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Office—Macdonnell Street, East of the Golden Lion, Guelph, Ontario.
October 29, 1867. daw-ff.

Military Tailor
J. JONES,
Late Master Tailor in the 17th Regiment,
IS READY to receive orders for making all kinds of

Military and Civilian's Clothing,
the latest and most fashionable styles. Having had long experience, he guarantees to give satisfaction to all who may favor him with their patronage.

Residence—Nottingham-st., near Gordon-st., Guelph, 16th Oct., 1867. dlm

Eating House.
C. H. DAVIS
RESPECTFULLY informs the people of Guelph and neighborhood, that he has opened a public

Eating House and Refreshment Rooms,
A few doors above the Wellington Hotel, Wyndham Street, where will be provided Meals at all reasonable hours, at moderate prices.

Oysters, Sardines, &c.
TO ORDER ON SHORT NOTICE.
An opening for a couple of Boarders.

CHAS. H. DAVIS.
October 22, 1867. Sid do ff

Riflemen and Sportsmen
GOULD'S
Magic RIFLE CLEANER

For instantly cleaning Rifles and Sporting Guns, and removing Fouling and Lead, rendering unnecessary the dirty and laborious process of washing out with water.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE.—Pour a few drops on some linen, flannel, cotton wool, &c., attached to end of cleaning rod, a few movements up and down the barrel will have the desired effect.

No oil required after its use. For sale by
ALEX. B. PETRIE,
Chemist, Market Square,
Guelph, Oct. 31, 1867. dw

OYSTER NOTICE
If you want to buy Oysters that come direct from Baltimore to Guelph, buy them at

WALKER'S
as he is the only dealer who imports direct from the Oyster Packers. Will supply the trade with **BESTER OYSTERS** at a LESS PRICE than any other house in town.

HUGH WALKER.
Wyndham Street, Guelph.

THE OLD SAUSAGE SHOP,
Upper Wyndham Street.

ALWAYS ON HAND,
BEEF AND PORK HAMS
Smoked Ham and Shoulders,
Pork, Fresh Sausages, Lard,
Pickled Pork, Beef, Tongue.
The above are first-rate quality. I purchase VERY LOW.
Remember the Glasgow Ham Curer, at the corner, opposite Hamilton's.

JAPANESE DUST
THE only effectual preparation for exterminating Moths, Bugs, Fleas, Cockroaches, &c.
Prepared by **WALLS, CLOSE & CO**
London, England.

For sale by **N. HIGINBOTHAM,**
Medical Hall,
CONDY'S PATENT
DISINFECTING FLUID,

THE safest and best disinfectant ever discovered, much superior to the chlorides of Lime and Soda. In bottles, with full directions.

For sale by **N. HIGINBOTHAM,**
Medical Hall,
A CHOICE LOT OF
DYE STUFFS!

INCLUDING Indigo, Madder, Extract of Logwood, Cudbear, Fustic, Sumac, Quercitron, Brazil, Peachwood, &c. Also, a complete assortment of the "ANILINE DYES," of every shape in liquid form to suit purchasers.

N. HIGINBOTHAM,
Medical Hall, Guelph,
Guelph, 27th July, 1867

Dominion Grocery, Fruit and FANCY STORE,
(Late Post Office Store.)

MRS. ROBINSON
HAS just received a very large and varied stock of Fancy Goods, comprising Woods of all kinds, Braids, Crochet Cottons, Machine Spools, Common Spools, Hair Pins, Pins, Boot Laces, Satchels, Portmanteaus, Neckties, Belt Buckles, Embroidered Scarf Pins, Rings, &c.

Don't forget the stand, next door to the Wellington Hotel, U. per Wyndham Street.
Wanted to purchase for cash **300 lbs. BEES-WAX,** early next month, for a firm in Montreal.
MRS. ROBINSON,
Guelph, Sept. 25th, 1867. daw

H. HOGG'S
FLOUR AND FEED STORE
Opposite the Market Shed.

CONSTANTLY ON HAND, all kinds of Mill Feed, Chopped Peas, Middlings, Shorts, Bran,
Cornmeal, Oatmeal, Flour!
Bacon, Sugar-cured Hams, and Potatoes.
Guelph, 28th August, 1867. dw-ff

CREDIT SALE OF STOCK
WILL be sold by public auction, on the farm occupied by Mrs. Richard Henderson, Lot No. 6, 3rd Con, Division B, Guelph Township,
On Thursday, 21st November,
at 12 o'clock, noon, the following Stock, Implements, &c.—1 mare, 2 goat-cows (one in calf), 4 head of young cattle, 7 sheep, 1 breeding sow, plough, harrows, &c. Also, a quantity of Household Furniture.

Also, will be sold at the same time a quantity of HAY and TURNIPS. The Turnips are out of the ground.
TERMS—For hay and turnips, Cash; for other articles, \$5 and under, Cash; over that amount 12 months' credit on approved endorsed notes.
Guelph, Oct. 30, 1867. daw td

THE RED MILL
GRISTING & CHOPPING
THE Subscriber begs to inform the farmers and the public, that his Mill on the Waterloo Road is now in running order, and that he is prepared to do **Gristing and Chopping** on short notice.

FLOUR AND FEED
FOR SALE AT THE MILL.
GEORGE BALKWILL.
October 24, 1867. 2m

NOTICE TO FARMERS.
Farmers that are fond of Devonshire Cider had better come right away.
On the West Market Square,
And see **JAMES GAY.**
As he has purchased an improved Cider Mill. He will furnish them with Cider at will. Send your barrels and apples right away. And he will fill them with Cider, one in calf. Cider made on steam-galton for galton, by that wonderful little man—
JAMES GAY,
Guelph, 30th October, 1867. dw

CIGARS! CIGARS!
AN IMMENSE STOCK of Foreign and Domestic Cigars, Wholesale and Retail.
H. BERRY.
Guelph, Oct. 31, 1867. 88d w732

BERKSHIRE BOAR.
THE subscriber has newly purchased a first-class pure-bred Berkshire Boar, which will serve sows during the season. Terms, \$1 cash.
ALLAN SIMPSON, Blacksmith,
C. r. 5th Nov, 1867. 4wd6

New Livery Stable.
HORSES FOR HIRE.
PARTIES wishing to hire Saddle-horses, or Horses and Buggies, can do so at no extra rate, by applying to the undersigned, at the Wellington Hotel.
HUGH STRAHAN.
Guelph, Oct. 7, 1867. do-3m

OPPOSITION LINE TO CALIFORNIA
North American Steamship Comp'y
will dispatch one of their Fast and Elegant Steamships from NEW YORK.

Every Twenty Days.
Rates for First, Second and Third Cabin VERY LOW.
For special Berths, Tickets, &c. apply to
J. W. MURTON,
General Passenger Agent.

Evening Mercury
OFFICE:.....MACDONNELL STREET.
WEDNESDAY EV'G. NOVEMBER 13.

