



NEW GOODS JUST TO HAND

At John A. Wood's,

Alma Block and Lower Wyndham-street. From Edinburgh, Scotland: 1 case Middlemass' Albert Biscuits, 1 " Argyle " From New York: 1 case Paraffine Candles, 5 bags Old Government Java Coffee, Finest Natural Leaf Virginia Tobacco. From Montreal: 50 doz. Guinness' Dublin Porter, 50 doz. Guinness' Blood Porter, 50 doz. Tennant's & Allsopp's Ale, 15 cases 1/2 pints, pints, quarts and magnums finest brands Champagne, 6 doz. Leibig's Extract Beef, 2 cases Dundee Marmalade, 2 cases assorted Jams and Jellies, 1 case Curacao, 1 case Raspberry Vinegar, 2 barrels Pickled Onions, 2 barrels mixed Pickles, 25 cases Peaches and Tomatoes, 2 cases Pickled Salmon.

Guelph Evening Mercury

FRIDAY EVEN'G, MAY 30, 1873

THE PUBLIC HEALTH.—We are glad to notice that Mr. John Stevens, the Board of Health Inspector, has been indefatigable in causing the ratepayers to clean up their back yards and other places where all kinds of filth and refuse had accumulated during the winter. The work is not all done, however, and we hope that Mr. Stevens will not rest until he has compelled the parties interested to clean every lane and back yard where the least particle of offensive matter has been deposited. The hot weather will soon be on us, and it is the duty of the authorities, as well as the citizens, to employ every means to preserve the health of the town. Prevention is, in regard to the public health, most emphatically better than cure.

REFORM DEMONSTRATION IN HALTON.—The Central Committee of the Halton Reform Association met in Milton on Thursday, and after passing resolutions of confidence in the course pursued by J. White, M.P., and W. Barber, M.P., members for the County in the respective Houses, unanimously resolved to hold a grand picnic at as early a day as convenient, and to invite the leaders and other influential members of the Liberal party, to be present. Great enthusiasm was manifested, and it is expected that the demonstration will be one worthy of glorious old Halton.

THE London Economist, in an article on the payment of the indemnity of France to Germany, pays a high compliment to the shrewdness and excellent management of the French financiers, who have not only managed to pay off the vast sums due to Germany, but have accumulated quite a little hoard of gold and silver in the national coffers in Paris. The Economist says that this has caused London to feel largely the effect of the transfer in gold to Germany, and placed the Bank of England at the mercy of Bismarck and the German Treasury.

HERE'S A SPECIMEN.—The Bruce Herald says:—"The Toronto Grit organ is in ecstasies. It gloats, glories and howls at the mere sight of papers said to have some connection with the Pacific Railway." What symptoms of ecstasies! We never know before that an organ would raise a cry of distress or howl when excessively joyous. Try it again friend. Have a dictionary at your elbow, or let the man who dictates to you spell all the hard words.

It is said that before leaving Ottawa, at the close of Parliament, a number of French-Canadian Conservative members decided to follow the leadership of Mr. Langevin as head of their party. Others preferred Mr. Cauchon, who will at any rate command a large share of confidence among Quebec Conservatives.

"VERBICE, GUILTY."—The St. Catharines Times is responsible for the following:—"It is an old saying that when rogues fall out, honest men get their due. This has been well exemplified by the course of some of the manipulators of the Pacific Railway swindle. Mr. George W. McMillan, a clever Canadian, now editor of the Chicago Post, was one of the principals in the management of the scheme which was consummated for the realization of some three hundred thousand dollars of 'Yankee Gold' to be used in debauching and bribing the electors of the Dominion and secure a majority for John A. Macdonald's Government. The terms upon which the money was handed over were that the Canada Pacific Railway should be handed over to a company which was virtually controlled by American capitalists. Evidently Mr. McMillan's stay in Yanketown did not much improve his ideas of political morality, for a man who can deliberately negotiate terms to sell his native land is no better than he ought to be. But this same Yankeeized Canadian, for reasons known no doubt to himself, has gone back on his fellow conspirators, and is now prepared with documents and other evidence to establish beyond a doubt the guilt of John A. Macdonald, Langevin, and the rest of the wicked crew, to whom Mr. Merritt has given his unqualified support during the session now closing. It will be strange if such an indignation does not arise in the minds of the Canadian people against those betrayers of the country that they will have to sink for ever away into obscurity.

