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t)tice-Opposite Town Hall, Guelph. dw TEPHEN BOULT, Architect, Con-tractor and Builder. Planing Mill, and very kind of Joiner's Work prepared for the rade and the public. The Factory is on Quebecstreet, Guelph.

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

The room has just been refitted in spleidd style, the tables reduced in size, an everything done to make it a first-classifilliard Hall.
Guelph.Nov.3rd.1873.

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The subscribers are prepared to furnish Lime in quantities to suit purchasers at the Klins on the York Road, The Also, constantly on hand fire-class Bricks and Tries, at their residence, Liverpool-st, Guelph.

Guelph, March 31, 1874. PEARSON & SON. DOMINION SALOON

### RESTAURANT.

Deposite the Market, Guelph.

The subsection begs to notify his friends and the bolio that he is now proprise or of the above saloon, and hopes by keeping nose but first-classifyors and cigars to receive a share of public patronage.

Oysters in their season. First-class accommodation for supper parties.

Guelph, April 7,1874 dly

DARKER'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 favorite styles. on Lobsters and Sardines.

HOTEL CARD. The Right Man in the Right Place.

Thomas Ward, late of the Crown Hotel' bogs to inform the travelling public that he has acquired possess'on of the Victoria Hotel, next dor to the post office, where he hopes by douctory, attention and good reinds. The best of Liquors, Wines, Cigars, &c.,constantly on hand. A good hostler always in attendance, Romemberthe spotness door to the post office.

Guelph, Dec. 11 NGZ.

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Plasterers' hair constantly on handfor ale.

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MONEY TO LEND, In sums to suit borrowers. No solicitors
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Applydirect to the undersigned.
GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN,
April 16, 1874 dvtf Guelph

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Clothes Cleaner and Renovator

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FRIDAY EV'NG, MAY 8, 1874

WANTED—A Cook.
Apply to Mrs. Lemon. 17-du
SERVANT WANTED — Wanted, a
first-class servant. Apply at Andersor!
28-date.

DOARD WANTED —By a young man in a first-class boarding house or in private family. Address box 18, Guelph. 3

New Advertisements.

run a moulding machine, t's Planing Mill, Guelph. PONY FOR SALE. — Pony for sal fouryears old, quiet to ride or driv acoustomed to children. Apply at the mine. — air, dtf.

TWO SOFT WATER TANKS FOR sale, fined with lead. "Size, 6 ft. x 3 ft. depth, 4 ft. 6 in.; and 6 ft. x 3 ft. depth, 4 ft. Apply to Rock Post Office, Guelph, April 16, 1674.

MONEY, MONEY, MONEY.

nlimited supply on good Farm an Security. Lowest rates and mos ate charges Guelph, May 1, 1874. HART & SPEIRS,

TO BUILDERS.

Parties desirous of tendering for the work to be done in converting a stone building into three dwellings may see the plans and specifications, and obtain full particulars at my office, on and after FRIDAY, the Sthinst. Sealed Tenders addressed to me will be received up to noon on SATURDAY, tieth inst.

WICTOR STEWART, Architect, Brownlow's Buildings. Guelph, May 7th, 1874.

**Brass Castings** 

MADE TO ORDER BY HARLEY & HEATHER,

IRON FOUNDERS,

Huskisson street, east side Market house Guelph, April 27th, 1874. dw3m

TOWN OF GUELPH. TO CONTRACTORS.

Tenders for forming and grading a Driving Track on the Central Exhibition Ground; also for altering and enlarging the Ticket Office, will be received at my office till Thursday, the 14th inst. Plan and Specifications may be seen on and and Specifications may be seen on and after the 7th inst.

JOHN HARVEY, Town Clerk.

Town Clerk's Office, May 4tn, 1874.

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REAUTIFUL

**FLOWERS** 

A WHOLE CAR-LOAD

Of Beautiful Flowers Will arrive To-morrow

When parties will do well to call before purchasing elsewhere.

Bouquets, Ripe Pine Apples,

Lettuce, &c. A FINE LOT of GOLD FISH

CONTINUALLY ON HAND AT R. EVAN'S NEW FRUIT STORE.

18.74

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EMPORIUM Of Wall Paper, School Books, Jewell Wools, Toys, and

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i	Dead Wnite : \$1.25, worth	\$2.
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Fall lines of Fancy Goods, Wools, Jewe'ery, and Toys.
He'r Goods, Combs and Small Wares
AT J. HUNTER'S,
Berlin Wool, Fancy Goods and Toy Store
Wyndhum Street Guelibb.

RETURNED TO GUBLPH.

D. TRIPP Begs to inform his old friends and the pub-lic that he has returned to Guelph and opened his

Boot and Shoe Store on Market Square,

Next to Pallister's Hotel.

He begs to thank them for past favours, and hones to continue to receive their pa-



**Town and County News** THE Maple Leaf B. B. C. meet on the

SMALL-Pox.—The Drayton Enterprise says that there is only one case of small-oox in the village, and the business ortion is entirely free of any danger

the Fergus Foundry and machine shop in full working order. The people of the vicinity are rejoicing, and will no doubt encourage "home manufacture."

FOR THE FARM .- The Principal of the Lambert, of Harriston, one of his cele-brated drum land rollers, as well as other farming implements, for use on the perfect harmony. How his little digite

WALL PAPERS, &c .- Mr. J. Hunter directs special attention in our advertis-ing columns to his fine stock of wall papers, school books, stationery and base

observed, and we would like to see

sends us the following problem:—If it takes six days to lay 60 yards of side-walk on Norfolk street, how long will it take to finish the widewalk on Elliott's hill? An answar is requested either from the Chairman of the Road and Bridge Committee or the Inspector of streets and

ANCIENT ORDER OF FORESTERS .- The Toronto Courts of this excellent Friendly Benefit Society will celebrate their second Annual Feter and Jubileo in the city of Toronto, about the end of July next. Bands are invited to compete for various prizes which will be offe mittee. The amount of \$3,000 Amateur, and Fife and Drum Bands in this neighborhood can obtain further information on application to Bro. H. Daines, Box 240, Post Office, Toronto.

