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J. MARROTT, Veterinary Surgeon, M. R. C. V. S., L., H. F. V. M. A., Having lately arrived in Guelph from England, and taken up his residence here, intends continuing the practice of his profession. Orders left at the Mercury Office, or at H. A. Kirkland's, Paisley Street, opposite Howard's new foundry, will be promptly attended to. Having had great experience in all diseases of Horses and Cattle, and in the treatment of all diseases of the human species, he will receive the greatest attention. Charges moderate. dw

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BOARDER WANTED—Wanted, a gentleman boarder, in a private family. Enquire at this office. 1164d

CORN FOR SALE—For sale, 10,000 bushels of corn. Apply to J. DAVIES, in the Market. 1164d

TO LET—Several rooms in a house, situated on the Roman Catholic Glebe. Apply to Messrs. O'Connor & McMillan, Barristers, &c. 1164d

WANTED by the 14th of December, next, a good general servant. Must be well recommended. Apply to Mrs. John A. Wood. 1164d

TO LET—The large room over the MERCURY OFFICE, formerly used as a Temperance Hall. Suitable for an office or for any light manufacturing purpose. Enquire at the Mercury Office. 1164d

SEWING MACHINES FOR SALE—For sale, the Wason, Lockman and Howe Sewing Machines, all first class and cheap for cash. Enquire at the Mercury Office. 1164d

HOUSE TO RENT—A comfortable dwelling house, on Queen Street, directly opposite the residence of Col. Higginbotham, containing 6 rooms, stone cellar, hard and soft water. Apply to Nov. 20th, 1872. J. MINNACK.

HOUSE TO LET—Containing six rooms, wood shed, well, and garden, situated near the Great Western Station. For particulars, apply to F. Frost, or H. Metcalfe. 1164d

AUCTION—For sale under a chattel mortgage, the thoroughbred Galloway Bull, "Prince Le Boe," rising 4 years old. Sale to take place on the Guelph Market, on Saturday, 23rd Nov., at the hour of 10 o'clock. Terms, cash. Pedigree at the office of W. S. G. KNOWLES, Auctioneer. Guelph, Nov. 15th, 1872.

MASONRY, CARPENTERS, &c.—Tenders for the erection of an addition to the Woolen Mills of Armstrong, McCrae & Co., will be received till Saturday, 23rd Nov. Plans and specifications may be seen at their office. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. ARMSTRONG, McCRAE & CO. 51d

BUILDING LOTS FOR SALE—Two Lots of 66 feet frontage, each on Wellington Street, by 106 feet deep, being a portion of the open space between the City Bank and Mr. Barclay's property, is for sale. They are very convenient to the centre of the town, and will be sold cheap. For terms, &c., apply to the undersigned, Town Hall Buildings, Guelph. 1164d

CHAS. DAVIDSON, 1164d

PICTURE FRAMING. The subscriber begs to inform his old customers and the public that he is prepared to do all kinds of Picture Framing at his shop in the building attached to the Old English Church, St. George's Square. Parties are invited to examine quality of work, and ascertain prices before going elsewhere. 1164d

C. S. HEWAN, 1164d

GUELPH GENERAL HOSPITAL. The Trustees are desirous of receiving offers of a site for the Guelph General Hospital. Proposals to be addressed in writing to the undersigned up to 31st December, 1872. A. LEMON, Secretary of the Board. Guelph, Nov. 20th, 1872. Herald copy 3rd-w.

WAGON SHOP AND DWELLING FOR SALE—Situated in Paisley Block, about 5 miles from Guelph. The house contains 6 rooms, large cellar, and is well finished. The shop is commodious, and is in full operation. A good opportunity for a person wishing to carry on that branch of business. A blacksmith shop is connected with the lot, and is well stocked with fruit. Trees. Apply, on the premises, to W. S. Cowan, or by letter, Guelph P.O. 1164d

STORE AND DWELLING FOR SALE OR TO RENT. The subscriber offers for sale on reasonable terms, or will rent for a period, the store and dwelling at Bristol, Township of Erin, at present occupied by Mr. Mackelcan, Postmaster there. The store is situated in a good locality, on the gravel road between Guelph and Erin. This is an excellent opening for a party with a limited capital, as a good business can be carried on, and arrangements may be made to connect with the Post Office in connection with the store. For particulars apply to JAMES MASSIE, Guelph, Nov. 20th, 1872. dw

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1869. In the matter of EDWARD T. A. PERRY, an Insolvent. NOTICE TO DEBTORS. All parties indebted to the estate of the above named insolvent are requested to pay the same to the undersigned immediately, and save costs. JOHN NEWTON, Assignee. Guelph, Nov. 12, 1872. (10d)

NEW BUTCHER SHOP. The Right Man in the Right Place. The undersigned recognizing the felt want of a butcher shop in Upper Wyndham Street, which will be open at all hours during the business part of the day, has started a branch establishment in that street, opposite Bradley's Grocery Store and opposite the new Baptist Church, where he keeps a fair share of public patronage. Prices: Hind quarters 50 to 55 per 100 lbs; front do 55 to 60 per do; roasts and steaks 9 cts to 12 cts per lb. Lamb in quarters 6 to 10 cts. per lb. Hours from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. on Saturdays from 8 a.m. to 10 p.m. GILBERT AMOS, Butcher, No. 3. Guelph, Nov. 18, 1872. Market Stall. d & v 11a

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, ONT. July 12, 1871 dw

VICK'S Floral Guide for 1873. The GUIDE is now published Quarterly, 25 cents per copy for the year, four numbers, which is not half the cost. Those who afterwards send me the amount of ONE DOLLAR or more for Seeds may also order 25 cents worth extra—the price paid for the GUIDE. THE JANUARY NUMBER is beautiful, giving plans for making Rural Homes, Designs for Dining Table Decorations, Window Gardens, &c., and containing a mass of information invaluable to the lovers of flowers. One hundred and fifty pages on fine tinted paper, some Five Hundred Engravings and a superb Colored Plate and Chromo Cover. The first edition of TWO HUNDRED THOUSAND just printed in English and German, and ready to send out. JAMES VICK, Rochester, N. Y. Nov. 22, 1872. dw

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Town and County News.

At Drayton, Moorefield, Harrison and Clifford, the grain buyers are lively, and are shipping wheat to the Elora, Salem and Fergus Mills, though not to anything like the extent that is desirable.

The Elora Observer says that the millers of Salem are grumbling exceedingly over the scarcity of water which at present prevails, and fear the necessity of having, in case of its continuance, to shut down their mills for longer or shorter periods.

Rosa D'Erma.—This talented vocalist gives her concert to-night in the Town Hall. We have already said so much in her favour, that it is only necessary now to remind our readers of the concert, which we feel sure will be very largely attended. Those intending to go should secure seats at once.

THRASHING MACHINE ACCIDENT.—Mr. John Corbett, of the 13th concession Maryborough, was badly hurt on the 18th inst., while working around a threshing machine. It appears that he was caught by the tumbling shaft and severely wounded before he could free himself. Threshers should be careful in working around a machine while it is in motion.

MECHANICS WILL BE DOWRUSHING in great numbers to Boston, thinking to get plenty of work with high wages. Let this be remembered, that they did so just after the fire at Chicago, and hundreds had to take charity and get away from the crowded city. It is too easily forgotten that from all other cities of the United States, always over-crowded, hundreds will be rushing also.

THE FIRE AT DRAYTON.—The Enterprise says a fire broke out on Tuesday day evening on Mr. Loughhead's tavern near the station. A few moments before six o'clock the cry of "Fire" was heard, and the alarm bell sounded the news. The hotel was completed only last spring and now it is reduced to ashes by the fierce element. Mr. Loughhead has lost considerable more than the amount of insurance, which is \$1,200. Insured in the Gore Mutual of Galt. All the contents of the lower story were saved, but most of the second were burned. The fire started in the bar-room chimney, and before sufficient help could be got the house was all in flames, leaping high up in the air. This is the fourth time he has met with the same misfortune.