A complete and thorough reorganization of the Militia Department is in contemplation as soon as a Minister is appointed. Sir John has assured certain officers and volunteers that it is contemplated to reduce the force and make it more compact and better paid. A change in Militia affairs has been recommended, but Sir George, in spite of the failure of his system, persisted in it, but now we hope for better things.

W. H. TAYLOR, GARRIAGE SILVER PLATER, GUELPH. Only one this side of Toronto. All work warranted the best. Please send for price list.

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THE LION!



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GREAT COMMOTION IN THE DRY GOODS TRADE

and a Tremendous Rush at our Mantle and Millinery Rooms.

On all hands we hear of dull trade: "Nothing doing," says Tom, Dick, and Harry, but it is not so at THE LION. Times better than ever. Still great bustle and activity at the leading house. The spring trade is opening beautifully, thus encouraging us to greater endeavors in the public weal; and the reason of our success is apparent. Our Goods are all direct from the manufactory, and none can do a successful business only those who buy from first hands, for which our Establishment has long been noted, and has raised the standard of our House (combined with the energy of the proprietors of the firm) to the present proud position, and more especially for the last two years, so that our daily sales are almost equal to the combined trade of the same character in the Town of Guelph.

OUR MILLINERY DEPARTMENT

Our Millinery is a complete success this spring, the taste inherent displayed by Miss McDonald is captivating all hearts, and places her high in the ranks of first-class Milliners. Combined with the genuine popularity of Miss Sutherland, thus making our rooms the centre of attraction.

5 cases New Hats and Bonnets, registered styles, secured only for our House; 3 cases, third lot, of those splendid Black Silk Parasols, supplied with the double sword—the only ones in Guelph.

\$4,000 WORTH of New Plain and Shot Silks, lovely shades, combining all the latest tints, amongst them will be found many of the new azorean green, real gems in color and brightness.

2 cases New Dress Goods this week from Bradford, Eng.; 2 cases New Fresh Black Goods.

Another arrival of 500 pieces more of the best Prints, light and dark, worth 16 cents: we will sell them off at 12 1/2 cents.

GUELPH, MAY 19, 1873 dw3m

CHANCE & WILLIAMSON.

New Advertisements.

\$10,000 worth of Dry Goods

Will be sold for \$6,000.

Sale of Mr. Galloway's Stock still continues at the Old stand next to J. M. Bond's Hardware Store.

As the Subscribers have to give up possession of the premises within a limited time, they have still further reduced prices to effect a clearance.

MILLINERY, MANTLES,

And DRESS GOODS at 60 cents on the dollar, or 40 per cent off.

Clothing at 75 cents on the Dollar,

Or 25 per cent off. OVER COATS and PEA JACKETS will also be sold at this reduced sale.

HATS AND CAPS NEARLY HALF PRICE.

Buyers will save a \$4 on a purchase of \$10.

GUELPH, May 30, 1873.

J. C. MACKLIN & Co.

JUNE FASHIONS

Opening up at

THE FASHIONABLE WEST END!

In Great Profusion and Beautiful Variety.

Everything New in Grenadines; Splendid Stock of Dress Muslins;

A Large Variety of New and Beautiful Dress Materials, Specially adapted for travelling costumes.

2 cases Latest American Hats; 1 case Latest English Hats; 2 cases New American Hat and Bonnet Shapes; 20 dozen New Sun Hats, Pic Nic Hats, Rustic Hats, Regatta Hats, &c., &c.

ALL NEW STYLES & CHEAPER THAN EVER.

New Parasols, Silk Umbrellas, &c. in Immense Variety.

3 boxes Children's Black and Colored Kid Gloves.

Ladies will find our stock fully assorted in every Department. Come direct to the Fashionable West End.

A. O. BUCHAM,

Fashionable West End Dress, Millinery and Mantle Establishment. Guelph, May 30, 1873.

CHOICE MIXED TEA

For 50 Cents per lb.

11 lbs GOOD SUGAR for \$1.00

J. E. McELDERRY

2 DAY'S BLOCK.

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In the matter of John A. McMillan, an Insolvent.

Tremendous Stock to be Cleared Out

AT COST.

Cheapest Boots and Shoes

Ever Shown in Guelph.

CALL IN AND SEE FOR YOURSELVES.

Ladies Prunella Work of all kinds.

W. M. McLaren, Assigee.

Guelph, May 23, 1873.

