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Guelph, June 15, 1874.
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A. DUNBAR, W. M. MERRITT, F. BISCOE,
Guelph, Oct. 7, 1873.
W. H. TAYLOR, Carriage Silver Plater,
Knox Church, Guelph.
The only one this side of Toronto. All work warranted the best. Please send for price list.
STEPHEN BOULT, Architect, Contractor and Builder, Planning Mill, and very class of Joiner's Work prepared for the public and the public. The Factory is on Quebec street, Guelph.
F. STURDY,
House, Sign, & Ornamental Painter
GRAINER AND PAPER-HANGER.
Shops at the Wellington Hotel, Wyndham Street, Guelph.
Brass Castings
MADE TO ORDER BY
HARLEY & HEATHER,
IRON FOUNDERS,
Huskisson street, east side Market house
Guelph, April 27th, 1874.
WESLEY MARSTON,
Repairer of all kinds of
Sewing Machines, Clocks, Locks, &c.
Job Work of all kinds.
Shop on Yarmouth street, opposite Nelson Crescent.
First class rooms for eight gentlemen boarders. Apply at the shop.
Guelph, May 28, 1874.
RICE'S BILIARD HALL,
In the Queen's Hotel, Guelph, opposite the Market.
The room has just been refitted in splendid style, the tables reduced in size, and everything done to make it a first-class Billiard Hall.
Guelph, Nov. 3rd, 1873.
DOMINION SALOON AND RESTAURANT,
Opposite the Market, Guelph.
The proprietor begs to notify his friends and the public that he is now proprietor of the above saloon and hopes by keeping none but first-class liquors and cigars to receive a share of public patronage. First-class tables and chairs for supper parties.
Guelph, April 11, 1874.
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.
Real Estate D-90—Shire street, Guelph.
April 20, 1874.
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 assumed possession of the Victoria Hotel, next door to the City 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 all papers, Wines, Cigars, &c., constantly on hand. A good hostler in attendance. He will continue to next door to the post office.
Guelph, Dec. 11, 1873.
THORP'S HOTEL, GUELPH—Re-fitted and newly furnished. Good accommodation for commercial travellers. Free omnibus to and from all trains. First-class liquors and cigars.
In a 14-dwnt JAS. A. THORP Proprietor
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 Oysters will be served up at all hours, in the most palatable manner.
Pickles, Salmon, Lobsters and Sardines.
W. M. FOSTER, D.D.S.,
Surgeon Dentist, Guelph.
Office—Corner E. Harvey & Co's. Drug Store, Corner of Wyndham & Macdonnell-sts., Guelph.
The extraction of teeth without pain, which is perfectly safe and reliable.
Herod, McGuire, Knight, Cowan, and Dr. Gregor, Guelph.
R. Campbell, L.D.S.
Having recovered from his recent illness, he is again prepared to attend to the wants of all who may require his services.
Office at the old stand, Wyndham street, Guelph.

New Advertisements.

MAKERS wanted immediately at the Fashionable West End. Apply to Miss Morrison. A. O. BUCHANAN. 39-40t
WANTED—By an elderly lady, two unfurnished rooms, with a quiet family. Address X. Y. Z., Post Office, Guelph.
WANTED—Two Wood Workers and one Machinist. Apply to COSSITTS Agricultural Works. d2
WANTED—A smart active lad about 18 years of age, to learn the Baking Business. Apply to W. J. Little, baker, Guelph, June 15th, 1874.
SERVANTS WANTED—Wanted, a good general servant, also a nurse girl. Apply at once at this office. d4
DOG LOST—Lost a young Newfoundland dog from near Mr. Mitchell's Bush, answering to the name of "Prince." Black with slightly speckled breast and legs. Whoever will give information to the police, or at this office, will be suitably rewarded, and whoever retains said dog will be prosecuted.
MAPLE LEAF Base Ball Club.
A Special meeting of the Maple Leaf Base Ball Club will be held at the Royal Hotel, on WEDNESDAY, the 17th June, at 8 o'clock, sharp. A full attendance requested.
A. WEIR, Sec.
WELLINGTON FIELD BATTERY,
JUNE 15th, 1874.
BATTERY ORDERS.
1. The Right Division will parade at the Drill Shed, Guelph, on Thursday, the 18th inst., at 7 1/2 p.m., to prepare for annual camp drill, which will be held here on the 20th inst.
2. The Left Division will parade at the Drill Shed, on Thursday, at such other place as the officer in command may direct.
A. H. MACDONALD, Capt. Commanding.
BOATS TO LET.
The subscriber has on hand a number of boats to let by the hour or day. Apply at the boat house above the Dundas Bridge. Guelph, June 8, 1874. d4w
ICE CREAM AND COOL DRINKS
—AT—
Mrs. WINSTANLEY'S Grocery Store, south side of the Dundas Bridge, Guelph, June 6th, 1874. d4m
MR. P. DELOUCHE,
WIRE WORKER,
Pearl street, off King street. Every description of wire work, such as ironing, lowest terms. Any orders left at W. H. Marston's seed store, Mark's square, or at R. Harvey's fruit depot, Wyndham street, will be thankfully received and promptly attended to. Terms strictly cash. d4t
Guelph, June 15, 1874.
DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP
The partnership heretofore existing between Smith & Sutton, confectioners, etc., Guelph, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business in the future will be carried on by John Sutton, who will pay all debts, and collect all accounts of the late firm.
THOS. SMITH, JOHN SUTTON, d4
Guelph, June 10, 1874.
ORGAN, nearly new,
WITH FIVE STOPS,
WILL BE SOLD CHEAP FOR CASH
Apply at Day's Bookstore.
Guelph, June 4th, 1874. w4m
DR. COLLINGE,
M.D., Edinburgh, and M.R.C.S., England, having assisted Dr. Clark in his practice during the last twelve months, has now commenced practice on his own account at the house formerly occupied by Dr. Herold, Quebec Street East, Guelph.
Guelph, May 27, 1874. d4m
CATTLE STRAYED—Strayed from the premises of Geo. Peck, Guelph, a roan cow, with tip of each horn cut off, a white heifer 3 years, with horns turned up, a milk cow, brindle color with white feet, and a roan cow not giving milk, in good condition. Any person returning them, or giving information where they may be found, to John Burns, or at this office will be suitably rewarded. d4
PAINTERS AND GLAZIERS
HUMPHRIES & REYNOLDS
Beg to announce to the people of Guelph and surrounding country that they have entered into partnership, and intend to carry on the Painting Business in all its branches in their shop a few doors west of the Guelph Sewing Machine Factory. Being practical painters, they are confident that they can give entire satisfaction to all who may favor them with a call. House and sign painting, graining, paper hanging, etc., done on short notice. Callings calmed in the best manner.
HUMPHRIES & REYNOLDS, d4m
Guelph, June 9, 1874.
SALE OF Valuable Property
IN THE TOWN OF GUELPH
The undersigned has been instructed by the Executors of the Estate of the late John Mitchell, to offer for sale
BY PUBLIC AUCTION
Commencing on the ground near the Race Course on
Thursday, 25th of June, 1874
At noon, the following property, viz:
70 Park Lots on Delhi and Metcalf streets, containing from one to five acres each. These lots are usually situated and well suited for private residences and other purposes. Many of them are well wooded, and several are on the bank of the River Speed.
Lot 15, in the 19th concession, Front about six miles from Mount Forest, containing one hundred acres of good land, improved and well watered.
Town Lots.
Lots 32, 33, 34, 35 on Delhi Street.
Lots 8 on Pearl St., and Lot 12 on Derry St.
East 1/2 Lot 9, on Macdonnell St., with story frame dwelling house.
West 1/2 do do with Livestock Stable.
Lot 6, corner of Ramona Road and Mitchell St., with good 2 story stone dwelling house, 11 rooms, cellar, well, cistern, &c.
Lot 7, on Mitchell Street, with frame building, about 20 x 30, suitable for a workshop.
TERMS—One fourth in cash, balance in 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, 46, 48, 50, 52, 54, 56, 58, 60, 62, 64, 66, 68, 70, 72, 74, 76, 78, 80, 82, 84, 86, 88, 90, 92, 94, 96, 98, 100, 102, 104, 106, 108, 110, 112, 114, 116, 118, 120, 122, 124, 126, 128, 130, 132, 134, 136, 138, 140, 142, 144, 146, 148, 150, 152, 154, 156, 158, 160, 162, 164, 166, 168, 170, 172, 174, 176, 178, 180, 182, 184, 186, 188, 190, 192, 194, 196, 198, 200, 202, 204, 206, 208, 210, 212, 214, 216, 218, 220, 222, 224, 226, 228, 230, 232, 234, 236, 238, 240, 242, 244, 246, 248, 250, 252, 254, 256, 258, 260, 262, 264, 266, 268, 270, 272, 274, 276, 278, 280, 282, 284, 286, 288, 290, 292, 294, 296, 298, 300, 302, 304, 306, 308, 310, 312, 314, 316, 318, 320, 322, 324, 326, 328, 330, 332, 334, 336, 338, 340, 342, 344, 346, 348, 350, 352, 354, 356, 358, 360, 362, 364, 366, 368, 370, 372, 374, 376, 378, 380, 382, 384, 386, 388, 390, 392, 394, 396, 398, 400, 402, 404, 406, 408, 410, 412, 414, 416, 418, 420, 422, 424, 426, 428, 430, 432, 434, 436, 438, 440, 442, 444, 446, 448, 450, 452, 454, 456, 458, 460, 462, 464, 466, 468, 470, 472, 474, 476, 478, 480, 482, 484, 486, 488, 490, 492, 494, 496, 498, 500, 502, 504, 506, 508, 510, 512, 514, 516, 518, 520, 522, 524, 526, 528, 530, 532, 534, 536, 538, 540, 542, 544, 546, 548, 550, 552, 554, 556, 558, 560, 562, 564, 566, 568, 570, 572, 574, 576, 578, 580, 582, 584, 586, 588, 590, 592, 594, 596, 598, 600, 602, 604, 606, 608, 610, 612, 614, 616, 618, 620, 622, 624, 626, 628, 630, 632, 634, 636, 638, 640, 642, 644, 646, 648, 650, 652, 654, 656, 658, 660, 662, 664, 666, 668, 670, 672, 674, 676, 678, 680, 682, 684, 686, 688, 690, 692, 694, 696, 698, 700, 702, 704, 706, 708, 710, 712, 714, 716, 718, 720, 722, 724, 726, 728, 730, 732, 734, 736, 738, 740, 742, 744, 746, 748, 750, 752, 754, 756, 758, 760, 762, 764, 766, 768, 770, 772, 774, 776, 778, 780, 782, 784, 786, 788, 790, 792, 794, 796, 798, 800, 802, 804, 806, 808, 810, 812, 814, 816, 818, 820, 822, 824, 826, 828, 830, 832, 834, 836, 838, 840, 842, 844, 846, 848, 850, 852, 854, 856, 858, 860, 862, 864, 866, 868, 870, 872, 874, 876, 878, 880, 882, 884, 886, 888, 890, 892, 894, 896, 898, 900, 902, 904, 906, 908, 910, 912, 914, 916, 918, 920, 922, 924, 926, 928, 930, 932, 934, 936, 938, 940, 942, 944, 946, 948, 950, 952, 954, 956, 958, 960, 962, 964, 966, 968, 970, 972, 974, 976, 978, 980, 982, 984, 986, 988, 990, 992, 994, 996, 998, 1000.