Daines, Box 240, Post Office, Toronto.

A STRAY HUBBAND WANTED.—Many of our readers in Guelph will remember Gaston J. Smith, a noted vocalist, who some years ago charmed them with his fine singing. He turned out to be a fine singing. He turned out to be a sort of a dead beat, and worse than all it seems that he deserted his wife and child, for we fird the following in a Chicago paper:—"Personal—Gaston J. Smith, or anyone knowing of his whereabouts, please write to his unhappy wife and child. Stradbroke, Suffolk. For the control of the

Smith, for we fird the children's Personal—chart and the size of the company of t S. Allchin, was held in the rooms last night warm words of welcome and encouragement to the new Sceretary. To these Mr. Allehin replied at some length, stating that he had considered the call as coming from God, and that after earnest prayer he had resclved to accept it. He spoke of the duties of the Association and of each individual member, and of his duties as Secretary, and requested the sympathies and prayers of the members. Mr. Allehin was requested to take his position on the 18th inst. A Committee was then appointed to advise with the Secretary as to his duties, consisting of Messrs. Harley, Slaker, Anderson and Dalgleish. It was announced that at next meeting Mr. Robert Shaw would read an essay on "The Millennium." After the transaction of some other business the meeting was closed with singing and prayer. 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 oast pastenage, and trusts he will continue to the rubit generally. Besidenes Devonshire street, Guelph April 29, 1874.

Rewing MACHINES FOR SALE.—
Formale, severalitest—class Sewine Machines, different makers, all rew heapfor seh. Apply at the Menguray Office.

R. Campbell, L.D.S. days the mapping of Messrs. Harley, Slaker, Anderson and Dalgleish. It was announced that at again propared to attend to the wants of all who may require his services.

Office at the old stand, Wyndham street, siness the meeting was closed with sing-duelph. April 22rd, 1874.

Guelph, April 22rd, 1874.

A Musical Genius.

We have in Walkerton at this moment a great musical wonder. A son of Mr. Charles Fox, the jeweller, late of Galt, possesses the most rare musical gifts. He is only three and a half years of age, and takes part on the Piano, his father on the Violin, in very difficult pieces of music, and this he does apparently by the mere force of the musical intuition. We have heard him in that well-known composition, the 'Carnival of Venice,' wherein the little fellow displays his powers particularly well; never missing a note, and correctly accompanying his father in every turn of that capricious morceau. No matter how fre-Determined Measures in Arpapricious morceau. No matter how frequently or how suddenly the key is changed, nor how difficult the latter performer at once and with but a mo-ment's hesitation accomodates his fingers to the change, always striking the pro-per note, and always playing in the most spread over the notes is a miraele, but they do it, and with wonderful execution too, giving emphasis to any telling bit in the composition, which he seems to apdirects special attention in our advertising columns to his fine stock of wall papers, school books, stationery and base ball goods, all of which he is sell 3 cheap.

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY.—What is Guelph going to do about it? It is containly high time that arrangements were being made for a celebration of some sort. It is presumed that Monday, the 25th will be observed, and we would like to see

be observed, and we would like to see something done for the amusement of the young folks besides the base ball match.

QUERY.—An indiguant West Warder sends us the following problem:—If it — Com. to the Bruce Herald.

THE Paisles Advocate comes out stro against the habit of whipping children in

THE Reporter says there is a great scarcity of dwelling houses in Galt, es-pecially of the size suitable for mech-anics.

anics.

Mn. Wm. Dickson, of Gelt, has offered
to give a site for a church, to the St.
Andrew's congregation, near Knox
church, and also to make a liberal contribution to the building fund.

Ar a meeting of the Mount Forest Board of Trade, held on Wednesday last. Mr. James McMullen was elected Presi-dent, and T. G. Smith, Secretary. A SINGULAR event occurred at a town called Rugely, in England, being the observance of Wednesday, March 22, as a day of hum 'iation for the drunkenness of the place.

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE MERCURY

Destructive Fire in Michigan,

Manhattan Club Re-union. Chamber of Commerce Ban-

quet. Decrease in Railway Bonds.

kansas. London, May 7.—In the House of Commons to-day, in reply to Mr. Geo. Anderson, member for Glasgow, the Hon Robt. Bourke, Under Secretary of Foreign Affairs, said the Government desires the resumption of diplomatic relations with Affairs, said the Government desires the resumption of diplomation relations with Mexico, and is ready to receive overtures to that end, but none such as yet had been received. Mr. Burke, also, in reply to Sir. Henry Wolff, said that the present Government had not considered it their duty to take steps to carry into execution the 6th clause of the Treaty of Washington.

washington.
London, May 7.—The report of the German Emigration Society shows a falling off of some thousand passengers per week since the first of January from German.

Detroit, May 7.—A fire in Midland, Mich., yesterday, destroyed eight build-ings. Loss, \$25,000. Philadeldhis, Pa., May 7.—The jury

in the case of Snyder against the Mutual Life Insurance Company, involving \$60,000, returned a verdict for the plain-

tiff this morning.

New York May 8.—The annual reunion of the Manhattan Club took place union of the Mannatan to the bost place last evening, and it was regarded as of much political importance. The assemlage was very large. Augustus Schell was introduced as the speaker. He said

same banquet said the City of New York was treated by the last Legislature like a conquered proner, and the commerce and trade of the city is suffering from such legislation at Albany and Washing-ton.

posit on Jay Cooke & Co., are being bought up at 25 cents on the dollar, and

at the time.

