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**GUELPH ACADEMY Re opens Monday, August 12th.** Particular attention devoted to the English and Commercial Branches. Terms on application. JNO. MARTIN, dw

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**CASH FOR WOOL, HIDES, SHEEP, SKINS, CALF SKINS, and WOOL, PICKINGS.** The highest market price paid for the above at No. 4, Gore on Street, Day's Oil Block, Guelph. Plasterers Haircoons, only on hand for sale. J. M'ULTON & BISH, dw

**PRIZE DENTISTRY. DR. ROBERT CAMPBELL,** Licentiate of Dental Surgery. Established 1864. Office next door to the "Advertiser" Office, Wyndham-st., Guelph. Residence opposite Mr. Boul's Factory Quebec Street. Teeth extracted without pain. References, Drs. Clarke, Tuck, McGuire, Herod, McGregor, and Cowan, Guelph. Drs. Buchanan and Phillips, Toronto. Drs. Elliott, & Meyers, Dentists, Toronto. dw

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

**READY'S WELLINGTON HOTEL.** Remember the factory, on the banks of the Speed, near the Erasmus Bridge, and directly opposite the New English Church. Guelph, April 27/72. dw

**GUELPH PUMP FACTORY.** The undersigned begs to inform the public that he has now fitted up his new shop in the most complete manner, and has on hand a large stock of Pumps, &c. He is prepared to make to order, and furnish on the shortest notice, pumps of superior quality of all kinds. Having had long experience in the trade he feels sure that he can turn out work to the satisfaction of the public. All orders for new pumps or repairs promptly attended to. Remember the factory, on the banks of the Speed, near the Erasmus Bridge, and directly opposite the New English Church. Guelph, Aug. 12th, 1872. E. BRYCE, dw

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

## New Advertisements.

**TO LET**—Two rooms and kitchen, being part of a cottage already occupied. Apply at Day's Bookstore. sd dtf

**TINSMITH, first-class, wanted immediately,** to do work to good wages and steady work will be given. MILLS & GOODFELLOW. ad

**STOREHOUSE TO LET**—On Switch connecting Grand Trunk and Great Western R.R.'s. Capacity 12,000 bushels, with horse-power Elevator. Apply to John McGraw. ad

**EDUCATIONAL. MRS. BUDD** Begs to announce that her school and music classes will be open on Monday, Aug. 20th, Guelph, Aug. 13th, 1872. dw-wim

**RE-OPENING OF SCHOOL. Miss Wightman** Begs to intimate that her school will reopen D.V. on MONDAY, September 2nd, Guelph, Aug. 23rd, 1872. dw-wim

**DOG FOUND.**—Came to the premises of the subscriber on the 23rd ult., a large black pup. The owner on proving property and paying expenses, can take him away. For particulars, enquire at this office. Guelph, Sept. 2, 1872. 6d

**CENTRAL EXHIBITION.**—Tenders for Booths No. 2 and No. 4, will be received on the terms previously advertised by the undersigned until SATURDAY, the 7th September, at 12 o'clock, noon. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. GEORGE MURTON, Secretary. Guelph, Sept. 2, 1872. 4 Herald copy

**STRAW, STRAW. TENDERS WANTED FOR Supplying Straw for Central Exhib'n** Parties tendering to state price per ton, and number of tons they can supply. Tenders to be sent in not later than the 10th of September. GEO. MURTON, Sec. Guelph, Sept. 2, 1872. ad

**TWO COWS STOLEN OR STRAYED.** Stolen or strayed from the subscribers premises, on the night of Saturday, 27th, one black cow, one horn bent down and shorter than the other, the second a strawberry colour, bands bound strapped on her face. Any one returning them, or giving such information as will lead to their recovery, will be rewarded. JAMES BARCLAY, ad

**NOTICE To the Ladies and Public Generally.** P. C. ALLAN, ad

**POSITIVELY A FACT. Mustard's Catarrh Specific** Cures Catarrh, Cold in the Head, Neuralgia, Toothache, Nervous and Sick Headache, Weak and Sore Eyes. The Specific is a new remedy, prepared from Medicinal Herbs, Roots, Gums and Flowers. Free from poisonous Drugs, it is harmless, novel, and philosophy in its operation. Try it if you are afflicted with the above diseases. It is also one of the best Cough and Croup Remedies extant. Mustard's Vegetable Pills should also be used in connection with the Specific for Sick Headache and Catarrh; and those who are afflicted with Rheumatism should try Mustard's King of Oils. Sold in Guelph by McCallough & Moore, Druggists. Manufactured at Ingersoll by W. H. Mustard, Proprietor. sp24wif

**R. CRAWFORD'S Jewellery Store,** NEXT THE POST OFFICE, YOU CAN GET AT REDUCED PRICES. Elgin Watches, Waltham Watches, English Levers, Detached Levers, Clocks in every style. Gold and Silver Chains, Gold Sets, Brouch and Ear Rings, Finger Rings, Plated Jewellery in every variety, having removed to go into the

**Manufacture of Watches** As soon as the stock is sold out. Special attention given to

**Fixing Watches, Clocks & Jewellery** Which will be carried out to a greater extent than ever, and at the old prices. Gold and Silver Plating done on the premises. E. CROWE, ad

**Next to Post Office.** Guelph, Aug. 26, 1872. dw

**CITIZENS' INSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA. Accident, Life and Guarantee.** Capital, ONE MILLION. HEAD OFFICE, MONTREAL. Sir Hugh Allan, President. Edwin Atwater, Vice President. Accident Policies issued. Fidelity of Employees Guaranteed. And Life Risks taken on the most reasonable terms. This being a Canadian Company, and sustained by the largest capitalists and merchants of Montreal, is entitled to and solicits the support of the Canadian Public. Full particulars of each department may be obtained of

**WILLIAM J. PATERSON, Agent at Guelph.** 31y26-dw

**PURE BRED DURHAM CATTLE FOR SALE CHEAP.**—For sale one cow, 10 years old, one two year old heifer, both supposed to be in calf, one yearling heifer, one heifer calf, one bull calf. Pedigrees can be produced, and are unquestionable. The above will be sold cheap on account of the scarcity of feed. Apply to

**WILLIAM AVREY, Lot of land, Guelph, Ont., Sept. 2, 1872. ad**

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### Local and Other Items.

BEFORE the ashes of the late disastrous fire in Mitchell were cold, preparations were made for rebuilding many of the houses destroyed.

STRAW.—We would call the attention of those having straw to dispose of, to the advertisement, in another column, of the Secretary of the Central Exhibition.

ON Saturday morning, two men by the name of Cannon and Cooper were fatally injured by the falling of a scaffold at a house being built by Mrs. (Nicholson, Barrie, the bricks and scaffolding falling on the men.

A WELL contested game of cricket was played at Hawkesville on Saturday, between the Juniors of Berlin and the Juniors of Hawkesville, which resulted in a victory for the Hawkesville team, by one run and one wicket to go down.

IN CHANCERY.—The Walkerton Telescope says a bill has been filed, on behalf of the ratepayers of Bruce, against the Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railway Company, to prevent any more debentures being given, because the Company have failed to come up to their agreement in some respects.

SAW MILL DESTROYED NEAR STRATFORD.—Between nine and ten o'clock on Saturday night a fire broke out in the saw mill owned and worked by Mr. Coleman of Gadshill, about six miles north of Stratford, on the gravel road leading to Millbank. The building, contents and an adjoining dwelling were totally destroyed. Loss between \$10,000 and \$12,000. Partly insured.