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Town and County News
BAPTIST SOCIAL.—A social has been arranged for, to take place in the Baptist Church on Monday evening, 22nd inst.
HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.—The Spring show of the above Society will be held in the Drill Shed on Tuesday the 7th of July, 1874. G. Murton, Secretary.
We are requested to state that the election list of legally qualified Public School Teachers for the Town of Guelph is open to inspection in the lobby of the Central School Building.
HILLEN'S RELEASE.—Benjamin Hillen was allowed to quit his confinement in the goal on Saturday evening, bail having been provided in the necessary amounts. He is bound over to appear at the Fall Assizes in the sum of \$2,000—\$1,000 by himself, and the balance in two sureties of \$500 each.
NEW VAN.—We notice that Mr. John A. Wood has just procured a very handsome get-up van for delivering goods to his numerous customers. It is creditable to the manufacturer and it represents the mammoth establishment which it represents. We presume every body will go direct to John A. Wood's and purchase a lot of goods, and order them sent home in that new van.
THE VACATIONS.—The Trustees of the Mount Forest Board of Public School Trustees telegraphed to the Board of Public Instruction on Wednesday last about the closing of the schools, and received the following reply:—"Union, High and Public Schools close on the 26th June; but other public schools—village and rural—do not close till the 14th July."
FOR BRITAINS.—Mr. John M. Bond left Guelph for New York on Saturday, from where he sails on Wednesday by the steamship Cuba, of the Cunard line, for Liverpool. The business of J. M. Bond & Co. has been so rapidly developing that not only this but yearly visits in future will have to be made to the British, French and German markets, in order to meet the requirements of their trade.
EXCURSION TRAINS.—The Great Western Railway Company have decided to run excursion trains on Wednesday, 1st July. Tickets will be sold at single fare for double journey between all passenger stations. The tickets will be good until Thursday morning. The arrangement will no doubt bring a large number of visitors to Guelph, to witness the base ball match, and with the other amusements that are being arranged for, we may expect a gala day.
ENTERTAINMENT.—The Good Temp'rs are going to give a promenade concert in their hall to-night. The hall has been beautifully decorated and every means taken to make the entertainment a success. The programme will consist of singing, readings and recitations. A first-class lot of strawberries, ice cream, &c., will be on hand. A walking cane and a pair of bracelets will be put up at auction for the most prominent lady and gentleman of the Order. Doors open at 7 o'clock.
THE BRIGADE CAMP.—To-day Colonel Taylor, Deputy Adjutant General of the First Military Division, visited Guelph for the purpose of inspecting the parade ground on Mr. Hood's farm, and the Exhibition ground where the men will be camped. Col. Clark, of the 30th Battalion, Col. Higginbotham, M.P., the Rev. W. S. Ball, the Chaplain, the Adjutant, Quartermaster, Majors and other officers met him at the station, and accompanied him in his inspection. We understand that he was much pleased by the grounds, which are admirably adapted for the purpose. It is now definitely arranged that the camp will be formed on the 29th of this month, and orders to that effect have been issued to the different officers. The Volunteers will arrive in Guelph on the 29th, and the camp will last for 12 days.
LOST THEIR WOLF.—Mr. William Smith, who resides on lot No. 10 in the 2nd concession of Ramona, was on Sunday night a victim to the thieving propensities of someone who had not the fear of law before his eyes. The bold thief tied his horse to the fence at a considerable distance from Mr. Smith's house, and then made his way to the barn, where there were about thirteen fleeces tied up ready for market. The kleptomaniac seized those, and made off with his booty, carrying the load to the wagon, and driving off. The horse's tracks were followed for some distance, but no definite trace of the thief could be obtained. We also learn that on Tuesday night last, Mr. Wm. Harrison had 22 fleeces taken from his barn. There are evident wolf thieves about, and farmers ought to be careful in seeing that it is properly secured before being sold.
CHICAGO HOPES to build up a trade in paper with England, one car load having already been sent to experiment with in the manufacture of paper.
The Canadian Order of Odd Fellows intend having their annual excursion on Dominion Day to Niagara, where the volunteers will be camped.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE MERCURY

Trouble in the French Assembly.
An Elaborate Duel.
The Proposed Reconstruction.
Public Worship Regulation Bill.
London, June 15.—The Paris correspondent of the Times telegraphs that the votes in the Assembly to-day will be equal in number—Fifty or sixty members of the Right Centre are undecided. That these deputies will abstain from voting is true. The Left Centre will probably be successful. The proposed bill has three articles. The first provides that the Government shall consist of a Senate and Chamber of Representatives and a President of the Republic; the second confirms Marshall MacMahon's Presidency until 1880; and the third provides for a partial or total revision of the constitution by such constitutional bills as may hereafter be submitted.
London, June 15.—The Viceroy of India telegraphs reports relative to the growing crops favorable.
A special from India to the Times says the Government continues to furnish assistance to three and a-half million natives. There can be no crop in Ferohat until December. The Government admits that some people may die before assistance reaches them.
The Post says the Public Worship Regulation Bill now before Parliament, which is intended to restrain the ritualists, threatens to lead to a condition of the High Church Clergy similar to that which may result in an attempt to re-incumbent the present members for Oxford University. Gladstone heads the opposition to the Bill.
London, June 14.—Stewart, a Conservative, has been returned to the House of Commons from Winton district.
It is rumored that the Carlists have evacuated Estal.
Paris, June 13.—It is reported that the violence of the Bonapartists during the past few days was part of a conspiracy entered into to bring about the dissolution of the Assembly and an appeal to the country through a plebiscite.
M. De Sante Croix will be arraigned before the police court to-day, to answer for the assault upon M. Gambetta. A semi-official note protests against the newspaper accounts of the late difficulties as mischievously provocative of excitement and hatred, and expresses the hope that measures to endy taken by the Government to restore quiet and prevent further trouble will prove sufficient.
Paris, June 14.—The anxiety in regard to the result of to-morrow's sitting of the Assembly pervades among all classes. M. Clemenceau has again challenged M. Decaenagnac for insinuating that he was a coward and had acted dishonorably, and proposes a duel between ten Republican and ten Bonapartist deputies. M. Decaenagnac replies contemptuously that he will fight nobody but Gambetta, and that the Bonapartist deputies cannot accept the challenge.
The Government has taken vigorous steps for the suppression of both Bonapartist and Radical agitators in the barracks. The police have closed the Cafe de Lepere on the Boulevard Muesmann, because a rendezvous for the Bonapartists.
Rome, June 14.—The Italian Senate has been prorogued. A consistory will be held in the Vatican on the 22nd inst., when Monsignor Cichini and Guiberti will be formally installed as Cardinals.
The American pilgrims attended mass in the Catecombs to-day. Monsignor Francis was the celebrant.
Madrid, June 13.—The Imparcial newspaper says that in the event of the death of the Pope the Spanish Government will in the election of his successor claim the privilege of veto that was formerly accorded to the King of Castile.
New York, June 15.—Interviews with New York merchants represent the trade of the city in several important branches as seriously retrograding. In the dry goods line one house that formerly sold fifty millions per annum now sells twenty millions. Ten of the largest houses in the city lost at least fifty-five millions in the aggregate by the falling off of trade. The boot and shoe business is also retrograding, and shipbuilding almost entirely gone. A large portion of the loss of commerce is attributed to inferior terminal railroad and warehouse facilities.
The criminal records show that Michael Murphy was fatally stabbed yesterday by Chris. Savor and Wm. Burns, who were arrested. M. O'Rourke and P. Gorvey were both stabbed badly by C. McGuire in a drunken frolic, and Patrick Pricer, in attempting to shoot Pat McGuire, fatally wounded Michael C. Dougherty, and then shot McGuire in the leg. Pricer escaped. Frank T. Raynor was arrested for fatally beating his wife, Michael Burns was arrested for murdering Margaret Warren, and James Brady and Co. Hallett were arrested yesterday for beating and robbing David McAdam. Those two last villains when arrested proved to be members of a gang, who, early in May forced the wife of McAdam into an alley and attempted an outrage on her person. They were yesterday held in \$5,000 bail.
New York, June 12.—Chilian advices state that the Valparaiso Bank has been victimized to the extent of \$150,000 by forged drafts by A. G. Wendell, said to be the son of Dr. Wendell, of New York.
New York, June 13.—A young German giving his name as John Baker,

