**READY-MADE CLOTHING**  
 For Men and Boy's Wear ever shown in Guelph.  
 Well Made and Fashionably Cut  
 And at prices that cannot be beaten, being 25 per cent less than any other place in town.  
**A Big Stock of Straw and Felt Hats now on hand.**  
 Hepburn's Old Stand, Wyndham-st., Guelph.  
**C. E. PEIRCE & CO.,**  
 GUELPH, April 10th, 1874.

**BUSINESS RAPIDLY INCREASING AT  
 The Fashionable West End**  
 The Various Departments of our Stock are full with everything New and Fashion-  
 able for the Season.  
**OUR DRESS DEPARTMENT**  
 Contains a larger and more attractive variety of new first-class goods than we have ever  
 shown before, while our extraordinary CHEAP LINES at 12½, 15c, 20c and 25c aston-  
 ish all our customers. Sales in this Department are going up fast.  
**OUR MILLINERY DEPARTMENT**  
 Is the Great CENTRE OF ATTRACTION at the present time. Our Select and Beautiful  
 Styles in New Millinery are greatly admired by every person visiting this Depart-  
 ment, while our reasonable and satisfactory prices surprise as well as please all in-  
 tending purchasers.  
 Our display this week will surpass all our former efforts.  
**RECEIVING TO-DAY --- The latest things in Straw Goods for  
 the Season.**  
**NOW SHOWING--**  
 New Styles in Silks and Cashmere Capes and Mantles.  
 New Parasols and Silk Umbrellas.  
 Children's Parasols at 25c, 50c, 60c, and 75c.  
 100 pieces of Choice Prints at 10 cents.  
 100 pieces in Best Goods at 12½c.  
 275 pieces New Dress Goods at 12½c, 15c, 20c and 25c, the cheapest lot of Dress Goods  
 ever offered for sale in Guelph.  
 1500 Comb, Ladies, direct to the Fashionable West End.  
**A. O. BUCHAM,**  
 Fashionable West End Dress, Mantle, and Millinery Establishment.

**William Stewart**  
 HAS  
 NOW OPENED  
 THE  
**First Lot's New Goods  
 for Spring!**

Piles of Plain Lustres,  
 Lots of Striped Dress Goods,  
 Fancy Goods  
 The Newest Colors and Patterns.  
 THE  
**Print Department**  
 IS CROWDED  
 With the Latest Productions in Colours  
 and Styles, and at  
**LOWER PRICES THAN LAST YEAR!**  
**WM. STEWART.**  
 Guelph, March 23, 1874

**WOODLAND NURSERIES.**  
**New and Beautiful PLANTS**  
 Green House, Foliage, Window and Bed-  
 ding Plants.  
 The undersigned are prepared to supply  
 healthy flowering plants at low prices.  
 Having facilities to grow a large quantity  
 of plants, we are in a position to fill a want  
 that was felt in Guelph. All our stock has  
 been selected with care, embracing many  
**New and Beautiful Plants.**  
 Novelties of merit will be added to our  
 stock as they appear.  
**Vegetable Plants**  
 Cabbage, Cauliflower, Celery, Tomatoes,  
 Asparagus, &c., &c.  
 Strawberry Plants at low rates by the 100  
 or 1000.  
**A FEW THOUSAND WELL-GROWN**  
 Apple, Pear and Plum Trees at lowest  
 market rates. All orders entrusted to them  
 will be executed with fidelity and dispatch.  
 Nurseries west of St. Joseph's Hospital.  
**GILCHRIST BROS.,**  
 Guelph, April 16, '74 dw Guelph, Ont

**R. MacGREGOR & Co.**  
 (Successors to W. D. Hepburn & Co.)  
**BOOTS AND SHOES**  
**MADE TO ORDER**  
 This Branch of our Business is receiving our Special atten-  
 tion, and we are getting up Goods second to none in the  
 Dominion.  
*We Use the Very Best of Material*  
 Employ First-class Workmen ONLY, and guarantee perfect  
 satisfaction to our Customers.  
**R. MacGregor & Co.**  
 GUELPH, Apr. 25, 1874.