Good for Chifford.—The Corporation of Clifford have shown their good judgment by investing part of their funds for protecting property from fire. They have bought a very fine fire engine and have it now ready for use, and as their village, like our own, is composed mostly of wooden buildings, it might be the means of preventing one of those fearful conflagrations so common to our Canadian villages of late years. We think this should open the eyes of our village fathers to the necessity of making some preparations for the sprotection of property, as at present there is not so much as a bucket belonging to the Corporation in case it were wanted.—Tribune.

The well-known "Black Horse Inn" in Dumfries, was burned down on the late. Only a small portion of the furniture was saved.

The Agricultural Lock-out in Eng-

Ind.

Newmarket, April II, 1874.

"England is now standing on the threshold of a greater political change than any she has experienced since the days of Cromwell," was the remark made by your correspondent only the other day, by one of the shrewdest and most far-seeing of the English working class leaders. "Our agricultural laborers," he continued, "have at last awoke to a sense of their serfdom, and are demanding the political privileges which should be the birthright of every citizen. The friends of national progress have smahding the political privileges which should be the birthright of every citizen. The friends of national progress have been waiting almost despairingly for this day, but it has dawned at last. The ball is now rolling and it cannot stop till the laborer is righted, and he cannot be righted till the whole land jurisprudence of the country has been thoroughly and absolutely remodelled." The statement of this leader may be partial and exaggerated, but a glance at the story of the present agricultural laborers' strike, now being detailed at such length in the columns of the leading English journals, will show to how great an extent there is a basis of fact for even more alarming predictions than that of the overthrow lof the land tenure of the country. Over 4,000 of the tillers of the soil of the east ern counties are now on strike. They ask for a higher weekly wage, for better cottages, for the privileges of education for their children, and they raise as an issue which is inseparable from these complete redress is hopeless. The case for the laborer, even on the showing of the special correspondents of the London press, who do not usually write without due deference for the vested interests of the country, is a remarkable good one.

last evening, and it was regarded as of much political importance. The assemblage was very large. Augustus Schell was introduced as the speaker. He said he believed the day was not far distant when the Democratic administration at Washington would restore good Government to our country. McEnery of Louisana, said he wanted New York, where the laws are respected, to aid Louisana to emanaipate herseif from the Government of broken promises and violated pledges.

At a dinner of the Chamber of Commerce, last night, Judge Noah Davis spoke in response to a toast to the State of New York. In the course of his remarks he turned to, the President, Mr. Dodge, and said much as he, Davis, had been denounced for saying that while the firm of the President had violated the law, yet they had been free from fraud, he, Davis, never had entertained a contrary opinion, and where a statute had been violsted it was the daty of public officers to prosecute whether the as et was done in ignorance of the law or not. Mr. Dodge responded by saying that the insinuation that Judge Davis wrote a letter to their firm under promise of ompensation was untrue, and not one cent directly or indirectly had been paid or offered to Judge Davis.

Mayor Hyemeyer in his speech at the same banquet said the City of New York was treated by the last Legislature like a beldier at position as their masters, and at this moment both parties are discovered to the same banquet said the City of New York was treated by the last Legislature like a beldier at position as their masters, and at this moment both parties are discovered to the promise of the country, is a remarkable good the country, is a remarkable good one.

The labor revolt originated six weeks and the small village of Exning, near Newmarket, and has since extended over the greater part of the counties of Suffolk and east Cambridgeshire, and is still extending. The wages of the laborers week, and they saked a rise of one shillage of the National Agricultural Excending. The wages of the laborers week, unanticipated character. This interven-tion has enabled the laborers to adopt as defiant a position as their masters, and at this moment both parties are holding aloof the one from the other, each persuaded that his opponent must be the first to give way.—New York Hèrald.

The London Lancet remarks that manies was have lost their reason through the horrors of ruin by fire always have a peculiar aspect of countenance, in which alternate suspicion and terror are the ruling expressions. It is stated, though it almost seems as if it must be an exageration, that there have been 250 cases of incurable insanity from the great Chicago fire, and all the sufferers carry the dread story in their faces. California has a number of manies from earthquakes, who also blend fear and suspicion in their wandering looks.

AN INVALUABLE INVENTION.—Mr. John

The Queen's Theatre, Toront ly erected, and possessing all the improvements, is to be open Herndon Opera House Compare in league with Spackman, I Royal Lyceum of the "Queen

The New Scheme of Construction.

In view of all the circumstances, the new Government scheme for the construction of the Pacific Railway construction of the Resific Railway is the most important measure which will engage the attention of Parliament this session, and it will be examined with special interest by the people of this vast Dominion, from the remotest points in the East to the far-off Province of British Columbia in the West. The Hon. Mr. Mackenzie has laid this scheme hefore the House in the shape of a before the House in the shape of a before the House in the shape of a series of resolutions, which will be considered on Tuesday next. The chief features of the new scheme, in brief, are as follows:—

considered on Tuesday next. The chief features of the new scheme, in brief, are as follows:—

The whole length of the road will be divided into four sections; the first extending from Lake Nipissing to a point on the west or upper end of Lake Superior; the second from Lake Superior; the second from Lake Superior to Fort Garry; the third from Fort Garry to some point between Fort Edmonton and the Rocky Mountains; and the fourth from that point to another in British Columbia on the Pacific Coast. Provision is made for two branches—one from the eastern terminus near Lake Nipissing to some point on the it is hoped that our fatherly admonitional ments to the Civil Service in Manimonts to the Civil Ferrica from Onterio and Quebec. Out of that Province.

Wor't dorn Paramonton and Quebec. Out of the Calt Province.