Local and Other Items.

Dennville is talking of introducing the Waterons system of fire protection.
A brakeman on the Grand Trunk, named Macbeth, was killed near Paris on Thursday night.
It is said that the Hon. Wm. Armand, of Nova Scotia, has been offered the Colatorship of Halifax.
Rev. Mr. McKerran, Clerk of the Presbyterian Synod, was presented with an address and one thousand dollars at the close of the recent meeting in Ottawa.
The corps of garrison artillery will perform their annual drill under the same regulations as other corps of active militia.
The Cresy J. Wellams libel suit against the *Mercury* will probably be brought up next week at the Assizes in Toronto, and new developments are likely to arise.
The Owen Sound merchants have agreed to close their stores during the summer months at 7 o'clock on all days except Saturday.
Hon. Mr. Robertson, Treasurer of the Province of Quebec, has gone to England to place the Provincial bonds upon the English market.
A CONTRACT for ten miles of the North Shore Railway, between Jacques-Cartier and Port Neuf, Quebec, has already been commenced.
The suicide of Anthony Tindal, of Grey, is now being investigated. A report has been found strychnine in the stomach in quantities sufficient to produce death.
The Rev. Dr. De Sole, Rev. Mr. Myers, and three other Jews of Montreal have appointed a Committee to forward relief to the sufferers by famine in Palestine.
The Chief of the Winnipeg City Police, Mr. Ingraham, has been subjected to an official enquiry. He is charged with firing a pistol prominently, and thereby endangering the lives of the citizens.
The County Council of Bruchelave, in accordance with the petition presented by the inhabitants, passed a By-law for the incorporation of the Village of Teeswater.
Now that the Dominion Parliament is prorogued, and Ottawa has again assumed its original village character, one of its newspapers has been holding forth upon the advantages that obscure spot presents as a watering place and summer resort for pleasure seekers.
At the inquest on the recent fire in Seaford, the Jury returned a verdict that the fire was the work of an incendiary, and recommended the Council to offer a reward of \$300 for such information as would lead to the detection of the guilty party or parties.
Great excitement prevails among the oil producers of Butler County, Pennsylvania, the great bulk of whom are declared to be ruined men. This sufficient explanation is given:—"The low price of oil in 1873 swept away their capital, and the developments of this year have destroyed their credit."
The people of Brampton are taking means to secure a number of servant girls from England. Mayor Haggart and others have taken the matter up, and money is being collected to pay the necessary expenses. Every precaution is to be taken to secure the comfort of the girls, and care will be taken to place them in families where they will be well taken care of.
To-night he will appear in Shakespeare's sublime creation "Hamlet," and we hope for the credit of Guelph that first-class talent will not a second time go unrecognized, but that Mr. King will be greeted by a full house. Such an opportunity will not occur in Guelph for many a day.
The work of dredging at Kineardine harbor has been re-commenced. The dredge formerly in use has been rebuilt.
JAMES CLARKE, son of Mr. Clarke of Goderich Township, was accidentally killed at a barn-raising in the State of Michigan a few days ago. The body was brought home and interred.
DR. SANOSTER COPPERMID.—At a meeting of the Teachers' Association held in Chatham on Saturday a motion, "That the Association do in the strongest terms condemn the candidature of Dr. Sangster," was carried without a single dissenting voice. The feeling was generally in favour of Mr. Goldwin Smith.
THE CHICAGO'S ARRIVAL.—The steamer Chicago arrived at Collingwood on Friday evening at 10 o'clock, with 200 barrels of copper ore, a large quantity of valuable furs, and about 50 passengers. She made the trip to Duluth and return calling at Nepigon and all the shore ports in one week. The captain reports it a mining at Silver Lake is progressing rapidly; a new vein of very rich silver ore has been struck.
THE SOUTHERN EXTENSION.—The *Wingham Times* of last week says that the ballasting on the Southern Extension will be completed this week, and news from headquarters affirm that passenger trains will commence running on Monday next. The chairs and other paraphernalia for the station house were brought up on the trains this week. We are informed that the timber trains will move on the 20th inst.
AN EXPENSIVE GAIL.—A correspondent writes to the *Walkerton Telegraph* complaining of the cost of maintaining the county goal. The communication is suggested by a request sent to the County Council from the turnkey for an increase in his salary of \$50. The turnkey, also, who happens to be the turnkey's daughter, and is a girl yet in her teens, also asks that she receive \$175 instead of \$150 for her services. There were only 19 prisoners in the Walkerton goal during 1873, and yet the cost of supporting the institution was \$1,952 64, while Goderich, with 87 inmates, cost \$1,756 and Stratford, with 96 prisoners, cost \$1,878 37.
SINGULAR ACCIDENT.—The Ottawa *Free Press* tells of a most singular accident. It appears that, as usual, Mr. Cathcart fastened two of his horses together in the stable, and in the morning, on opening the stable door, found the two animals dead. They had become reticulate during the night, and strangled each other by the halters being twisted around their necks. How they had accomplished the feat it would be difficult to describe, but both horses were dead, with their halters so twisted round each other's necks as to leave no doubt that death must have resulted from strangulation.

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At the inquest on the recent fire in Seaford, the Jury returned a verdict that the fire was the work of an incendiary, and recommended the Council to offer a reward of \$300 for such information as would lead to the detection of the guilty party or parties.
Great excitement prevails among the oil producers of Butler County, Pennsylvania, the great bulk of whom are declared to be ruined men. This sufficient explanation is given:—"The low price of oil in 1873 swept away their capital, and the developments of this year have destroyed their credit."
The people of Brampton are taking means to secure a number of servant girls from England. Mayor Haggart and others have taken the matter up, and money is being collected to pay the necessary expenses. Every precaution is to be taken to secure the comfort of the girls, and care will be taken to place them in families where they will be well taken care of.
To-night he will appear in Shakespeare's sublime creation "Hamlet," and we hope for the credit of Guelph that first-class talent will not a second time go unrecognized, but that Mr. King will be greeted by a full house. Such an opportunity will not occur in Guelph for many a day.
The work of dredging at Kineardine harbor has been re-commenced. The dredge formerly in use has been rebuilt.
JAMES CLARKE, son of Mr. Clarke of Goderich Township, was accidentally killed at a barn-raising in the State of Michigan a few days ago. The body was brought home and interred.
DR. SANOSTER COPPERMID.—At a meeting of the Teachers' Association held in Chatham on Saturday a motion, "That the Association do in the strongest terms condemn the candidature of Dr. Sangster," was carried without a single dissenting voice. The feeling was generally in favour of Mr. Goldwin Smith.
THE CHICAGO'S ARRIVAL.—The steamer Chicago arrived at Collingwood on Friday evening at 10 o'clock, with 200 barrels of copper ore, a large quantity of valuable furs, and about 50 passengers. She made the trip to Duluth and return calling at Nepigon and all the shore ports in one week. The captain reports it a mining at Silver Lake is progressing rapidly; a new vein of very rich silver ore has been struck.
THE SOUTHERN EXTENSION.—The *Wingham Times* of last week says that the ballasting on the Southern Extension will be completed this week, and news from headquarters affirm that passenger trains will commence running on Monday next. The chairs and other paraphernalia for the station house were brought up on the trains this week. We are informed that the timber trains will move on the 20th inst.
AN EXPENSIVE GAIL.—A correspondent writes to the *Walkerton Telegraph* complaining of the cost of maintaining the county goal. The communication is suggested by a request sent to the County Council from the turnkey for an increase in his salary of \$50. The turnkey, also, who happens to be the turnkey's daughter, and is a girl yet in her teens, also asks that she receive \$175 instead of \$150 for her services. There were only 19 prisoners in the Walkerton goal during 1873, and yet the cost of supporting the institution was \$1,952 64, while Goderich, with 87 inmates, cost \$1,756 and Stratford, with 96 prisoners, cost \$1,878 37.
SINGULAR ACCIDENT.—The Ottawa *Free Press* tells of a most singular accident. It appears that, as usual, Mr. Cathcart fastened two of his horses together in the stable, and in the morning, on opening the stable door, found the two animals dead. They had become reticulate during the night, and strangled each other by the halters being twisted around their necks. How they had accomplished the feat it would be difficult to describe, but both horses were dead, with their halters so twisted round each other's necks as to leave no doubt that death must have resulted from strangulation.