**JUST COME IN!**  
**GUELPH TEA DEPOT**  
**E. O'DONNELL & Co.**  
 Are putting up to-day  
 320 caddies best dollar Young Hyson Tea for 80c. per lb.  
 600 caddies of the best 75 cent Tea for 50c per lb.  
 95 caddies of nice Sweet Tea at 40c per lb.  
 120 caddies of Japan Tea worth 75c, for 50c.  
 A few packages of Black Tea for 35c per lb.  
 10 hogsheads of Good Bright Sugar, 12lb. for \$1.  
 50 Ingersoll Cheese, very choice.  
**A very large stock of Groceries of all  
 kinds always on hand Cheap.**  
**Terms—Strictly Cash.**  
**E. O'DONNELL & CO**

**GUELPH CLOTH HALL.**  
**SHAW & MURTON**  
**OUR SPRING STOCK**  
 Is now fully assorted in every department.  
**CLOTHS,  
 HATS AND CAPS,  
 GENTS' FURNISHINGS  
 READY-MADE CLOTHING.**  
 We would inform our customers and the public in general that we never before  
 offered such a complete and handsome assortment of Goods for Gent's Wear.  
**Shaw & Murton,**  
 GUELPH, March 21, 1874  
 MERCHANT TAILORS

**MANUFACTURE OF COCOA.**—We will  
 now give an account of the process adop-  
 ted by Messrs. James Epps & Co.,  
 manufacturers of dietetic articles, at  
 their works in the Euston Road, Lon-  
 don.—See article in *Cassell's Household  
 Guide.*

Nassagaweya Council. The Council met on the 12th day of May instead of the 11th, by order of the Reeve. Members all present, the Reeve in the chair. The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed. Mr. Menzies moved, seconded by Mr. Easterbrook, that the petition of Joseph Anderson and others be received and read. Carried. Petition received and read, and ordered to be laid over. Mr. Norrish moved, seconded by Mr. Menzies, that the following changes be made in the overseer's list, viz., Walter Murray to be appointed pathmaster in place of John Henderson; Adam Dume in place of Robert Dume; John Scott in place of Freeman Thomas, and John Allison in place of Alex. Nichol, and that the mill property and mill laborers on lot 6, 7th con., be added to road division No. 46. Carried. Mr. Easterbrook moved, seconded by Mr. Menzies, that the By-law for preventing the kindling of fires in the open air, at certain seasons of the year be now read a first time. Carried. By-law read the first time. Mr. Norrish moved, seconded by Mr. Kean, that the By-law for preventing the kindling of fires in the open air, during certain seasons of the year, be now read a second and third time and passed. Carried. By-law read a second and third time and passed. Mr. Menzies moved, seconded by Mr. Norrish, that the sum of \$8 be paid to Peter Black, in aid of Mrs. Brain, a poor and indigent person. Carried. Mr. Easterbrook moved, seconded by Mr. Norrish, that in view of the extreme helplessness of Patrick McGarigal, and also that the Corporation being bound for his support: Resolved, therefore, that this Council feel it imperative to take possession of his personal property, and sell the same by public auction or private contract, and that the proceeds thereof be deposited with the Township Treasurer, to be applied for the benefit of the said Patrick McGarigal, as may be required, and that James Adamson, jun., is hereby appointed to carry out the above resolution, and complete the sale forthwith. Carried. Mr. Menzies moved, seconded by Mr. Norrish, that Mr. Easterbrook be empowered to confer with Mrs. Calvert, in regard to the maintenance of Patrick McGarigal, and report at the next meeting of Council. Carried. Mr. Menzies moved, seconded by Mr. Easterbrook, that the By-law for leasing part of road allowance between the 6th and 7th cons., opposite lot 4, be now read a second and third time and passed, and that the Clerk be instructed to give the lease and receive the bonds for the fulfillment of said lease. Carried. Mr. Norrish moved, seconded by Mr. Kean, that the following members of the Council be appointed to examine the roads and bridges for which money has been applied for, with a view to letting the proposed improvements, namely, Messrs. Menzies, Kean and Easterbrook from lot 1 to 16 inclusive, Messrs. Ramsay and Norrish from lot 17 to 32 inclusive, said inspection to take place on Saturday, the 30th inst. Carried. On motion, the Council adjourned, and met as a Court of Revision and Appeal, the Reeve in the chair. The petition of J. H. Couper for some omission of his personal property was taken into consideration, and was ordered to lay over until the next meeting of Court. On motion, the Court adjourned, to meet on the second Monday in June next for the final closing of the Court of Revision, and for the transaction of other township business. J. EASTBROOK, Tp. Clerk.