PUBLIC SCHOOL INSPECTORS.—A preliminary meeting of Public School Inspectors of Ontario was held in Toronto on the 20th ult. After spending two days in discussing various proposed amendments to the Consolidated Public School Act, it was resolved to form a Provincial Association. A Constitution was accordingly drafted, and office-bearers appointed for the year.

OUTRAGES IN TORONTO.—A despatch from Toronto says:—Ruffianism, swindling and robbery appear to have run riot here. Every few evenings we hear of the policemen, the guardians of the people, being assaulted, and in some cases, rendered unable for duty thereby. No less than five robberies have been committed last week, besides numerous minor thefts. In two cases, ladies have been insulted after dark, and on Thursday night four men attempted to outrage the persons of two young women on Don street, and succeeded with one of them, after gagging her.

HOUSEKEEPERS cannot be too cautious in examining cabbage before it is consigned to the kettle. An exchange tells of a woman who died last week from eating cabbage. The report is that a part of the same cabbage which is said to have killed the woman, was given to a cow, and after eating it the animal died also. Another report is to the effect that a woman in a neighboring town either died or came near dying from the same poisonous food. The fact seems to be that cabbages are wormy, and, if so, the plant ought not to be eaten.

FIRE IN GUELPH TOWNSHIP.—On Saturday night about midnight a fire broke out in the house occupied by Mr. Henry S. Watson—grandson and tenant of Mr. Wm. Bilby, on the Fergus Road—doubtless originating from some cause in connection with the stove-pipe in the back kitchen. When Mr. Watson retired at 10 o'clock everything seemed secure, and about midnight he was aroused by the crackling of the flames in close vicinity to his bed. The neighbours were promptly in attendance, and by their valuable assistance the barn and other adjacent buildings with difficulty were saved. Scarcely anything was rescued from the burning house—which was a frame one—and insured in the Guelph Township Mutual Insurance Company for \$400.

SWAMP FIRES.—The high wind of yesterday (Sunday) sent up dense clouds of smoke from the various swamps in the neighborhood, that had been set on fire either by design or accident. A thick volume of smoke issued all afternoon from the Paisley Block direction, somewhere in the neighborhood of Mr. Thos. Hood's farm. We have not heard whether it caused serious damage or not—Hatch's Swamp also was ablaze, we hear, in consequence of a spark from a passing train, from one of the engines of the W. G. & B. R. Co., and that 80 cords of wood piled in the swamp, belonging to the Wellington Oil Company, have been consumed in the flames. A spark from one of the passing engines of the G. T. R. ignited something combustible in the swamp on the other side of the Railway from Mr. John Horsman's, and so alarmed were the inmates of one of the houses situate there, that they began to remove the various articles of furniture to a place of safety. Fortunately, however, the danger was not so great as they supposed. The wind subsided considerably about sundown, and there was a slight shower this morning, with appearance of more rain, which it is to be hoped will fall in abundance, both to allay anxiety on account of fire, and replenish the many empty springs with which this part of the county is unluckily only too well supplied.

## THIS MORNING'S DESPATCHES BY TELEGRAPH

More about the Shipwreck of the Metis.

### Record of the Lost and saved.

The Price of Coals in England.

Chicago, Sept. 1.—The Tribune this morning publishes a note from W. H. Clarke denying having been interviewed by the reporters of the Times about Stanley, and declares that while an interview was sought he refused to give it, and that the reporters wrote a statement of his published some time ago in the Yorkville, Illinois, News.

Norwich, Conn., Sept. 1.—The steamer Stonington mentioned in despatch of the Metis disaster was not within a hundred miles of the scene.

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 1.—Probably a hundred and fifty delegates to the Democratic Convention are now in the city. A part of the delegations from New York, Michigan, New Jersey, Arkansas, Indiana and Pennsylvania are here. The Convention will meet at ten o'clock on Tuesday morning. The talk is that Senator Bayard will be permanent chairman.

New York, Sept. 2.—A Stonington despatch says 107 lives were saved from the wreck of the Metis, 25 are known to be dead and 23 are missing.

London, Aug. 31.—The price of coal has again been advanced, notwithstanding the recent heavy importations from Belgium.

Oswego, Aug. 31.—A gale of unusual severity for the season of the year has prevailed here since Thursday. The schooner Alpha, from Toronto for this port, went ashore five miles below the harbor, and will probably be a total wreck. Her crew were taken off in a life boat last night. The schooner Orion, from Cleveland for Kingston, with a cargo of building stone, was sunk off Long Point, Canada. Her crew drifted ashore in a yawl yesterday, ten miles below here. The schooner Richardson, from Toronto, most of a cargo of lumber, went ashore at Presque Isle.

Base Ball Notes. The fourth game between the Eckfords of Brooklyn, and the Baltimore nine was played on Friday afternoon, the latter winning easily by a score of 11 to 1.

BOSTON EACH EVENING. 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31

The Stars defeated the Red Stockings, on Saturday afternoon, by a score of 45 to 15.

The Resolutes of Elizabeth defeated the Champions of Jersey City by a score of 26 to 10.

A Sensation at the Falls. On Wednesday last, while visiting the Whirlpool Rapids, Charles Matthews, a physician of Philadelphia, found in a crevice in the rock the following letter, and after perusing it carefully, has become satisfied of the truthfulness of its contents, and offers it for publication, hoping thereby to throw some light on the mystery connected with another unfortunate being:—

"DEAR CHARLES,—I waited at the Montague, anxiously waiting for your coming, until at length the truth has dawned upon me that you have deserted and deceived me. I never can stand the exposure of my disgrace in my present state of mind. I have decided on the step and wish no longer to live.

Your cruel desertion has driven me mad. I have been to the river, and the hope that you would come saved me, but now hope has fled and my brain is on fire.

(Signed.) "ONE WHO YOU HAVE WRONGED."

On the envelope was written, "Will the finder please address the within note to CHARLES MATTHEWS, Stratford, Conn. A request from one who is but one step from eternity."

A reporter visited the Montague yesterday, and learned that a young lady registered herself there as Miss Brooks, on the 19th, and remained until Monday, a time which she has not been seen. Her hotel bill remains unpaid—she had no baggage, and the general opinion is that the brain-fried young lady has been trying to injure the character of her "dear Charlie," who agreed to meet her there, but failed to carry out the terms agreed upon.—Buffalo Commercial Advertiser.

CENTRAL EXHIBITION.—The Executive Committee of the Central Exhibition met at their office on Saturday afternoon, to open the tenders for booths during the exhibition week. For Stand No. 1, the following were the tenders: Thomas Gully..... \$70 00 Dan. Heffernan..... 80 00 David King..... 150 00 James Hewer..... 115 00 For Stand No. 2 there were no tenders. For Stand No. 3: Jos. Gerow..... \$82 50 Dan. Heffernan..... 81 00 Thos. Hewer..... 110 00 For Stand No. 4: Augustus Keleher..... 77 00 Thomas Gully..... 125 00 Messrs. D. King, \$150 for No. 1; Thos. Hewer, \$110 for No. 3; and Thos. Gully, \$125 for No. 4, were the successful tenders. The Booths will be required to be closed at 8 o'clock on each evening during the holding of the Exhibition. Mr. Thomas Gully having stated that he had tendered under a misconception as to the position of booth No. 4, his tender was allowed to be withdrawn, and the Secretary was authorized to re-advertise Booths No. 2 and 4, under the same conditions as formerly. The number of Booths let last year was three, and the amount realized therefor \$285. This year 2 Booths alone fetch \$265 with two more next.