THE LATE FATAL ACCIDENT AT ELORA.—The Elora Observer furnishes us with the following additional news respecting the fatal accident which on Monday night by which James Gairns was run over by the train. The body presented a most sickening sight. The head was severed from the trunk, his arms torn off and lying by his side, his legs both cut off, one being found on each side of the track, the boot still retaining its place on the foot in one case and being torn off in the other. His liver was torn out and found frozen to a sleeper, and his whole body so mangled as to be beyond description. The evidence and verdict concur in attributing Gairns' death to the influence of liquor, some of which he had probably imbibed from the bottle he was carrying off for home. Comment on such a case would seem almost out of place; the lesson taught is traced in such colors, written with the blood of the victim, sealed with his death, and the evil consequences so irrefragable, that those who will not take warning by a knowledge of the facts want to test a sentence by words or writings that must appear tame beside them. Deceased was well-known in Elora and neighborhood, having resided there for the last 25 years. In his young days he was a sailor, but since he settled there followed the occupation of a weaver. He was a quiet, unassuming man, and his death was a general favourite.

Local and Other Items.

The Premier of Quebec states that 1,000 Alsatians and 8,000 English settlers have arrived in that Province within the year.

Mr. John Thompson, of Rosehill, Galt, an old and respected citizen, and at one time a prominent stock raiser, died on Monday last.

The receipts on the two Narrow Gauge Roads running out of Toronto are double last month what they were in October last year. Of course, in each case there is a greater length of road travelled.

At the last meeting of the Galt Board of School Trustees, the salary of the Principal, Mr. D. McCaig, was raised from \$850 to \$1,000 a year, and the salaries of all the other teachers in proportion.

The public meeting on the domestic servant difficulty came off on Wednesday evening in Montreal, and was largely attended by ladies, who have arranged to hold another meeting on their own account.

The Governor-General's Foot Guards, now forming in Ottawa, will comprise six companies, which are to be uniformed and equipped in imitation of the celebrated Grenadier Guards of Her Majesty's household troops.

New York chickens are suffering from *dawelcheldiehuemmerdort*; the thanksgiving turkeys have been seized with the panthili-noos-deinos-oriocephalis, while the geese are gasping with the *gaenagush-biah-moragha*.

The position of Traffic Superintendent of the Great Western Railway, rendered vacant by the resignation of Mr. Wm. Wallace, has been accepted by Mr. D. Woodford, superintendent of the telegraph department of the Michigan Central Railway.

The Galt Postmaster has received instructions from the Post Office Inspector to distribute, until further notice, all mail matter for Clyde at the Galt Post Office, as if addressed to Clyde. Persons from that neighborhood, will therefore, in the meantime, have to come to Galt for their letters and papers.

Honora Wholehair, wife of the labourer who found the \$600 lost by Mr. Englehart, on the grounds of the Institute for the blind, Bradford, has been arrested on suspicion. The wife of Chief Constable McMeers found \$15 in Bank of Commerce bills sewed in her skirts. Her husband, with the bulk of the money, died at Detroit.

THE QUEEN'S STATUE IN MONTREAL.—Governor-General, on Thursday, in the name of the Executive Committee, formally presented the statue of the Queen to the city of Montreal as a free gift. The statue is of Florentine bronze, and is the work of Mr. Marshall Wood. The names of the contributors to the statue fund are appended to this address; and it is proper to notice that the Mayor and City Council have granted the site and supplied the pedestal.

BURNED TO DEATH.—A shocking occurrence took place on Wednesday evening in the Township of Madocote, by which a boy, aged three years, son of Mr. David Gill, was burned to death. It appears that four children were playing up stairs in that gentleman's house, and their mother called them down. Three of them obeyed the summons, but this poor little fellow ran into his mother's bed-room, closing the door. Shortly after the mother heard screams issuing from above, and rushed up stairs. On opening the door a burst of flames met her, and but for the exertions of her sister she certainly would have met a similar fate to that of her child. The house was burnt down, and few of the effects were saved.

A FLOWING WELL.—Mr. Jacob McGee, of Tuckersmith, recently had a well dug in his barn yard which turned out to be quite remarkable in its yield of water. Mr. McGee had been much inconvenienced on his farm for some time for want of water, and had sunk several wells without being able to reach a living spring or get a lasting supply of water. At length he dug the one in question and after reaching a depth of 80 feet he commenced to bore. He had not bored over two or three feet when the water spouted out in great volumes, and filled the well so rapidly that he could scarcely get it stoned up. The well now keeps constantly full, with a stream running from it large enough to form quite a creek.

DREADED CATASTROPHE.—By a dispatch from St. Paul's, we are informed that the safety of over 80 tracklayers on the Winona and St. Peter Railway is feared. A terrible snow storm has occurred in the north-west of Minnesota, which has prevented provisions being sent to them. When last heard from on Tuesday night, the relief train was stuck fast by over-accumulating snow forty miles west of the suffering trackmen. For six days the storm has continued with unabated fury, and a painful impression is created that the men at the end of the track will starve before relief can reach them. No supplies are known to be accessible, for the line is being constructed in advance of the Government surveyors, far into a country uninhabited save by a few adventurous squatters and sickly Indians.

AN INFANT FOUND IN A WATER CLOSET.—No little excitement was caused in Ottawa on Saturday morning last, by the announcement that an infant had been found in a water closet on Bond Street, on the premises of Mr. Bell, by Constable Gurley, who took the case in hand, and soon had the perpetrator of the crime in custody. The girl, Mary Feuster, denied all knowledge of the affair, but finally confessed that she was the guilty party. On Saturday Coroner Eas held an inquest on the body of the child, and, although the examining doctors, Coburn and McGill, were well satisfied that the child had lived and breathed after birth, the jury exonerated Mary Feuster from blame in the death of the child. No witnesses were examined, as the girl made a full confession. She swears that the child was born dead.

BY TELEGRAPH

Political Excitement in France

Thiers Still President.

Town of Galva Burned Down.

The Notorious Laura Fair as a Lecturer.

Serious Fire in Lexington.

City of London and Stanley.

Sergeant Bates' Pedestrian Tour.

Another Payment by France of War Indemnity.

Arrest of Dr. Davis, of Rochester.

The Proposed Railway from Guelph to Collingwood.

To the Editor of the MERCURY.

Sir,—In this age of dissemination of knowledge through the newspaper press, it is often the case that private individuals concern themselves as much with the affairs of distant governments and speculating companies as if they were actually concerned or personally interested in their projection or management. My last hobby has been on the projected schemes of a North-Western R. R. from Hamilton or from the Town of Guelph, and my verdict is in favour of the projected scheme of railway from Guelph to Orangeville and from thence to Collingwood.

My opinion is that the Hamilton scheme verges far too much to the southward, making rather a circuitous road to Hog Bay and more so to Collingwood. If Hamilton wishes to attract some of the business traffic from Toronto it can be better and more safely done by keeping near the diverging line of such traffic, than as it were boarding the Toronto merchants on their legitimate territory, and very little can be gained by tapping the Lake Simcoe trade at Barrie. The projected loop-line of the Northern R. R. from Angus to King will compete for the carrying trade at Alliston, in the Townships of Tossorontia and Easa, and from thence to Hog Bay, it is doubtful if the local traffic would pay for the wood and grease. The natural outlet of Barrie and Lake Simcoe is undoubtedly by Toronto, or by the Midland R. R. From Barrie to Hog Bay the timber has been culled and marketed for years, the refuse of the place and local traffic would not justify the expense of even a common road. And another query is, will Hog Bay be the continued terminus of the Midland R. R. A bay may be too much of a bay. Can even steamers make Hog Bay safely at night without a multiplicity of lightsomeness? Can sailing vessels guarantee to be there within a week after they land at Collingwood? The Midland R. R. will ultimately be extended to Collingwood or to Thunder Bay, opposite to the Christian Islands.