Principal T. Bullock of St. Andrew's University, Scotland, arrived in Ottawa on Friday.

**MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS.**  
HAMILTON—Friday before the Guelph Fair.  
DRAYTON—Saturday before Guelph.  
ELORA—The day before Guelph.  
DOUGLAS—Monday before Elora Fair.  
GUELPH—First Wednesday in each month.  
CLIFFORD—Thursday before the Guelph Fair.  
TEYTONDALE—Friday before the Guelph Fair.  
NEW HAMBURG—First Tuesday each month.  
BELLIN—First Tuesday in each month.  
ELTRA—Second Monday in each month.  
WATERLOO—Second Tuesday in each month.  
MOUNT FOREST—Third Wednesday in each month.  
HANOVER—Monday before Durham.  
DURHAM—Tuesday before Mount Forest.  
FRENCH—Thursday following Mount Forest.  
ORANGEVILLE—Second Thursday in January, March, May, July, September and November.  
MONO MILLS—Third Wednesday in January, April, July and October.  
EMIL—First Monday in January, April, July and October.  
MASONVILLE—First Tuesday in February, May, August and November.  
BRAMPTON—First Thursday in each month.  
LISTOWEL—First Friday in each month.  
HILLSBURG—Second Tuesday in January, March, May, July, September and November.  
MOOREHEAD—Sunday before Guelph.  
HAMILTON—Crystal Palace Grounds, the day after Guelph.

**Quebec Markets.**  
MERCURY, May 18.  
Flour, per 100 lbs. \$3.00 to \$3.50  
Fall Wheat, per 100 lbs. 2.15 to 2.18  
Treadwell do. 2.15 to 2.18  
Spring Wheat (Glasgow), 2.10 to 2.12  
Spring Wheat (red chaff) 1.70 to 1.75  
Oats do. 44 to 47  
Peas do. 1.00 to 1.07  
Barley, new do. 3.00 to 3.20  
Hay, per ton 15.00 to 17.00  
Straw do. 3.00 to 5.00  
Wood, per cord 4.00 to 4.50  
Butter, per dozen 10 to 11  
Butter, dairy packed do. 10 to 11  
Butter, rolls do. 15 to 17  
Potatoes, per bag 90 to 1.20  
Apples, per 100 lbs. 60 to 1.50  
Dressed Hogs, per cwt. 7.00 to 7.25  
Beef, per cwt. 4.00 to 7.50

**Toronto Markets.**  
TORONTO, May 16.  
Fall Wheat, per bushel \$1.28 to \$1.34  
Spring Wheat do. 1.20 to 1.22  
Barley do. 0.90 to 1.20  
Oats do. 55 to 66  
Peas do. 60 to 72  
Dressed Hogs per 100 lbs. 8.00 to 8.50  
Butter, lb rolls do. 22 to 26  
Butter, tub dairy do. 16 to 18  
Eggs, fresh, per doz. 11 to 12  
Apples, per barrel 2.20 to 3.00  
Potatoes, per bush. 75 to 90  
Hay, per ton 30.00 to 34.00  
Straw do. 18.00 to 19.00

**Hamilton Markets.**  
HAMILTON, May 14.  
White wheat, per bushel \$1.30 to \$1.32  
Treadwell do. 1.28 to 1.30  
Spring wheat do. 1.20 to 1.22  
Red wheat do. 1.23 to 1.25  
Spring wheat do. 1.15 to 1.18  
Oats do. 55 to 60  
Peas do. 65 to 68  
Barley do. 70 to 75  
Corn do. 30 to 35  
Buckwheat do. 53 to 55  
Clover do. 52 to 60  
Timothy do. 32 to 37  
Butter, fresh, per lb. 23 to 24  
Butter, tub do. 16 to 18  
Apples, per bag. 1.00 to 1.50  
Potatoes do. 1.65 to 1.75