## Mr. Witton, M. P. for Hamilton.

Although politically opposed to Mr. Witton, one of the members elect for Hamilton, we take pleasure in publishing the following sketch of his life from the Montreal Witness. By patient study, and through his own energy and application, he has risen to a high position in his adopted country. He is a credit to the working men of Ontario, and the younger portion of them may learn a useful lesson by a perusal of the following sketch. The same path which he has trod is open to them, but they must go and do as he has done before the reward comes:—

Henry Buckingham Witton, M. P. for Hamilton, was born at the small village of South Lopham, Norfolk, England, October 28th, 1831, and is now forty-one years of age. His birthplace is in the beautiful valley of the Waveney, the delightful scenery of which has been so admirably described by the poet Bloomfield in his "Farmer's Boy." Near South Lopham is the town of Diss, famed of old as the residence of Skekton, whom the poet named "the glory and the light of British Literature." At Diss Mr. Witton received such education, very imperfect and rudimentary, as his parents, who were poor, could with much difficulty and many sacrifices of their own comfort, afford to give him. Here also he was apprenticed to the trade of coach-making, but in consequence of the discontinuance of this business by his employer, he was thrown on his own resources at the early age of seventeen. His subsequent employments were in Theford, London and Manchester. In the latter city there has always existed an active public spirit, which is never without its effect on young ingenious minds with a capacity for work in the service of the race. There Mr. Witton was attracted into fields of usefulness, and became a worker in the cause of education and other much-needed reforms, many of which have now happily been accomplished. In 1853 he emigrated to the United States, and for three years remained a resident of Troy, N. Y. In 1856 he removed to Hamilton, Canada, where he has resided ever since, and for nearly the whole period has been in the service of the Great Western Railway. For some years past he has been foreman in the paint shop of that Company, and has performed his work faithfully and well. On his first appointment the Company had a great deal of business in connection with the trade of coach-making, but the wise ones of paying for the best article and the best man all that they are worth, and making the most out of them. During all the years of his working life he has been gradually improving his originally scanty education. After coming to Hamilton he acquired French and Latin, and applied himself with enthusiasm to the study of practical geology, astronomy and microscopy, to the latter of which especially he has for several years devoted most of his leisure time. In January of this year he read an able paper before the Hamilton Association, on the "Local Forms of Life found in Burlington Bay," which was printed in full in the Hamilton Spectator. Mr. Witton has the happy habit of having several years devoted to each of his leisure time. In January of this year he read an able paper before the Hamilton Association, on the "Local Forms of Life found in Burlington Bay," which was printed in full in the Hamilton Spectator. Mr. Witton has the happy habit of having several years devoted to each of his leisure time.

## NEWS ITEMS

The Rev. Hugh Storell Brown, the celebrated Baptist minister of Liverpool, England, has arrived in New York.

The St. Thomas Home Journal says:—We venture the statement that no town in Canada has progressed so rapidly as St. Thomas within the last twelve months, and yet its progress is far from keeping pace with its requirements. An immense number of new houses have gone up this year, but still the demand far exceeds the supply. Rents have run up to an unusual pitch, but no rent is considered too high if the people only get accommodation.

OFF THE TRACK.—This (Monday) morning some empty flat cars attached to a wood train on the Grand Trunk Railway ran off the track a short distance west of the Freight House. The morning accommodation from Berlin was in consequence obliged to remain there, which disappointed a number of parties who intended going by it to Toronto to see the English cricketers play. Mr. Oxnard, however, made up a special train at ten o'clock, and sent them off. About fifty went by this train. The track was cleared in a short time, the morning mail going east being only delayed about twenty minutes.

The Port Elgin Free Press says:—As an indication of the benefit the farmers of the County of Bruce may expect to derive from the establishment of a line of boats from Sarnia to Port William, we mention the fact that there has been shipped from Port Elgin this season, 12 first-class horses and 9 head of cattle, and a number have been shipped from Southampton. All were intended for the American market, notwithstanding the high rate of duty charged on stock entering the United States.

WIFE MURDER NEAR ANCASTER.—An inquest was held at Ancaster on Saturday, by Coroner Orton, upon the body of an unfortunate woman named Mary Nick, wife of Nicholas Nick, who belonged to a party of Oneida Indians who were passing through the township and encamped the night in the woods. From the evidence it appeared they were both very drunk, and a fracas occurring, Nick struck his wife upon the head, inflicting a mortal wound. A post-mortem examination was made by Drs. Richards and Bronson, who deposed that the deceased came to her death from the effects of a blow upon the head causing apoplexy. A verdict was rendered in accordance with the facts.

AN UNCOMFORTABLE LODGER.—An Ottawa paper tells a story of a man named Edwards, employed on the Ottawa and St. Lawrence R.R., who took ill, and became reduced to a skeleton from some cause that could not be ascertained. Medical treatment was of no avail, and the sufferer lingered on till last week, when a friend visiting him gave him some sugar candy. He partook of this, and after some painful efforts, vomited a live lizard seven inches long. Since then he has regained his former health and condition. The men employed on the above railroad, it seems, are in the habit of quenching their thirst from water in ditches along the line, and in this way it is supposed the lizard got into Edward's stomach when small, took lodgings and grew there.

WHAT DID HE THINK OF IT?—The other day, at the Post Office corner of Wyndham Street, a colored "gemman" of the town met an apparently respectable "gemman" of the white fraternity, who was evidently suffering from an overdose of "summut" ardent. It is impossible to say what thoughts possessed the colored "gemman" at the sight; but, oh, Jerusalem! if he didn't stand as if he were transfixed to the spot, shake his head and show the unexampled purity of his dentals, and we left him grinning his most horribly comical best, at the unsteady retreating figure of his afflicted friend, moralizing, meanwhile, no doubt, on the much vaunted superiority of white over black, and the practical proof of its correctness as afforded by the lamentable instance that had recently, with such evident difficulty, made good his escape.

Chateauguay. RETURN OF HON. MR. HOLTON. Hon. Mr. Holton is elected by a majority of 247.

Napierville. MR. DORION ELECTED. No returns have been received of the final results from Napierville, but Mr. Dorion is elected.

Hochelaga. Mr. Beaubien has a majority of 482 over Mr. Hudon.

North Victoria. LINDRAY, Aug. 31. Complete returns from North Victoria give Mr. Staples a majority of 88.

On the 10th of the present month the completion of the great break water at Portland, England, began twenty-three years ago, was celebrated with imposing ceremonies, in which the Prince of Wales participated. This break water is a mile and a half long, is three hundred feet wide at the base, and one hundred feet high. In its construction nearly six millions of tons of stone have been used. The line of the wall is broken, a distance of a quarter of a mile from the shore, where an opening, one hundred and fifty feet wide has been left for ships to pass out of the harbour without beating round the north western end of the work. Convict labour has been largely used in the construction of this great work in the result of which is an artificial boom of refuge, after hundreds of acres in the vicinity of Chateauguay across the channel. There is yet to be completed a great wall at the sea end of the break water, to serve as a protection to the harbour.

IMPORTANT TO MERCHANTS

FALL ADVERTISING! The MERCURY has a guaranteed circulation THREE TIMES MORE than that of any other paper published in Guelph, or in the County. Merchants when they are arranging for their Fall Advertising should not forget this fact. Contracts made for any period at moderate rates.

A Seat Found at Last for Hincks.