The Guelph scheme seems more feasible, and more economical. There is already a railway from Hamilton to Guelph. From thence to Orangeville, the prospects of local traffic are as good as on any part of the projected Hamilton route. From Orangeville to Primrose 15 miles, to Hornings Mills 8, to Maple Valley 7, to Singhampton 6, this fertile level country invites a railway. And at each of the places named there is good water power and mills. At Hornings Mills alone, there is power to drive all the steam and water machinery of Guelph, not in favour of the clouds as at some places, but 400 year round. There is an immense local traffic on the whole line. From Guelph to Orangeville there is raised a fine quality of white wheat which the American millers would likely test the stability of the Suspension Bridge. Also the Townships of Mono, Mulmur and the eastern half of Hamilton cannot be surpassed for a good quality of grain. From Singhampton to Collingwood, 15 miles, would be almost the only engineering work of the whole line. Of course the railway could not follow the road that now is. There is said to be a descending plain by diverging into the Townships of Osprey and Collingwood, and a descent there must be, as Singhampton is 1,000 feet higher than the Georgian Bay.

The Guelph scheme being more economical and direct would give the City of Hamilton a better chance to compete for a share of the immense and increasing trade of the Georgian Bay, and to connect with the Midland R. R., a direct line from Collingwood to Hog Bay or to the nearest Midland R. R. terminus, would traverse a country richer in pine timber and grain, and would be more likely to pay shareholders than any line from Barrie or Lake Simcoe to Hog Bay. The distance would be shorter by the Guelph route even by Collingwood to Hog Bay. The right of way would be cheaper, the municipal bonuses would more likely be secured, and the scheme would mature and gain strength in being exposed to the full glare of noonday discussion. The energetic citizens of Hamilton will doubtless weigh the matter in all its bearings and consider whether the Guelph scheme would not contribute as much to their interests as their own would. All would unite on one scheme it could be accomplished. The Town of Collingwood would no doubt patronize the most direct line. Yours, &c. NOV. 20, 1872. MULMUR.

Atmospheric Waves.

The great storm which swept across the northern coast of Europe, last week, was the severest known for many years. We have but an imperfect report of the damage done; it is even possible that many distant localities which have been storm-swept have not been heard from yet. The hurricane, or rain tempest, seems to have spent its force in the Baltic and along the coasts of Prussia and Denmark. Stralsund, an ancient city of Pomerania, isolated from the main land, is one of the largest places which were damaged; but one poor little village on the island of Rotece was entirely swept away with its inhabitants, and the martletime to von Franstoe, on the island of Zealand, between the Baltic and the Cattegat, was half ruined. It is possible that this serious atmospheric disturbance may be connected with the great atmospheric wave which the Signal Bureau is said to have discovered on the North Pacific, travelling eastward. This wave has heretofore been a speciality European phenomenon; but it is now traced distinctly from the shores of British Columbia and Oregon to the Pacific States southward, breaking over the summits of the Rocky Mountains on the 14th inst. The character of this vast undulation and its accompanying phenomena are not very distinctly described as yet; but enough is known to lead us to expect accurate explanations and new data from the Signal Service anon.—N. Y. Tribune.

Information has been received that the horse disease is so severe among the animals employed on the Intercolonial railway that hundreds of men are idle in consequence, and that Sarsford Fleming, Esq., who intended to pass along the Rimousin end, was unable from want of horses to proceed, and had to go around by Maine.

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The Premier's Address.

Hon. Mr. Mowat has issued his address to the electors of North Oxford. It is a plain, simple honest statement of facts, and his views regarding his own position, the principles, policy and aims of the Reform party, and especially of the Government of which he is now the head.

He also foreshadows the work in which his Government is, or will be, engaged, and the measures which will be brought forward as the fruit of their deliberations. He says: "I hope soon to call to the aid of my colleagues, and to carry at an early date measures for the satisfactory settlement of the Municipal Loan Fund debts; for the just appropriation of the surplus revenues of the Province; for obtaining an augmented immigration, particularly of agricultural laborers; for the more rapid development of agricultural and other resources of our country; for the reform of the laws in regard to various matters in which experience has brought to light defects and injurious anomalies; and for securing increased efficiency in the working of our educational and municipal institutions, in the administration of justice, and in other departments of the public service."

He regards his office as Premier of Ontario as more honourable than that of Vice Chancellor, and defends his course in quitting the Bench for the more stormy arena in the Legislative Halls. In reference to this matter he says: "My acceptance of a seat in the Cabinet has been alleged by some political opponents to be contrary to British constitutional rules in regard to the judiciary. But that statement is without the slightest foundation. No such rule can be found, except in the fancy of those who are asserting it as a weapon of assault against myself. On the contrary, the well settled British rule is, that Her Majesty has a right to call to her Council any of her subjects, whether he happens to hold a judicial or any other office. If he holds an office which, by law, custom, or otherwise, he cannot hold in conjunction with a seat in the Cabinet, the only effect is, that the office must be surrendered; as I have surrendered my seat on the Chancery Bench. The Lord Chancellor is always a member of the British Cabinet; and there are almost always several judges in the British Parliament."

Another fire broke out in a large printing establishment in Boston on Tuesday evening, and destroyed the building. It was feared at one time that the fire would extend to other buildings, and a general alarm was sounded. Fortunately the flames were confined to the place where they originated. Two hundred men are thrown out of employment by the disaster.

The Guelph, Orangeville & Collingwood Railway.

We print to-day a letter from an influential resident in the Township of Mulmur, in which he discusses the respective merits of the Hamilton & North-Western Railway from that city to Hog Bay, and the proposed line from Guelph to Orangeville and thence to Collingwood. Having an intimate acquaintance with the country and its resources through which both lines will run, our correspondent's statements and conclusions are worthy the serious attention of all parties interested. He argues that the Hamilton & Hog Bay line will not prove remunerative, and that it will not command the traffic which its Hamilton advocates anticipate. He points out that Hog Bay is not an advantageous terminus, and that if it were shifted to Collingwood, this will make the route even more circuitous. On the other hand he points out the advantages which the Guelph & Orangeville line would offer, not only to Hamilton, but to the fine track of country through which it would run, many parts of which at present are far from railway communication. This line, too, he shows, could be built for half the money which the other one will cost. The Great Western already connects Hamilton and Guelph; from the latter the road could be run in almost a straight line to Orangeville, and from thence, as our correspondent points out, it could easily be built to Southampton. The remaining 15 miles, from that place to Collingwood is the only difficult part of the route.

The views of our correspondent merit the serious attention of the business men of Hamilton, and especially those who are at present so actively promoting the Hamilton & Hog Bay scheme.

An important constitutional question has been raised in the Quebec Legislature, the right of Hon. Mr. Cauchon to occupy a seat in the Assembly being impugned on the ground of his being a Government contractor. The issue of the matter will be watched with interest throughout Canada.

Editorial Items.

Col. G. D. DENISON, jun., has been appointed, by the Ontario Government, an emigration agent to visit Great Britain.

The Postmaster at Kingston was sued for voting for Sir John Macdonald at the last election, the penalty being laid at \$2,000. He has demurred, saying he is not liable, therefore the whole case will come up for argument at the Court in Toronto.

Mr. McMICKEN has resigned the office of Dominion Land Agent in Manitoba, and his successor has not yet been nominated. It is thought in the Province that Lieut.-Governor Archibald will return.

Anything but amicable relations exist between the Manitoba and Ottawa Ministry, and a rupture is certain.

Chancery Court.

Before Chancellor Sprague.

FRIDAY. GAVIN vs. MARTIN.—In this case a decree was made by consent, declaring that the lands should be re-conveyed to plaintiffs upon terms of paying the purchase money at Sheriff's sale.

PADDOCK vs. PADDOCK.—Counsel consents to a partition, as asked by bill for plaintiff. Mr. Jas. Watt for plaintiff; Mr. A. Lemon for defendant.

JACKSON vs. GREGORY.—A bill by an assignee in insolvency to have mortgage taken in the name of insolvent's wife declared assets of insolvent's estate. Decree settled by consent of counsel after closing evidence by plaintiff. The mortgage was for \$3,000, and the defendant's wife, according to the decree, was to surrender the first instalment of mortgage, \$1,100; balance of mortgage to remain with her. Each party to pay their own costs. Hon. E. Blake, Q. C., and Mr. W. H. Bowly, for plaintiff; Mr. T. Moss, Q. C., and Mr. C. Moss for defendant.