FISHING

TACKLE

Fishing Rods, AT BOND'S.

do. Reels, AT BOND'S.

do. Baskets, AT BOND'S.

do. Lines, AT BOND'S.

do. Hooks, AT BOND'S.

do. Fly Hooks, AT BOND'S.

do. Trolling Hooks, AT BOND'S.

do. Baits, AT BOND'S.

do. Rod Rings, AT BOND'S.

do. Rod Keepers, AT BOND'S.

JOHN M. BOND & CO.,

Hardware Importers,

Guelph, Ontario.

NEW

ATTRACTIONS

THIS WEEK AT

WM. STEWART'S

New Dress Goods,

New Millinery,

New Sun Shades,

A CHOICE LOT OF

Ladies' Silk Umbrellas;

At 12 1/2 cents, the best lot of PRINTS ever offered here.

NOW IN STOCK,

1000 CORSETS

Come and See them.

Prices to suit everyone.

OPENED YESTERDAY, a case of

Tweeds, 75 cents per yd.

Worth \$1.

Lace Curtains

From \$1 and upwards, to \$10.

WM. STEWART.

Guelph, April 7, 1873.

SMOKERS,

FOR A GOOD SMOKE

Use the "Myrtle Navy."

See T. & B. on each plug.

Price so low that all can Use it.

CAUTION.—The Brand "MYRTLE NAVY" is registered, and any infringement on it will be prosecuted.

The name TUCKETT & BILLINGS is on each caddy, and T. & B. on each plug.

Hamilton, Feb 10, 1873.

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By the Rev. George M. Grant, Secretary to Mr. Sandford Fleming, through Canada, in 1874.

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Bill and Postage Stamps

GOOD, CHEAP

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AT ANDERSON'S

Cheap Bookstore,

St. George's Square, East side Wyndham street,

GUELPH.

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PHARMACY.

The Old Store formerly occupied by A. B. Petrie, re-opened.

Herod & Co., Proprietors.

No expense has been spared in the fitting up so as to make it a Retail Drug Establishment second to none in the Dominion.

Great care and attention has been paid to the purchasing of the stock, having only one aim in view: that every article selected should be pure and unadulterated, quality being esteemed of the first importance.

The stock of Hair Brushes, Toilet Articles and Perfumery, has been imported direct from England and France.

Dyes and Dye Stuffs warranted, and guaranteed to be of the first quality.

None but the most reliable and leading Patent Medicines in stock, obtained direct from the Proprietors and Manufacturers.

A specialty in Cod Liver Oil, direct from Newfoundland. None kept in stock except No. 1, and of the finest quality.

A full assortment of Trusses, Shoulder Braces, Supporters, etc., etc., at the lowest rates.

The retail and dispensing department is under the direct superintendence of Mr. McLeod, Practical Pharmacist, who has been for many years engaged at the business in Quebec and Montreal.

Physicians and parties requiring prescriptions may depend on their being accurately and neatly compounded, and prepared from nothing but pure drugs and chemicals.

REMEMBER—The OLD STORE formerly occupied by A. B. Petrie, re-opened by

HEROD & Co.

Guelph, May 16, 1873.

PASHLEY'S

BOOKSTORE.

Bow Bells,

FOR JUNE.

Every Month,

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Sons of Britannia,

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Day's Block, Wyndham-street, Guelph.

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The No. 1, RYAN

WHITE DEAD BALL

The only one adopted by the Base Ball Convention to be used in all match games in 1873.

Price by mail, post-paid,.....\$2 00

The Junior Ball, ".....1 00

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Best White Ash Bats 98 to 42 inches.....30

36 inch bats.....20

Light bats for children.....10

40 sets of Field Croquet on hand,

Price sent on application.

Orders for Base Balls by mail, filled same day as received.

AT DAY'S BOOKSTORE.

NOTICE

To Masons, Plasterers, Farmers, and Others.

The subscriber keeps on hand a large quantity of First-class Fresh Lime, Cut and Quaint Stone Sills, Lintels, Corners, Marble Sockets, etc. etc., which he is in a position to sell at a very low rate to parties who favor him with their patronage. As he intends enlarging this branch of industry, he will offer inducements that few men in the trade can offer.

Sand sold by the load or otherwise.

Don't mistake place—the new stone house near the G. T. R. passenger station, where he will be always found attending to his business. DENIS COFFEY.

Guelph, April 18, 1873.

ANNABEL

THE TEMPTATION.

CHAPTER XXI.