Poor Sir Francis Hincks has at last found rest for his weary feet. South Brant rejected him, no constituency could be found in Ontario where he could hide his head. Quebec was tried but would not respond to the call, and it seemed as though the defeated Finance Minister would be obliged to retire, or get some obliging Tory to vacate his seat in order that Sir Francis might have a chance of running for it. This was the conclusion come to by both parties. But Sir John Macdonald has got his friends and his Government out of this difficulty—as he has got them out of many other difficulties—by one of those cute dodges for which he is so notorious, and which he only is capable of inventing.

Sir Francis has been elected for one of the six constituencies created by John A's Government in British Columbia! The Vancouver Island District has promptly responded to the despairing cry of the Premier to provide a seat for his beaten Finance Minister, and the electors there, without ever seeing their representative, or him ever seeing them, have elected him by acclamation. There is an old adage which says that if you keep a thing for seven years you will find some use for it. Little did Sir John think when he was manufacturing these six constituencies in British Columbia for his own use, that he would so soon have been obliged to set apart one for a beaten colleague. We now begin to understand the far reaching scheme of the Premier in creating these constituencies. Strange that we were so oblivious before to the fact that they were intended as reserves, where defeated Ministers in Ontario might betake themselves, where they could be elected and no questions asked, and where they would at last find rest, and no more be bothered about independent electors and adverse majorities.

The Vancouver Island district contains a population of about 5,000, and sends three representatives to the Dominion Parliament. One of these comprises the Victoria District, and the other the settled portion of the Island. The desolate and unsettled portion of the Island, and the Islands adjacent have been given to Sir Francis; and this constituency, according to the Globe, contains a total population of 423, men, women, children and Chinese, and sixteen duly qualified electors! Such is the refuge and resting place found for the great Finance Minister of the Dominion of Canada; the ex-Governor, Knight, and so forth, whose very presence in Canada, the Ministerial papers led us to believe, was an honor to the Dominion, and who, according to these voracious prophets in their victimations only a few months ago, could get a seat in any part of Ontario that he fixed on. A greater farce was never perpetrated in "this Canada of ours." No wonder the Mail indulges in a little delicate satire, when it says of this election that "it evidences trumpet tongued to our people in every part of the Confederation that sectionalism is dead, and that we are to all intents and purposes, 'one and indivisible' from the Atlantic to the Pacific." This means, properly interpreted, that the Government has been driven to desperate shifts, and that the poor old knight after wandering up and down through the two Provinces of Ontario and Quebec, has at last been pitch-forked into a constituency at the extreme end of the Dominion, where nobody knows him, or cares anything about him. It is a farce to speak of him as being in any sense a representative. He might just as well have been elected to represent the Island of Anticosti or the North Pole. But the law gives him a seat in the House of Commons, and that is all Sir John A. Macdonald cares about. Such a dispicable trick is worthy the hero of the Double Shuffle, and shows what contemptible means he will resort to in order to retain power.

As a fitting climax to this prodigious farce, we would now suggest that Niel be induced by John A. to retire in Manitoba, and make way for the defeated Baronet of Montreal, Sir George Cartier. This would furnish the one remaining link to the "one and indivisible" chain of which the Mail speaks so poetically, and would furnish a proper geographical distribution of seats in the Government, to say nothing of there being such convenient places of refuge for old and broken down Government lackeys.

ELECTION NEWS.

Some of our Tory friends are trying to make out that the defeat of ex-King George Cartier is a blessing in disguise.

The Montreal Daily News (Government organ) has the following.—"It is rumored that previous to his departure for Riviere du Loup, Sir F. Hincks had an open rupture with Sir John A. Macdonald, at the Queen's Hotel, Toronto—Sir John accusing Sir Francis of 'coming Wood over him.'"

The Peterboro Review says.—"Our party don't put up a Roman Catholic candidate to be knocked down, as the Girls did John O'Donohue in both East Peterboro and East Toronto." To which the Stratford Beacon tersely replies.—"Of course not. Joseph A. Donovan was not knocked down in South Perth in 1867 to the tune of 360, or Joseph Kidd betrayed by his pretended friends in 1872 by the enormous odds of 427! Oh, no! The Tories never make cat's paws of the Catholics! They have only deceived Mr. Kidd twice—that's all. First, in 1867, when they rejected his protegee, Mr. Donovan; and next in 1872, when, after getting about \$10,000 of his money, and running him off his legs, they rejected Mr. Kidd himself by the largest majority ever recorded against any candidate in South Perth."

The Montreal Tories do not seem to think as much of the workmen as their allies in this Province—or at least, they do not show it in the same way. John Thomson was foreman in La Minerre office, Montreal, but because he refused to vote for Cartier, he was summarily discharged from his employment.

The St Catharines Times says that the Journal of that town will come out in a few days as an out and out Opposition paper. They have no hopes that the present Dominion Government can possibly remain in power, and, therefore, like prudent and "practical" politicians, they leave the sinking ship when there is still a little hope that they may make friends with the Reformers.

Here is how the Daily News finds an excuse for the defeat of Sir Geo. Cartier.—"We were well aware that the outside moral effect of Sir Geo. Cartier's being defeated in a French Canadian constituency, will lead people at a distance to believe that he is failing in popularity. Had we been consulted as to the arrangement of his elections we should have suggested Sir Francis Hincks as the candidate for the Western Division, because he would have walked the course, and we should have found a county constituency for Sir George. The best natured of men are apt to resent a hint that their physical powers are failing. Yet certainly Sir George's friends ought to have dissuaded him against encountering the endless toil and fatigue of a city canvass."

It was a noticeable feature in the Montreal contest that in every one of the 39 polling places in East Montreal, Mr. Jette had a good majority, Sir George in no place holding his own. In the West Division there were 31 polling places, all of which Mr. Young had a majority over his opponent, Mr. Drummond. At one of the polling places in St. Antoine Ward, West Division, the book used for swearing suspicious voters has turned out to be a history of Canada.

La Manerac continues to whine over Cartier's defeat, and says that property has fallen four per cent in value in the Eastern Division in consequence.

AN AMATEUR LUNATIC.—The latest sensation in New York is the story of a reporter of the Tribune, who a couple of weeks ago, in order to test the working of the lunacy law in the State, which is very defective, feigned to be mad, and had himself sent to the Bloomingdale lunatic asylum, so that he might faithfully reveal the secrets of its management. In order to get in he succeeded in deceiving the doctor, a medical student and a nurse, and he seems to have done so very effectively. He went to a Hotel in New York, accompanied by a confederate, who though watching every move of the game, took care not to appear as though he knew his friend, or was in collusion with him. While in the Hotel, the reporter began to cut up and carry on and act strangely, and this went on to such a degree that at last a doctor was sent for, who watching the case for a couple of days pronounced the patient insane, and acting under some brain disorder. After going through the usual legal forms, the confederate procured an order for his admittance into the asylum. We are promised a full, true and particular account of what he saw and heard there.

BIRTHS.

WRIGHT—At Rockwood, on the 31st ult., the wife of Mr. John Wright, baker, of a son, MACDONALD. — At Rockwood, on the 28th ult., the wife of the Rev. D. J. Macdonnell, Minister of St. Andrew's Church, Toronto, of a son. STEWART—In West Garafaxa, on the 24th ult., the wife of Mr. Adam Stewart, Jr., of a daughter. HILL—In Nichol, on the 25th ult., the wife of Mr. Hill, farmer, of a son. THOMPSON—At St. John's Parsonage, Elora, on the 25th ult., the wife of the Rev. C. E. Thompson, of a daughter. SHANAGHAN—In Arthur, on the 23rd ult., the wife of Mr. Thos. Shanaghan, of a son. FRARY—In Fergus, on the 25th ult., the wife of Mr. H. B. Fery, of a daughter.