Local News.
The Weekly Mercury,
THURSDAY, 14TH NOVEMBER.
FORTY COLUMNS.

It is always a question with parties when about to subscribe for a newspaper or going to send one to a friend "Which is the best paper to get?" and the answer unhesitatingly given is, **THE WEEKLY MERCURY!** Great care is bestowed upon its general "get up," and nothing but the choicest selections are inserted. As the European mail closes to-morrow **THE WEEKLY MERCURY** will be ready at 7 a. m., and may be had at the office of publication, Macdonnell street, and at the bookstores of Messrs. Day, Cuthbert and Shewan. It abounds with highly interesting matter, and should be found in every family both in town and country.

BRUCE REPORTER.—This is the name of a newspaper just started in Kingcardine, Mr. Albert Andrews is editor and proprietor.

AGRICULTURAL GRANTS.—The Government Grants to the North and South Wellington Agricultural Societies were only received by the Secretaries on Thursday.

CHEAP TEA.—Messrs. E. Carroll & Co., advertise cheap tea. It is of excellent flavor, and worth more than the price asked for it, as teas generally are sold.

METEORIC DISPLAY.—A brilliant shower of meteors is expected to take place to-night. The astronomers are not sure about it, but to-night is mentioned as the most probable time it will be seen.

GALT seems to be more than ordinarily cursed with ruffians. On Sabbath evening last some evil disposed persons upset a large agricultural furnace, and broke it in front of Trotter & Scott's tinsmith shop in that town.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES.—A series of religious services will be held in the Temperance Hall, Mercury building, during the winter months, commencing on Sabbath the 17th inst., when the Rev. James Howie will preach in the forenoon at 11 o'clock, and in the evening at half-past six o'clock. All are invited to attend.

ROCKWOOD BIBLE SOCIETY.—The annual meeting of the Rockwood and Everton Bible Society will be held in the Wesleyan Church, Rockwood, on Friday evening the 22nd inst., at half-past 7 o'clock. The Rev. Mr. Brookman, agent of the Society, will be present and give his annual address.

ACCIDENT IN MINTO.—The Observer says that some two weeks ago, while engaged at a threshing machine, Mr. John Palmer met with a very severe accident. While the machine was being cleaned out, he was lying on the platform placed on the wheel for the driver to stand upon, when his left foot slipped between the large wheel and bull pinion; the horses moving round at the time. Upon examination, it was found that a piece of the ankle bone had been broken off, and that the heel was crushed in a fearful manner. So bad, indeed, is the injury, that it is still doubtful if amputation of the foot may not become necessary.

HEAVY ROBBERY.—On the night of Monday, the 4th inst., a cash-box containing \$1200 in money and papers was stolen from Mr. Walker Lloyd, of the township of Witchurch, Co. of York. There was a time not many years ago when Canada was a country of comparative honesty—and what is she now? A land nurturing a generation of idle young scoundrels to tarnish her fair fame, and give her a notoriety for villainy scarcely eclipsed by her southern neighbor. Every day some fresh instance of fraud or robbery is noted—every day some one signals his rascality by plundering somebody else, and it is remarkable how many do so with impunity from the laws of man. Tempting rewards are offered for the apprehension of the guilty, but still there are perhaps twenty-five per cent of them go unpunished. Where is the cure, for the alarming increase of this particular crime of robbery demands that steps should be taken to arrest it. We know of nothing except heavier punishments for those who are caught, and a more efficient detective system to secure their arrest. The young scamps who were suspected of stealing the cash box were captured in Hamilton on Tuesday. One of them named Washington Lloyd, is a son of the victim from whom the money was stolen, who absconded from home after robbing his father of a cash box containing \$240 in money and mortgages to the value of \$1,000. He was assisted in the depredation and accompanied in his flight by another youth residing in the neighborhood, named Geo. McKenzie, and the two were supposed to have gone to the United States. They were locked up to await word from their

ELORA ITEMS.
From our Correspondent.
The want of water for domestic and manufacturing purposes, notwithstanding the two storms we have already had, still continues to be severely felt. It is indeed to be hoped that before the frost sets in we may have a week or two of very wet weather—if not, the country will suffer terribly.

The pier of the Irvine bridge is at length completed. Its high from the basin of the river is seventy feet and width at the top four feet. It has demanded immense care and work, and is indeed of solid masonry.

Last Friday night the Rev. Mr. Sole delivered a lecture under the auspices of the Good Templars in this place, on Temperance—taking a general view of the subject. His lecture is the first of a monthly series in connection with Temperance. The Good Templars number over one hundred, and seem to be in a prosperous condition.

There has been some little said about the possibility of holding an Arts' Exhibition in this village. Elora you see has a penchant for following in the footsteps of Guelph. But I doubt that it will all end in talk. The reckless way in which the monies derived from the last exhibition were squandered will not by any means give us much encouragement to have another.

The trustees of the Common School, owing to the increase of children, have engaged a fourth Teacher. To the first teacher they give \$500, to the second \$200, to the third \$300 and to the fourth \$100. There are about 240 children attending the Central School, from 15 to 20 the Grammar School, and from 40 to 50 the Separate School.

Preliminary steps are being taken for the proper celebrating of St. Andrew's Day.

You will likely have heard that on Friday the 15th inst., the supporters of J. S. Armstrong will give that gentleman a public dinner at Whyte's Hotel, Ferguson, as an acknowledgment of "his coming forward to the rescue of the Reform cause."

DELTA.
The Arts Exhibition.
In our first notice of this Exhibition a few articles were overlooked and a few have since been sent in. These we now briefly notice. Mr. John Mickle sends a pretty model of a Swiss cottage, twelve precious stones, onyx, amethyst, bloodstone, &c., together with a miniature lady's basket, and two chamois goats in bog oak, all beautifully carved.

Mr. Charles Mickle sends the original manuscript of the song, "There's nae luck about the House," composed by his grandfather Wm. Julius Mickle. The original song is, we believe, preferable to the common version.

Rev. Mr. Torrance sends two pencil drawings, "The Conscripts." One of these represents a youth turning his back upon his home, to become an unwilling unit in the ranks of the army of the North, and the other represents his sisters with sorrowful faces watching him as he goes.

Mr. Alex. McKenzie sends an autograph letter of Carlyle, written to one of his publishers. Old Tom writes a good, bold, business-like list, and can write like a man of business as well as like a philosopher.

Mr. D. Savage sends a very pretty French clock in an alabaster case.

Mr. F. Garland, some old and antiquated books.

Mr. John Stewart, specimens of polished Aberdeen granite.

An error occurred in our notice of an article sent by Mr. Wm. Wood, of Puslinch Plains. We said it was an engraving of Niagara, whereas it is a pen and ink drawing. He has likewise two more on exhibition, one "The Relics of by-gone days," and another "Basket of Plums," the last is now the property of Dr. Orton. All these drawings were executed by Mr. Wood by lamp light, after the tolls of the day. "Niagara" was a year in reaching completion.