TARRY JUSTICE.—The Ottawa Free Press says:—In 1844, while the Welland and St. Lawrence Canals were in course of construction, there was employed on the works an ingenious man named Nathaniel Taggart, who had an idea that he could improve upon the system upon which the lock gates were proposed to be constructed. Mr. McTaggart tried to obtain a patent for his design both in this country and in the United States, but a variety of difficulties and obstacles arose, which he could not surmount, and in 1849 the gates used, were constructed and put into the canal locks by Mr. S. Keefer, the name of the inventor never appearing in connection with them, and he getting no credit for the ingenuity he had displayed. Mr. McTaggart died in 1868, leaving his widow in anything but affluent circumstances, and she is now appealing to the Government for some pecuniary aid in recognition of her late husband's talents which have been utilized by others. Dr. Brouse has put a notice upon the paper that he will move in the matter, with a view to obtaining what the widow McTaggart seeks for.

A MESSAGE sent to London states that the Pope has issued a mandate convoking the Synod of Dublin, for the purpose of considering the condition of the Catholics in Ireland. This action, it is needless to say, has caused great excitement throughout the United Kingdom. It is a step which may lead in the present temper and attitude of British political parties to results not dissimilar to those now produced in Prussia.

Judge McKay has dismissed, with costs, the Petition against the election of Mr. M. P. Ryan, Montreal Centre.

Heroic Conduct.
On Sunday the 31st May, as the steamer Dakota was passing through Goose Rapids on her way to Winnipeg, a little girl, daughter of Mr. George White of this city, on route to this place with her family, fell from the aft part of the cabin deck into the river. On the hurricane deck were some eight or nine prisoners in irons going to stand their trial at the U. S. Dist. Court at Pembina. One of these named George Bellmyer on seeing the child fall, sprang overboard, handcuffed as he was, and succeeded in reaching the struggling child and sustaining it against fearful odds, none than once the scolding water closing over both man and child. The engines were promptly stopped, a boat lowered and succeeded in saving both of them. The scene on board was enough to unmute the stoutest heart, both the mother of the child and the wife of the prisoner being on board, and the presidential saving of the noble rescuer and the child called forth feelings which moistened many an eye on board. The irons that bound the prisoners wrists were immediately removed by order of the U. S. Marshal, and a change of clothing provided for him, subsequently a purse of over \$50, taken up by Mr. G. Dougal, of Collingwood, Ontario, was presented to him, accompanied by a testimonial signed by upwards of eighty of the officers and passengers on board, expressing their admiration at his heroic conduct in rescuing the child from certain death at the imminent risk of his own life. There existed but one feeling on board, and that was that his noble conduct fully condoned the offence for which he is to stand his trial, and as his action was witnessed by both judge and jury, who happened to be passengers on the boat, we have every reason to hope that the scene they witnessed on Sunday may recur to their minds and that while doing their duty to their country's laws, they will take into consideration the noble nature that must exist in the heart of that man who was prepared to sacrifice his life for his fellow-creatures. —*Manitoba Free Press.*

Purchasing Church Livings.
The practice of purchasing church livings in Great Britain has been made the subject of sermons from the platform, as well as of very voluminous newspaper correspondence. A Welsh clergyman, in noticing the matter from his pulpit recently, said that 6,000 parishes in England were thus made a subject of bargain and sale, and he added: "You see how it is that parishes are saddled with incumbents who are thoroughly unfit for their office. A boy rector, for instance, or a weak-headed one, comes down from Oxford to fill the incumbency of a large and populous parish. He intrudes all sorts of gin-crackeries, gonnets to the altar, bows to the host, burns incense, lights candles, prays to the Virgin, kisses the crucifix, and drives the old parishioners perfectly wild with his mad Romish tricks. Yet there is not a soul among them that can prevent him. The name of so me great man, he is perfectly safe in his cure. It has been bought and paid for. Every soul there is his by law established to cure and bless in the way he thinks most fit. There is nothing really to prevent a joint stock company of High Churchmen, Low Churchmen, board Churchmen and even Jews, from buying the advowsons and next pretensions at more than half of all the livings in England and Wales, and so in one day take steps to secure to themselves and their own views 6,000 parishes. Looked at in a spiritual point of view, the thing is frightful, abominable, and ridiculous."

GOOD Second-hand Pianos
AT A BARGAIN.
The undersigned have for sale Cheap two good second-hand Pianos, made by STODDART & DUNHAM, New York.
One is as good as New.
We have also on hand a number of new pianos of the best makers, being agents for some of the best Canadian and American Manufacturers.
W. BELL & CO.
Guelph, June 9, 1874. d6w1

SPINEX MILLS, GUELPH.
The subscriber begs to inform the public generally that he has rented the above Mills lately owned by McWaters & Butts and is prepared to do Gristing and Chopping in the very best manner, and on the shortest notice. He is confident that those patronizing him will be fully satisfied. Flour and all kinds of feed always on hand at the lowest rates. Give me a trial.
NICHOLAS SCHWALM,
Guelph, June 9, 1874. w1

ACCIDENT.—William Adams, a workman in Bell & Co's organ factory, had two of his fingers cut off by a circular saw this afternoon.
ONANOVILLE is negotiating for a Silby steam fire engine.
THE "sports" of Harrison talk of instituting a race course.
NEW POTATOES.—A sample of potatoes, the growth of the present season, has been produced in the locality of Mount Forest.

Several medical gentlemen residing in North Wellington and South Grey, have organized a local medical association, with an efficient staff of office-bearers.
THE Philadelphia School Board prohibits the pupils in the public schools from taking home their books. Consequently the Philadelphia children study at school, and parents are no longer forced to do work that teachers are paid for, conscientious all the time that brain labour out of school hours was the worst thing possible for their children.

MURDER ON BOARD SHIP.—There has been a difficulty with some of the crew of the cable steamer Faraday now at Halifax, who have exhibited mutinous conduct and used threats to the officers at sea. While at Foo Bay the ship's stores were broached and taken ashore. The leader of the mutinous conduct, a sailor named Bernard Hirshey, was lodged in goal. Policemen now guard the approaches to the wharf where she lays. Fifty sailors from the flag-ship Bellerophon had to assist in coaling the Faraday, it being impossible to obtain enough laborers to do the work.

The Chicago Times publishes several columns of crop reports from various points throughout the States of Illinois, Iowa, Wisconsin, Indiana, Missouri, Minnesota and Kansas, from which it appears that on an average the acreage of wheat sown is much in excess of that of last year, and that the yield promises to be quite up to the average, and in corn, oats and barley, fully up to the average. The average amount of land has been reseeded and the crops will be large. Fruits of all descriptions never looked better. In several counties in Iowa, Kansas and Minnesota, grasshoppers and chinch bugs have made their appearance.

BIRTHS.
KEEP—In Erinmore, on the 11th inst., the wife of Mr. Thomas G. Reed, of a daughter.

MARRIED.
MCDONALD—YORK—On the 9th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, near Wardsville, Township of Moss, by the Rev. Dr. Davidson, Pastor of the Baptist Church, Guelph, assisted by the Rev. William P. Harleton, of Newbury, and the Rev. William E. Harland, of Blenheim, the Rev. Alexander McDonald, Baptist Minister of the City of Winnipeg, Manitoba, to Miss Lucinda E. York, daughter of Deacon James York, of the Township of Moss, County of Middlesex, Ontario.

Ice Cream Freezers,
Refrigerators,
Ice Picks,
Ice Tongs,
Butter Coolers,
Baths,
Toilet Sets,
Garden Tools,
Fishing Tackle,
Bird Cages,
Floor Oil Cloths
MATS, &c.
—AT—
JOHN HORSMAN'S,
HARDWARE MERCHANT,
GUELPH.

TOWN HALL,
THIS EVENING,
LAST NIGHT,
T.C. KING,
—AND THE—
Montreal Theatre Royal Co.,
IN HAMLET.
Secure seats at Day's Bookstore.

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ST. JOSEPH'S HOSPITAL.
GRAND Charity PIC-NIC!
The Eighth Annual Pic-nic in aid of the Aged and Orphans in St. Joseph's Hospital, will be held on the
Central Exhibition Grounds,
—ON—
Wednesday, 24th of June, 1874.

HORSE RACES.
The first races ever held on the new Driving Park Course will begin at 1 o'clock, p.m. sharp.
1st race—Running, single dash, for horses that have never won public money, 1st prize \$10; 2nd \$7; 3rd \$5.
2nd race—Trotting to harness, best two out of three heats, open to all horses, 1st prize \$10; 2nd \$7; 3rd \$5.
3rd race—Running, single dash, consolation stakes, \$5, for horses beaten in first race.