THE TERRIBLE REVELATIONS. "What did she do for? Why didn't she bring home with her?"

Why, indeed? was Annabel's silent, mental question. Dick was giving a colour to his statement which she was beginning to find it difficult to disregard.

Presently, however, the conviction of its impossibility again asserted itself, founded on what was to her a far surer foundation, and she rallied.

"You are taking advantage of what seems strange on Mrs. Langton's part, to make me believe what is absurd."

"Good again," chuckled Dick, "but all that is provided for, as I shall now have the great pleasure of telling you—She—Mrs. Langton I mean—doesn't expect that I shall let you up to the whole business, and neither I would if you had any chance of escape left, but as you have none, and as I can't have my revenge sweet enough without giving you the whole story, I've made up my mind to do it, so here goes; and I needn't ask you if you are listening, for I see you are."

In this Dick was perfectly right. Annabel could not shake off a vague yet terrible fear which was creeping upon her, that there was really a degree of truth in what she had heard, and with a nervous eagerness which she could not disguise, she prepared to hear what Dick had further to relate.

The latter went on thus—"I can't as well begin with telling you that Mrs. Langton has been planning all along how to get the estate—that is, ever since the affair in Woolman's Lane, which brought you and your uncle together, and caused him to alter his will. I won't say whether or not there was any game played with the wording of the will or the disappearance of the certificate, because I know nothing about that, only I have my suspicions. Leastways it's pretty plain that, if it could have been settled that your father and mother were never married, Mrs. Langton had her wish, and the estate was hers. But that shot missed, you know how. The American expedition threatened to blow the gaff on it, and something surer had to be planned and tried. Now comes the point that I can speak to with sureness. Your death was thought the only way to make it safe, and Mrs. Langton and her brother, lawyer Hayes, resolved to secure it in that way."

"My death!" gasped Annabel. "Oh, heaven, am I to be murdered?" "Well, it might have come to that," resumed Dick, with cruel deliberation. "Only Mrs. Langton managed to plan what would come to the same thing; and the noblest plan it was as I ever heard tell of. I am bound to say that there never was and never will be the match of it. How do you think it occurred to her?"

"Go on, go on," wailed Annabel, the words being forced from her by Dick, who waited for her answer. He saw how much she was suffering, and his brutal spirit gloated over the spectacle.

"It occurred to her," he went on, "from the strong resemblance between you and Nell."

He paused again to note the effect of this information. The only effect was that of mere wonder. Annabel was as yet able to draw no meaning from it. "Haven't you begun to twig?" he inquired.

"No." "You knew of that resemblance, didn't you?" "Certainly; it was often noticed. I often heard it alluded to, and I believe it was very marked."

"I should just say, rather," rejoined Dick. "Why, when I set eyes on you, you might in Woolman's Lane, I thought as how it was Nell herself. Do you see Mrs. Langton's plan now?"

"No—I see nothing." "Listen, then, and you'll hear it as it has been carried out. Nell's death has been given out by her as your death, the corpse was taken by her to Rockstone as yours, and Mr. Langton has buried it believing it to be yours. Now you have it."

Yes, poor Annabel had it now—full and complete. It needed not that Dick should amplify the statement, or say anything further by way of enlightenment. The truth—the horrible truth in all its reality—rushed upon her, and she could neither doubt nor misunderstand. The whole abyss of treachery and deceit was fathomed by her with something like the rapidity of a lightning flash; her mind went back upon the events of the last few months, and everything rose up in corroboration of the truth of what Dick had revealed. Furnished with the key so given her, she saw and understood everything, and with a groan of despair she clasped her hands, and gazed at Dick in wild speechless consternation.

A Troy dentist the other day became emotionally insane while repairing a front tooth for a pretty woman, and kissed her. She told her husband, and he went round the next day and borrowed \$500 of the dentist on long time.

Men make steam engines of themselves from morning till night, and vice versa, dream of gold. The fearful strain upon the nervous system by this taxing the mind produces not only Heart Disease, Dyspepsia and Lung Maladies, but is often the direct cause of Apoplexy, Insanity and Suicide. It is very remarkable that during the world's progress discoveries are made suitable to the times. Hardly had man become prepared for speedy transit when the railroad and steamboat were introduced, and the desire for rapid intelligence developed the telegraph. Coals are usually discovered as wood becomes scarce, and now when men's minds are being taxed to the utmost in order to secure and enjoy the luxuries of an extravagant age, Fello's Hypophosphites appear, that they may by artificial means keep up this mental strain to an indefinite extent.