Police Court.
Before T. W. Saunders, Esq., Police Magistrate.
WEDNESDAY, 13th.—John Ibbot, who was charged on Monday last with having stolen the sum of \$215 from Wm. Kinnear, of Toronto, and who was admitted to bail until to-day failed to put in an appearance. He had thought that things looked squally, and that when he was free he would keep so. The girl who had seen him take something out of the prosecutor's buggy at Rothsay and put it in his own, was in court to give evidence but of course there was no need for her services. There are \$190 of silver which were found with Ibbot, and now in possession of the Chief Constable, but the Magistrate told Mr. Kinnear, that he had no power to restore it to him; it required an order from another Court to do that. Meantime Ibbot's two sureties have been duly elected to pay \$300 each, on account of the non-appearance of that worthy.

INCENDIARY FIRE IN PREL.—On the night of the 28th ult. the barn and stable belonging to Mr. Thos. McCann were set fire to in three different places, and the buildings with their contents consumed. It contained all his wheat and oats, one span of horses and harness, about two tons of hay, some farming implements, together with two large ricks of peas. The loss is estimated at \$1000 and we are sorry to say there is no insurance on the property.

The Nova Scotia coal owners have agreed to memorialize the Senate and Commons on the subject of the coal trade of the Province, and of the commercial policy of the United States. They believe "they can create within the Dominion a coal trade that will be an equivalent for that with the United States, and it is hoped that this fact, when more generally known, will lead to a renewal of those commercial relations with the United States which have proved so mutually advantageous."

Punch has a caricature which is making great sensation. Louis Napoleon is holding the Pope over an abyss by a slender cord. All round are red shirts (Garibaldians), bellowing "Let him fall!"

Parliament of Canada.
HOUSE OF COMMONS.
OTTAWA, Nov. 12.

Mr. Mackenzie resumed the debate on the address, and delivered an excellent speech. He extended to the members from the Lower Provinces a hearty welcome, and hoped that ere long all cause of discontent on their part would be removed. He referred to Mr. Howe's statement, that he had felt it to be particularly unkind, that his Reform friends in the West should have been found arrayed in an attitude of opposition towards Nova Scotia. On their behalf he repudiated both the intention and the act, and said that if there was blame anywhere, it rested with the legislature of that Province which had given a direct sanction to the course pursued in England by the delegates. He proceeded to advert to the present position of parties in the legislature. He contended that the conflict of parties was necessary to the success of representative institutions, and that there could be no more reasonable division of parties than that which divided them into Reformers and Conservatives. They were told now by gentlemen opposite, that there was no longer any need of party, that party ties ought to be obliterated and that all should be ready to take good measures from any government that might happen for the time to be in power. If this arrangement were followed out to its legitimate conclusion, it would amount to this—that the Government of the day should retain power in perpetuity—

During the election, it was assumed that all patriotism was on the side of the gentlemen who composed and supported the government. A charge of disloyalty against Reformers was founded on the assumption that they were to form an alliance with the member for Hants, (Mr. Howe), who to the people of the West was painted as black as a demon. Similar charges were made with equal untruthfulness against his liberal friends in the province of Quebec. He spoke of the appearance of the Premier of Ontario in his (Mr. Mackenzie's) constituency. It was somewhat remarkable that his hon. friend should have considered it consistent with his party proclivities and past associations to have made such efforts to secure his (Mr. Mackenzie's) defeat, and it was all the more remarkable because during this crusade, he still claimed to be a Reformer. Mr. Mackenzie went on to express his fears that the existing Administration were disposed to curtail, if they could, the powers of the Local Governments, the maintenance of which he thought was essential to the success of the political experiment on which we had entered. He was surprised to find no reference in the speech to any attempt to obtain reciprocity of trade with the United States. He could scarcely have thought it possible that an Administration could have been in power four or five months without taking some steps to secure a free exchange of our products with the neighbouring country. He regretted also the omission of any reference to the necessity of taking steps for the protection of our shipping. He alluded to the hardships to which our shipping on the Western lakes was subjected under existing American regulations, and said it was a matter which deserved the very serious attention of the Minister of Marine. He then adverted to Mr. Galt's resignation. Speaking of the failure of the Commercial Bank, he said Mr. Galt had been warned last year of the effects of his banking scheme, in that it gave too much power to the bank of Montreal. He contended that the list of measures promised in the speech did not bear out the argument made use of during the election that a Coalition was necessary to provide the machinery for fairly working Confederation. He considered there was no man alluded to in the speech which required the existence of a Coalition to frame or carry.

After short speeches from Mr. Galt and Dr. Tupper, the House adjourned at six o'clock.

Dr. Livingstone.
Dr. Livingstone's brother-in-law, Mr. J. S. Moffat, sums up in a recent letter the evidence or want of evidence, which prolongs the uncertainty whether the great explorer be living or dead. All the evidence says Dr. Moffat, of Dr. Livingstone's death, comes through one channel that is to say, from the Johanna men, with Moussa at their head. Their stories are not consistent, but conflicting, and standing by themselves, could not be deemed conclusive. From other sources they are not confirmed, but contradicted. Arab traders, passing through the country, and near the spot where the murder is said to have occurred, heard nothing of it. The Sultan of Zanzibar has actually had news of Livingstone's arrival at a point beyond the alleged scene of his murder. The Africans who were with Livingstone, who are not said to have been killed, have not been heard from in any way. Finally, the period during which Livingstone has not been heard from does not much exceed 12 months, and he was silent longer than that on a former journey. He is not on any travelled route, and could not send letters home. Mr. Moffat himself, an African traveler of experience, believes, "that when the Johanna men found that Livingstone was going into a region too remote for their taste they did what many servants, black and white, have done before them—took to their heels some fine night when the explorer was asleep and made the best of their way back to Zanzibar." We are inclined to share Mr. Moffat's belief. It is too much to affirm that Dr. Livingstone is alive, but we may say confidently that the evidence of his death is not yet competent to destroy all hope.

HARD ON THE FENIANS.—Most of Gen. Grant's good qualities have had a hearty recognition, but we are afraid the people have not yet appreciated his fine sense of humour. It seems that Andrew Johnson got frightened the other day because two or three hundred colored men in Washington had organized themselves into a volunteer militia regiment, and Gen. Grant was ordered to disband them as "unauthorized by law." The General thereupon issued an order disbanding all military organizations in the District, which were unauthorized by law, and the blow which Andrew aimed at the freedmen has spread havoc in the camps of his own friends. The Fenians and the Schutzen corps have had to give up their guns, and in trying to damage the negroes the President has roused the ire of the men whom

Special and Exclusive Despatches to the Evening Mercury.

Berlin, Nov. 11.—Herr Swesstin, a Prussian deputy, has been tried and sentenced to two years' imprisonment for remarks on the Judiciary made by him in the Diet.

Paris, Nov. 12th.—The *Moniteur*, in its official column to-day, announces that the Emperor, seeing Italy was resolved to do her duty and fulfil all her obligations under the September Convention, has withdrawn the French troops from the city of Rome and other parts of the Papal territory to Civita Vecchia.