GAMES AND SPORTS
The programme of Amusements will consist of Ten-pin Alley, Foot ball, Croquet, Quoits, Swings, Merry-go-rounds, etc. Games to commence at 3 o'clock. For list of prizes, see tickets.

BASE BALL MATCH
A grand Exhibition Game of Base Ball will be played at 4:30 o'clock p.m. between the renowned Champions of Canada and a picked nine.
Lawrence's Silver Cornet Band will be in attendance at noon.

BAZAR AND DRAWING OF PRIZES.
There will be a Grand Bazaar and Drawing of Prizes in the Rotunda of the Palace. A number of valuable articles will be awarded to the lucky ones at the exciting Wheel of Fortune.
Refreshments can be purchased on the grounds. Gates open at 9 a.m. Tickets 25 cents. Children half price.
JAMES MAYS, Sr., D. NUNAN, M.D., Secretary and President.
Guelph, June 10, 1874.

HEAD QUARTERS MAPLE LEAF CLUB, CHAMPIONS OF CANADA.

THE Ryan Dead Ball.
SOLE AGENT
FOR THE
RYAN DEAD BALL
IN THE
Province of ONTARIO.

Dealers and Base Ball Clubs buying by the box liberally dealt with.
ALL BASE BALL GOODS IN STOCK AT ANDERSON'S
Bookstore and Base Ball Emporium,
Guelph, Ont.
FOR THE HOT WEATHER.

John M. Bond & Co.
Have a splendid stock of English Silicated Carbon.
Water Filters!
These Filters entirely remove animalcules, colour, taste and odour from water, and deprive it of the organic matter which is so dangerous to drinking water. They are the best possible preventatives of Cholera and all other diseases arising from drinking unwholesome water.
No water should be used for drinking or cooking without being filtered, and no house can be thoroughly furnished without a good filter.

WE have also the celebrated "Arctic" Refrigerator.
JOHN M. BOND & CO.
Hardware Importers,
Wyndham street, Guelph.
WINDOW PAPER
THAT WILL LAST.

Dark Green, Tough, Unpolished
WINDOW PAPER
42 and 36 inch.
A new supply just opened

DAY'S BOOKSTORE
"MONEY TO BE MADE."
The subscriber is authorized to let the store and premises in the village of Eden Mills, lately occupied by Samuel Mendow. These premises are of stone, large and well suited for a general store. The village is situated in the centre of a flourishing farming district. Terms moderate. Apply to Lemmon, Peterson & McLean, Solicitors, Guelph, and to J. A. DAVISON, Township Clerk, Eden Mills, do
May 27, 1874.
STRAYED—From the premises of the subscriber, in Nichol, Lot No. 14, con. 4, on Thursday, May 29th, a two year old gelding roaster, dark bay color. Any one giving such information as will lead to its recovery will be rewarded.
JOHN CORMIE, Fergus.

New Advertisements.
GUELPH TEA DEPOT
E. O'DONNELL & Co.
Have just received in their New Grocery Store

20 hds of Good Sugar that they are going to rush off at 13lbs. for \$1—this beats everything.
350 caddies of extra quality of Young Hyson Tea, they are selling for 80c. per lb. by the caddy.
100 boxes Soap, 2 1/2 lb bars, to be sold at 15c per bar; the other stores sell the same soap for 20 cents.
A big lot of Smoking and Chewing Tobacco at 50c per lb.

The finest stock, the largest stock, the cheapest stock, of Glass ware and Crockery in Guelph at E. O'Donnell's big new Grocery Store.
E. O'DONNELL & CO
Wyndham Street, next door to their old store.

FRESH ARRIVALS DAILY!



5000 Cocoanuts,
100 Boxes Oranges,
50 Boxes Lemons,
10 Barrels Pine Apples,
FOR SALE TO THE TRADE AT CITY PRICES.
HUGH WALKER.
Wyndham-st., Guelph.
Guelph May 5, 1874.

Elephant Clothing Store.
C. E. PEIRCE & CO.
Having just purchased the Bankrupt Stock of Clothing and Gent's Furnishing Goods of Lawson Bros., Hamilton, for 41 cents in the dollar, enables us to sell any line just at one half less than the regular price.

ALL SORTS OF Linen and Lustre COATS!
For Men and Boy's Wear.
English and Canadian Suits
Fashionably cut and well made, at prices never before offered in Guelph.
A large stock of Hats and Caps to be sold very cheap.
Hepburn's Old Stand, Wyndham-st., Guelph.
C. E. PEIRCE & CO.,
GUELPH, June 5th, 1874. dw

T REMENDOUS RUSH.

Our great sale of "Fashionable Millinery" on Saturday last attracted an immense number of purchasers. Our spacious Show rooms were crowded from early morning until late at night, all expressing the highest satisfaction with our magnificent display, and astonished at our wonderful prices.
We will have our stock of "Trimmed Goods" fully replenished by Wednesday morning, and will show on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week the grandest display of Choice Millinery ever witnessed in the town.
First-class Milliners only are engaged in trimming these goods.
Will open to-morrow another lot of CHEAP SUN HATS.
A. O. BUCHAM,
Fashionable West End Dress, Mantle, and Millinery Establishment.

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 rushed 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.
Guelph April 30, 1874. dw

DEBENTURES
County of Waterloo.
\$7,300 County of Waterloo Debentures for sale.
4c of \$1,000 each due in 1883.
3c of \$1,000 each due in 1888.
2c of \$1,000 each due in 1893.
F. J. CHADWICK,
Guelph, June 1, 1874. d&w1

VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.

- The Bank of Commerce—three storey stone block on the corner of Market Place and Wyndham street, comprising the Bank of Commerce, Cormack's Clothing Store, with offices in second and third store. Yielding a total rental of \$1,740. For terms, &c., apply to F. J. CHADWICK, Estate Agent, Herald Block.
- The "Golden Lion" Store, three storey stone building on corner of Wyndham and Macdonnell streets. This is the best dry goods stand in Guelph, at present leased to Mr. J. D. Williamson. For terms, &c., apply to F. J. CHADWICK, Estate Agent, Herald Block.
- The Guelph Seed Store at present leased to C. & A. Sharpe, a two storey stone building on Market Place, running through to Macdonnell street. For price and terms, apply to F. J. CHADWICK, Estate Agent, Herald Block.
- The Queen's Hotel and Billiard Hall, with offices above, having a frontage on Market Place of 70 feet, and a depth of 110 feet to Macdonnell street. All leased to first-class tenants at good rentals. For price and terms apply to F. J. CHADWICK, Estate Agent, Herald Block.
- Excellent building lot for sale—Lot 30 on Preston street, in Ferguson's survey. For price and terms apply to F. J. CHADWICK, Estate Agent, Herald Block.
- 40 feet of most valuable frontage on Market Place between the Billiard Hall and the Saddlery shop, with double entrance from Macdonnell street; upon this lot there are two old tenements. Will be sold on long time for building purposes. For particulars apply to F. J. CHADWICK, Estate Agent, Herald Block.
- Valuable private residence in the West Ward, being a White Brick House, lately erected, with grounds. For particulars apply to F. J. CHADWICK, Estate Agent, Herald Block.
- Two storey double Brick House, on Liverpool Street, at present occupied by two good tenants. There is a full quarter of an acre of land; hard and soft water, stable, &c., and in the most fashionable part of the town. Will be sold in one or two lots to suit. Apply to F. J. CHADWICK, Estate Agent, Herald Block.
- Frame Plastered House with garden, &c., on George street, opposite Hogg's terrace, good tenant. Apply to F. J. CHADWICK, Estate Agent, Herald Block.
- Two Lots at G. T. R. Passenger Station. Apply to F. J. CHADWICK, Estate Agent, Herald Block.
- Lot 109 on Neeve Street, and lot 110 on Bridge street, in Macdonnell's survey, East Ward. Apply to F. J. CHADWICK, Estate Agent, Herald Block.
- Two first-class Stone Dwelling Houses in the East Ward, with good orchards, gardens, &c. For further particulars apply to F. J. CHADWICK, Estate Agent, Herald Block.
- Lots 29 and 30 on Strange street, Tiffany's survey, half an acre. For particulars apply to F. J. CHADWICK, Estate Agent, Herald Block.
- Lots 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36 on Strange street, Tiffany's survey, near Mr. May's, one and a quarter acres. Apply to F. J. CHADWICK, Estate Agent, Herald Block.
- Stone house and acre of land on Waterloo road, about a mile and a half from town, excellent garden, stable, &c. Apply to F. J. CHADWICK, Estate Agent, Herald Block.
- Frame Plastered House and acre of land on the corner of team. Barber's farm, Waterloo road. For price, &c., apply to F. J. CHADWICK, Estate Agent, Herald Block.
- Lot 2 in the 7th Con., Township of Luther, 200 acres, next to Simpson's Steam Saw Mill, 150 acres nearly cleared. Apply to F. J. CHADWICK, Estate Agent, Herald Block.
- Lot 5, in the 9th Con., Luther, 200 acres, well timbered. Apply to F. J. CHADWICK, Estate Agent, Herald Block.
- West half of Lot No. 18, in 3rd Con., Township of Amaranth, 100 acres. Apply to F. J. CHADWICK, Estate Agent, Herald Block.
- South half of east half of lot 14, in the 8th Con. of Amaranth, 50 acres. Apply to F. J. CHADWICK, Estate Agent, Herald Block.
- Row of three two storey frame plastered dwelling houses on corner of Durland and Glasgow streets. Apply to F. J. CHADWICK, Estate Agent, Herald Block.
- Lots 1 and 38, corner of London road and road leading to St. Joseph's Hospital, in Buckland's survey. Apply to F. J. CHADWICK, Estate Agent, Herald Block.
- Three lots on Liverpool street. Fenced in and cultivated. (Next to Mr. Thomas Hatherley's) Apply to F. J. CHADWICK, Estate Agent, Herald Block.
- Lot 36, one and a half acres on Dufferin street, in St. George's glebe survey. Apply to F. J. CHADWICK, Estate Agent, Herald Block.
- Lot 5 and 22, double frontage on Woolwich road and Dufferin street. Apply to F. J. CHADWICK, Estate Agent, Herald Block.
- Lot 29 corner of Dufferin and Clarence streets, half acre. Apply to F. J. CHADWICK, Estate Agent, Herald Block.
- Lot 19, corner of Earl and Dufferin streets, St. George's glebe. Apply to F. J. CHADWICK, Estate Agent, Herald Block.