Wor Nipissing to some point on the it is hoped that our fatherly admonistics and reproofs will not be necessary to Pembina. The first branch was not included in the original point. Believe the property of feeling, which will not be not included in the original point. Garry to Pembina. The first branch was not included in the original Pacific Railway Bill. Provision is made for the construction of a tele-

be built either by private enterprise Committee that he made a verbal or as a Government work. It differs arrangement with the Hudson's Bay taken. The gauge is to be four feet eight and a half inches. The Minister of Public Works is to have charge of the whole enterprise. In regard to payments for the

construction of the road, the resolutions state that there is to be a subsidy of \$10,000 per mile, aland grant twenty thousand acres per mile, and a guarantee of four per cent. for a given number of years on a sum to be stated in the contract for sepresentatives wish to preeach mile of the section or subsection contracted for, the tenders for the work to state the lowest sum per mile for which the guarantee is to be required. The money subsidy is to be paid on monthly estimates, and the land is to be laid off in the pound. Already the "season" is opened, and the cows have every prospect of a successful "run."

THE WARIN STAIN.—Late despatches and the land is to be laid on in The Warin Spain. Late despatched twenty square mile blocks. The inform us of signal success on the which is to be sold by them at prices by the Government troops, and Marto be agreed on, the proceeds to be done on their particular section. If say when this Carlist rebellion will good, arable land cannot be found be crushed out. The Carlists are as pect, that the old one voted a sum of money en bloc as a subsidy, whereas the one provides for so much per the one provides for so much per the provides for some per the the one provides for so much per

whole or any part of the road on payment of ten per cen in addition

By a circular issued from the ofthe original cost, less the value of land and money subsidies received. learn that the surplus may be devotpublic work of the Dominion, and termined by the Executive Council. all contracts will be put up to public competition. It is also provided that the Government may grant the nature of ordinary repairs; bonuses to any Company, in money or in land, who shall construct branch Municipal Act, or the payment of a lines from the eastern terminus of debt incurred for that purpose; and the main line to connect with exist- the construction of water works, ing or proposed lines in the Ottawa tanks, or other appliances for a water valley. They may also lease to any company any of the Government branch lines, such leases not to exceed ten years, and to be approved to the oredit of the sinking of the credit of the credit of the sinking of the credit of the credit of the sinking of the credit of the c by Parliament.

The Government have the power menced, proceeded with and comthat there is no stipulation as to the time within which think the provision is a wise one, for it would be utter folly for any Government to an a since of the By-law, and Order in Council approving these of the By-law, and Order in Council approving these of the By-law, and Order in Council approving these of the By-law, and Order in Council approving these of the By-law, and Order in Council approving these of the By-law, and Order in Council approving these of the By-law, and Order in Council approving these of the By-law, and Order in Council approving these of the By-law, and Order in Council approving these of the By-law, and Order in Council approving the By-law, and O ernment to ax a time for the comletion of such a vast undertaking. The Government will, no doubt, adopt the wisest covrse, and first construct the branch line from Fort construct the branch line from Fort Garry to Pembins, which will be of form of the certificate which will be Garry to Pembina, which will be of the greatest service to the people in Manitoba. The part of the main line from Lake Superior to Fort Garry will, no doubt, also be started as early as possible, which, with the water communication extending from the Georgian Bay to the head of

eastern Provinces to Manifoba and the territory beyond it. The other portions of the road will be built as fast as the Government can compass the work—gigantic in tiself, and which will tax severely the resources of the Dominion for many years to come. The scheme commends itself in several important respects, and two of the best features in it are, that it precludes the creation of a powerful company, and a dangerous amonopoly, as did the Bill of 1872—and recognizes the authority of Parliament in every transaction regarding the expenditure of the public lands. The Canadian Pacific Railway.

The approaching local elections in New Brunswick are likely to be ex-

A return of the public appoint-ments to the Civil Service in Mani-

An enormous amount of money

graph line extending the whole length of the road, to be put up as soon as the route is fixed upon.

It is provided that the road may An enormous amount of money has been sunk on the Dawson Road with very little to show for it. And in addition to this reckless waste, Dawson the other day stated to the or as a Government work. It differs arrangement with the Hudson's Bay in this respect from the Act of 1872, which provided that it should be built and worked by private enterprise, and by one Company. With the view of carrying out this recommendation, the four great sections may be divided into sub-sections, for which separate contracts may be taken. The gauge is to be four feet.

PROTECTION TO THE GARDENS .- NOW that gardening operations have com-menced, would it not be well that the by-law passed by the Council last year were put actively into operation, to impound all cattle found roaming about the streets? The amount of injury that one of the "meek-eyed" creatures can do is simply incalculable; and if serve the young trees which they have taken so much pains to plant, JUST RECEIVED

Government, however, in order to prevent land jobbing are to retain control over two-thirds of the land, paid to the contractors or Company has received quite an ovation on his half yearly in proportion to work good, arable land cannot be found along the line of road itself, it will be allotted elsewhere. In regard to the money grant, the new Act will the money grant, the new Act will the want of it has proved the chief differ from the old one, in this resthe one provides for so much per mile.

Every contract before being binding, must be sanctioned by Parliament, and the Government at any time can assume possession of the whole or any part of the road on

THE SURPLUS-WHAT TO DO WITH IT fice of the Provincial Secretary, we ed to other ob ects besides those de Any improvements in roads or side walks, provided that they are not of bonus to any manufactory within the debt, or in payment of any ment accruing in respect of indebtto determine the time when the edness for permanent improvements works in each section shall be comthe Municipal Act. The amount Thus it will be seen that may be applied also to pay off debentures issued in aid of railways, or may be granted as a bonus to such. approving thereof, payments can be made by the Treasurer as the works proceed, on his receiving the certificate required by the Act, and proof being furnished to the Commissioner

TINRESERVED AUCTION SALE

Valuable Household Furniture!

Ou Tuesday, the 19th of May, inst.

a. and Stair Carpets, Carpet Rods, wi ral assortment of kitchen utensl als of the property is in excelle Term. cash, except the pianoferte, th

le.
Sale to commence at 10 o'clock; sharp.
W. S. G. KNOWLES,
Auctionee

GREATWESTERN RAILWAY OF CANADA. Notice to the Public.