MARRIED.

JOHNS—Vickers—In Elora, on the 25th ult., by the Rev. G. E. Thompson, Mr. John Johns to Mary Jane Vickers, all of Elora.

DIED.

LUSH—In Eramosa, on the 3rd ult., Louisa, daughter of Mr. Israel Lush, aged 6 months and 6 days.

Second Dominion Parliament.

ONTARIO REPRESENTATIVES

Table listing representatives for Ontario in the Dominion Parliament, including names like Addington, Shibley, Algoma, Robinson, Bothwell, Mills, Brant, N. R., Fleming, etc., with columns for Opposition, Ministerial, and Independent.

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The Foster Brother;

The Orphan of the Wreck.

CHAPTER XVI.
ARGOWAN'S INTRODUCTION TO ARGOWAN—HE
PREPARES AN IMPORTANT CONVERSA-
TION, AND FORMS A DELIGHTFUL
ACQUAINTANCE.

As the coach proceeded, along the road
which wound through Glenfask, George,
with a conscious and determined resolu-
tion, withdrew his mind from brooding
over the subject which had of late so per-
plexed and disturbed him, and gave his
thoughts to the consideration of his new
duties, and the new surrounding which
his life was to have at Ardgowan.

Since the opening of the packet he had
been nothing like his former self. Up
till then he had been a clear-headed,
warm-hearted, brave souled youth, who
had looked on the world with a steady eye,
and had accepted with calm resolution
and cheerful resignation the hard battle
which poverty required him to wage.
His nature was full of strong feelings and
fine sensibilities, but these were temper-
ed by the knowledge acquired by study,
and by the large amount of daily work
he had necessarily undergone. Thus,
though the course of his life had made
him thoughtful, it had not unduly devel-
oped his character beyond his years.
The dew of youth had not evaporated
before his time; he retained the ardor,
the generosity, the full and warm
pulsations belonging to his age; and,
though he had little opportunity of indulg-
ing in social pleasure, the society of Car-
oline had preserved the freshness and
tenderness of his heart. In every respect,
therefore he was a youth of admirable
qualities, and frank, free, and kindly
manner—almost, if not altogether, de-
void of anxious care—quiet, homely, and
genial.

We have seen how the contents of the
packet have moved and swayed
him. He admitted to himself that the
effect had been to great—that it had be-
gun to interfere with the pleasures and
duties of existence; and he resolved to
return to these with something of his
former freedom. He would banish, if
not altogether, yet in a great measure
the morbid influence which had been
holding him in its power, and assert the
natural force of his nature.

And, as the first effect of this resolu-
tion, he began to survey with interest
the bold grandeur and voluptuous beauty
of the landscape—the lofty hills which en-
circled the spacious valley through
which they were passing—the fair and
fertile scene which spread itself on every
side. From inquiries he had made, he
knew he was near the end of his journey—
that he would soon be at Ardgowan—and,
therefore, that the objects on which
he gazed were to be familiar to him for a
time. A present human interest, there-
fore, gathered over them, and it was with
a keen observant eye that he surveyed
the woods and fields, the undulating slopes,
the brown moors and far-stretching pas-
ture-lands presented to his vision.

Most lovely did all things look in the
rich glow of that October afternoon. In
that northern county the harvest was
not yet all reaped, and the foliage had
scarcely lost its glistening summer green-
ness.

"A fair and goodly prospect indeed,"
murmured George to himself. "Some-
thing that I should like to see again,
pleasure as my eye dwells on the scene;
and though I never was here before, I
don't feel like a stranger in a strange
land. Stay, though, I forget—I have
been here before. Both Carey and my-
self must have been at Mossgrove for a
brief time when we were very young children.
With what interest shall I gaze upon it,
and on Ardgowan too, as the old home of
her whom I have been accustomed to call
mother! A twofold life awaits me there—
an outward daily life of duty and
social intercourse, cordial or restrained,
according to the character of those with
whom I come in contact; and a
hidden life of thoughts and feelings pro-
duced by the knowledge which I possess,
and yet which I must conceal. I feel as
if the latter is to have a strange interest
for me."

The youth's soliloquy was interrupted
by the sudden stopping of the coach, and
the driver calling out, as he looked to-
wards him—
"Ardgowan gate, sir."

Then George was conscious that the
vehicle stood before an iron gate of a
somewhat ornamental character, close
within which was a small lodge, and
stretching away into the distance a broad
avenue lined with stately trees.

By the time he reached the ground the
guard had deposited his luggage by the
side of the path, and an elderly woman
issued from the lodge to take charge of
it, at the same time bestowing a smile on
George which seemed to say that his ar-
rival was not unexpected.

The coach having rolled away, the
woman held the side gate open for George
to enter, observing—
"I'll tak' care o' your luggage, sir, and
send it up afore night."

"You knew I was to come then?" he
said.
"Yea, sir; Miss Lillias was doon this
forenoon an' tell me you were comin' by
the coach. Just keep by the avenue, sir,
and ye'll see the hoose stan'ing among
the trees."

Thus directed, George nodded his ac-
knowledgment, and moved forward
under the hanging branches of the elms
and beeches, whose summer foliage had
not yet begun to fall, though the leaves
had assumed their bright autumnal hues.
The woman stood gazing after him
with a pleased and an admiring look.
"O! but he's a well-fare'd child," she
murmured; "a rare braw, bonny
young gentleman, wi' a bright e'e and a
generous face, and a carriage that's
nether proud nor cringin'. I wish
madam and him pit up unco weel!"

Meanwhile, the subject of her favor-
able observations was making his way up
the avenue at a steady pace, admiring
the far-stretching park, dotted with an-
cient trees, over whose tops the distant
hills showed themselves clear and blue—the
whole scene being lighted up by the
bright October sun, whose beams made
all things mellow and beautiful.

CATTLE DISEASE.—Dr. Hawkins, veteri-
nary surgeon, has informed the Paris
Transcript that the cattle in that vicinity
are afflicted with a disease, the nature of
which is at present unknown, but which
is making extensive ravages wherever it
appears. As the disease has hitherto
been all local, Dr. Wilson of Lon-
don has been led to examine into the
cause, but as yet no decision has been
arrived at. Out of a herd of twenty-five
cattle, he has found that seven of the best
have already died. It is to be hoped the
disease will be promptly arrested, as it
might do great damage. In the mean
time we advise farmers to look well after

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**DETERMINED SUICIDE IN QUEBEC.**—A young man named Turnbull arrived in Quebec from Scotland some time ago, and being possessed of some means, stayed about town for a little while and took rooms lately at Cram's hotel at Levis. He frequently came to town and fell into bad company, became an habitual drunkard, and a few days ago his conduct became peculiar, while his language created doubts as to his sanity. On Friday morning while Mr. Cram was away in Montreal, and while the housekeeper, Mrs. Hargarty was dressing his room, he made a rush towards the window smashed the pane with his clenched fist, and jumped through. Mrs. Hargarty caught him by the foot as he was going over and held him up by main strength for several minutes while she screamed for help but she had to let him go, and he fell heavily to the ground a distance of twenty feet. He was picked up by those around, and carried into the hotel bleeding fearfully from an artery in the wrist which was severed. He died in a few minutes. The coroner was at once notified, and an inquest was held to day when a verdict of self destruction while in a state of mental aberration was rendered.