"A Wonder of Medical Science," may well be applied to Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry. It is nearly half a century since this remarkable remedy was introduced to the public, and yet the immediate and enviable reputation which it gained by its wonderful cures of coughs, colds, whooping cough, sore throat, influenza, consumption, and all bronchial complaints, is to this day fully sustained.

NEW SILKS AND DRESS GOODS. GEORGE JEFFREY WILL SHOW ON FRIDAY THE FINEST ASSORTMENT OF DRESS GOODS IN CANADA!

Heavy Black Corded Silks from \$1; Colored " " " \$1; Japanese Silks and Grenadines in every quality Tasso Linens for Dresses and Costumes: the most useful and stylish goods in the trade from 12 1/2c. per yard.

MILLINERY AND MANTLES: This Department is now in operation. Ladies wanting new and stylish Bonnets and Hats ought to visit this establishment. Real Laces in great variety, the only place in town where the genuine article is kept. Thomson's Glove Fitting Stays, every size. GUELPH, APRIL 9, 1873. GEORGE JEFFREY, GUELPH

PETRIE'S NEW DRUG STORE A Bale of BOAT SPONGE, Which will be sold at half the usual price.

Lloyd's Euxesis For Shaving, without the use of Soap or Water, SOLD AT PETRIE'S NEW STORE.

Walker's Vinegar Bitters, To meet the extraordinary demand for this popular Temperance Bitter, containing no alcohol.

Savage's German Baking Powder Is superior to any in the market. SODA WATER The best Soda Water and finest Syrups at PETRIE'S NEW STORE.

THE MEDICAL HALL That Magnificent FOUNTAIN IS AGAIN In full Operation AT THE MEDICAL HALL. To the Public:

E. HARVEY & Co. Corner Wyndham and Macdonnell streets, Guelph. Guelph, May 19, 1873.

STEAM DYE WORKS, Upper Wyndham Street. The subscriber is now prepared to execute all orders entrusted to his care, in a manner that will gain the confidence of the public in general.

FIRST PRIZE BISCUITS JAMES MASSIE, Manufacturer of CHOICE CONFECTIONERY AND BISCUITS, Alma Block, Guelph.

GUELPH CLOTH HALL White Dress Shirts, Oxford and Regatta Shirts, With Collars to match. Particular attention paid to this Department, and any style of Shirt made to measure, and a PERFECT FIT GUARANTEED. SHAW & MURTON, Wyndham St., Guelph.

GUELPH TEA DEPOT E. O'DONNELL & Co. Always ahead with good Cheap Teas. JUST IMPORTED A GOOD YOUNG HYSOON TEA..... for 50 cents per lb

IMMENSE BARGAINS Can still be had AT R. CRAWFORD'S Watch and Jewellery Store, Next the Post Office.

REPAIRING DONE In the best style under his own supervision. CASH FOR WOOL, HIDES, SHEEP SKINS, CALF SKINS, and WOOL PICKINGS.

GO TO BYRNE'S HE HAS JUST OPENED 15 CASES OF— HATS & CAPS ALL NEW STYLES. \$5 to \$20 PER DAY. Agents wanted.

FASHIONS For Spring and Summer. All the Novelties of the Season. A Splendid Line of New Goods! JUST ARRIVED— At J. HUNTER'S

GUELPH Pianoforte Factory IS NOW IN FULL OPERATION affording an opportunity to intending purchasers of inspecting the construction of these celebrated instruments.

NEW Lumber Yard IN GUELPH. The subscriber has opened, under the superintendence of Mr. Richard Maddock, a Lumber Yard on Paisley and Oxford streets.

Yokasippi Mills Lumber Yard. April 21st, 1873. CHARLES MICKLE, Proprietor

MEDICAL DISPENSARY. Just Received, a Large Supply of LUBIN "GRAND TRUNK," The most elegant and fashionable Perfume of the day.

PIESSE & LUBIN'S RIBBON OF BRUGES, A very fragrant Fumigator For THE SICK ROOM

MEDICINE SPOONS, TEA AND DESSERT SPOONS. A fresh supply at the Medical Dispensary. G. B. McCullough, Dispensing Chemist

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.