HEISSE vs. WAHN.—The parties live in Preston, in the County of Waterloo, and were in partnership in a foundry at Neustadt, the foundry being partnership property. There was a dissolution last January, and the foundry was put up at auction, when the defendant bid the highest bidder was declared the purchaser; but afterwards refused to complete the purchase. The bill is filed for a partnership account, in which it is sought to charge the defendant with the amount bid at such sale against his share in the partnership estate, and to compel him to complete his purchase. The defence set up is that there was no written agreement by the defendant to purchase the foundry, and that defendant had not yet received out of the assets near enough to pay the large amount he had put into the concern beyond what the plaintiff had invested in it. Mr. E. Fitzgerald and Mr. C. A. Durand for plaintiff; Hon. E. Blake, Q. C., and Mr. W. H. Bowly for defendant.

ANOTHER BRANCH OF THE W. G. & B. R.—The earnest desire of the promoters of a branch railway from Cliford to Durham is likely ere long to be realized. The W. G. & B. R. Company have now agreed to build this branch through the Township of Normanby for a bonus of \$80,000. Four municipalities will have to raise this amount, viz., Durham, Glenelg, Bentinck and Normanby, and the prospect at present is that by laws granting bonuses to this amount will be carried in all these places. These by-laws will be voted upon as follows: Durham 6th Dec., Glenelg 7th Dec., Bentinck 9th Dec., and Normanby 11th Dec. This branch when built will form a most important feeder to the main line, as it will command the trade of a most important section of the County of Grey.

Another fire broke out in a large printing establishment in Boston on Tuesday evening, and destroyed the building. It was feared at one time that the fire would extend to other buildings, and a general alarm was sounded. Fortunately the flames were confined to the place where they originated. Two hundred men are thrown out of employment by the disaster.

MARRIED

MCDONNELL-FISHER.—By the Rev. Dr. Topp, at the residence of the bride's father, Samuel S. McDonnell, second son of the late James McDonnell, Esq., to Jennie, daughter of Alex. Fisher, Esq., manager of the Ontario Bank, Toronto.

YEOGANS-HENRY.—On the 18th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, Congeston, Co. Waterloo, by the Rev. F. W. Turck, Rev. Geo. Yeomans, B. A., of Winterbourne, to Sophronia, third daughter of Chas. Henry, Esq.

MCDONNELL-BERRY.—On the 18th inst., by the Rev. J. B. Howard, the Hon. Wm. McDonnell, C.B., of Toronto, to Mary Adelaide, third daughter of John Berry, Esq., M.D., of Cobourg.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE

Winter Arrangement—On after Monday, 18th November:

Grand Trunk Railway

Trains leave Guelph as follows:

WEST
2:17 a.m.; 9:45 a.m.; 1:50 p.m.; 6:00 p.m.; 8:33 p.m.
*To London, Goderich, 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., 12:35 p.m. 1:05 p.m. for Hamilton; 4:55 p.m.

Going North—1:45 a.m. for Cliford; mixed 1:15 p.m. for Cliford; 4:55 p.m. for Fergus; 9:05 p.m. for Fergus.

MUSIC OF MANY LANDS.

The Management has the honor of announcing that

Mlle ROSA D'ERINA,

(ERIN'S PRIMA DONNA.)

Will give one of her musical evenings,

IN THE TOWN HALL,

GUELPH,

On Friday Evening, Nov. 22nd,

Illustrative of the "Music of Many Lands," viz: France, Italy, Germany, Spain; England, Ireland, Scotland, and America.

In aid of St. Joseph's Hospital.

Doors open at 7:30; to commence at 8. Tickets, Reserved seats, 75c; Unreserved 50c. For sale at Messrs. Day's, Anderson's, and Harvey's.

A Grand SACRED CONCERT

Will be given in St. Bartholomew's Church, on SUNDAY, by Mlle D'ERINA, assisted by the Choir, for the same object.

Tickets, 50 cents, to be had from the Committee. P. C. McCOURT, Manager. Guelph, Nov. 18 1872

NEW Fall Goods,

UPPER WYNDHAM STREET.

The subscriber begs to inform the ladies of Guelph and surrounding country that she has just received a large and carefully selected stock of Fall Goods, comprising

All the Newest Styles and Patterns

A SPLENDID STOCK OF

BERLIN WOOLS

ALL COLOURS.

Braids, Swatches, Chignons, General Fancy Goods, and Toys.

STAMPING DONE.

ook-stitch Sewing Machines for sale.

MRS. WRIGHT,

Next to the Wellington Hotel.

Guelph, Oct. 11, 1871.

AMONG our Merchants in Guelph, there are none perhaps so noted for thorough business enterprise as the celebrated Hardware Merchant, Mr. Jno. Horne. Every season finds him ready for the particular wants of the time, with the best articles of what ever kind are required, and at the lowest possible prices. Now, at the approach of winter, Coal Oil the clearest, Lamps the finest, Chimneys, Wicks and Burners the best; Coal hard and Coal soft, Fire Grates, Fire Trons, Coal Sentries, Clinker Stoves, Lanterns, Floor Oil-Cloth, Mats, &c. Tea and Coffee Pots, Urnet Stands, Wringers, Mangles, Scrubbing Brushes, Shoe Brushes, Stove Brushes, Smoothing and Finting Irons, and every Housekeeper's need can be supplied; and every one knows with what confidence the goods are sold to Mr. Horne's, and depend on getting the best goods at the lowest prices. dw

ANDERSON'S
MOTTO:
Small Profits,
—AND—
Quick Returns.

Study your own interest by buying where you can get

The Best Goods Cheapest.

NOW ON HAND

At Anderson's Bookstore,

A large, cheap, and entirely new stock of Books, Blank Books, School Books, Writing Paper, Wall Paper, Plain and Fancy Stationery, Family Pew and Pocket Bibles.

ANDERSON

Has a large supply of

Magazines and Newspapers,

Constantly on hand.

Any Magazine, Book, or Music not in stock will be procured on the shortest notice.

ANDERSON

Being satisfied with small profits, buys for cash and sells cheap, and enters well to the reading public.

Good Stock and Cheap.

Every desirable article in the Book, Stationery and News Line can be had

AT ANDERSON'S,

Cheap Book and News Depot,

Opposite the Market,

GUELPH.

SLEIGHS! SLEIGHS!

C. CHASE'S

Blacksmith and Waggon Shop,

WOOLWICH ST., GUELPH.

Those in want of a First-Class Sleigh either light or heavy—bob or ton—will find my stock very complete at present.

REPAIRING

Having recently enlarged my premises, and my stock of materials being large and first-class, also employing the best of workmen, I am now prepared to do all kinds of repairing, quicker, cheaper and better than can be done at any other shop in the Dominion.

Prices Reasonable, and Short Credits.

C. CHASE. Guelph, Nov. 20th, 1872. wfdaw

Gas Fitting

AND

STEAM FITTING

Done in the best style and most workman-like manner.

AT HOWARD'S

All Kinds of Fixtures made to order on the Shortest Notice.

Changing Pipes, &c. or Repairs

Done on the shortest notice. (dw)

AUCTION SALE

Real Estate and Household Furniture.

Mr. W. S. G. Knowles, Auctioneer, has been instructed by Mr. Wm. A. Bookless, to sell by Public Auction, on the premises, Liverpool Street,

On Tuesday, 26th November,

At 11 p.m., the following Household Furniture, Drawing room set, Bedroom sets, Dining room set, Cooking, Parlor and Bed room stoves, Carpets, Piano, Walnut Centre Table, Beds and Bedding, and a large number of other articles too numerous to mention. This furniture is all new. The parlor set took the first prize at the Central Exhibition for 1871, and is the best furniture ever offered at public auction in Guelph.

Also, a heavy draught horse, aged, a mare in foal, a colt six months old, double pleasure sleigh, new single center, three robes (two buffalo and one bear), a force pump and 120 feet of inch rubber hose, and a large lot of horse clothing, harness, &c. The above will be sold without reserve. Terms cash.

Also, a double brick HOUSE on Liverpool Street, containing seven rooms in each division, with a quarter of an acre of ground attached. Rental \$200 per annum. Terms will be made known on day of sale.

W. S. G. KNOWLES, Auctioneer. Guelph, Nov. 16, 1872. dw

ST. ANDREW'S DAY

IN GUELPH.

The Sons of St. Andrew will celebrate the Anniversary of their Patron Saint, by a

CONCERT and BALL.