Berne, Nov. 12.—The Swiss Council has approved the new postal treaty with the United States.

Paris, Nov. 11th.—The French Government has issued a second note in regard to the proposed conference on the Roman question. In this note even the third-rate Powers of Europe are called upon to participate. It is thought that none will decline.

Florence, Nov. 11.—The Government of Italy, which is hostile to the projected conference, has sent a note to the European Powers in order to enable them to decide against the necessity of any conference whatever. In this note the Roman question is discussed from an Italian standpoint. The details, however, have not been transpired.

London, Nov. 12, two p. m.—A serious riot is reported in Oxford, and troops have been ordered there to put it down.

Florence, Nov. 12.—Rear-Admiral Pruvano del Sabbione has been appointed Minister of Marine. His acceptance completes the cabinet of Gen. Menabrea.

London, Nov. 12.—The measures taken to suppress the disturbance at Oxford to-day were effective and the town is now quiet.

Dublin, Nov. 12.—The trial of Halpin before the special commission was concluded to-day. Verdict, guilty of treason and felony. Prisoner throughout the trial maintained his claim of citizenship; sentence not pronounced.

Paris, Nov. 12.—The reported resignation of the Marquis de la Valette, minister of State for the Interior, is confirmed. The Emperor has appointed M. Poincaré as his successor. M. Pierre Magne has been appointed Minister of Finance.

Florence, Nov. 12th.—The *Gazzette* publishes the text of a diplomatic note from Prime Minister Menabrea, which declares that the suppression of the temporal power of the Pope is indispensable to the maintenance of good relations between Italy and France.

Manchester, Nov. 12.—The prisoners Roberts, Featherston, and Gould, were to-day sentenced each to five years' imprisonment. All the indictments having been disposed of, the special commission for the trial of Manchester rioters was dissolved.

American Despatches.
Philadelphia, Nov. 12.—Steamer Gen. Putnam was sunk to-day by collision with steamer Major Reynolds. No lives lost.

Rochester, Nov. 13th.—Weston arrived here at 12:30 last night, in good condition. He was met by a large crowd of citizens. He made 65 miles to-day, and left the city at 9 o'clock this morning.

A Sad Affair.
A gentleman who arrived from Chicago on Tuesday morning gives the following particulars in relation to an affair which transpired on the train, and if the circumstances are as stated, they are sad indeed. A middle aged man came into the sleeping car just after leaving Chicago on Monday night and ordered a berth, and it was observed by his fellow travellers that he seemed in great mental agitation, and would often press his hands to his temples, at the same time muttering to himself unintelligible words. After entering the berth he commenced groaning, and was then asked the cause of his trouble, when he stated that he was the captain of a boat which had been laid up for the winter at Milwaukee, where he had been paid his wages amounting to \$2,000, but had been enticed into a gambling saloon and had there fallen a victim to two sharpers, who introduced that novel game known as three card monte, and left him penniless. From a friend he had borrowed enough money to bear his expenses to Buffalo, where he has a wife and three children, whose subsistence during the coming winter was to have been the money he had lost. He repeatedly exclaimed "Oh my poor family! what will become of them this winter! they will starve! they will starve!" He then lay down, and nothing more was heard from him for some time, when the conductor of the car was alarmed at hearing the crash of glass, and rushing to the unfortunate man, found that he had smashed the window and was endeavoring to climb through. He was pulled in again, when it was found that he was a raving maniac, and it became necessary to bind him. His ravings are described as fearful, and upon reaching Jackson it was found necessary to remove him from the train, and he was delivered to the authorities for safe keeping. It is possible that he may be an escaped lunatic, and his story the imagination of a madman's brain but our informant feels certain that such is not the case, for his manner while speaking was earnest, and his words conveyed a conviction of truthfulness that would not admit of doubt.—*De riot Post.*

COAL OIL.
Lamps and Chimneys—a fresh supply just received. Best Coal Oil only 20 cts. per gallon. Coal Oil cans—all sizes.
JOHN HORSMAN.

GARROTING IN QUEBEC.—Dr. Anderson while going to Quebec on the Cape, on Sunday night, about half-past eight o'clock, was garrotted in Genieve street, and had his pockets rifled by two soldiers of the 60th rifles. The Doctor being able to give chase and call out for assistance, the scoundrels were immediately apprehended.

Some gentlemen in Hamilton have been trying to bring Mr. Charles Dickens to read in that city; but have been disappointed.

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OFFICE.....MACDONNELL STREET.

TUESDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 13

CARDS & BILL-HEADS.

Having just received a large stock of splendid BILL HEAD PAPER and all sizes and colours of CARDS, the Proprietors of the EVENING MERCURY are prepared to execute orders for the same, as well as all kinds of Job Work, on the shortest possible notice. The stock being a Job lot, and of very superior quality, Bill heads and Cards will be furnished, printed in the best style of the art at remarkably low prices. Office: Macdonnell Street, East of the Golden Lion.

Important Agricultural Meeting.

An important meeting of delegates from the County Agricultural Societies, Mechanics' Institutes and Horticultural Societies, along with the members of the Board of Agriculture, was held in Toronto on Tuesday, in accordance with a resolution passed at the late meeting of the Provincial Agricultural Association. Mr. Geo. Murton represented the South Wellington Society, Mr. John Beattie the North Wellington Society, Col. Saunders the Guelph Horticultural Society, and Mr. David McCrae the Guelph Mechanics' Institute. Mr. Wheeler, President of the Agricultural Association, was called to the chair, and in opening the proceedings, stated that the object for which they had been called together was to decide whether it would be advisable for the Association to proceed under the old Act of the Legislature, or apply for a new one in consequence of Confederation, they were, in a sense, compelled to apply for a new Act—the old bill had become a dead letter. But many held that its provisions would be suitable enough by re-enactment. Others inclined to the belief that many alterations in the bill were not only desirable but imperative.

The meeting then took up the present agricultural bill and considered it clause by clause, and recommended certain amendments in the draft of the new bill which is to be presented to parliament for adoption. All the clauses of the bill up to section eight inclusive were passed without amendment. Section nine, which provides that out of the sum appropriated for Agricultural Societies in Upper and Lower Canada, from Provincial funds 2 1/2 per cent. should be applied under the authority of the Governor-in-Council towards the promotion of agricultural instruction and information, was struck out. Section ten was amended so as to admit the Vice-President of the Agricultural Association as well as the President as a member of the Board. On motion of Mr. Murton, section twelve was altered so as to make the mode of election of members of the board the same as recommended in Mr. Cowan's bill. That is, that the several county societies of Upper Canada should at their annual meetings each name two delegates, who should at the annual exhibitions have each a voice in the election of members of the Board of Agriculture, and that the election of such members should take place on the evening of Thursday, in the Exhibition week.