The public is hereby respectfully notified that, on and after Monday, May 11th, RETURN TRIP TICKETS

Will be sold to and from every station on the line of this Company's Railway, inclu-ding Branches and Leased Lines, At a Reduction of about one-fifth of the usual fare.

be 32, being nearly of fare.

These Tickets will be good only for three days, including the day of issue; that is, a Return Ticket sold on Monday is good to return up till Wednesday night.

JOSEPH PRICE,
General Manager.

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FRUIT TREES

Beautiful Spruce,
Beautiful Balsam Fir,
Cedar for Hedges,
Maples, hard and soft,
Linden's Mountain Ash,
Grape Vines,

NURSERY STOCK.

Guelph, May 5, 1874.

G. H. McIntyre's (LATE McCULLOUGH'S)

NEW DRUG STORE.

A fresh supply of

The HANDY PACKAGE DYES

In all shades, comprising BLACK, BLUE,
GARNET, MAGENTA,
MAROON, PONCEAU,
SCARLET, VOILET,
YELLOW,

Blue, Green and Yellow for Cotton Each package warranted capable of color ing from one to four pounds of Goods. Price per package 15 cents. G. H. McINTYRE,

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Watches,

Clocks, and

Jewelery

Will only last till the 1st of June, whe

STILL ON HAND Some Fine Gold Watches, \$100;

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

money by Durchaster.

Bargains such as cannot be had again for some time.

Cull early and judge for yourselves.

Store next the Post Office.

R. CRAWFORD,

Guelph, May 5, 1874.

THORP'S HOTEL, GUELPH — Re modelled and newly furnished. Good modelled and newly furnished. Good accommodation for commercial travellers. First-ble Livery in sennection.

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

3 Cases Latest Straw Goods,

1 Case Buckram and Net Shapes,

6 Cases Sun and Market Hats, latest GOAT, KID AND PRUNKLLA

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On FRIDAY and SATURDAY, MAY 1st and 2nd. A full and beautiful representation of all the new approved styles in

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Fashionable West End Dress, Mantle, and Millinery Establishment.

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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.

MITCHELL & TOVELL Guelph, April 30, 1874.



5000 Cocoanuts. 100 Boxes Oranges,

50 Boxes Lemons, 10 Barrels Pine Apples,

FOR SALE TO THE TRADE AT CITY PRICES.

HUGH WALKER,

Guelph May 5, 1874.

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**BURR & SKINNERS'** 

To meet the rapid increase in our retail trade, we have leased

The Large New Store lately occupied by Mr. R. Clayton,

Noxtto Mr. A. O. Bucham's Fashionable West End Dry Goods Datablishment, Opper Wyndham street, Gnelph, which is now being filled with fine new furniture, cheap, consisting of

Parlor Suites, Chamber Sets, Dining Room, Hall, and all kinds of Furniture

Fresh from our Factory, where we have every facility to produce all that is new and stylish, and we invite all to visit our Warercome, as we will make it their interest to do so, for there are bargains to be had every day. BURR & SKINNER,
Manufacturers and Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Furnite

SPRING CLOTHING

Elephant Clothing Store

C. E. PEIRCE & CO.

Well Made and Fashionably Cut

And at prices that cannot be beaten, being 25 per cent less than any other place in town A Big Stock of Straw and Felt Hats now on hand.

Hepburn's Old Stand, Wyndham-st., Guelph. C. E. PEIRCE & CO.,

GUELPH, April 10th, 1874.

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**Boot and Shoe Store** 

NEW SPRING GOODS

Men's English and American style of

Gaiters and Shoes:

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.

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ANDERSON'S

IN ANY QUANTITY.

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# HARDWARE

For the Season. GARDEN SPADES AT BOND'S
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BASE FOR 1874 AT

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OUR SPECIALTY IS Custom-made Work

Which is made in all the latest styles. Sure fit. Reasonable prices. Remember the House—The Dominion Shoe Store, Day's Block, opposite the Town Hall.

WM. TAWSE & SON. Guelph, April 28rd, 1874

SPLENDID CHANCE FOR INVEST-

Residence for Sale.

Guelph Evening Mercuru

arns, one belonging to the Bible as, and the other to Mr. R. a, London, were destroyed by Wednesday night. Loss about

A London letter says: "Mr. Glad-tstone tells his private acquaintances that he regrets he has given so many years to polities. 'How little,' said he the effect day to an admirer, 'do polities af-set the life of a nation! One single-lood book influences people a vast deal wore,' The result of such reasoning is that the right honourable gentleman proposes to devote himself more exclu-ricyly to literature, and I hear that the Contemporary Review is to enjoy the benefit of his literary toil."

A new way of proposing marriage is reported, and we give the facts for the tenefit of those interested. A gentlean attended a fair in New York, resently, and fell in love (as gentlemen ometimes do) with a demoiselle in the oral temple. He bought a \$10 basket if flowers, and handing her a \$50 bill, aid, "If you don't give me the exact hange, I'll marry you." The blushing said handed him back \$30 (she was robably confused), and he remarked, "I hought so." Cards will be out early ext week.

next week.

The Strike on the Welland Canal.—
The St. Catharines News says:—The strike still continues, and the men have not all returned to work as was expected.
On Wednesday morning, although Mesers, John Brown, and Carns, Morse, Hart & Co. had raised their wages to \$1.38 per day, the laborers refused to work, and drove off the teams and teamsters, and also threatened to break the machines employed in excavation, if work was not stopped. The machines had accordingly to be removed and all work is now suspended.