CHEAP DRY GOODS

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GEORGE JEFFREY'S.

5,000 Yards of Fancy Dress Goods at 12 cents worth 25 cents,

8,000 Yards of Eancy Dress Goods at 25 cents worth 50 cents.

1,000 Parasols, Silk and Gingham, at 25 cents worth \$1.

Black Lace Shawls and Capes from \$1.25,

Costumes of the Latest Designs, at very low prices.

LADIES CALL EARLY AND PROCURE SOME OF THE BARGAINS.

GEORGE JEFFREY, GUELPH

AT THE LION
GUELPH



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GUELPH

Another Large Lot of Goods by the
last Steamer from Liverpool
NOW ARRIVING AT THE LION.

Golden Lion, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

J. D. WILLIAMSON.

TURNIP SEED!

G. & A. HADDEN

Have now on hand a full supply of all the leading varieties of Turnip Seed,
THIS SEASON'S IMPORTATION

Warranted fresh and true to name, which they have every confidence in recommending
to their customers and the public generally.

Also just received a large shipment of finest

NEW SEASON TEAS

In Mysore, Uncoloured, Japan, Gun Powder, Souchong and Congous, to which they
would direct special attention.

The Unrivalled Excellence of our Teas is Universally
Admitted.
TRY THEM.

New Sugar in Crushed, Loaf, Ground, Porto Rico, Demerara
and Refined.

G. & A. HADDEN.

Guelph, May 27, 1874.

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THE NOTED TEA HOUSE
No. 2, DAY'S BLOCK.

Try our EIGHTY CENT TEA:
Equal to any Tea sold in
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One trial will convince.

J. E. McELDERRY
2 DAY'S BLOCK,
THE NOTED TEA HOUSE

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

William Stewart

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THE

First Lot of 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
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LOWER PRICES THAN LAST YEAR

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Guelph, March 23, 1874 dw

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IMPORTATIONS.

JAS. CORMACK

Tailor and Clothier,

No. 1, Wyndham Street,

Is now receiving a large and beautiful
assortment of

Goods suitable for the Season, con-
sisting of Plain and Fancy Wool-
lens in the best and newest
patterns.

Hats, Caps, Shirts, Col-
lars, Ties, &c.

IN GREAT VARIETY.

JAMES CORMACK,

Guelph, April 21, 1874. dw

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.

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BURR & SKINNER,
Manufacturers and Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Furniture

REMOVAL.

G. B. FRASER

Has removed directly opposite his old
stand, where he has opened with a bran
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 chiefs, 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 21, 1874. ap

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.

GUELPH, March 21, 1874

Shaw & Murton,

MERCHANT TAILORS

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. G. Y. Proprietor.

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.

Plasterer has constantly on hand for
sale.
MOULTON & BISH
Guelph, Jan 1, 1874 dw

port of the Union for the year. Rev. W. F. Clarke read a paper on "The introduction of ministers into the Congregational body."
The annual meeting of the Congregational Missionary Society was held in the afternoon.
The Home Secretary, the Rev. J. Wood, read the annual report. The report dealt with the work of the churches aided by the Societies. The self-supporting churches were not, therefore, touched upon. The income of the Society for the last year amounted to \$8,922.91.
The Congregational Union of Nova Scotia were asked to name four of their number to act on the General Committee of the Society.
A proposal was made to the Society to aid the other Societies in securing the services of a minister as a general officer to do the following work: To edit the Independent magazine, to be Superintendent of Missions, and to be Home Secretary also.
This was adopted, and the salary of such officer was fixed at \$600 per annum.
Afterwards a meeting of the Indian Missionary Society was held.
The report spoke encouragingly of the work. The funds of the Society are two hundred dollars in advance of last year. One or two new buildings are needed for several bands on the Great Manitoulin.
At the evening meeting of the Union, Rev. Mr. Fenwick of Kilmarnock read a paper on the "Revival Work of 1874."
Mr. Robert Mackay, a Scottish Evangelist, sent out to work in the Congregational interest, gave an account of the revival work in Aberdeen.
The Rev. Charles Duff spoke of the gracious work of God in Beech Meadows and Brooklyn, Nova Scotia.
On Friday, among the applications for membership in the Union was one from Rev. Wm. Manchee of Guelph.
A meeting of the College Board was held. The number of students in theology last year was nine, and this work has been performed in a most creditable manner.
Thereafter a meeting of the Provident Fund Society was held. It is in a sound and flourishing condition, and is well sustained by the Church.
The Rev. Henry Sanders, of Hamilton, then gave a lecture on "The Ministry for the Times." The Rev. John Fraser followed on "The Church for the Times."
DIRECT ACTION STEAM PUMPING ENGINE.—A machine for pumping large quantities of water is exciting considerable attention in Hamilton, where the inventor resides. The power produced is by the direct action of the steam without the aid of the engine—the pump, in fact, being a simplified engine itself, having two chambers into which the water is drawn from below, by vacuum caused by the condensation of steam in each alternately, and discharged also alternately by the force of the entering steam. The water chambers being emptied alternately a constant discharge of steam is kept up while steam is on. By a little valve in an air chamber at the rear of the pump a certain quantity of air is let in at the moment of each discharge, which in coming in contact with the steam and water produces a sort of explosion which adds great effect to the discharge. With only about 30 pounds of steam on and a steam pipe of 3-8 in. diameter on the inside, the pump throws out 50 gallons of water a minute; and one pound of steam raises a 24 inch volume of water two feet high with the same pump.

BASE BALL ITEMS.

The Independents, of Guelph, were defeated by the Athletics, of Elora, on Saturday last, in a ten innings game by the following score:—

INDEPENDENTS.	ATHLETICS.	O. R.
T. Hower, 3 b. 4	A. Smart, ss. 2	4
J. Watt, r. f. 5	Craig, p. 3	4
E. Curtis, c. 2	W. Hunter, 1 b. 3	5
W. Craig, p. 6	Hunter, 1 b. 3	5
G. Martin, s. 3	P. Smith, 3 b. 5	5
J. Hower, 2 b. 2	C. Godfrey, r. f. 3	4
E. Abbot, 1 b. 2	L. Allan, c. 3	4
J. Morgan, 1 f. 2	D. Dalby, r. f. 3	4
J. Howard, c. f. 2	W. Gordon, 3 b. 6	0
30 2	30 29	30 29

BUNS EACH INNINGS.

Independents..... 1 2 2 4 2 6 1 2—28
Athletics..... 1 2 1 3 1 1 4 6 1—39

Umpire, H. Spence, Maple Leaf, Guelph; time of game, 3 hours.

M. L. B. C.—A meeting of the above club is advertised for Wednesday evening.

On Saturday afternoon a fine match was played at the Queen's Park Toronto between the Athletics, and the Union Printers' Base Ball Club. During the first part of the game it was thought that the Athletics would have the best of it, but the Printers, as soon as they commenced showed that they did not mean to be easily disposed of, and finally won the match in fine style. The following are the

BUNS EACH INNINGS.

Athletic..... 6 0 2 0 5 5 4 2—26
Printers..... 1 2 7 0 8 4 0 5—29

A match game was played at Lifford on Saturday between the Independents, of Franklin, and the Lifford club, resulting in a victory for the former by twenty runs, the score standing 110 to 90.

PROFESSIONAL GAMES.

In the match on Saturday the Mutuals scored 19, the Bostons, 11.

On Friday, on the Union Grounds, the Athletics of Philadelphia sustained a defeat at the hands of the Mutuals, of New York, in their fourth championship match. About 1,000 persons witnessed the game. The playing of Burdick and Allison for the Mutuals and that of Satton and Battin for the Athletics was most conspicuous. The following is the score by innings:—

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Mutuals	0	0	2	0	0	0	7	8	0
Athletic	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0

The fourth championship game between the champion Red Stockings and the new nine of the Baltimore club was played at Baltimore on Friday, and was witnessed by about 1,000 persons. The game being played with a lively ball, coupled with the hard condition of the ground, rendered fine fielding very difficult. Both nines' batting was heavy, the Baltimore hitting spurling for 26 total base hits to 19 made by the Bostons. Following is the score by innings:—

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Boston	0	0	2	2	0	1	0	0	0
Baltimore	0	2	0	4	3	4	1	2	1

The fifth game for the championship, between the Baltimore and Chicago of Chicago, was played at Baltimore on Saturday, and resulted in favour of the latter by 14, Baltimore, 11 runs earned—Chicago, 4; Baltimore, 3.