When section fifteen was reached the suggestion of Prof. Buckland, that the Board should have power to establish a Veterinary School to examine students, and when found qualified to allow them to practice, was agreed to. It was also agreed to submit all the clauses from 19 to 33 inclusive, relating to arts and manufactures, to the members of those societies for consideration. At the evening session the clauses from 34 to 37 were adopted. In clause 38 the words "Board of Agriculture" was changed to "Council of the Association." On motion of Mr. Cowan two auditors were appointed to audit the accounts of the Board. Clauses 39 to 46 were passed without amendment. When section 48 was reached, it was agreed that the annual meetings of the County Societies for the election of officers should be held between the 14th and 21st of January in each year. Section 49 was expunged; and sections 50 and 51 were passed without amendment. Section 52 was laid over for future consideration, and section 53 was passed.

Quite a discussion took place with regard to the organization of Township Societies. Some were in favor of abolishing them altogether, others were for allowing them only one-third of the Government grant, provided that they had not less than 75 members. Mr. Cowan's amendment was ultimately carried—"That Township Societies get one half of the Government grant. Subscribers to be not less than 75; and that no Township Show be held in a Township in which the County Show is held, and that the funds at such Township Society be given for the benefit of the County Society." The meeting then adjourned till the following day.

Latest from Ottawa.

The Senators, it is believed, have backed down from their project of passing an address for power to elect their Speaker.

It has transpired that the Macdonald-Cartier Government made a large advance to the Hall-Blanchard government of Nova Scotia for Railway purposes, prior to the elections in that Province.

It is said that the measure necessary to be passed by our Parliament before the two Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury will give any guarantee of interest on the loan to construct the Intercolonial Railway will be brought down in a few days.

Mr. Alfred Todd, Clerk of the Private Bill Committee, has been appointed Clerk of the Legislature of Ontario. It is stated that this appointment is only temporary, and will not interfere with Mr. Todd's duties.

Long sittings of the Privy Council have been held for two or three days past, and it is understood that the measures to be brought before Parliament are well advanced.

Mr. Cadogan has gone to Toronto to superintend the arrangements for the meeting of the Local Legislature.

There are four candidates for Montmorency, now unrepresented owing to M. Cauchon's appointment as President of the Senate. The Montreal Gazette says that the opinion of Parliament will not be asked upon any Militia Bill during the present short sitting. It is expected that the debate on the address will be closed in a day or two.

Erin Township Council.

The Township Council met on the 4th inst. at 10 o'clock, the Reeve in the chair, members all present. Petitions from indigent persons and accounts were referred to the Finance Committee. Mr. Cornock moved, seconded by Mr. McMillan, that the Township Collector be directed to erase from his roll the taxes marked against Mathias Fisher, as both he and his son are separately assessed for the same lot. Mr. McKinnon moved, seconded by Mr. Berry, that the Council go into committee of the whole to examine again the list of back taxes sent from the County Treasurer. The Council in Committee, Mr. McMillan in the chair; list examined. Committee rose. Council resumed regular business. Mr. McMillan moved, seconded by Mr. Cornock, that from the statements made by Richard McWilliams in reference to the back taxes on his lot, and how they had accrued, the Council remit the compound interest and receive from the said Richard McWilliams \$20.24 as payment in full for back taxes on that part of the lot which he owns. Mr. Berry moved, seconded by Mr. Cornock, that John Allan, James French, James Aikins, Wm. Salvord, Hugh Milloy, Donald McLau, Wm. W. Ball, Case Kenny, Donald McEachren, James Hamilton, Godfrey Bently and John Saunders be paid the damages claimed for sheep killed by dogs, and that the Reeve order the payment of the same. Mr. McMillan moved, seconded by Mr. McKinnon, that the Reeve order the payment of eight dollars as an equivalent to a grant from the Caledon Council for work done on the town line between Caledon and Erin. Mr. Cornock moved, seconded by Mr. Berry, that leave be granted to bring in a By-law authorizing the payment of \$300 to supplement the grant from the County Council for the erection of a Drill Shed and Agricultural Hall in Erin Village, and that it be read a first and second time. It was read first and second time. The Finance Committee met and presented the following report:—Your committee had under consideration the account of Thos. W. Cooper, Esq., P. L. S., for survey on drainage dispute between Wm. Teeter and Alex'r Laird, and would recommend that the Council pay a proportionate share of the expense which would be \$23.97 and Wm. Teeter \$13.33 making \$37.30 the amount of the account. Your committee would also recommend that the following indigent persons be paid, viz:—Alex. Fraser \$3, Thomas Price \$3, Betsy McFarlane \$3, Wm. Cox \$5, and Arthur Atkinson \$3. Your committee would further recommend that John McNaughton, an indigent person, going from house to house be paid \$10 to provide him in clothes, on condition that the municipality of Erin grant him a like sum. All which is respectfully submitted.—Geo. Martin, chairman. On motion by Mr. Berry, seconded by Mr. Cornock the report was accepted and the Reeve ordered the payment of the several sums. Mr. Cornock moved, seconded by Mr. Berry, that the Road Commissioner be instructed to have the bridges on the town line between Erin and Essex repaired on the eleventh concession repaired provided the municipality of Essex grant him half the expense. Mr. Berry moved, seconded by Mr. Cornock, that the Road Commissioner be authorized to open up the side line between lots 10 and 11 on the fourth concession. Mr. McKinnon moved, seconded by Mr. McMillan, that Robert Bingham, John Hill, Elias Porter, Wm. Young, Henry Heath, and John Noble be each refunded one dollar dog tax. On motion by Mr. Berry, seconded by Mr. McKinnon, the Council adjourned to meet on Friday the 15th instant. WM TYLER, CLK.

SUMMER HOTEL AT GODERICH.

The question of erecting a summer Hotel in the town of Goderich is under consideration. The plans are ready, trusting that the hotel will be built next summer. The sum required is large—one-third is already secured, and the balance is expected to be obtained in the States.

BIRTHS.

HIGHWATER.—At River View Cottage, Guelph, on the 13th inst., the wife of N. Highwater, Esq., of a daughter.

FAIR.—At Clinton on 11th inst., Mrs. James Fair, of a son.

LITTLE.—At Nagsawaga, on the 9th inst., the wife of the Rev. James Little of a daughter.

New Advertisements.

Strayed or Stolen.

STRAYED or Stolen from the premises of the subscriber, about the 9th inst., a dark grey Colt, coming 4 years old, and should be for sale. Any person giving such information as will lead to the recovery of the animal will be suitably rewarded.

JAMES A. THORP. daw 3

Religious Services

IN THE TEMPERANCE HALL.

A SERIES of Religious Services will be held in the Temperance Hall, Henry Street, during the Winter months commencing on SABBATH FIRST, the 17th inst., when the

REV. JAMES HOWIE

Master of Guelph.