Rosss.—There was something pathetic

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Roses.—There was something pathetic in the position of the German florist, who, in the bitterness of his heart exclaimed: I have so much drouble mit de ladies ven dey come to buy mine rose; dey vants him hardy, dey vants him fragrant, dey vants him nice gouler, dey vants him everydings in one rose. I hopes I am not vot you calls one uncallant man, but I have somedings to say to dot ladies, 'Madame I never often see ledies dat vas beautiful, dat vas rich, dat vas good emper, dat vas young, dat vas clever, aat vas perfection in one ladies. I see her night now.'

nat vas perfection in one ladies. I see her n'eh now.'

Ton was not only a sacred rite nor and on of the semi-civilization mound-builders, but is still practised by the Hydah Indians of Washington Territory. This tribe, ha'n greeently lost one of their number, prepared a funeral lyre of wood, on which the body was placed. An aged female stood near with a bottle of liquid, supposed to be whisky, from which she filled a glass at intervals, and the word of the contents on the flames, r'ther which she would give utterance to dismal death-song. This burning of the dead is only practiced by the Hydahs when away from home, and to prevent the body from falling into the hands of hostile tribes.

Payment of Members.—The House of

hostile tribes.

PAYMENT OF MEMBERS.—The House of Commons, in private session on Thursday, discussed the question of paying the indemnity and mileage allowance of members who attended the prorogation of the House on the 13th of August last. It is understood that the best authorities were in favor of the legality of these payments, and that the Overnment will bring down a sum in the Supplementary estimate accordingly. The sums due will, it is assumed, be payable to all gentlemen who attended the House on that memorable occasion, although some of them are not members of the new Parliament.

BOOTS AND SHOES
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them are not members of the new Parliament.

The threatened horrors of the Indian
Famine promises to be more than equaled in Asia Minor. Unfortunately, the
Turkish Government cannot borrow
money by the million to feed starving
people—and probably would rolf if
to could—like the British rulers of India.
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child on a sill day across water a mile wide.

JOURNALISTIC FEAT—OR FERT?—A despatch from New York says:—A foot race of ten miles from Thirty-eight st. to Jerome Park, took place this morning between James Gordon Bennett of the Herald, and John Whipple, resulting in Bennett's winning, in I hour, 46 minutes and 55 seconds. The wager was \$3,000 a side. Large sums of mouey changed hands of the result.

A lawyer in Buoyrus, Ohio, stated at a temperance meeting that, having seen his father killed by the carelessness of a drunken man, he took a solemn oath never to drink again, "Since that time," he continued, "I have never broken that the part of the continued, "I have never broken that oath, at least not very much."



# Grand Display of Millinery

### GEORGE JEFFREY'S

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

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

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Direct Importer, Guelph.

Wanted, in addition to our lately increased staff, 6 first-class Salesmen. None need apply but pushing, thorough-going men,

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# CLAYTON'S (CASH STORE) BANKRUPT STOCK AT THE LION



AT THE LION

Having bought from the Creditors the whole stock at little over half price, it will be rushed off at the same as room must be had for our heavy

Over \$2000 worth of the Wet Goods from the Thorold Mills sold in ten days. Those who have not yet secured any or them had ther do so at once, as three or four days will clear the lot out.

Golden Lion, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

China, Crockery,

A LARGE STOCK OF

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No. 2, DAY'S BLOCK,

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J. D. WILLIAMSON.

# and Glassware, Willam Stewart Our SPRING STOCK

Is now fully assorted in every department.

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HATS AND CAPS. GENTS' FURNISHINGS

READY-MADE CLOTHING.

"RIGHT HOUSE.

THOMAS C. WATKINS,

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.

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lesin a few days. A

James-st., 5 doors north of King-st, Hamilton.

Lots of Striped Dress Goods

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NOW OPENED

First Lots New Goods

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Fancy Goods

The Newest Colors and Patterns.

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IS CROWDED

With the Latest Productions in Colours and Styles, and at

LOWER PRICES THAN LAST YEAR

WM. STEWART.

Guelph, March 23, 1874

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rs and Country me Several Milliners and Mantle Makers wanted immediately
TERMS POSITIVELY CASH.

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# GUELPH

E. O'DONNELL & Co.

Are putting up to-day

320 caddies best dollar Young Hyson Tea for 80c. per lb. 600 caddies of the best 75 cent Tea for 50c per lb. 95 caddies of nice Sweet Tea at 40c per lb. 120 caddies of Japan Tea worth 75c, for 50c. A few packages of Black Tea for 35c per lb. 10 hogsheads of Good Bright Sugar, 12lb. for \$1. 50 Ingersoll Cheese, very choice.

A very large stock of Groceries of all kinds always on hand Cheap.

Terms-Strictly Cash.

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A PRETTY DRESS OF 15 YARDS FOR \$1.50
UMION TWEEDS (purchased at auction) ONLY 35 CTS PER YARD.
A SPLENDID LINE OF FELT HATS, ONLY 75 CENTS EACH
BOYS LINEN FACE COLLARS FIVE CENTS PER BOX
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A BOX OF 75 CENT TEA, TEN LBS, FOR SIX DOLLARS.

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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. 8. Spiers 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.

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Money always on hand in sums to suit borrowers, on mortgages or good personal security. No delayor extravagantoharges, Ourlist of Town and Farm Property is large and varied, and parties in want of real epithesis of the control of the con

GUBLPH, April16,1874 dw J. C. MACKLIN & C

Mr. Yorug, in amendment, moved to ubstitute a provise that each candidate hould deposit \$100, to be returned after he election unless the depositer failed eceive one-fifth of the number of the otes polled for the successful candi-

This, on a division, was lost by 78 to 32, and the first amendment was then carried.

The oath in use in the several Provinces was substituted for form of oath originally inserted in the Bill.

Mr. Hillyard Camerón wished to suggest an amendment which would have livited the responsibility of candidates for acts done by their agents by the principles applicable to contracts atcommon law.

Mr. Moss, in an able argument, showed that to admit the principle would strike a fatal blow at purity of elections.