THE CRICKET MATCH.—The match on Friday last between the St. Catharines and Guelph clubs on the grounds of the former, was not finished on account of the rain. We are consequently unable to give any score.

Unfair Equalization.

(From the Elora Express.)

Just now the people of Centre Wellington are deeply interested in the equalization of the assessment of the municipalities grouped for the payment of a bonus to the Credit Valley Railway, as the amount to be paid yearly by each municipality will be used to equalize assessed value. A reference to the table of equalized assessment for 1874 will show how the share of taxation to be borne by the various municipalities in the group is likely to be levied; take the Town of Orangeville and the Villages of Fergus and Elora as a sample of the unfairness of local assessors and the uselessness of equalization as now carried out. Orangeville Town has a population not less than 2,500—Elora and Fergus Villages have each a population of about 1,600; Orangeville is next to Guelph in Wellington in wealth, enterprise, population, acreage, and growth. Yet its assessor modestly puts down its personal property and assessable income at \$8,750, while Elora stands at \$8,025, and Fergus at \$7,200, and unpretending little Arthur estimates its income at \$1,500. In real estate Orangeville puts itself down for 188,000, Elora at 279,360, and Fergus at 319,815. The totals of real and personal stand for Orangeville 199,750, Elora 287,385, and Fergus 369,015. Taking 60 per cent. of the amounts returned upon the rolls, in accordance with section 22 of the new Assessment Law, the revised amount of the Real and Personal of Orangeville stood at 118,050, of Elora at 179,411, and of Fergus at 221,427. Exercising its right of increasing or diminishing the assessed valuation of the town and villages, the Assessment Committee made the total equalized value of Orangeville 200,000, of Elora 255,000, and of Fergus 280,000. How this decision was arrived at puzzles us to determine. Was it not a mere jump in the dark? For years it has been a rule to rate Elora a little less than Fergus, because both places are regarded as about of equal value, but why a place considerably larger and more wealthy than either, and with nearly a thousand more population, should be taxed one fifth less for County purposes is hard to tell. The "why" is with standing out, and nothing less than an appeal to the County Judge would solve the mystery. Unless a fairer equalization is given next year, such an appeal will have to be made. Meanwhile we have said enough to show what a game of chance or grab is equalization by an Assessment Committee.

Among the passers by the Circassians were a party of French coal cutters and their families, who have left for the Cape Breton and Pictou mines.

William Cochrane, who was sentenced to the Provincial Penitentiary for seven years a few months ago for barn-burning in King's county, has been pardoned on condition of leaving the Dominion.

A MODEL TORY JOURNAL.—A short article that appeared in this journal two weeks ago about Government patronage, has led the London Herald to make the charge that the Reform press of this Province has been in the habit of copying Government advertisements from the Gazette, and the first intimation the authorities had of it was the arrival of the bills. Now we don't wish to quarrel with the Herald, any more than a den of polcats, or a crew of roaring bullies; but we wish to tell the story so far as this journal is concerned, its charge is as untrue as it is audacious. We had in this town a few years ago, an idiot which whose daily habit was to post herself on the street corners and assail unoffending passers-by with sticks, stones and filth and nasty words. That which was a fine type of the London Herald.—St. Thomas Journal.

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

The New Connexion Methodist Church, Arkwright was burned on Saturday afternoon. Loss, \$670. No insurance.

Commercial.

WOOL MARKET.

Prospects in Montreal are that prices will rise high. The season opened at 32 cents. Toronto prices range from 31c to 33c. Hamilton quotations note an advance from 36c to 37c, in a few cases as high as 37c. Goderich buyers pay from 33c to 37c, and the market is lively. Paris prices range from 32c to 35c. In Galt last week prices ran from 36c as high as 38c. This produced a supply, and the prices fell somewhat. In Clinton, buyers are paying from 37c to 40c. Georgetown quotes at 33c to 36c. Drayton market gives latest quotations at 28c to 30c.

Guelph Markets.

Mercury Office, June 15.

About 2,000 lbs. of wool were sold in our market to-day, at an advance on prices previously quoted, from 37c. to 40c. being paid.

Flour, per 100 lbs.	83 00	to	83 50
Full Wheat, per 100 lbs.	2 00	to	2 00
Treadwell do.	95	to	2 00
Spring Wheat (Glasgow) 1 85	to	1 92	
Spring Wheat (red chaff) 1 70	to	1 75	
Oats do.	1 35	to	1 41
Peas do.	95	to	1 00
Barley, new do.	0 00	to	0 00
Hay, per ton	10 00	to	14 00
Straw do.	3 00	to	5 00
Wood, per cord	4 00	to	5 00
Eggs, per dozen	10	to	14
Butter, dairy packed	09	to	09
Butter, rolls	16	to	17
Potatoes, per bag	40	to	60
Apples, per 100 lbs.	60	to	1 50
Beef, per cwt.	4 00	to	7 50
Wool do.	37	to	40
Lamb skins each	25	to	30
Felts each	20	to	25

Toronto Markets.

Toronto June 13.

Fall Wheat, per bushel.	81 25	to	81 31
Spring Wheat do.	2 00	to	2 00
Barley do.	0 00	to	0 75
Oats do.	54	to	71
Peas do.	70	to	75
Dress do.	8 00	to	8 50
Butter, lb. rolls	23	to	25
Butter, tub dairy	17	to	20
Butter, fresh per lb.	18	to	20
Corn do.	6 00	to	6 20
Clover do.	3 25	to	3 75
Timothy do.	60	to	25
Butter, tub do.	12	to	16
Apples, per bag	1 50	to	1 75
Potatoes do.	1 50	to	1 74
Wool do.	36	to	37

Hamilton Markets.

Hamilton, June 11.

White wheat, per bushel.	81 25	to	81 30
Spring Wheat do.	1 24	to	1 25
Delhi do.	0 00	to	0 00
Red wheat do.	18	to	1 20
Spring wheat do.	0 00	to	0 00
Oats do.	55	to	67
Barley do.	1 30	to	1 45
Peas do.	65	to	70
Corn do.	70	to	70
Butter, fresh per lb.	12	to	14
Clover do.	6 00	to	6 20
Timothy do.	3 25	to	3 75
Butter, tub do.	12	to	16
Apples, per bag	1 50	to	1 75
Potatoes do.	1 50	to	1 74
Wool do.	36	to	37

DR. WHEELER'S ELIXIR OF PHOSPHATES and Calisaya.—After having used your Compound Elixir of Phosphates and Calisaya for over two years in my daily practice, I must give it my unqualified approbation. During a practice of over twenty years, I have used many scientifically prepared compounds, made to fulfil the same therapeutic indications as your Elixir, but none of them proved with me as valuable as yours. To the medical profession and the public, I would especially recommend it as the best remedy with which I am acquainted for the successful treatment of the large and constantly increasing class of cases of over-worked and nerve-exhausted women. Yours truly,
N. WATKINS BUEL, M.D.

DOMINION BOOT AND SHOE STORE

SPRING STOCK

OR

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

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 organs would do well to avail themselves of it.

An inspection invited.

Accountant person will be the promoter, near Mr. F. H. 1874, who will show the instruments.

Guelph, March 19, 1874

RAYMOND'S SEWING MACHINES

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, ONTARIO.

IN GUELPH

Under the management of H. D. Morehouse, and are prepared to loan money on the security of Improved Farms and Productive City or 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

Mys. Wilson's MYSTIC PILLS

Cure LEUCORRHOEA (or Whites) PAINFUL MENSTRUATION, ULCERATION of the UTERUS, OVARIAN DISEASE, ABSENT MENSTRUATION, 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 infallible

FEMALE REGULATOR. Price, one box, \$1; six boxes, \$5; sent by mail free of postage securely sealed from observation. For full particulars write for our pamphlet, which 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.,
Windsor, Ont.

Sold in Guelph by E. Harvey, and all druggists everywhere. Northon & Lyman, Toronto; and J. Winer, Hamilton, Wholesale Agents.

POWELL'S Boot and Shoe Store

NEW SPRING GOODS

Men's English and American styles of

Gaiters and Shoes; NEW GOODS.

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. 29th, 1874. dw.

R. Macgregor & Co.

GOOD BOOTS AND SHOES

The quality of the Goods we sell in our boot advertisement, making prices as low as possible, is well known to all who have seen our goods and felt at the lowest possible prices.

GUELPH, MAY 15, 1874.

R. Macgregor & Co.

TO THE PUBLIC.

Soda Water & Ice Cream

W. J. LITTLE

Has now in operation his first-class

SODA FOUNTAIN

Where the lovers of that delightful beverage can quench their thirst at all times. He has also fitted up a room where Ice Cream is dispensed with a liberal hand, and trusts he shall receive a share of public patronage. All kinds of

Bread, Cakes and Confectionery, constantly on hand.