**GERMAN IMMIGRATION TO MANITOBA.**—The Manitoba Liberal says: We are to have an addition to the population of Manitoba, in the persons of a number of respectable emigrants from North Germany, who are now on their way to this country, and who by late accounts had reached Toronto, under the care of Mr. Klotz, Emigration Agent for Germany. We shall welcome this addition to our population, as this class of emigrants have always been noted for their industry and quiet demeanour, and in every place that they have settled not only proved an acquisition, but in nearly every instance models of perseverance and industry.

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**RAILWAY TIME TABLE.**

**Grand Trunk Railway**  
Trains leave Guelph as follows:  
1:50 a.m.; 9:45 a.m.; 1:55 p.m.; 5:48 p.m.; 8:35 p.m.  
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EAST  
8:10 a.m.; 7:30 a.m.; 11:05 a.m.; 8:45 p.m. and 8:35 p.m.  
Great Western—Guelph Branch  
Going South—8:50 a.m., 1:05 p.m., 1:40 p.m. for Hamilton; 4:50 a.m., 1:05 p.m., 1:40 p.m. for Clifton; 4:55 p.m. for Clifton; 4:55 p.m. for Fergus; 8:05 p.m. for Fergus.  
Will not run on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.  
\*Will not run on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

**COMMERCIAL.**

**GUELPH MARKETS,** Sept. 2, 1872

Flour per 100 lbs.	85 50	85 75
Fall Wheat, per bushel	1 10	1 35
Treadwell "	1 18	1 30
Spring Wheat "	1 20	1 35
Oats "	0 37	0 39
Peas "	0 50	0 57
Barley "	0 56	0 62
Hay, per ton	18 00	20 00
Straw "	4 00	6 00
Wood, per cord	1 25	1 00
Eggs, per dozen	0 10	0 11
Butter, short packed, per lb.	0 13	0 13
" tub "	0 14	0 14
" rolls "	0 12	0 13
P-rates, per bag	1 00	1 00
Apple "	0 75	1 00
Wool, per lb.	0 50	0 53
Dressed Hogs, per cwt.	4 80	5 25
Clover Seed per bushel	5 50	5 25
Timothy Seed "	3 00	3 00
Black French Merinoes,	0 50	1 00
Black Barreth "	0 25	0 30
Black Persian Cords,	0 25	0 30
Black Lustres,	0 25	0 30

**HAMILTON MARKETS**

HAMILTON, Aug. 31, 1872

Spring Wheat, per bushel	1 25	1 25
Treadwell "	1 25	1 35
Red White Wheat "	1 20	1 22
Barley per bushel	0 50	0 50
Peas "	0 60	0 60
Oats "	0 38	0 40
Butter, per lb.	0 13	0 13
" tub "	0 14	0 14
" rolls "	0 12	0 13
P-rates, per bag	1 00	1 00
Apple "	0 75	1 00
Dressed Hogs, per cwt.	7 00	7 00
Wool, per lb.	0 52	0 52

**TORONTO MARKETS**

TORONTO, Aug. 31, 1872

Spring Wheat, per bushel	1 25	1 30
Treadwell "	1 25	1 35
Red White Wheat "	0 53	0 60
Barley, per bushel	0 50	0 55
Peas "	0 60	0 65
Oats "	0 31	0 32
Wool, per lb.	0 51	0 52

**A Chemical Food and Nutritive Tonic.**

Without Phosphorus no thought, say the Germans, and they might add, no action, since Phosphorus and the Compounds are known to be the motive power of the nervous and muscular system. They constitute more than half the material of the human body, being found in every tissue, and their presence is absolutely essential to nutrition, as they promote the conversion of albumen in the food into fibrine, which is the vitalizing agent of pure, healthy blood. They are now coming into universal use in Europe and America in the treatment of Scrophulous, Consumptive and Venereal diseases, which are caused by impoverished or poisoned blood; and in diseases of women suffering from irregularities, obstructions and exhausting diarrhoeas, in pale, puny children, and in that condition known as fast life. The great reliability and promptness in its effects in immediately and permanently restoring the debilitated constitution has made Dr. WHEELER'S COMPOUND EXTRACT OF FISH-LIVER OIL, & CALVEY'S GREAT VITRIFIC with the Physicians and Public, held at \$1.00.

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**DOMINION SALOON.**  
The Coolest and Nicest  
**Summer Drinks**  
to be had at this saloon.  
A supply of the Montreal CELEBRATED GINGER ALE always on hand.  
The best Liquors and Cigars always in stock.  
DENIS BUNYAN, do  
Guelph, June 14, 1872.

**O'CONNOR'S BILLIARD HALL,**  
IN THE  
QUEEN'S HOTEL, GUELPH, OPPOSITE THE MARKET.  
Reddited in the latest fashion. Five latest styles Phelan Tables. do  
**PARKERS HOTEL,**  
—DIRECTLY—  
OPPOSITE the MARKET, GUELPH  
First-class accommodation for travellers. Commodious stabling and an attentive hostler.  
The best of Liquors and Cigars at the bar. JAMES PARKER, Proprietor, Guelph, Feb. 6, 1872. dw

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**STEAM DYE WORKS**  
We beg to inform our numerous patrons and the public in general, that we have made improvements in our machinery, and by the aid of steam we are prepared to turn out all work on the shortest notice.

**All kinds of Ladies or Gents Clothes Cleaned or Dyed.**

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Give us a call, and bring your goods, and you can get any shade of color desired.  
All work warranted to give satisfaction.  
No Hauling.  
GOLDIE & CO'S  
Steam Dyeing and Scouring Works, Upper Wyndham st., near the Alma Block.  
Guelph, July 27, 1872. dwsm

**NEW FANCY STORE,**

Upper Wyndham Street,  
Next door to Mr. Naismith's.  
**Mrs. WINSTANLEY**  
Begs to inform her friends and the public that she has opened a Fancy Store on Upper Wyndham Street, where she will constantly have on hand a variety of  
Trimmings, Berlin Wool, Needles, Pins, Tapes, Chignons, Writing Paper, Envelopes, etc., etc.  
Mrs. Winstanley has also opened a  
**Registry Office for Servants**  
AND A  
**LENDING LIBRARY.**  
Guelph, May 27, 1872. dw

**NEW Fancy Spring Goods,**

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The subscriber begs to inform the ladies of Guelph and surrounding country that she has just received a large and carefully selected stock of Spring Goods, comprising  
**All the Newest Styles and Patterns!**  
A SPLENDID STOCK OF  
**BERLIN WOOLS**  
ALL COLORS.  
Braids, Switches, Chignons, General Fancy Goods, and Toys.  
**STAMPING DONE.**  
Lock-stitch Sewing Machines for sale.  
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Guelph, April 13, 1871. dw

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For Cape Bonnets, Cape Hats, Cape Cloths, Black French Merinoes, Black Barreth, Black Persian Cords, Black Lustres.  
**CHEAP AT**  
**WM. GALLOWAY'S**  
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Family Sewing Machine (single thread); Hand Lock Stitch (double thread); No. 1, Foot Power, " No. 2, for heavy work; Furnished with plain tables, half, or Cabinet Cases, as required.  
**CHARLES RAYMOND,**  
GUELPH, ONT.  
July 12, 1871. dwly

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Fashionable West End Dry Goods Store, Alma Block.  
Guelph, Aug. 7, 1872. dwy

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**EQUITABLE Life Assurance Society,**