—IN THE—

TOWN HALL

—ON—

FRIDAY, 29th NOVEMBER.

The well known Scottish Vocalist, Mr. AN-GUS FAIRBAIRN and FAMILY have been engaged for the Concert, the programme for which will comprise some of the choicest songs of Auld Scotland.

Val's splendid Quadrille Band has been engaged for the Ball.

TICKETS, admitting Gentleman, \$1.00; Lady and Gentleman, 75c; extra Lady Ticket, 50c. Refreshments extra. Tickets to be had at the Book and Drug Stores, or from the committee.

Doors open at 7 o'clock; Concert to commence at 8 o'clock, sharp.

JOHN ANDERSON, Secretary. wfdaw

Ho! For the West! BUSY, AS USUAL! NOW OPENED!

AT THE

FASHIONABLE WEST END

JUST OPENED

A Large and Splendid Stock of French Materials, every new and desirable shade, all at our usual well known reasonable prices.

Another Lot of Beautiful Silk Finished Black Velveteens—CHEAP;

A Full Stock of Colored Velveteens—EVERY SHADE;

Another Lot of Cheap Dress Goods, at 12c, 15c, 20c, and 25c;

The particular attention of every lady is requested to this Lot

Another Lot of Striped Shawls;

Another Lot of Plaid Shawls;

Another Lot of Pattern Mantles.

Come, Ladies, direct to the Fashionable West End, no difficulty in getting suited. Everything new and desirable for the season to be had at reasonable prices, and in great variety.

(HO! FOR THE WEST!) A. O. BUCHAM,

Fashionable West End Dress, Millinery and Mantle Establishment.

Guelph, Nov. 22, 1872 dwv

Co-Operative Store.

NEW WINTER CLOTHING.

Boy's Heavy Coats, from \$3 25

Men's Tweed Coats, from \$5 00

Boy's Over Coats, " 4 50

Men's Overcoats, " 6 00

Boy's Pea Jackets, " 3 50

Men's Pea Jackets, " 6 00

Boy's Tweed Pants, " 1 50

Men's Tweed Pants, " 2 50

Boy's Tweed Vests, " 1 00

Men's Tweed Vests, " 1 50

Boy's, Men's, and Ladies' Wool Underclothing,

At Last Year's Prices.

J. C. MACKLIN & Co.

GUELPH, Nov 19, 1872. dw

FIRST PRIZE BISCUITS

JAMES MASSIE,

Manufacturer of

CHOICE CONFECTIONERY AND BISCUITS,

Alma Block, Guelph.

Invites the attention of the Trade to the Superior Quality of Goods now produced at his Manufactory. Having introduced many new improvements, and employing only first-class workmen, and possessing every facility, he is prepared to supply the trade with a class of goods unsurpassed by any manufacturer, in

LOZENGES, all flavors;

DROPS, assorted flavors and shapes;

GUM and LICORICE DROPS,

CONVERSATION LOZENGES,

MOULDED SWEETS, new patterns;

SODA, SWEET and FRUIT BISCUITS,

FRUIT BISCUITS,

GINGER NUTS,

CHEWING GUM,

ROCK CANDY,

LICORICE.

A Large Stock of Choice and Favorite Brand Cigars.

His Biscuits took the first prize over all others at the London Western Fair this year the only place where they were entered for competition.

All Goods carefully packed and shipped with despatch.

Arrival of New Fruits.

His Biscuits took the first prize over all others at the London Western Fair this year the only place where they were entered for competition.

All Goods carefully packed and shipped with despatch.

Malaga Lemons,

Grapes,

Crown L. Raisins,

London L. " "

Valencia " "

Figs, Dates,

Sweet Potatoes,

Finnan Haddies.

HUGH WALKER,

WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH.

Guelph, Oct. 1, 1872

BRITISH AND FOREIGN

IMPORTING HOUSE,

48 and 50 Yonge Street,

AND

196 and 198 McGill Street,

MONTREAL.

Full lines of the following goods of this season's importation or manufacture offered to the jobbing trade by the package, or to general merchants in any part of the Dominion.

TERMS—CLOSE, and discounts liberal. al to prompt men.

Celebrated Periscope Spectacles,

Musical and Patent Albums,

Violins and Accordions,

Watches, Walrham and Swiss Clocks, Connecticut and French Old Bull Violin Strings,

Bohemian Glass Ware,

German Morocco Pocket Books,

Toys in wood, tin and iron, Baskets, Fancy and Market.

Fancy Goods generally, the largest stock in the Dominion.

ROBT. WILKES.

Sept. 24, 1872. dw t

DOMINION SALOON.

FRESH OYSTERS

IN EVERY STYLE

to be had at this saloon. The best Liquors and Cigars always in stock.

Guelph, Sept. 30, 1872

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.

GEO. MURTON, Guelph, Nov. 1, 1872 dy

CHINA DOLLS

SO DOZEN

At Day's Bookstore.

The 25c Doll for 15 Cents;

The 30c Doll for 20 Cents;

The \$1 Doll for 60 Cents;

Twenty Different Kinds.

and look at them;

The Foster Brother; The Orphan of the Wreck.

CHAPTER XXVI.

UNDERGROUND—AN URGENT SUMMONS—A MYSTERY.

The letter ran as follows:— "My dear Eglantine,—Come here at once, if it be at all possible. The man Walley made his escape the other night from the asylum, and as he flew along the road he caught up a child playing at its mother's door. Next morning he was found at the beach, seated on a rock with the child on his knee, wrapped up in his own clothes, which he had taken off to envelop it. The child thus well cared for was asleep, but exposure to the cold had plunged the man into a raging fever. The shock to his system will, I believe, prove fatal, but there is great probability, that before he dies his reason will return, and there will thus be an opportunity for you learning what you so ardently long to know. But come without a moment's delay, for the crisis may occur at any hour, and if you are not on the spot the opportunity will be lost, and lost forever.—Yours ever,

LESTER MANBY. George bounded to his feet in wild excitement. He looked at the head of the letter. It was dated five days back—five days, and the doctor said the crisis might come at any hour. He ought to be at the asylum ere now. Perhaps it was already too late. Oh, if it were so, and if this great and only chance of discovering his parentage was lost, what bitter regret must for ever be his.

What should he do first? A coach, which went south by Perth, would pass through a village five miles distant at nine o'clock, and probably by starting at once he would have time to catch it. Yes, but if he did that he would leave Matthew Greigson, Harry and Lillias in ignorance as to his disappearance. It was important that for their sakes he should run down to the cottage, assure them of his safety, and acquaint them with the contents of Manby's letter. Yet by doing so he would miss the coach and be detained for one, perhaps two days. No; such delay was not to be thought of; he would start at once, and seize the first opportunity on the way to write a note to Harry, giving him the necessary explanation, and set all their minds at rest as to his absence.

It was a case at once for quick decision and prompt action; and no sooner had George come to this resolution than he started down the slope, and cleared the stream at a flying leap, ascended the opposite side, and crossed the intervening fields which lay between him and the highway.

This was the same highway which passed Argowan gate, but at a considerable distance down the glen, and George's way lay in quite the opposite direction. Behind him also was Mossgrove, and before him a long stretch of road, which he had to traverse ere gaining a cross road which would take him to the village where he was bound.

Mechanically George drew out his watch to learn the hour. The glass was broken to pieces, and it stood at ten o'clock—the hour which, in all probability, he had been thrown down the mine shaft.

Had there fore no means of ascertaining the time, or of assuring himself that he would be able to walk the distance by the time the coach stopped at the village inn to change horses. By the aspect of the morning he deemed it to be past eight, and to do the five miles within the hour was hard work. But the object was worth striving for, and under his present excitement he was capable of great exertion.

As he walked along at a rapid pace, he glanced at his soiled clothes, and reflected that his appearance would cause no little surprise to those whom he might meet, and he fervently hoped that he might reach the inn with time to spare sufficient to remove these marks of his underground adventure.