GRANCCERY SALE

PURSUANT to a Decree of the Court of Chancery, dated the 23rd day of November, A.D. 1866, and of a Final Order of Sale, dated the 2nd day of November instant, made in a cause of

STEWART vs. Kingsmill, depending in said Court, the following property will be sold by

PUBLIC AUCTION,

—BY—**MR. WILLIAM C. BAINE,** Auctioneer, at the Market House, in the Town of Guelph.

On Wednesday, 11th Dec., 1867

At the hour of Twelve o'clock, noon, in 103 parcels, the following lands and premises situate in the Town of Guelph aforesaid.

FIRSTLY. Portions of the lands known as the "Kingsmill Survey," situate within a short distance of the Great Western Railway Station, namely: Lots numbers 1 to 4, 8 to 15, 35 to 36, 39 to 52, 59 and 60, 72, 75 to 82, 84 to 88, 89 to 117, 122, 138 to 135, 141 inclusive, as laid down and shown on a plan of parts of lots 5 and 6, in Division A, formerly in the Township, now in the Town of Guelph, made for J. J. Kingsmill, by M. C. Schofield, Provincial Land Surveyor, and filed in the Registry Office of the County of Wellington, to be sold in one hundred and two parcels, as follows:

Parcel Number One Will consist of subdivision Lots 101 and 102. There is a stone cottage on this property containing four rooms, also good frame outbuildings, and a yard and garden. These premises are occupied by Mr. Quinn, as a yearly tenant at \$40 per annum.

Parcel Number Two Will consist of subdivision Lots 59 and 100. There is a rough-cast cottage on this property containing four rooms, also frame outbuildings and a yard and garden. Mr. Kingsmill is in the occupation of these premises as a monthly tenant at \$3.50 per month.

Parcel Number Three Will consist of subdivision Lots 29 and 30. There is a frame house on this property containing three rooms, also frame outbuildings. The premises are occupied by Mr. Quinn.

Parcel Number Four Will consist of subdivision Lots numbers 43 and 65. There is a frame house on this property containing three rooms, also frame outbuildings. The premises are occupied by Mr. Pringle as a monthly tenant, at \$1.50 per month.

Parcel Number Five Will consist of subdivision Lots numbers 41 and 42. There is a stone cottage on these premises containing four rooms, also frame outbuildings. These premises are occupied by Mr. Jenny.

Parcel Number Six Will consist of subdivision Lots 53 and 54. There are two frame houses on this property containing four rooms each, also frame outbuildings and a yard. One of the houses is at present occupied by Mr. James McDonald, the other is unoccupied.

Parcel Number Seven Will consist of subdivision Lots 106, 107, 108, and 109. There is a rough-cast cottage on this property containing six rooms, also a frame barn and outsheds, together with a good yard and orchard. These premises are in the occupation of George Bruce, senr.

Parcel Number Eight Will consist of subdivision Lot 105. There is a roughcast cottage on this Lot containing four rooms, also frame outbuildings. These premises are occupied by Mr. Daly, as a monthly tenant, at \$3.25 per month.

Parcel Number Nine Will consist of subdivision Lot 103. There is a rough-cast cottage on this Lot containing four rooms, also frame outbuildings. These premises are occupied by Mr. Raft, as a monthly tenant, at \$3.50 per month.

No upset price will be put upon the foregoing parcels.

The remaining parcels will be offered at the upset prices stated below.

Parcel Number Ten Will consist of subdivision Lots 81, 82, 83 and 84. There is a frame house on Lot 84, containing five rooms, also frame outbuildings, and the whole are enclosed by a fence. The premises are occupied by Mr. Tyson, as a monthly tenant at \$4.00 per month. Upset price \$400.

Parcel Number Eleven Will consist of subdivision Lot No. 123, in rear of the residence of Mr. J. J. Kingsmill, containing one acre and 88-100ths of an acre, more or less. There is a frame slaughter-house on this property, and the lot is enclosed with a board fence. Upset price, \$100.

Parcels Twelve to One Hundred and Two inclusive Will consist of the remaining 91 subdivision lots, which will be put up singly. These lots are unimproved, but Nos. 28 and 44 are fenced. Lots 1 to 12 inclusive, and 13 to 27 inclusive, contain 41 parcels each. Lots 8 to 68 inclusive, and 71 to 118 inclusive, contain one fifth of an acre each. Lots 109 to 122 inclusive, 123 to 129 inclusive, and 127 to 137 inclusive, contain one-fourth of an acre each. Lot 125 contains 3/4 perches. The lots fronting on the Elizabeth Street, Taylor Roads respectively will be put up at an upset price of \$50 each. The lots on both sides of Mercer and Melville streets, and the south side of Mercer Street (all east of Biscot street,) will be put up at an upset price of \$40 each, and all the remaining lots at an upset price of \$30 each.

SECONDLY.

Parcel No. 103 Will consist of that part of the easterly half of lot number twenty-two, in Division A, formerly in the Township of Erin, and now in the Town of Guelph, known as lots B and C, in the survey of part of the said easterly half of said Lot number twenty-two, made by John J. Kingsmill, and which said part is butted and bounded as follows, that is to say: Commencing at a point on the north-east corner of lot twenty-two on Paisley road, thence south forty-five degrees east, fourteen chains and eighty-seven links more or less, to the track of the Grand Trunk Railway of Canada; thence along the northerly side of the said railway track, eight chains and sixteen links to a post at the boundary of lot A, in the said survey, thence north forty-five degrees west along the boundary between lots A and B, eight chains, fifty-three links more or less to the Paisley road, thence north forty-five degrees east along the southerly side of the said Paisley road, eight chains fifty-four links more or less to the place of beginning, containing by measurement, eleven acres and twenty-two hundredths of an acre, by the same more or less. This property fronts on the Paisley road in rear of the property of Mr. Sheriff Hume, and is eligible situated for private residence. Upset price, \$10 per acre.

The purchaser of each of parcels one to nine inclusive shall at the time of sale pay down a deposit in the proportion of \$10 for every \$100 of his purchase money to the Vendors or their Solicitors, and shall pay the remainder of the purchase money with interest thereon from the day of sale within one month thereafter.

The purchaser of each of parcels 10 to 103 inclusive, shall at the time of sale pay down a deposit in the proportion of \$10 for every \$100 of his purchase money to the Vendors or their Solicitors, and shall pay the remainder of the purchase money with interest thereon from the day of sale within one month thereafter.

Further particulars, conditions of sale, and Plans of the Property, can be obtained at the Office of the Auctioneer, Palmer & Leslie, Messrs. Lennan & O'Connor, James Webster, junr., Blair and Guthrie, and of the Auctioneer, all of Guelph.

Dated 11th day of November, 1867.

J. Watson Hall, Master of Guelph.

New Advertisements.

COTTON

Grain BAGS!

Cotton Grain Bags,

Best Goods,

\$4.50 Per Dozen.

A. O. BUCHANAN, Guelph, Nov. 13th, 1867.

TEAS. TEAS.

A LARGE Lot just received of New Crop

TEAS.

A SPLENDID ARTICLE,

AT 75 CENTS,

Equal to any sold at 87 1/2 Cents!