Mr. Dorion was willing to consider the quession before the third reading of the Bill, but did not see his way to adopt any course that would enable a candidate to receiving the advantages accruing from the illegal conduct of his followers.

The Bill was finally got through, and a clause inserted fixing the first of January 1878, as the time for it to come into operation, that being the date adopted by the Ontario Legislature for the ballot vote of that Province to take effect.

The House then went into Committee on the Controverted Elections Bill.

The Committee reported the Bill, and the House adjourned.

Birmingham Pens.

In Birmingham the number of steel pens made weekly is about 98,000f gross, or 14,112,000 separate pens. Thirty years ago, pens were seld wholesale at/5s. per gross; now, pens as good or better may be had for three-hail-pense per gross. When it is remembered that each gross requires 144 pieces of steel to go through at least twelve processes in the course of manufacture, the fact that 144 complete pens can be sold for three-hail-pense, after providing for material, paying wages to work people, and leaving a profit to the maker, is a convincing proof of the results attainable by the exercise of mechanical ingenuity and division of labor. Gold pens are tipped with irridium, maring what are commonly called "diamond points." The irridium for this purpose is found in small grains in platinum, slightly alloyed with the latter metal. In this form it is exceedingly hard, and well adapted to the purpose of the gold pen maker. The gold for pens is alloyed with silver to about sixteen carats fineness, rolled out into thin strip's on which the blanks are struck. The under side of the point is notched by a small circular saw to receive the irridium point, which is selected by the aid of a microscope. A flux of borax and a blowpipe secures it to its place, and the point is then ground on a copper wheel with emery.—Engineer.

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Adulteration of Butter. The New York Times of the 25th ult

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says:—

"The sub-committee recently appointed by the Butter and Cheese Exchange to investigate the manufacture of artificial butter and adulteration of the pure article, yesterday submitted a report, showing that an article manufactured from suet or tallow had been sold during the past year as a substitute for butter, by respectable merchants. In the opinion of the committee, the least attempt to adulterate butter with any foreign substance whatever would cast a suspicion upon the quality of the whole production, and immeasurably injure the marketing of it, particularly for export. In view of this fact the committee recommend the adoption of resolutions condemning any process of adulteration, and the fraudulent attempt to sell such product for pure butter, and requesting dairymen, merchants, and others interested in the legitimate trade throughout the United States and Canada, to report to the Secretary of the Butter and Cheese Exchange of this city, all instances of this practice that may come within their knowledge, for exposure through the authority of the Exchange. The report was unanimously adopted.

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Eli Love, of Wayne county, Ohio climbed a tree to shake out a coon. The dogs heard something drop and went for it, but it was not the coon. It was Eli.

A grave elder in an English church forbade the banns of a certain young couple because he had "intended Hannah for himself."

The world is full of men who will cheerfully "boss a job," for a dollar and a half a day, when five dollars a day for actual work would not be the slightest temptation for them.

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A FREAK.—A farmer living in the Township of Southwold, Elgin, named Crawford, owns a coit which has both of its eyes together in the centre of its forchead, and the upper jaw about five inches shorter than the under one. It did not live.

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The total number of Granges in the United States is 10,862, and the total membership 780,000. The only State in which there are no Granges are Connectivity, Delaware and Rhodes Island.

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A Western paper says dealers in butter classify it as wool 6, ease, carb grease, soap 2, ease, verigated, tasselated cow grease, board 12, house breakfast 'error tub, corrion tub, one of the corrion tub, one of the corrion tub, one of the strictly technical.

"Do I understand the counsel for the defendant," asked a very fat judge, "to say that he is about to read his authorities as against the decision just pronounced from the bench?" "By no means," replied the counsel, aforesaid: "I was merely going to show to your honor, by a brief passage I was about to read from the book, what an intolerable old fool Blackstone must have been, as "Ay!" said the judge, not a litt'e clated.

We thought everybody in the State knew that we were deaf, but once in aware of the fact. A female book pedlar came te the office the other day. She wished to dispose of a book. She was alone in the world, and had no one to whom she could turn for sympathy or assistance; hence we should buy her book. She was unmarried, and had no one to whom she could turn for sympathy or assistance; hence we should buy her book. She was unmarried, and had no manly heart into which she could pour her sufferings, therefore we ought to invest in her book. She had received a liberal education, and could talk French like a native: we could not, in consequence, pay her less than \$2 for a book.

We had listened attentively, and here broke in with: "What did you say? We're deaf." She started in a loud voice and went through her rigmarole. When she had finished we went and got a roll of paper and made it into a speaking trumpet, placed one end to our ear, and told her to proceed. She commenced: "I am alone in the world."—"It doesn't make the lightest difference to us. We are a husband and a father. Bigamy is not allowed in this State. We are not eligible to proposals." "O what a fool the man is," she said in a low tone: then at the top of her voice, "I don't want to marry you. I want to eall a boo-ok." This last sentence was howled. "We don't want a cook," we marked blandly; "our wife does the cooking, and she wouldn't allow as good looking a woman as you to stay in the house five minutes. She is very jealous." She leoked at us in deepair. Gathering her robes about her, giving us glance of contempt, she exclaimed: "I do believe that if a 300 pounder were let off alongside that deaf fool's head he'd think somebody was knocking at the door." You should have heard her shait not sending a serving selection of snowing.

"Letting off sleep" is a little boy's definition of snoring.

Anything Midas touched was turned to gold. In these days, touch a man with gold, and he'll turn into anything.

A Kentucky gentleman didn't get mad until he had been called a "liar" eightyone times. The monotony of the thing "riled" him.

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

Garden Tools, Garden Tools,

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MCUNT COREST—Third Wednesday in each month.

HANOVER—Monday before Durham.

DUHMAN—Tuesday before Mount Forest.

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March, May, July, September and November.

Mono MILLS—Third Wednesday in January, April, July and October.