Hot and breathless, George at length entered the open door of the inn, and to his great joy saw that the clock in the hall pointed to a quarter past eight. He had three quarters of an hour to wait, and made good use of the time. Not only did he have his clothes thoroughly brushed, but he ordered a hearty breakfast, and while it was preparing he called for writing materials, and sat down and penned the following lines to Harry:— "Dear Harry,—Do not be uneasy on my account. The enclosed is the letter I received from Lillias, and its contents will explain the haste with which I depart. I had an opportunity of opening it only an hour ago, and as I could catch the coach only by starting on the instant, I had not time to see you or Matthew. You understand how important it is that I should obey Manby's summons without a moment's delay. One thing I must earnestly impress on you—confide to no one but Lillias, Mrs. Rendall, and Matthew this information concerning me. When I get to the asylum I will write again, and for the sake of secrecy, my letter shall be addressed as this one is.—Your devoted friend, GEORGE."

Putting this note and Manby's letter into one envelope, he addressed it to Matthew Greigson, and took counsel of the landlord as to its safe and speedy delivery. The latter thought of no messenger so safe as Jamie Welsh, a half-witted man, who was generally to be found hanging about the inn stables, ready to do any little simple job. Jamie was forthwith summoned to George's presence, and faithfully promised, for the sake of half crown to proceed with the massive to Matthew Greigson's cottage. This matter was barely arranged when the coach arrived at the inn door, and as it stopped here for no other purpose than to change horses, it started in a few minutes, and was presently bearing George southwards at the rate of eight miles an hour.

GOLDIE & CO'S STEAM DYE WORKS

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

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

All kinds of Woolen, Silk, or Cotton Goods cleaned or dyed. Kid Gloves cleaned or dyed. Beavers cleaned, dyed and curled. Beavers and other Wools dyed. Give a call, and bring your goods, and you will see any shade of color desired. All work warranted to give satisfaction. No Humbug.

Steam Dyeing and Finishing Works, Upper Wyndham st., near the Alma Block, Guelph, July 27, 1872.

JOHN A. WOOD

GROCERIES, WINES, LIQUORS

FRUITS, CROCKERY, and GLASSWARE,

Ever seen in Guelph, which for quality and price cannot be equalled in the Dominion.

Table with two columns: INVOICE No. 1 and INVOICE No. 14, continued. Lists various goods like lemons, sugar, flour, etc.

JOHN A. WOOD IMPORTER,

Alma Block and Lower Wyndham-st., Guelph.

Advertisement for Guelph Cloth Hall, featuring a diamond-shaped logo and text: 'CLOTH AND HALL West of England Tweeds for Suits, AND FANCY TROUSERINGS, AT THE Guelph Cloth Hall. SHAW & MURTON, Merchant Tailors.'

New Goods for the Times AT JOHN R. PORTE'S

Fine Gold Sets Brooch and Ear-rings, Brooches, Earrings, Guards, Alberts, Fine Gold Necklets, Locketts, Finger Rings, Studs, Cuff Buttons.

GOLD PLATED JEWELLERY

Silver Thimbles, Tea Spoons, Chains, ELECTRO-PLATED WARE, RODGER'S TABLE CUTLERY

GEORGE S. POWELL

Bankrupt Stock of BOOTS and SHOES

Boot and Shoe Business in all its Branches

A NEW STOCK

REPAIRING DONE AS FORMERLY

Fall and Winter Goods.

WOOL and YARNS—the best assortment west of Montreal. AT J. HUNTER'S

BREAKFAST SHAWLS—Scarfs and Ties, and other Fancy Woolen Fabrics in great variety. AT J. HUNTER'S.

SLIPPERS, Ottomans, Cushions, Screens, a splendid line. AT J. HUNTER'S.

JEWELRY—gold, jet, plated and fancy, a large stock and very cheap. AT J. HUNTER'S.

CHIGNONS, Coronets, Braids, and Switches, in silk, mohair, and jute, an immense stock. AT J. HUNTER'S.

FOR Corsets, Stays, Ladies Underclothing, Children's Robes, Wrappers, &c., everyone knows there is no place like J. HUNTER'S.

MADAME DEMOREST'S world renowned Patterns for Ladies, Misses, Boys and Children's Clothing of all kinds. Call and get a catalogue. AT J. HUNTER'S.

GENERAL Fancy Goods and Small Wares in great variety. AT J. HUNTER'S.

TOYS, Toys, Toys—J. Hunter's is the place. Call and see the large stock. AT J. HUNTER'S

WHOLESALE Flour and Feed Store.

The undersigned begs to notify the inhabitants of Guelph and surrounding country, that they have entered into partnership, and have opened a Flour and Feed Store, in the premises formerly occupied by the late John Stewart.

On Macdonnell Street, Where they hope by strict attention to business, and the wants of the public to merit a share of patronage.

Flour and Feed of all kinds kept constantly on hand, and delivered to any part of the town free of charge.

N.B.—Cash paid for WOOL, SKINS, HIDES & PRODUCE OF ALL KINDS.

Goods and produce stored at moderate rates. JAMES HEWER & CO.

JAMES HEWER, ISAAC B. SHANTZ, Guelph, Sept. 6, 1872.

AT R. CRAWFORD'S Jewellery Store,

YOU CAN GET AT REDUCED PRICES Elgin Watches, Waltham Watches, English Levers, Detached Levers, Clocks in every style.

Gold and Silver Chains, Gold Sets, Brooch and Ear Rings, Finger Rings, Plated Jewellery in every variety, having resolved to go into the

Manufacture of Watches As soon as the stock is sold out. Special attention given to Fixing Watches, Clocks & Jewellery

Which will be carried out to a greater extent than ever, and at the old prices. Gold and Silver Plating done on the premises. Observe the address—

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

JAMES CORMACK, No. 1, Wyndham Street,

Has just received and opened out a large and superior STOCK OF CLOTHS

Which he will make to order in the most fashionable styles. ALSO: READY-MADE CLOTHING,

With youths and boys suits in great variety at very low prices. Underclothing, Dress Shirts, Collars, Oxford Shirts with Collars, Scarfs, Ties, Gloves, &c.

A Lot of Tweeds bought very low, will be sold by the piece or yard, considerably under the present value. Call and examine, before purchasing elsewhere.

At James Cormack's, No. 1, Wyndham St. CITIZENS' INSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA.

Accident, Life and Guarantee. Capital, ONE MILLION. HEAD OFFICE, MONTREAL. Sir Hugh Allan, President. Edwin Atwater, Vice President.

MITCHELL & TOVELL GUELPH



Undertakers and Furniture Dealers. Furni ure of every description kept on hand, and at reasonable rates.

COFFINS: Metallic, Black Walnut and Cloth covered Coffins. Shrouds, &c. kept on hand. HEARSE TO HIRE.

NEXT DOOR TO THE POST OFFICE SIGN OF THE HEARSE. J. MITCHELL, (June 20, 1872.) N. TOVELL

GUELPH TEA DEPOT E. O'DONNELL & Co.

ARE SELLING THE BEST YOUNG HYSOON DOLLAR TEA for 80c per lb A BEAUTIFUL GUNPOWDER TEA for 70c per lb A FIRST RATE YOUNG HYSOON TEA for 60c per lb A VERY GOOD GREEN TEA for 40c per lb A NICE, SWEET DRAWING BLACK TEA for 50c per lb THE BEST BLACK TEA IMPORTED for 75c per lb

SUGARS, SUGARS! Sugars will be higher very soon, but we will sell Eleven pounds for for a few days, so lay in your stock of preserving while you can get it che

Raisins, Currants, Cheese, Tobaccos, Syrups, Noodles, Wines, Whiskies, Cigars, And everything in the Grocery Line cheap, and will be delivered free of charge to any part of the Town, or to the Stations.

E. O'DONNELL & CO. Guelph, Sept 11, 1872 dw Wyndham Street, Guelph

CASH!

TREMENDOUS SUCCESS! Ready Pay Principle Victorious!

THE NEW STORE "CASH" is now doing Double the Amount of Trade for Ready Pay than any Credit Establishment in Guelph is doing.

WHY? Because for Ready Pay a small profit only is asked, the money is turned over five times when Ready Pay is made, but the credit system entails an extra per centage added in marking goods, in order to guard against bad debts. The man who gives credit cannot buy his goods as well as the man who does not.