JAMES CORMACK, Tailor and Clothier, Begs to announce to his customers and the public the arrival of his SPRING IMPORTATIONS His stock is now complete in BROADCLOTHS, FANCY COATINGS, FANCY VESTINGS, FANCY TROUSERINGS, English and Scotch Tweeds

POWELL'S BOOT AND SHOE STORE Call and examine my new stock of LADIES', GENTS' & CHILDRENS Boots and Shoes, Which, for moderate prices, style and workmanship, cannot be surpassed in the town.

W. D. HEPBURN & CO., WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH, Are daily receiving large additions to their immense Stock of BOOTS AND SHOES Which for Quality, Style and Variety is not surpassed in the Dominion.

REPAIRING DONE AS USUAL. TERMS - CASH. Store and Factory—East Side Wyndham St. W. D. HEPBURN & CO. Guelph, May 20, 1873.

RAYMOND'S SEWING MACHINES Family Sewing Machine (single thread) Hand Lock Stitch (double thread) No. 1, Foot Power, No. 2, for heavy work; Finished with plain tables, half, or Cabinet Cases, as required.

HART & SPEIRS, Conveyancers, Land, Loan, Insurance and General Agents, 4 Day's Block, Guelph. In reference to the above, Wm. Hart begs to inform his friends and the public that he has entered into partnership with Mr. Jas. S. Speirs in the above business, and while expressing his grateful acknowledgments for the liberal share of patronage bestowed upon him for the past three years, would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same to the new firm.

The Derby. The annual summer meeting at Epsom was inaugurated on Tuesday. The great event of the meeting and of the racing season, the run for the Derby stakes, took place on Wednesday, and was won by Doncaster. The run for the second place was a dead heat between Gang Forward and Kaiser. The betting just before the start was 40 to one against Doncaster, seven to two against Kaiser, and two to one against Gang Forward. Twelve horses ran, and the race was finely contested. All the animals started well together, Beadroll leading to Tattenham corner; at 200 yards from finish, Doncaster, Gang Forward, and Kaiser were nearly abreast. When 100 yards from the stand, Doncaster spurred and came in ahead amid wild cheering, winning the race by a half a length. The time of the winner was 2:50. The race was as usual witnessed by an immense mass of people, including the Prince of Wales, the Duke of Edinburgh, and Prince Arthur. The following is a summary of the race:—Renewal of the Derby stakes of 50 sovereigns each, half forfeit, for three year old colts, 8 st. 10 lbs; fillies, 8 st. 5 lbs; about a mile and a half; the owner of the second horse to receive 500 sovereigns, and the third 150 sovereigns out of the stakes; 200 subs; Sir Tatton Sykes ch. c. Beadroll (late All-heart and No Peel) by Stockwell, out of Marigold, 1; Mr. Sauter's b. filly by Skimshander, out of Regina, by King Tom; Mr. W. S. Crawford's ch. c. Gang Forward, by Stockwell, out of Lady Mary, by Orlando, 2. Numerous accidents among the visitors to the Derby races on Wednesday were caused by horses running away, falling off stands, and the pressure of the great crowds. Three persons were killed, and several others very seriously injured.

NOTES ON THE DERBY. The Derby was instituted in 1750, and was first won by Sir Charles Dunsbury's "Diomedes." The course has always been the same length—one mile and a half. The present Grand Stand, which was erected in 1820-30, is capable of holding 1,200 persons. "Doncaster," the winner, is a chestnut colt with a bald face, and his great length and strong, well formed limbs were so admired by Mr. Merry that he paid 350 guineas for the colt at a sale before the Salutation Inn at Doncaster. There is an instance of a turf speculator wagering £1,000 against a bottle of soda-water that a particular horse would not win. He won his bottle of soda-water, but the horse "Black Tommy" in 1857 came in second, being beaten only by a neck. Jim Robinson, a famous jockey, rode the winner on six occasions, securing four victories in five years. In 1814, a horse called "Running Rein" came in first, but it was subsequently proved that he was a four-year-old colt called "Macabour," and according to the rules were given to "Orlando," the second horse. In 1845, the winner, "Merry Monarch," was so little thought of before the race that the odds of 100 to 1 were offered against him. It has only been twice won by a mare, namely, in 1801 by "Eleanor," and in 1827 by "Blitham Bonny." The fastest Derby on record is that of 1861, won by "Kilburn" in two minutes forty-three seconds; the slowest, that of 1856, by "Ellington," in three minutes and four seconds. On the day "Ellington" ran, the ground was very heavy. There has only been one form of the Derby since its institution, namely in 1818, between "Candland" and the "Colonel." In running off, the latter, which was the property of the Prince Regent (afterwards George IV), was defeated by many lengths. The largest field of horses that ever started for the Derby was in 1846, when "Pyrrhus" defeated thirty-six others. The smallest was in 1774, when only four horses came to the post.