**THE** Druggists have just received a supply of Dr. Wheeler's Celebrated Chemical Food and Nutritive Tonic, the Compound Elixir of Phosphate and Calcium. This preparation has been in use in private practice for fifteen years, and is confidently recommended to the public as the most elegant and reliable tonic in use for building up constitutions that have for a long time been suffering from Chronic Wasting Diseases, depending upon poor blood. It perfects nutrition by aiding the digestion and assimilation of food, and thereby building up and vitalizing all the organs and tissues of the body. In disease peculiar to women, and in delicate children, it supplies a want long felt by the physician, of a safe and agreeable remedy that may be taken for a protracted period without any possibility of injury, or of becoming repugnant to the patient. Sold at \$1.

**VALUABLE**  
**Property for Sale**  
IN THE  
**TOWN OF GUELPH**  
In accordance with the last Will and Testament of the late John Mitchell, the residue of the estate is now offered for sale as follows:  
**Farm Property.**  
About 200 acres of good land (west of the Eramosa Road in the North Ward) in quantities of one acre and upwards to suit purchasers; part of said land is well timbered and the remainder under cultivation. There are 2 good two-story stone dwelling houses, 2 frame barns, &c. on the same. The above property is very suitable for building sites, garden, &c.  
Also, Lot 15, in the 10th concession, Egremont, about six miles from Mount Forest, containing one hundred acres of good land, improved and well watered.

**Town Lots.**  
Lots 23, 24, 25 on the Eramosa Road. 26, 27, 28, 29 on Queen Street. 32, 33, 34, 35 on Delhi Street.  
Lot 8 on Pearl St., Lot 11 on King St. and Lot 12 on Derry St.  
East of Lot 9, on Macdonnell St., with 2 story frame dwelling.  
West of do do with Livery Stable.  
Lot 6, corner Eramosa Road and Mitchell St., with good 2 story stone dwelling house, 11 rooms, cellar, well, cistern, &c.  
Lot 7, on Mitchell St., with frame building, 20 x 30, suitable for a workshop.  
**TERMS**—One fourth in cash; balance in from 2 to 4 years as may be agreed upon, with interest at 8 per cent. A large cash payment will be required on the timbered land. For further particulars apply to  
RICHARD MITCHELL,  
Executors.  
Guelph, March 27th 1874.

**\$20,000** Now waiting investment on terms more favourable to borrowers, than hitherto offered.  
THOMPSON & JACKSON.

**FARMS FOR SALE.**  
The undersigned offer for sale the following valuable farms:  
1st.—50 acres, two miles from the town of Guelph. Excellent land in a high state of cultivation. Good stone house with 7 rooms, large frame barn and out buildings complete, good orchard and three acres of timber for fire wood.  
2nd.—67 acres, 4 miles from Guelph, 60 cleared, buildings partly frame and partly log. There is a large orchard of bearing fruit trees. The land is in good condition well fenced and watered.  
3rd.—175 acres, 3 1/2 miles from Guelph, 140 cleared, well fenced and in high state of cultivation. A large stone house and frame barn and out buildings complete. There are ten acres of bush land, an excellent orchard, and a never failing spring near the house. This is in every respect a desirable property.  
4th.—100 acres just outside of the Corporation of Guelph, excellent land, well fenced and in good condition. A large stone house, well finished, frame barn, good orchard. A good supply of water, and 10 acres of standing bush.  
5th.—That valuable property known as Victoria Place, comprising six acres of land; a house containing six rooms; a good garden with fruit trees; also a great variety of ornamental trees. Situated on the road to the Agricultural College Farm, in an eligible position commanding a view of a large portion of the town.  
6th.—25 acres, adjoining the College Farm, 1 1/2 miles from the Market. The land is of an excellent quality, situated on two roads. No buildings. It can be divided into small park lots to suit purchasers if required.  
7th.—The east half of Lot 8, 12th Concession, Maryborough, 100 acres. The land is of the best quality, one mile from the village of Rothsay, three from a railway, and one from the gravel road to Guelph. There are 60 acres cleared and in a good state of cultivation. House and barn, frame, a small orchard, pump well, &c.  
8th.—200 acres of excellent land in the Township of Luther, 6 1/2 miles from Arthur Station, and one mile from a saw mill. A few acres cleared, with a log house. The balance is covered with valuable timber of various kinds.