WHY? Because he has to buy his stock on credit, and is thereby deprived of the large saving to be made by buying for cash, but the man who sells for ready pay has the money in hand when he goes to market, and can take every benefit that the trade will offer.

Such being the case, who can wonder at the great rush there is going on at present at the new store. "CASH" is creating quite a panic among the slow coaches who have been living at their ease on large profits, and he is now going to make a shaking among the dry bones.

Hurry up with your money. Don't forget the spot, The New Store "Cash," Upper Wyndham Street.

W. H. G. KNOWLES, Agent. Guelph, Nov. 18, 1872. d w

Buffalo CO TO Fancy



Robes, HATS, CAPS AND FURS

D. BYRNE

HAS just received his Fall Stock of Hats, Caps, Ladies' and Gents' Furs, Buffalo Robes, Fancy Robes, Buck and Kid Gloves, &c. &c.

THE LARGEST & CHEAPEST STOCK Ever Shown in Guelph. Corner of Wyndham Street and Market Square.

Ladies' and Gents' Furs Altered and Repaired. CASH FOR RAW FURS

HEATHER'S Stove and Plough Depot N ELLIES, ROMAIN & CO., CANADA HOUSE, General Commission Merchant

AND SHIPPERS, 34 South Clinton St., Chicago, Ill. REFERENCED: Sir John Rose, Banker, London. England; F. W. Thomas, Esq., Banker, Montreal; The Marine Company of Chicago, Bankers; How John Corling, London, Ontario; Messrs. Gaul Bros., Merchants, Montreal; Senator Frank Smith, (Frank Smith & Co.) Toronto; J. Morton Miller, Esq., Perth, Ont. (late of J. M. Miller & Co., Commission Merchants, Chicago); Walter Watson, Esq., Banker, New York; D. Butters, Esq., Montreal; Joseph Whitehead, Esq., M. P. Guelph, Ont.

WM. HEATHER, Sole agent for Guelph. A good assortment of STOVES, TINWARE, and PLOUGHS always on hand, and at the lowest prices.

DEMOCRAT'S MONTHLY.—The December number of Democrat's Monthly comes to us greatly enlarged, and is really a superb magazine, full of entertaining literature and profusely illustrated. The December number has a full page portrait of Pauline Lucas, a large display of fashions and numerous other valuable features—altogether a model magazine. The publishers are offering a pair of companion chromos, Falls of Niagara and Yosemite Falls, worth of themselves \$10, to each yearly subscriber. This is one of the marvels of liberality in the publishing line. Address, W. Jennings Demorest, 838 Broadway, New York. For sale at the bookstores in town.

IMMIGRATION SHEDS AT LONDON.—The London Advertiser says:—It is informed that the Dominion Government have purchased the eastern gore formed by the intersection of Great Western and Grand Trunk Railways in the Township of London, a few miles east of this city, whereon they intend erecting suitable buildings for the reception and shelter of immigrants sent to this section of the country. Arrangements have been entered into with the two railways to shunt all cars containing immigrants upon a siding which will be constructed at a convenient distance from the sheds, and it is quite probable the work of building will be got under way at once to meet the spring influx of immigrants.

Vick's Floral Guide.—We have received from Mr. James Vick, Rochester, N. Y., his "Floral Guide" for 1873. This Guide is now published quarterly at 25 cents a year, and is one of the handsomest and daintiest flower catalogues ever issued. It is most beautifully got up, and contains much interesting reading matter, besides descriptions and plates of most of the rare and beautiful flowers grown on this continent. Plates are also given of rural homes, lawn gardens, and much valuable information to the florist and horticulturist. See advertisement in another column.

Dumas was asked one day at a dinner how much time he would require to write a novel of 400 pages. He replied, "Seventy-two hours." A wager was offered that at the end of seventy-two hours he would not have completed a novel. Dumas called for pen and paper, 400 pages were numbered for him, and he began at the dinner table. Before the time had expired he had completed one of the best of his stories, "The Chevalier of Maison Rouge."

BRACEFAST—Epps's Cocoa—GRATEFUL 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 flavored 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., Homeopathic Chemists, London." Also, makers of Epps's Milky Cocoa (Cocoa and Condensed Milk).

Hashish, opium, alcohol, and tobacco are popular poisons which appear to concentrate their action upon the brain, and are powerful causes of nervous disorders in the perversion of the blood. An individual habituated in the use of any of these, is a machine set in destructive motion, which, if not already too much destroyed, may be repaired under the potent influence of Fellow's Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites, since the disturbances disappear as the condition of the blood improves.

Thousands have been changed by the use of Peruvian Syrup (a protoxide of Iron) from weak, sickly, suffering creatures to strong, healthy, and happy men and women, and invalids cannot reasonably hesitate to give it a trial. For Dyspepsia and Debility it is a specific.

COMMERCIAL.

GUELPH MARKETS.
GUELPH, Nov. 21st, 1872.

Flour per 100 lbs.	82 50	82 75
Fall Wheat, per bushel	1 10	1 25
Treadwell "	1 10	1 22
Spring Wheat "	1 15	1 18
Oats "	0 38	0 40
Peas "	0 60	0 63
Hay, per ton	0 55	0 63
Straw, "	0 90	0 90
Wood, per cord	4 00	5 00
Eggs per dozen	0 18	0 20
Butter, (all grades) per lb.	0 13	0 16
" dairy packed, "	0 16	0 18
" rolls "	0 15	0 22
Potatoes, per bag	0 60	0 75
Apples, "	0 75	1 00
Wool, per lb	0 90	0 50
Dressed Hogs, per cwt.	5 00	5 25
Clover Seed per bushel	5 00	5 20
Timothy Seed "	3 00	3 00
Hides, per cwt.	6 00	6 50
Flax "	1 25	1 55
Lambskins, each	0 75	0 90
Sheep pelts "	0 50	1 25

HAMILTON MARKETS.
HAMILTON, Nov. 19, 1872.

Spring Wheat, per bushel	1 15	1 18
Drehl Wheat "	1 25	1 28
Treadwell Wheat "	1 20	1 25
Red White Wheat "	1 15	1 19
Barley per bushel	0 58	0 60
Peas "	0 60	0 60
Oats "	0 35	0 40
Butter, per lb roll	0 18	0 25
" tub "	0 10	0 12
Potatoes, per bag	0 60	0 7 0
Apples, "	0 60	0 6 0
Dressed Hogs, per cwt.	5 00	5 25
Wool, per lb.	0 92	0 92

TORONTO MARKETS.
TORONTO, Nov. 19, 1872.

Spring Wheat, per bushel	1 18	1 20
Treadwell Wheat "	1 25	1 28
Barley, per bushel	0 56	0 7 4
Peas, "	0 7 4	0 7 4
Oats, "	0 45	0 45
Wool per lb	0 8 5	0 8 2

If You Have Been an Invalid for years with some Chronic Wasting Diseases of the Lungs, Heart, Liver, or Kidneys, you need not flatter yourself that medicine is going to cure you immediately. Repair goes on slowly, and time is necessary to build up a broken down constitution. Do not take every nostrum you read about, nor follow the advice of every friend who has a specific to offer you. Procure a remedy scientifically prepared, that is the result of experience, that has a large amount of evidence of success in its use until the whole system undergoes a radical improvement, and health is restored. **DR. WIEBELER'S COMPOUND ELIXIR OF PHOSPHATES AND CALICRYA**, a Chemical Food and Nutritive Tonic, will meet your most sanguine expectations, as it combines everything necessary to perfect digestion, nutrition, and the formation of Healthy Blood, and to vitalize all the organs and tissues of the body. Sold at \$1.00 per bottle.

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

OSBORN SEWING MACHINE
Prize List for 1872

VICTORIOUS EVERYWHERE
Gold Medal at Lyons, France, for Complete Perfection.

Osborn First Prizes.

Guelph, Prescott, Hamilton, Crosshill, Fort Garry, Peterboro', Woodbridge, Toronto Gore, St. Catharines, Cookstown, Kene, Orangeville, Almonte, Paketham, Welland, Norwichville, Ramsay, Napanee, Clairville, Mulmur, New Hamburg, Rosemont, Mono Mills.

Family Sewing—First Prizes.