W. J. LITTLE, 41w
Guelph, June 1st, 1874

THOS. WORSWICK

MACHINISTS' TOOLS

Complete with best modern attachments.

STEAM ENGINES

Of a superior class, with variable cut off. Also cheap Portable and Stationary Engines, the smaller sizes of which are designed for Printing Offices, and others requiring small power.

Jobbing will Receive Careful Attention.

THOS WORSWICK
Guelph, Ont.
4wv
Dec 17, 1873

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AGENCY COMPANY

(LIMITED)

This Company have opened a Branch Office

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Guelph, May 15, 1874

THE GUELPH Mercury and Advertiser

The EVENING MERCURY AND ADVERTISER is published every afternoon. Terms \$1 per annum in advance, or \$5. Dollars per quarter in advance. Situations Vacant, Situations Wanted, Houses for Sale or to Rent, Board, Cattle Strayed, Lost Articles, Specific Articles for Sale, etc., not to exceed five lines in length, 25 cents for each insertion; for the same over five lines and up to 10 lines 50 cents each insertion, and so on in proportion. Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths charged at the rate of 25 cents for each insertion; funeral notices 25 cents additional. Paragraph advertisements, special notices, or advertisements in special local inserts after the reading matter, but not among 10 lines, first insertion, 25 cents; for 10 lines 50 cents first insertion, and so on in proportion.

The WEEKLY MERCURY AND ADVERTISER is published every Thursday morning. It has now a GUARANTEE CIRCULATION FIVE TIMES MORE THAN THAT OF ANY OTHER PAPER PUBLISHED IN THIS COUNTY AND EQUAL TO THAT OF ANY WEEKLY IN CANADA, OUTSIDE OF TORONTO. Terms:—\$1.50 a year in advance; credit \$2.00.

RATES OF ADVERTISING.—For transient advertisements 5 cents per nonpareil line per insertion, and 3 cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Situations Vacant, Situations Wanted, Farms or Houses for Sale or to Rent, Board, Cattle Strayed, Lost Articles, and all advertisements of that class not exceeding 10 lines, solid nonpareil space, 20 cents first insertion, and 25 cents each subsequent insertion, cash at the time. If booked 25 per cent. more will be charged. For any space over ten lines, the rate will be the same proportion. The average number of words in a 10 line advertisement are 40.

Paragraph advertisements, special notices or advertisements intended as local inserts after the reading matter, but not among 10 lines, first insertion, 25 cents; for 10 lines, first insertion, and so on in proportion. Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths charged at the rate of 25 cents for each insertion; funeral notices 25 cents additional. Paragraph advertisements, special notices, or advertisements in special local inserts after the reading matter, but not among 10 lines, first insertion, 25 cents; for 10 lines 50 cents first insertion, and so on in proportion. Contract advertisements changed often than once a month charged extra.

J. H. ROMAIN & Co.,

Successors to Nelles, Romain & Co., CANADA HOUSE.

General Commission Merchants.

AND WHOLESALE,
26, City National Bank Building, Chicago, Ill.

Reference: Sir John Rose, banker London, England; F. W. Thomas, Esq., banker Montreal; The Marine Company of Chicago, bankers; Hon. J. C. Craig, and Hon. Messrs. Gault Bros., merchants, Montreal; Senator F. Smith (Frank Smith & Co.) Toronto; J. J. Miller, Esq., Perth, Ont.; J. M. Miller & Co., commission merchants Chicago; W. Watson, Esq., banker New York; D. Hatters, Esq., Montreal; J. W. Whitehead, Esq., Montreal; J. M. Whitehead, Esq., M. P. Hamilton, Ont.; T. C. Chisholm, Esq., M. P. Toronto, Ont.

IRON CASTINGS

Of all kinds, made to order at

CROWE'S IRON WORKS,

Norfolk Street, Guelph.

15w JOHN CROWE, Proprietor

HART & SPIERS,

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. Spiers in the above business, and while expressing his great acknowledgments for the liberal share of patronage bestowed upon him for the past three years, would respectfully solicit the continuance of the same to the new firm.

All business entrusted to us will receive prompt and careful attention.

Deeds, Mortgages, Wills, Leases, etc. etc. neatly and correctly prepared.

Money always on hand in sums to suit borrowers, 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.

Agents for the Commercial Union Assurance Company of London, England.

HART & SPIERS,
4 Day's Block, Guelph, Ont.

MONEY TO LOAN

ON FARM SECURITY.

The undersigned have \$25,000 for investment in Mortgage on Farms, in sums to suit borrowers, with interest at 5 per cent., for periods from 5 to 15 years.

Early applications requested.

Guelph, March 18, 1874

MONEY TO LEND,

In sums to suit borrowers. No solicitors fees or commission charged.

Apply to the undersigned.

GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN,
April 16, 1874

GINGER ALE

SODA WATER

JOHN A. WOOD

Belfast Ginger Ale,
Montreal Ginger Ale,
Schweppes Soda Water
Montreal
Schweppes Seltzer Water
Montreal

JOHN A. WOOD

Guelph, May 30, 1874

A LARGE SUPPLY

PARIS GREEN

FOR

Poisoning Potato Bugs

AND

HELLEBORUS

FOR WORMS ON GOOSEBERRY
ON OTHER BUSHES AT

G. H. McIntyre

(LATE McCULLOUGH'S)

NEW DRUG STORE

No. 3, Day's Block

Next door to J. E. McDermid's and opposite John Horner's.

PRESTON'S Mineral Baths

Artesian Springs

These celebrated Mineral Baths are open to the public. Hot, cold, and sulphur baths, together with all convenient accommodation, and amusement found at such places, such as billiard, croquet ground, apparatus for combined exercises and amusement facilities for fishing.

The above baths are in connection with the North American Hotel, and the management of an American gentleman of experience in the business, and he may rest assured that he undertakes for them in every respect. The proprietor has also built a railway which may be used as a driving line in connection with the Ansonia from all trains.

H. MULLOY, M.D., L. STON
Consulting Physician. Preston, May 29, 1874.

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.

1874

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, 1.25, " 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 lines 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.

Watches, Clocks, and Jewellery

BE CONTINUED

For a short time longer, where bargains are still being given.

STILL ON HAND

A FINE LOT OF

Watches, Clocks, Jewellery, etc.

Call early and judge for yourselves.
Store next the Post Office.
Guelph, June 3, 1874. R. CRAWFORD, dw

JUST RECEIVED

A FINE LOT OF

GOLD FISH,

ALSO,

Globes for the Fish.

Come and Get One.

DAILY RECEIVING,

Cheap Window Plants

Bouquets,

Pine Apples,

Bananas, &c.,

AT

R. EVANS'S
Cheap Fruit Store,
WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH,

Next to Jackson & Halletts.
June 6th, 1874.

CANADA

Agricultural Insurance Company

Capital - - - One Million

HEAD OFFICE, MONTREAL.

President—Col. A. C. De L. Harwood, D.A.G.
Vice President—Wm. Angus, Esq.,
Managing Director and Secretary—Ed. H. Goff, Esq.
Inspector—James H. Smith.

This Company has been organized for the express purpose of insuring Farm Property and Private Residences, and it is the determination of its Directors to confine its operations strictly to this class of business, thus avoiding heavy losses from sweeping fires and hazardous risks.

An arrangement has been completed by which this Company takes over the Canadian Policies and Renewals of the Agricultural Insurance Company of Watertown, N.Y., which at once places the Company in possession of a large and profitable business.

Farmers and others will consult their own interests by insuring in this Company—a Canadian Stock Home Company.

For further information please call on our Agent,

WM. J. PATRICKSON,
Day's Block, Guelph,
Guelph, June 5th, 1874.

EGG

For Hatching

From the following varieties of pure bred Poultry, for which I have taken first premiums at all the principal shows:

DARK BRAHMAS
LIGHT BRAHMAS
PARTICULAR COCHINS
WHITE COCHINS
GOLDEN SPANGLED HAMBURGS
SILVER do do
White Faced BLACK SPANISH
AYLESBURY DUCKS

Price \$3 per doz.

F. STURDY,
May 23, 1874. dwv GUELPH.

LIME,

BRICKS and TILES

FOR SALE.

The subscribers are prepared to furnish Lime in quantities to suit purchasers at the Kilns on the York Road, Guelph.

Also, cement on hand, first-class Bricks and Tiles, at their residence, Liverpool-st., Guelph.

PEARSON & SON,
Guelph, March 31, 1874.

SEWING MACHINES FOR SALE.

For sale several first-class Sewing Machines, different makers, all new, cheap for cash. Apply at the Mercury Office.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

Trains leave Guelph as follows:

1:45 a.m.; 9:45 a.m.; 1:55 p.m.; 6:00 p.m.; 8:10 p.m.	WEST.
7:00 a.m.; 11:00 a.m.; 1:40 p.m.; and 7:25 p.m.	EAST.

GINGER ALE

SODA WATER

JOHN A. WOOD

Belfast Ginger Ale,
Montreal Ginger Ale,
Schweppes Soda Water
Montreal
Schweppes Seltzer Water
Montreal

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