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### Commercial. Guelph Markets.

MERCURY OFFIC	E. I	far	7 8.
Flour, per 100 lbs\$3 00	to	88	50
Fall Wheat, per 100 lbs 2 05	to		17
Treadwell do 2 00	to		05
Spring Wheat (Glasgow). 2 00	to		08
Spring Wheat (red chaff) 1 70	to		75
Oats do 1 49	to		51
Peas do 1 00	to		07
Barley, new, do 3 00	to		20
Hay, per ton 14 00	to	18	
Etware 3 00	to		00
Straw 3 00	to		50
Wood, per cord	to	864	
	to		11
Butter, dairy packed 00			00
Butter, rolls 00	to		18
Potatoes, per 100 lbs 90	to	1	12
Apples, per 100 lbg 00	to		50

Dressed Hogs, per cwt... 7 00 to 7 25 Beef, per cwt..... 4 00 to 7 50 Toronto Markets.

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Fall Wheat, per bushel.\$1 30	to	81	34
Spring Wheat do 1 22	to	0	00
Barley do 1 32	to	1	33
Oats do 1 46	to	1	48
Peas 71	to		72
Dressed Hogs per 100 lbs. 8 00	to	8	50
Butter. lb rolls 25	to		28
Butter, tub dairy 22	to		24
Eggs, fresh, per doz 12	to		13
Apples, per barrel 2 50	to	3	00
Potatoes, per bush 55	to		65
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White wheat, per bushel.\$1 28	to	\$1 80	
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Barleydo 1 20	to	1 30	
Corn 70	to	70	
Buckwheat 53	to	55	
Clover 5 00	to	5 20	
Timothy do 3 25	to	8 75	
Butter, fresh, per 1b 38	to	40	
Butter, tubdo 20	to	24	
Apples, per bag 65	to	1 25	
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Guelph, March 18.1874. dwtf.

CHANCERY SALE.

Valuable Farm near Guelph.

In pursuance of the Decree and Order of the Court of Chancery in a suit of Blong is. Crawley, and with the approbation of Chomas Wardlaw Taylor, Ess., Master in Irdinary of the said Court, will be sold by public auction by W. S. G. Knowles, Auctioner, at his auction rooms, in the Town of Guelph, on Saturday, the leth day of May, 1874, at 12 o'clock, noon, in one parcel, the following freehold land and preasises, viz. The southwest part, otherwise known as the front half of Lot No. 12, in the 7th concessing by admeasurement one hundred actions by the southwest part, otherwise known as the front half of Lot No. 12, in the 7th concessing by admeasurement one hundred actions and ander cultivation, and fitteen well timbered with good hardwood. On it are a frame house and large barn, with stone cellar underneath. It is distant from Guelph about five miles. The property will be sold subject to a reserve bid fixed by the Master, One tents of the purchase money to be paid to the vender or his deposit to make one-half the purchases money to be paid within three weeks from the time of sale without interest; the balance to be secured by mortgage payable at the e ad of four years with interest at seven per cent. payable yearly. Upon payment of one half and giving mortgage as aforesaid the purchaser will be entitled to his conveyance, and to be let into possession. The other conditions are the second of the purchase of the second of the purchases of the second of the purchase of the second of the second of the purchase of the second o For further particulars apply at the law offices of Messrs. Rose & Macdonald, Toronto; and Messrs. Dunbar, Merrité & Biscoe (tuelph.

Juelph.
Dated 21st April, 1874
Sd.)
ROSE & MACDONALD,
Vendor's Solicitors: wtd-doaw

THE CELEBRATED IMPORTED Duke of Edinburgh

Wilbe at Wart's Victoria Hotel, Guelph every Wednesday night during the season. He has travelled for several seasons in this section. His colts are the best of any tired by an inported horse, and have car-ried off more prises than any others. Garafraxa, Aprilli, 1874.

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# EASY TERMS OF PAYMENT

100 acres, near Freelton Post Office orth Wentworth, good soil, good buildings niles from Dundas and 12 from Hamilton Title direct from the Crown.

PARM FOR SALE—A good farm of 108 acres, more or less, for sale, on the east half of 104 32, 6th concession, Township of Eramosa. 50 acres under a state of cultivation, the rest hardwood and cedar, good log houseand stable, good fences and water handy. Townseasy. Title indisputable. For particulars apply to John Nickle, 6 concession, lot. 20, Eramosa, or by mail to everton P.O.

TALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.

ALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.

100 acres of good land, being west half of Lot No. 27, 5th concession. Township of Nassagaweya, is in a good state of cultivation, 75 acres cleared, the rest good hardwood timber, well watered, well fenced, and a good bearing orchard, all of select, grafted fruit, apples, pears, plums, cherries, grapes, currants, etc. An excellent stone barn, 60x34, with cellar, also stone stables and shed 60x 30 with roothouse stateched 28x 40. A comfortable dwelling house. Is convenient to church and school, 1½ miles to post office and blacksmith stop, 4 miles to the village of Rockwood. G. T. R. station, 4 miles to Eden, 5 to Acton, 10 to Guelph. For particulars apply THOS, EASTON, On the premises, or H by letter, address m5w8t Kustchbull P.O., Ont.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE. GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

7a.m.; 9:45 a.m.; 1:50 p.m., 6:00 p.m.\*, & p.m.; \*To London, Goderich and De-troit. || To Berlin.

-EAST-:05a.m; 8:10a.m; 11a.m; 4:12 p.m; and 8:5 p.m. GREAT WESTERN-GUELFEBRANCH Going south-6:40 a m; 1 pm; 230 p m nd 4 5 p.m. Going north-11:55 a m for Southampton nd 4 3° p.m. Going north—11:55 a m for Southampton nixed 1:40 v m for Palmerston; 6 p m fo Harriston; 9:30 p m for Fergus. LONDON, QUEBEC and MONTREAL

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