E. CARROLL & CO.

No. 2 Day's Block, Guelph, Nov. 13, 1867. daw 1/2

ONE WEEK LONGER!

To Night

DRILL SHED, GUELPH

ARTS' EXHIBITION!

BY THE

MECHANICS' INSTITUTE.

The Committee of the Mechanics' Institute respectfully intimate that they will hold an Arts' Exhibition for the display of

Oil and Water Colour Paintings, Engravings, Ladies' Fancy Work, Articles of Vertu, Rare Books,

and other suitable objects, in the DRILL SHED, commencing on

Monday, 4th of November,

and continuing during the following Five Days, supplemented by

Promenade CONCERTS,

or REUNIONS in the EVENINGS.

In order that the local public generally may have an opportunity of attending the Exhibition, the price of admission has been placed at

TEN CENTS.

From the large number of articles promised for the occasion, the Committee are persuaded that the forthcoming Exhibition will be one of the best ever held in Guelph.

GEORGE PIRIE, President. E. NEWTON, Secretary. Guelph, 11th November, 1867.

Thoroughbred Galloway Cattle for Sale.

FOR SALE, a Thoroughbred Galloway Cow, with pedigree, took two First Prizes at the Provincial Exhibition. Also, a thoroughbred Galloway bull calf, six months old. For sale cheap by

JAMES O'NEIL, Anglo-American Hotel, Guelph. Guelph, Nov. 12, 1867. 1/2

TAKE NOTICE

Two good and sufficient warrants will be required to be named for the due fulfilment of the contract. By Order.

CORDWOOD

WANTED.

TAKE NOTICE, that TENDERS will be received at the Office of the Clerk of the Peace in Guelph,

On SATURDAY, 16th NOV, 1867

for the supply of good, sound Beech and Maple Firewood for the use of the Jail and Court House, as follows:

200 Cords Green Wood, to be delivered on or before the 1st day of March next.

30 Cords Dry Wood, to be delivered on or before the 1st day of next.

10 Cords of Cedar.

The wood to be piled and measured in the Jail Yard.

Two good and sufficient warrants will be required to be named for the due fulfilment of the contract. By Order.

THOMAS SAUNDERS, Clerk of the Peace. Office of the Clerk of the Peace, Guelph, 6th Nov, 1867. 6d-wtd Herald and Weekly Advertiser to copy.

NEW Dominion Monthly!

NO. 2, FOR NOVEMBER.

AT DAY'S BOOKSTORE, Opposite the Market. Guelph, Nov. 11, 1867. 98d 1/2

New Grist Mill in Guelph

ALEX. FERGUSON HAS erected a Grist Mill at Wall's Bridge near the Waterloo Road, and is now Chopping and Grinding. Every attention paid to customers, and trials solicited. Guelph 14th March, 1867. 69d-6m

LACROSSE.

CONDENSED Clubs and Balls for sale at

New Advertisements.

CUTHBERT'S

NEW STORE.

The "Run" on Cuthbert's New Store still Continues unabated.

There is Positively no place in Town where People are receiving such Value for their Money.

Goods must, will and are being sold at an immense Reduction,

MAKING WAY FOR FRESH ARRIVALS.

Guelph, 11th October. do 1/2

UNDERCLOTHING!

Ladies Lamb's Wool Underclothing,

Misses' and Boys' Lamb's Wool Underclothing,

Men's Lamb's Wool Underclothing, at

W.M. STEWART'S.

Commercial Bank Bills taken at par.

Guelph, 6th November, 1867. dw

BOOTS & SHOES

At Wholesale Prices.

HAVING a large stock of BOOTS and SHOES, which must be sold during the NEXT TWO MONTHS, I will offer the same during that time at Wholesale Prices. Note prices and be convinced that you will save from 25 to 50 per cent. per pair by buying at the

Kingston Penitentiary

BOOT and SHOE STORE.

Men's Coarse Boots!

FORMER PRICES.—No. 1, \$5.00; No. 2, \$2.75; No. 3, \$2.50.

PRESENT PRICES.—No. 1, \$2.75; No. 2, \$2.50; No. 3, \$2.25.

Boys' Boots from \$1.70; Youth's Boots from \$1.35; Women's Boots from \$1.10.

With a large variety of everything in the line at equally low prices.

Don't forget the place—Kingston Penitentiary Boot and Shoe Store.

All work warranted.

J. CRIDFORD. Guelph, 4th November, 1867.

CORDWOOD

IMPORTANT to the FARMERS

Near ACTON, ROCKWOOD, GUELPH, SHANTZ, BRESLAU, and BERLIN,

CORDWOOD in quantities from Five Cords upwards will be received at the above stations, or anywhere along the track of the G. T. R., at greatly advanced prices. Payment,

as soon as wood is in a shape to measure.

MEN WANTED

Good Steady Choppers will always find constant employment. Apply to

ALEX. NAIRN, Rockwood, G.T.R. (Berlin Journal to copy one month.)

COMMERICAL

BANK BILLS

TAKEN at PAR

AT THE

GUELPH CLOTH HALL!

A. THOMSON & CO. Guelph, 5th November, 1867. dw 1

NEW Pork & Sausage Shop

THOS. MILLAR BEGS to inform the people of Guelph that he has opened a new Pork and Sausage Shop in

DAY'S OLD BLOCK, Gordon Street, next door to Call's Hotel. The Sausages are all of first-rate quality, and of his own make, from pork carcasses bought on the market.

Always on hand superior corned beef, salted and pickled tongues. Poultry of all kinds on hand.

The above are all of first-class quality. I purchase no meat from any Packing House, but buy the best carcasses in the market. Guelph, 20th October, 1867. dw-1m

New Kentish Filberts

NEW DATES, New Soft Shelled Almonds, New West End Layer Raisins

Turkey JOBS, JOHN A. WOOD'S. Guelph, November, 1, 1867. dw

COW STRAYED OR STOLEN.

STRAYED or stolen from the premises of the subscriber, on the 14th October, a light brindled cow, with short horns turned in, about three years old. Any person returning her, or giving such information as will lead to her recovery,

will be suitably rewarded.

JAMES A. THORP. daw 3

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 Subscribers wishing to take the Evening Mercury by the week, or for a longer period, will please leave their names at the office and it will be regularly delivered at their residences. Subscribers whose papers are not regularly left by the Carrier Boys, will please call at the office at once and inform us of the neglect.

Guelph Evening Mercury
 OFFICE:.....MACDONNELL STREET.
 WEDNESDAY EV'G, NOVEMBER 13

NORAH CUSHALEEN
HAUNTED CASTLE.