**THOMPSON & JACKSON.**  
Guelph, April 8, 1874.

**Mrs. Wilson's**  
**MYSTIC PILLS**  
Cure LEUCORRHEA (or Whites) PAINFUL MENSTRUATION, CLAP, and all the UTERINE, OVARIAN, and MENSTRUAL, and all diseases known as Female Weakness. They are prepared with the greatest care, under the personal supervision of a physician who has made female diseases a special study for many years, and they are a Medicine on which  
**MARRIED LADIES** can depend in the hour and time of need as an unfailing  
**FEMALE REGULATOR.**  
Sold by all druggists everywhere. Price one box, 25 cents; six boxes, \$1.50; sent by observation. For full particulars write for our pamphlet, which we will send in a sealed envelope to any address on receipt of post stamp to pre-pay return postage. Address all letters for pamphlets or pills to  
**WILLIAM GRAY & CO.,**  
Sole Agents, Windsor, Ont.  
Sold in Guelph by E. Harvey, and all druggists everywhere. Northon & Lyman, Toronto, and J. Winer, Hamilton, Wholesale Agents.

**BASE BALLS**  
The Largest and Cheapest Assortment  
**AT J. HUNTER'S**  
**EMPORIUM**  
Of Wall Paper, School Books, Jewellery, Wools, Toys, and  
**Fancy Goods!**

Dead White \$1.25, worth \$2.00  
Bouncing Rock 1.15, " 1.75  
Atlantic 1.15, " 1.75  
Cock of the Walk 1.15, " 1.75  
Dauntless 1.15, " 1.75  
Dominion Regulation 75, " 1.25  
Star 75, " 1.25  
Practice 65, " 1.00  
Junior 50, " 0.75  
Boys, from 12 cents.

**LACROSSE AND RUBBER BALLS**  
Of all kinds cheaper than ever.  
Full line of Fancy Goods, Wools, Jewellery and Toys.  
Hair Goods, Combs and Small Wares  
**AT J. HUNTER'S**  
Berlin Wool, Fancy Goods and Toy Store  
Wyndham Street Guelph.

**SPLendid CHANCE FOR INVESTMENT**  
**Residence for Sale.**  
That very desirable property situated on Talley street, near the Western Station, consisting of White Brick two story dwelling house, with four bedrooms, front and back parlors, dining room and kitchen, with large soft water cistern, and two large cellars. The land comprises two-thirds of an acre, well stocked with fruit trees in full bearing. For terms of sale apply to  
**D. SAVAAGE,**  
Guelph, March 27th 1874.

**AT**  
**JOHN A. WOOD'S**  
MARMALADE ORANGES  
MESSINA ORANGES  
MESSINA LEMONS  
GREEN GAGES  
GREEN PEAS  
LIMA BEANS  
SUCCOTASH  
TOMATOES  
PINE APPLES  
BARTLET PEARS  
BLACKBERRIES  
PEACHES  
RHUBARB  
MAPLE SUGAR  
—AT—  
**JOHN A. WOOD'S**  
Guelph, April 23, 1874

**THOUSANDS ARE USING THE**  
**MYRTLE NAVY**  
Smoking Tobacco  
AND ARE SATISFIED.  
Each genuine Plug has  
**T. & B.**  
STAMPED UPON IT.  
Hamilton, March 12, 1874

**Beware of Imitations.**  
Each genuine Plug has  
**T. & B.**  
STAMPED UPON IT.  
Hamilton, March 12, 1874

**JUST RECEIVED**  
**G. H. McIntyre's**  
(LATE McCULLOUGH'S)  
**NEW DRUG STORE,**  
A fresh supply of  
**The HANDY PACKAGE DYES**  
In all shades, comprising  
BLACK, BLUE, GARNET, MAROON, SCARLET, YELLOW,  
—ALSO—  
Blue, Green and Yellow for Cotton

Each package warranted capable of coloring from one to four pounds of Goods.  
Price per package 15 cents.  
**G. H. MCINTYRE,**  
No. 3, Day's Block,  
Next door to J. E. McElderry's and directly opposite John Horan's.