No. 120, Broadway, New York.  
Wm. C. Alexander, President.  
Henry B. Hyde, Vice-President.  
Net cash assets, 1st Feb. 1872 \$18,000,000  
Annual receipts, 1871 4,000,000  
Total paid policy-holders, 1871 3,450,340.37  
Surplus, 1871 4,549,659.63  
New Business, sum assured, \$71,700,000  
\$1,804,027.00  
The Largest of any Company's in the World.  
This Society has led the van in the Insurance world for many years; it has introduced more improvements and given greater impetus to the business than any Life Company in the United States, and is deserving in this respect of the praise and gratitude of the community.  
There are many reasons for selecting the Equitable Life Assurance Society.  
1st—No company has such large annual transactions, thereby insuring into its business constant accession of fresh and select lives, which are one of the greatest elements of strength.  
2nd—Liberalty in dealing with all claims; observing the same time, a due regard to the interests of its present large body of policy-holders by a firm resistance to any attempt at imposition.  
3rd—Perfect organization in every department, which renders official information easily attainable and secures a complete administration of its affairs.  
4th—Being one of the most progressive in situations of its kind in the world, it is ever prepared to seize at once upon all the improvements in the business that science can suggest.  
The Equitable Life Assurance Society issues every recognized form of policy, and especially the above named a complete administration of its affairs.  
TONTINE SAVINGS FUND INSURANCE which the Company introduced. This new plan has become very popular, as it combines among all who are insured under it the advantages which arise from the profits of the business, and the security of the Life Insurance was first introduced.  
The EQUITABLE feels that it has the strongest claims upon public confidence. Under the management that distinguishes it and the principles by which it is guided, perfect security is given for the future, than which no greater inducement can be held out to all who wish to insure their lives.  
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S. Sprin in the above business, and while representing the same to us will receive prompt and strict attention.  
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MONEY always on hand in sums to suit borrowers, on mortgages or good personal security. No delay or extravagant charges. Our list of Town and Farm Property is large and varied, and parties in want of real estate of any kind should call on us before purchasing elsewhere.  
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—AND—  
**HART & SPEIRS,**  
Conveyancers, Land, Loan, Insurance and General Agents,  
4 Day's Block, Guelph.  
In reference to the above, Wm. Hart begs to inform his friends and the public that he has entered into partnership with Mr. Jas. S. Speirs in the above business, and while expressing his grateful acknowledgments for the liberal share of patronage bestowed upon him for the past three years, would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same to the new firm.  
All business entrusted to us will receive prompt and strict attention.  
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Day's Block Guelph, Ont.

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**STEAM BETWEEN LONDON, QUEBEC AND MONTREAL,** composed of the following other first-class iron steamships: Scotland, Madway, Teviot, Tweed, Thames, Hector, Niger, Severn, Nile, Adalia.  
The steamers of this Line are intended to sail weekly, as follows, during the season of navigation of 1872, TO and FROM London, Quebec, and Montreal, calling at PLYMOUTH outwards for passengers, and leaving that port every Friday.  
**FROM LONDON**  
Adalia..... Tuesday, 5th June  
Niger..... " 12th "  
Nile..... " 19th "  
Scotland..... " 26th "  
Tweed..... " 3rd July  
Thames..... " 10th July  
And every Wednesday thereafter.  
**FROM QUEBEC**  
Hector..... Tuesday, 18th June  
Emperor..... " 25th "  
Adalia..... " 2nd July  
Niger..... " 9th "  
Nile..... " 16th "  
Scotland..... " 23rd "  
Tweed..... " 30th "  
Thames..... " 6th August  
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The well-known favorite Clyde built Iron Steamships  
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Guelph, April 18, 1872. dw

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**CANADIAN LINE FOR LIVERPOOL**  
The first-class, full-powered, Clyde-built steamships of this line will be despatched every Saturday days following (carrying the Canada and United States mails):  
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Through Passage Tickets, Return Tickets European Pre-paid Passage Certificates issued lowest rates.  
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Passengers booked through to London, Manchester, Birmingham, etc., also to Paris, Hamburg, Havre and Bremen.

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**The Misses Rheumale's**  
School of Art, Music, and General Education, for Primary and Finishing, day or Boarding Pupils, will reopen after the summer vacation on  
Monday, the 2nd of September, 1872.  
Miss L. R. invites attention to the Singing and Piano-forte Classes, which continue to give great satisfaction, and as the terms are arranged for general convenience, are well attended. Private lessons as usual.  
Guelph, Aug. 19th, 1872. dw

**The Corporation of the County of Wellington.**

**BY-LAW No. —**  
A By-Law to provide for the Election of a Registry Office for the North Riding of the County of Wellington, the Repair of the Registry Office in Guelph, and to assist in making certain Roads and Bridges in the said County, and for issuing Debentures to the amount of \$20,000 for these purposes.

WHEREAS it is necessary to provide for the election of a Registry Office for the North Riding of the County of Wellington, which Riding has been set apart for Registration purposes, and it is also necessary to provide for the repair and improvement of the County Registry Office in the Town of Guelph:  
AND whereas for these purposes the sum of five thousand dollars is required.  
AND whereas it is expedient to grant aid by way of a grant of money, payable as hereinafter mentioned, to the several Townships and Villages and the Town of Guelph hereinafter mentioned towards opening and making the new Roads and Bridges hereinafter mentioned in the several Townships and Villages and the Town of Guelph in the said County hereinafter mentioned, to assist in making and maintaining the Township and County lines hereinafter mentioned; the Council of the Corporation of the County of Wellington deeming the County at large sufficiently interested in the said works to justify such assistance, but not sufficiently interested to justify the Council in at once assuming the same as County Works, namely: To the Township of Maryborough towards making the road known as the centre side road in that Township.....\$600  
To the Township of Minto towards making the road known as the road between the eighth and ninth concessions in that township..... 800  
To the Township of West Garafraxa towards making the road between the third and fourth concessions in that township..... 200  
To the Township of Pilkington towards making a bridge across the Grand River at the fifth and sixth concessions..... 400  
To the Township of Minto towards making the road known as the Minto and Normanby town line \$300, on condition that the County of Guelph grant an equal amount.. 300  
To the Township of Luther towards making bridges over rivers and streams crossing the road known as the side road between lots thirty and thirty-one in that township..... 600  
The Village of Elora towards making the road in that village connecting the County roads..... 200  
To the Township of East Garafraxa towards making the road known as an extension of the Ferguson and Douglas County Road to Waldemar Railway Station..... 500  
To the Township of Arthur towards making the road known as the Centre side road in that township..... 500  
To the Township of West Garafraxa towards making a bridge over the Grand River on the road between the second and third concessions of that township..... 500  
To the Village of Mount Forest towards making the road known as the town line-east of Main street, and the bridge over the river Malland..... 300  
To the Town of Guelph towards making a bridge over the river Speed, on Wellington street, by Mr. Gow's mill in Guelph town.. 500  
To the Village of Orangeville towards making a bridge over the river Credit in that village..... 200  
To the Township of Erin towards making the road from Brisbane to Erin village..... 400  
To the Village of Arthur, towards making a road between the village of Arthur, township of Arthur and Luther, to Arthur railway station..... 200  
To the Township of Peel towards making the road known as the centre side road in Peel from Arthur village to Glenallen..... 1000  
To the Township of Amaranth towards making the road known as the seventh concession line in that township..... 1000  
To the Township of Eramosa towards making the road in that township from Rockwood to the town line of Guelph..... 200  
To the Township of Maryborough towards making a bridge over the Spring Creek on the road known as the Kilgours road in that township..... 400  
To the Township of East Garafraxa towards making the road between the fourteenth and fifteenth concessions of that township..... 500  
To the Township of East Garafraxa towards making the town line road between the townships of Amaranth and Luther and East Garafraxa..... 400  
To the Township of Arthur towards making the town line road between the townships of Peel, Maryborough and Arthur..... 800  
To the Township of East Garafraxa towards making the town line road between the townships of East Garafraxa and Erin..... 200  
To the Township of Peel towards making the townline road between the townships of Peel and Maryborough from Drayton to Drayton station..... 100  
To the Township of Maryborough towards making the townline road between the townships of Peel and Maryborough at the hill at the fourteenth concession..... 100  
To the Township of Luther towards making the townline road between the townships of Arthur and Luther..... 400  
AND whereas it is necessary to rebuild the bridges at Arthur: at the Four Mile Creek and across the Irvine River on the road assumed by and belonging to the County, known as the Guelph and Mount Forest Road, and the sum of four thousand, two hundred dollars is required to rebuild the said bridges.  
AND whereas for the purposes aforesaid it is necessary to create a debt of twenty thousand dollars to be raised in the manner hereinafter mentioned.  
AND whereas it will require the sum of three thousand and nineteen dollars to be raised annually by special rate for the payment of the said sum of twenty thousand dollars and interest.  
AND whereas the amount of the whole rateable property of the said County of Wellington, irrespective of any future increase of the same, and irrespective of any interest in or income from the said County, and the said County Roads and Bridges, and also irrespective of any interest to arise from any temporary investments of the sinking fund hereinafter mentioned, or any part thereof, was according to the last revised and equalized assessment rolls of the said County of Wellington, \$18,396,398.  
AND whereas for paying the interest and creating an annual sinking fund for the payment of the principal of the said sum of twenty thousand dollars it will require an equal annual special rate of one-fourth of a mill in the dollar to be levied in addition to all other rates.  
AND whereas the amount of the existing debt of the Corporation of the County of Wellington is for principal the sum of \$99,649.00, and for interest the sum of \$30,680.33.  
AND whereas there is no interest in arrears.