RAILWAY BRIDGE BURNED.—The G. W. R. bridge at Oakville, took fire on Thursday morning from sparks from the engine of No. 1 express train, west, passing here at 8 a.m., and was completely burned at 10:30. THE LONDON QUARTERLY.—The April number of this standard quarterly is to hand and we find it replete with interest and fully up to the mark. Its contents are:—The state of English Painting, Middlemarch: a study of Provincial Life, Richard and the State, Autumn on the Spey, Charles Comie de Montalembert, Greek at the Universities, Lord Lytton, Central Asia, and the Irish University, and the Defeat of the Government. The American edition is published by the Leonard Scott Publishing Company, 140, Fulton Street, New York. SAYING GRACE.—It seems to us that this will answer. It is good for our England, and has not got into American types.—A milliner's apprentice, about to wait upon a duchess, was afraid of committing some error in her department. She therefore consulted a friend as to the manner to be adopted, and was told that on going before the duchess she must say her "Grace," and so on. Accordingly, away went the girl, and on being introduced, after a very low courtesy, she said, "For what I am going to receive, the Lord make me truly thankful." To which the duchess answered, "Amen!"—Editor's Drawer, in Harper's Magazine for June.

Breakfast.—Epps's Cocoa.—Gravelly and Comforting.—By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavoured beverage which may save us many heavy doctors' bills.—Civil Service Gazette. Made simply with Boiling Water or Milk. Each packet is labelled.—JAMES EPPS & CO., Homoeopathic Chemists, London.

MANUFACTURE OF COCOA.—"We will now give an account of the process adopted by Messrs. James Epps & Co., manufacturers of diabetic articles, at their works in the Euston Road, London."—Searle's & Cassell's Household Guide, 1900, p. 164.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE.—Grand Trunk Railway. Trains leave Guelph as follows:—WEST. 2:17 a.m.; 9:45 a.m.; 1:30 p.m.; 6:00 p.m.; 8:33 p.m. TO LONDON, GODFRICH, and DETROIT. (To Berlin, EAST. 8:05 a.m.; 7:30 a.m.; 11:00 a.m.; 4:12 p.m. and 8:33 p.m. Great Western—Guelph Branch. Going South—6:50 a.m., 11:45 a.m., 1:55 p.m., and 4:45 p.m. Going North—12:45 a.m. for Southampton; 1:15 a.m. for Palmerston; 4:30 p.m. for Fergus; 9:05 p.m. for Fergus.

MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS. HARRISTON—Friday before the Guelph Fair. BOSWORTH—Saturday before Guelph. ELORA—Friday before Guelph. DUNDAS—Monday before Elora fair. GUELPH—First Wednesday in each month. CLEPPOND—Tuesday before Guelph fair. TEVOTDALL—Friday before the Guelph fair. NEW HAMBURG—First Tuesday in each month. BERLIN—First Wednesday in each month. ELMIRA—Second Monday in each month. WATERLOO—Second Tuesday in each month. MOUNT FOREST—Third Wednesday in each month. HANOVER—Monday before Durham. DURHAM—Tuesday before Mount Forest. FERGUS—Thursday following Mount Forest. ORANORVILLE—Second Thursday in January, March, May, July, September and November. MUSO MILLS—Third Wednesday in January, April, July and October. ERIN—First Monday in January, April, July and October. MARKVILLE—First Tuesday in February, May, August and November. BRANTFORD—First Thursday in each month. LUTWICH—First Tuesday in each month. HILLSBURG—Second Tuesday in January, March, May, July, Sept. and November. MOOREHEAD—Third Wednesday before Guelph. HAMILTON—Crystal Palace Grounds, the day after Guelph.