Hamilton, Guelph, Almonte, Crosshill, Clairville, New Hamburg.

Osborn Second Prizes.

Hamilton, Woodstock, Parkhill, Markham, Port Hope, Perth.

OSBORN 25 First Prizes, 3 Second Prizes and two Diplomas, for 1871

At each competition the competitors were the leading machines of Canada and the States being presented.

FIRST PRIZE

THE OSBORN is warranted for three years, will do every variety of sewing, and the fact that it has carried off the highest awards at the Provincial, Central, Western, and other leading Exhibitions, which no other Machine in Canada has yet done, attests its superiority over all competitors.

SEWING MACHINE!

Give "THE OSBORN" a trial before purchasing any other; you are certain to be pleased with its work.

Beware of cheap, flashy machines claiming to have received first prizes. No leading show this season have they been awarded any. Competent judges have declared them unworthy, both as regards principle of construction, material employed, and work performed.

Machines given against easy terms of payment.

AGENTS and others in want of employment during the winter will do well to give us a call. Chances to make money unprecedented.

Guelph Sewing Machine Co's.
GUELPH, CANADA.
DONALD MCKINNON, agent for Erin and Eransosa.
Guelph, Nov. 5th 1872. 1yw-3md

FALL AND WINTER

New Dry Goods!

WM. STEWART

Is now opening a large, varied, and most complete stock of New Dry Goods.

Many lines were bought much under present values.

4000 yds Plain and Fancy Winceys,
a job lot, from 10c to 25c

6400 yds Factory Cotton
slightly damaged by fresh water, price 8c to 10c, value 10c to 12c.

DRESS GOODS

A SPECIALITY

Now in stock over 10,000 yards Rich and Rare Dress Goods, embracing all the latest productions of the Looms of Britain and the Continent for the coming season.

See windows this day.

WM. STEWART.
Guelph, Sept. 13, 1872 dw

MITCHELL & McLEROY'S

BANKRUPT STOCK

Wall Paper, Day Books, Window Blinds, Journals, Writing Paper, Wrapping Paper, Envelopes, Fancy Goods, Ledgers, Cigars, Pipes, &c. &c. &c.

GREAT BARGAINS

Will be given as the stock must be sold off in one month from date.

P. C. ALLAN

Having purchased the above stock very cheap, will FOR THE NEXT MONTH, expose it for sale, at extremely low prices.

In the store lately occupied by Mitchell & McLeroy, opposite Horsman's Hardware store,

and also in J. B. Thornton's old stand. Remember both stores and also the sign of the "Red Flag."
P. C. ALLAN, dw
Guelph, Nov. 16, 1872.

JOHN SPIERS,
Veterinary Surgeon
(Member of the Ontario Veterinary College.)
Hirsch's Union Hotel,
GUELPH dw

GOLDEN LION
GUELPH 1872

NEW FALL & WINTER GOODS

500 Cases and Bales Just Received!

COMPRISING:

- 100 bales of Carpets,
- 100 bales of White Cottons,
- 100 bales of Factories,
- 12 cases of Black Silks,
- 13 cases of Black Lustres,
- 13 cases of Black Cobourgs,
- 12 cases of Black Sarmattas,
- 15 cases of Ready-made Clothing,
- 12 cases of Yorkshire Fancy Trouserings,
- 10 cases of Black Cassimeres,
- 10 cases of West of England Broadcloaths,
- 10 cases of Gents Shirts, Collars, Ties and Braces,
- 93 cases of Fancy Stuffs and Haberdashery.

500 cases and bales expected next week, comprising Fancy Dresses, Silks, Merinoes, Hats Mantles, Bonnets, Shawls, Blankets, Flannels, Gloves, Hosiery, &c., the Largest and Best Assorted Stock of Dry Goods ever imported to Guelph.

CHANCE & WILLIAMSON,
GOLDEN LION,
THE ONLY DIRECT DRY GOODS IMPORTERS IN GUELPH
Wyndham Street, Guelph, September 12, 1872 dw

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If You Want THE BEST COAL OIL

Leave your Orders at

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He will send it home for you.

For Coughs, Colds, etc., USE

Krib's Honey Syrup

The best thing for Children, they all like it.

For sale by J. B. PETRIE.

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LADIE'S CACHOUS

In shape of Lozenges.

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Prepared Castor Oil,

Free from unpleasant taste, retaining the properties of the Castor Oil.

PREPARED BY A. B. PETRIE, CHEMIST, GUELPH.

WE HAVE RECEIVED A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF

Coal Scuttles, Coal Vases, Fire Irons, Fire Shovels, Wire Fire Guards, Fire Grates, Fire Iron Stands, Blower Stands, Coal Tongs.

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DIRECT IMPORTERS.

PORK, SAUSAGES, &c.

A. ANDRICH

Begs to inform the public that he always on hand a large and choice selection of

PORK SAUSAGES, HAMS, BACON, LARD, AND BOLOGNA SAUSAGES

Of the first quality.

He hopes by strict attention to business and selling at the lowest prices, to receive a share of public patronage.

Remember the place, **West Market Square,** Next to Sunley's Tin Shop.

SIGN OF THE HAM.
Guelph, Sept. 19, 1872. d2m

O'CONNOR'S BILLIARD HALL,

IN THE QUEEN'S HOTEL, GUELPH, OPPOSITE THE MARKET.

Re fitted in the latest fashion. Five latest styles Pheasant Tables. dw

HART & SPEIRS,
Conveyancers, Land, Loan, Insurance and General Agents,
4 Day's Block, Guelph
In reference to the above, Wm. Hart begs to inform his friends and the public that he has entered into partnership with Mr. Jas. S. Speirs in the above business, and while expressing his grateful acknowledgments for the liberal share of patronage bestowed upon him for the past three years, would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same to the new firm.
All business entrusted to us will receive prompt and strict attention.
Deeds, Mortgages, Wills, Leases, &c., &c. neatly and correctly prepared.
MONEY always on hand in sums to suit borrowers, on mortgages or good personal security. No delay or extravagant charges. Our list of Town and Farm Property is large and varied, and parties in want of real estate of any kind should call on us before purchasing elsewhere.
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HART & SPEIRS,
4 Day's Block, Guelph, Ont. dw

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Received Every First Prize for

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Prove that our Instruments in the opinion of competent judges are incomparably superior to all others.

Sole Proprietors and Manufacturers of the

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Containing Scribner's Patent Qualifying Tubes, acknowledged by all to be the greatest improvement yet introduced. Their superiority is conceded by other makers from the fact that at Guelph they withdrew from competition, thus acknowledging their inability to compete with them.

Every instrument fully warranted for five years. Send for catalogue containing fifty different styles of instruments.

Guelph, Oct. 15, 1872 W. BELL & Co. dw

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Retail Department

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Are now offering for sale an extensive assortment of Strong and Fancy

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Suitable for Fall and Winter Wear. We invite careful buyers to our system of doing business, viz.,

Small Profits and but one Price.

W. D. Hepburn & Co. manufacture their goods and test them can confidently recommend them as **CHEAP and DURABLE** and all they ask is one trial, which will fail to prove the genuineness of

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As we employ over FORTY HANDS we can supply a large portion of Guelph and surrounding country. All kinds of Boots and Shoes made to order.

Repairing done as Usual.

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Through Passage Tickets, Return Tickets European Pre-paid Passage Certificates issued lowest rates.

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Passengers booked through to London, Manchester, Birmingham, etc., also to Paris, Hamburg, Havre and Bremen.
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Begs to inform the inhabitants of Guelph and surrounding country that he has commenced business in the stand known as M. J. Doran's Grocery Store, opposite the Market. As I have purchased a New and Handsome Hearse I will keep on hand a full assortment of everything in the undertaking business. Metallic Rosewood, Walnut, and Cloth Covered Coffins kept in stock. All kinds of Cabinet work made to order. Particular attention paid to the repairing and varnishing of pictures.
As I intend to vote my attention to both branches, I have to merit a share of public patronage. I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Wanted—quantity of Seasoned Butternut and Cleary.
Wanted—A pair of well-matched black horses. MICHAEL DUGNEN, dw
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First-class accommodation for travellers. Commodious stabling and an excellent hostler.
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