**FISHING**  
**TACKLE.**  
Rods,  
Lines,  
Reels,  
Baskets,  
Hooks,  
Flies,  
Gut.  
A COMPLETE ASSORTMENT RECEIVED.  
**John M. Bond & Co.**  
Hardware Importers, Guelph.

**1874** **1874**  
**SPRING**  
**IMPORTATIONS.**  
**JAS. CORMACK**  
Tailor and Clothier,  
No. 1, Wyndham Street,  
Is now receiving a large and beautiful assortment of  
Goods suitable for the Season, consisting of Plain and Fancy Wools in the best and newest patterns.

**Hats, Caps, Shirts, Collars, Ties, &c**  
IN GREAT VARIETY.  
**JAMES CORMACK,**  
Guelph, April 21, 1874.

**R. Campbell, L.D.S.**  
Having recovered from his recent illness, is again prepared to attend to the wants of all who may require his services.  
Office at the old stand, Wyndham street, Guelph.  
April 23rd, 1874

**W. M. FOSTER, L.D.S.,**  
**Surgeon Dentist, Guelph.**  
Office over E. Harvey & Co's Drug Store, Corner of Wyndham & Macdonnell St., Guelph.  
Nirous Oxide (laughing gas) administered for the extraction of teeth without pain, which is perfectly safe and reliable.  
References kindly permitted to Dr. Harold, McGuire, Keating, Cowan, and McGregor, Guelph.

**RAILWAY TIME TABLE.**  
**GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.**  
Trains leave Guelph as follows:  
1:17 a.m.; 9:45 a.m.; 1:30 p.m.; 5:00 p.m.; 8:35 p.m.  
To London, Goderich and Detroit. 1 To Berlin.  
To Montreal.  
9:05 a.m.; 8:10 a.m.; 11 a.m.; 4:12 p.m.; and 8:35 p.m.  
**GREAT WESTERN—QUEBEC BRANCH**  
Going south—6:40 a.m.; 1 p.m.; 3:30 p.m. and 4:45 p.m.  
Going north—1:55 a.m. for Southampton mixed 1:40 p.m. for Palmerston; 6 p.m. to Harrisburg; 9:30 p.m. for Fergus.

**LONDON, QUEBEC and MONTREAL**  
1874  
**Temperley Line**  
Composed of the following, and other first-class Iron Steamships:  
St. Lawrence, Thames, Scotia.  
Second, Severn, Delta.  
The first steamer of this Line is intended to be dispatched  
**From London**  
**For QUEBEC and MONTREAL**  
On Wednesday, 10th of April (to be followed at intervals of ten days during the season), and from  
**Quebec for London about 7th May**  
Through tickets, from all points west, at Reduced Rates. Certificates issued to persons 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, Milwaukee, Chicago, and other points in the west. For freight or passage, apply to Temperley, Carter & Drake, 31 Bilester st., London; Ross & Co., Quebec; David Shaw, Montreal; or to  
**CHAS. DAVIDSON, Town Hall Buildings, Guelph.**

**ALLAN**  
**Steamship Line.**  
**GUELPH AGENCY.**  
Prepaid passage certificates issued.  
Berths and outward tickets secured at best rates.  
**G. A. OXNARD,**  
G. T. B. Agent.  
**INMAN LINE**  
**STEAMERS**  
BETWEEN  
**New York and Liverpool**  
Consisting of Sixteen of the Best Equipped and fastest Steamships in the world, sailing from New York every Thursday and Saturday.  
Rates of passage as low as any first-class Line.  
Tickets for Liverpool, Londonderry, Cork, and Glasgow, and prepaid Certificates good for 12 months to bring out passengers, issued by  
**H. D. MOREHOUSE,**  
Exchange Office.