COMMERCIAL. GUELPH MARKETS. MERCURY OFFICE, May 30, 1873. Flour per 100 lbs. \$3 00 to \$3 00. Fall Wheat per bushel 1 15 to 1 35. Treadwell " 1 10 to 1 30. Spring Wheat " 0 45 to 0 44. Peas " 0 60 to 0 65. Beans " 0 55 to 0 60. Hay, per ton 18 00 to 20 00. Straw " 5 00 to 7 00. Wood, per cord " 4 50 to 5 00. Eggs, per doz. " 10 to 11. Butter, dairy packed, " 0 14 to 0 15. Potatoes, per bag " 0 20 to 0 25. Apples, " 0 25 to 0 30. Wool, per lb. " 0 20 to 0 20. Hops, per cwt. " 4 00 to 7 00. Beef per cwt. " 6 00 to 6 00. Timothy Seed " 3 50 to 4 00. Hides, per cwt. " 0 50 to 7 00. Flax " 1 50 to 2 00. Sheepskins " 0 75 to 2 00.

HAMILTON MARKETS. HAMILTON, May 29, 1873. Spring Wheat, per bushel \$1 25 to 1 37. Fall Wheat " 1 20 to 1 32. Treadwell " 1 15 to 1 30. Peas " 0 60 to 0 65. Beans " 0 55 to 0 60. Hay, per ton 18 00 to 20 00. Straw " 5 00 to 7 00. Wood, per cord " 4 50 to 5 00. Eggs, per doz. " 10 to 11. Butter, dairy packed, " 0 14 to 0 15. Potatoes, per bag " 0 20 to 0 25. Apples, " 0 25 to 0 30. Wool, per lb. " 0 20 to 0 20. Hops, per cwt. " 4 00 to 7 00. Beef per cwt. " 6 00 to 6 00. Timothy Seed " 3 50 to 4 00. Hides, per cwt. " 0 50 to 7 00. Flax " 1 50 to 2 00. Sheepskins " 0 75 to 2 00.

TORONTO MARKETS. TORONTO, May 29, 1873. Spring Wheat, per bushel \$1 20 to 1 31. Fall Wheat " 1 15 to 1 33. Peas " 0 55 to 0 63. Beans " 0 45 to 0 45. Hay, per ton 18 00 to 20 00. Straw " 5 00 to 7 00. Wood, per cord " 4 50 to 5 00. Eggs, per doz. " 10 to 11. Butter, dairy packed, " 0 14 to 0 15. Potatoes, per bag " 0 20 to 0 25. Apples, " 0 25 to 0 30. Wool, per lb. " 0 20 to 0 20. Hops, per cwt. " 4 00 to 7 00. Beef per cwt. " 6 00 to 6 00. Timothy Seed " 3 50 to 4 00. Hides, per cwt. " 0 50 to 7 00. Flax " 1 50 to 2 00. Sheepskins " 0 75 to 2 00.

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THE New Confectionery Store. The subscribers, in thanking the public for their patronage since they started business, beg to announce that they have now in operation their new

SODA FOUNTAIN. Where the most delicious beverages can at all times be had.

THEY have also opened their ICE CREAM ROOMS. Over the store, where Ice Cream can be served at all hours of the day and night. Ice cream supplied by the quart or gallon.

Biscuits, Nuts, Cakes, Candies, and all kinds of Confectionery constantly on hand. BRIDE'S CAKES made to order.

WARNER & SUTTON, Wyndham Street, next door to Petrie's Drug Store. Guelph, May 28, 1873. dtf

TO THE PUBLIC. Soda Water & Ice Cream. W. J. LITTLE. Begs to thank the inhabitants of Guelph for the very liberal patronage bestowed upon him while he has been in business, and to inform them that he has erected, and has now in operation a first-class

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NEW Confectionery and Fancy Store. The subscribers beg to inform their friends and the public that they have opened a new Confectionery and Fancy Store,

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References: Sir John Rose, banker, London, England; F. W. Thomas, Esq., banker, Montreal; The Marine Company of Chicago, bankers; Hon. J. Carling, London, Ont.; Messrs. Gault Bros., merchants, Montreal; Senator F. Smith (Frank Smith & Co.), Toronto; J. M. Miller, Esq., Perth, Ont. (late of J. M. Miller & Co. commission merchants, Chicago); W. Watson, Esq., banker, New York; D. Butters, Esq., Montreal; J. Whitehead, Esq., M. P., Clinton, Ont.; G. McGill, Esq., M. P., Hamilton, Ont.; T. C. Chisholm, Esq., Toronto; S. B. Foster, Esq., Toronto.

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Always on hand, besides Fresh Meat, Sugar-cured Hams, Bacon, Lard, Pork, Sausages, &c. A call from all his old friends respectfully solicited. J. T. WATERS, dtf Guelph April 7th 1873.

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