AND whereas the Corporation of the County of Wellington hath not in the municipal year contracted any debts of loans over and above the sum required for its ordinary expenditure which, including the said sum of twenty thousand dollars, exceed twenty thousand dollars. And whereas a copy of this by-law hath been duly published according to law. Therefore the Corporation of the County of Wellington, in pursuance of the powers in it that behalf vested, and by the Council thereof enacts as follows: That the Warden of the said County for the time being, be, and he is hereby authorized, empowered, and required for the purposes aforesaid, to issue in due form of law the sum of twenty thousand dollars in debentures of the said Corporation of the said County in sums of not less than one hundred dollars each, payable in twelve years at farthest from the day on which this by-law is appointed to take effect, at the office of the Treasurer of the said County, and that every such debenture shall bear interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum from the date of its issue, payable half yearly at the said office, and shall be signed by the Warden, and countersigned by the Treasurer for the time being of the said County, and shall have attached thereto coupons for the payment of said interest, which debentures the Warden is hereby authorized to negotiate and dispose of.

AND BE IT ENACTED that, for the purpose of forming a sinking fund for the payment of said debentures and interest, an equal special rate of one-fourth of a mill in the dollar in addition to all other rates be levied, levied, and collected in each year upon all rateable property in the said County during the continuance of the said debentures.  
AND BE IT ENACTED that, the proceeds of the said debentures shall be applied and apportioned to the several purposes hereinafter mentioned, and in the amounts and proportion aforesaid, and the grants of the said local municipalities to be paid to the Treasurers thereof respectively, to be applied by them strictly to the purposes aforesaid, and an account of such application to be returned by each Reeve to the Council of the said County, at the next December Session of this Council.  
No person lending money upon or purchasing said Debentures shall be bound to see to the application of the proceeds thereof.  
AND BE IT ENACTED that, this By-law shall take effect upon, from and after the first day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two.

The above is a true copy of a proposed By-law to be taken into consideration by the Municipality of the County of Wellington, at the Court House, in the Town of Guelph, in the said County, on the first day of October, 1872, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, at which time and place the members of the Council are hereby required to attend for the purpose aforesaid.  
**JOHN BEATTIE, CLERK.**

**THE VICTORIA Chemical Company**

Sole Proprietors and Manufacturers of the Celebrated Victoria Carbolic Preparations, Laboratory and Works, Victoria Hall, Melinda street, Toronto, Ont.  
The following Genuine Preparations are sold by all Dispensaries. Be sure and ask for the VICTORIA PREPARATIONS, and see that you get them.  
**VICTORIA Carbolic Glycerine Jelly**  
This JELLY is highly recommended to ladies as a most agreeable Preparation for the Toilet. For Beautifying the Complexion, and rendering the Skin Soft, White, Clear, and free from Dryness, it is unrivalled. It will cure itching, redness, Redness, Rheum, Tan, Freckles, Pimples, and other imperfections. For Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Frost Bites and Sore Lips, it cannot be surpassed. Price 25 cents.  
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This TOILET SOAP possesses all the well-known antiseptic and disinfecting properties of Carbolic Acid, is agreeably scented, has a healthy action on the skin, prevents irritation, removes the effects of perspiration, and is peculiarly valuable for families. Cholera, Small-pox and Fever Patients should be washed with this Soap, and its use by persons liable to infection will materially prevent the spread of disease. Price 15 cents per Tablet.  
**VICTORIA Carbolic Salve**  
This SALVE is a rapid cure for all Skin Diseases, Cuts, Wounds, Bruises, Burns, Sores, Ulcers, Ring Worm, Tetter, Eczema, Scald Head, Scoury Abscesses, Blisters, Pimples, &c. It possesses all the Cleansing and Healing Virtues of Carbolic Acid, which has been found by Physicians everywhere to possess curative qualities not discovered in any other chemical preparation. Price 25 cts.  
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This GARGARYSM is the most reliable and efficacious remedy in all cases of Sore Throat, Hoarseness, Diphtheria, Bronchitis, Irritation of the Bronchial Tube, so common in this changeable climate. Asthma, Croup, Whooping Cough, Gums, and all diseases of the Mouth. For Public Speakers and Singers it is invaluable. The ingredients entering into this Gargarysm are used by all Physicians, and for the cure of the above disorders are now, undoubtedly, the most popular in the Materia Medica. Price 25 cents.  
**VICTORIA Carbolic Disinfectant**  
This DISINFECTANT is a sure preventive of Typhus and Typhoid Fevers, Cholera, Small pox, and all infectious diseases. It will prevent Contagion in Cities. It is also invaluable for Disinfecting Water Closets, Drains, Cesspools, Stables, Slaughtering Houses, &c., and for destroying noxious effluvia from whatever cause arising. It will drive away Mosquitoes, Moths, Flies, Cock-roaches, &c. Heat, Fish, &c., can be preserved from putrefaction by its use. Carbolic Acid was selected by Her Majesty's Royal Commissioners in preference to all other products, as the best Disinfectant for the prevention of infectious diseases. Price 25 cents.  
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This PREPARATION is unequalled in its utility for Sharpening and Polishing Cutlery, Razors and Pocket Knives, Razors, Burghal Files, Gun, Shoemaker's Razors, Plane, Saw, Chisel, &c. Nothing has ever been discovered which has sprung into popularity more quickly or become of so much value in every household and workshop for general usefulness. Price 25 cents.