**ALSO, Agent for the**  
**Michigan Central and Erie Railroad.**  
Passengers booked to all points in the United States.  
**MARKET SQUARE, GUELPH.**  
**ANCHOR LINE.**  
Steamers from New York every Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday.  
Passenger Accommodation Unsurpassed.  
Rates of passage from Suspension Bridge or Buffalo  
To Glasgow, Liverpool or Londonderry, Queenstown or Belfast.  
Cabin \$65 to \$90 gold, according to steam-er, and location of berth  
Return tickets issued at reduced rates.  
Intermediate and Steerage as low as any other line.  
For passage or further information apply to Henderson Brothers, 7 Bowling Green, New York, or their Agent,  
**125-6m WJ. HRYCE, Express Agent, Guelph.**

**GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY OF CANADA.**  
**Notice to the Public.**  
The public is hereby respectfully notified that, on and after Monday, May 4th, 1874  
**RETURN TRIP TICKETS** will be sold to and from every station on the line of this Company's railway, including Branches and Leased Lines, at a Reduction of about one-fifth of the usual fare.  
For example, the Single Fare—Hamilton to Toronto—is \$1.20, the Return Ticket will be \$2.00, being nearly one-fifth off the usual fare.  
These Tickets will be good only for three days, including the day of issue; that is, a Return Ticket sold on Monday is good to return up till Wednesday night.  
**JOSEPH PRICE,**  
General Manager.  
General Offices, Hamilton, 6th May, 1874

**Rich Farming Lands**  
For sale **VERY CHEAP** by the  
**Union Pacific Railroad Company**  
The Best Investment! No Fluctuations Always improving in Value!  
The wealth of the Country is made by advance in Real Estate.  
**NOW IS THE TIME**  
**MILLIONS OF ACRES**  
Of the finest lands on the Continent, Eastern Nebraska, now for sale, many of them never before in Market, at prices that defy competition.  
Five and Ten years credit given, with interest at 6 per cent.  
The Land Grant Bonds of the Company taken at par for lands. Full particulars given, now Guide with New Maps mailed free.  
**THE PIONEER**  
A handsome illustrated paper, containing the Homestead Law, sent free to all parts of the world. Address  
**O. F. DAVIS,**  
Land Commissioner, U. P. R. R. mtd-dw3m  
Omaha Neb.

**NEW COAL YARD.**  
The undersigned having opened a Coal Yard in Guelph is prepared to furnish all kinds of  
**Hard and Soft Coal**  
at moderate prices. Orders left at the store of John A. Wood, Upper Wyndham street, will be promptly attended to.  
**GEORGE MURTON,**  
Guelph, March 1st 1874

**FARM FOR SALE**—Lot number Four, in the 8th concession of Luther, containing of 200 acres, being well watered. There is a good new frame house, log barn and stables and some small improvements. It is a good farm and will be sold cheap. For information apply to Wilson Dynes or Wm. McDonald, on the premises, and F. J. Chedwick, Guelph.

**NEW GOODS**  
Just received, a large and carefully selected stock of articles suitable  
**FOR THE YOUNG FOLKS**  
**BERLIN WOOLS**  
And all kinds of Fancy Goods in stock as usual.  
All orders promptly attended to.  
**MRS. WRIGHT,**  
Upper Wyndham St., next to the Wellington Hotel.

**ENLARGEMENT OF PREMISES**  
**AT CHASE'S**  
**Carriage and Wagon**  
**WORKS.**  
Having greatly enlarged my premises, my facilities for carrying on this business are very complete.  
All orders for new work promptly attended to.  
**Repairing & Repainting,**  
An specialty in this branch of the business. Having a set of hands employed for this Department, I am enabled to turn out all work in this line on short notice.  
Motto. A good job and short credit.  
**CHAS. CHASE,**  
CALLED CHASE.  
April 23, 1874.

**RAYMOND'S**  
**SEWING MACHINES**  
Family Sewing Machine (single thread)  
Hand Lock Stitch (double thread)  
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