"Then understand, in the first place, that my companions in imprisonment are not what they represent to you. The laird of Lochwinnoch is a mere myth, and so is Jim Malone. The *soi-disant* M'Spurtle is my own faithful Scotch servant, and the other is a friend with whom I lodged at Dundarra. They got to know where I had been taken to, and came up the mountain for another purpose than to try to effect my liberation. The fact is Captain, I myself am not what I seem, and no one in Ireland knows who I really am. but this faithful fellow, Andrew. For certain reasons I desire to remain unknown for a little while longer—it will now I trust be only for a short time, when I rather think my name and rank will surprise a few. I may also inform you that the man whose tool you condescended to become is, perhaps, the most unprincipled scoundrel to be found in this or any other country.—Some years ago he lured a good and innocent girl into a secret marriage, and finding that connection unsuitable, he planned her murder. He thinks that murder was accomplished; but it is not so. The girl still lives, so that his marriage with Miss Kendal cannot be."

"Infamous!" ejaculated the Captain, in astonished indignation.

"Let him pass," continued Hargreave. "After the arrival of my friends here, we set ourselves to the task of trying to make our escape; and after vainly thinking of a plan for some days, we accidentally discovered a concealed aperture, with two branches—one leading to the next chamber, the other evidently leading by a long disguised passage to the open air. Both were secured with gratings of iron but as the latter only concerned us, we have laboured for twelve days to cut the bars. The last is nearly severed, and we intend to make our escape to-night—See!"

And Hargreave crossed the chamber, followed by the Captain (who was thunderstruck) and taking up one of the bars used it as a lever against that one which was almost cut. A slight force made it come away at once, and before them was an open space large enough for the passage of any one of them.

"The existence of that passage is unknown to all of us," cried the Captain, brightening up. "Yes you shall all escape by it, and Amelia shall accompany you. My knowledge of your departure shall not transpire. This grating leading to the next chamber I will find means to demolish, so that Amelia may be brought through. But do not I ask too much? Will you take the charge of her, and see her safe into the care of—"

"I understand," answered Hargreave, promptly. "I will guard her as if she was my own sister."

He held out his hands, which the Captain took and grasped warmly.

"You have been right all along, and I was wrong," said the latter. "Your faith in man and woman has not been misplaced. Would to God I never lost mine!"

CHAPTER XXXI.—ESCAPE AT MIDNIGHT.

It was midnight, and the robbers caved was silent as death. This silence had settled upon it after several hours of drunken revelry, and every outlaw in it except the Captain himself was helplessly intoxicated. This was a result which the latter had purposely brought about under pretence of celebrating with triumph the receipt of the miser's ransom of one thousand pounds, which had gone into the treasury two weeks before. Captain Jack made that night a carnival night, his real object being to make every one oblivious to the proceedings which were about to take place. And so strongly did he encourage the drunkenness by his words and apparent example, that half an hour before midnight, the last of the band dropped upon the floor in the state which is best known by the name of "dead drunk."

The Captain, who pretended to be lying in a similar condition in his elevated chair, opened one eye, and being satisfied that the senses of every one were steeped in forgetfulness, he slowly rose to his feet, and stepping over the snoring bodies of the prostrate men, went cautiously to the other end of the hall, and threaded with noiseless tread the passage which led to the entrance in the face of the rock at the ravine. Here in a small vaulted recess just within the passage and a few yards from the open air, two of the robbers watched as sentinels. To enliven the tedium of their duty, they had been supplied with a small quantity of the potheen, but not sufficient to intoxicate them, for one of their most stringent laws was that the sentinel must be sober. It was enough however to keep them socially engaged; and the Captain after listening for a few moments, was convinced that no interruption need be feared from them.

Had they been as easily disposed of as the rest, the prisoners might have quitted the cave by the usual mode of exit; but as they could not safely be put off to sleep, Hargreave and his companions would require to leave by the secret passage which they had discovered.

Returning to the hall, the Captain peered about among the prostrate robbers till he found the fellow who acted as jailor, and stooping down he took the key from his side, an operation which elicited from him nothing more than a longer and louder snore. Possessed of this, Captain Jack proceeded to the door of the place in which the wile of the miser was confined, and noiselessly opening it, entered and closed it again behind him.

The fair girl had not retired to rest, but was standing by the side of a chair, evidently expecting him. The expression of deep melancholy and hopeless despair was not now on her countenance but her face was flushed with excitement and her eye sparkled with animation. When he appeared a smile parted her lips, and she advanced a step to meet him.

TO BE CONTINUED.

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Dutch Bulbous Roots

Hyacinths
 Tulips
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Iris
 Lilies
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 &c. &c.

Our BULBS have been imported
Direct from HOLLAND
 THIS SEASON, and are in excellent condition.

As most of the varieties require planting this Fall, an early call is solicited.

C. & A. SHARPE.
 Guelph, 7th November, 1867. d2w

ENGLISH
MAGAZINES!

FOR NOVEMBER.

Sunday Magazine,
 Good Words,
 Chambers' Journal,
 Scottish Journal,
 Kind Words,

At Day's Bookstore,
 OPPOSITE THE MARKET.
 Guelph, Nov. 9, 1867. dw-4f

SMITH & BOSTERD'S,
 OPPOSITE THE MARKET, GUELPH.

COMMERCIAL BANK BILLS
 TAKEN AT PAR FOR CLOTHING, AT

FURS,
 FURS, FURS.



WE have opened our stock of **FURS**, of our own manufacture, which we will sell at **LOW PRICES**, viz:

Extra Dark Mink,
 Royal Ermine,
 Siberian Squirrel,
 River Mink,
 Ladies' Hoods,

And a full assortment of CHILDREN'S FURS, GENTS' MUFFLERS and GLOVES, SLEIGH ROBES, &c.

F. GARLAND,
 Market Square, Guelph.

The Highest Price paid for Raw Furs
 Guelph, Oct. 31, 1867. 884 w732

CARD.
 MRS. MORRIS, Midwife, from McGill College, Montreal, Residence on Essex Street, near Mr. James Lynch's, constable. All calls by day or night will be promptly attended to.
 Guelph, 4th Nov, 1867. d6

Store for Sale
 In the Village of Sturton.

A GOOD STORE for general business, with commodious Dwelling House attached, and SHED with two forges. The shop 1620 x 30 feet; connected with this shop is a good Dwelling House. The buildings are all of frame, and put up within the last three years. These two properties will be sold together or separately for Cash or on Credit. The Post Office is kept on the premises. For terms apply to
LEMON & PETERSON, Guelph.

New Dress Goods
FRENCH POPLINS,
ALL WOOL REPPS,
FRENCH MERINOES, AND
ABERDEEN Winceys.

JUST OPENED,
A. O. BUCHAM.
 November 7, 1867. do tf

BROOCHES!
Siiver Filiagree BROOCHES
 Silver and Scotch Pebble Brooches.
D. SAVAGE,
 WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH,
 Guelph, November 4, 1867. dw

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SHIRTS
 and
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 At the Guelph
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A. THOMSON & CO.
 Guelph, October 5, 1867. dw1

BOOTS AND SHOES
 THE Neatest, Cheapest, Best Fitting and Best Wearing **Boots and Shoes**, manufactured from the best brands of French Calf, Goat, Kid, &c., Sewed or Pegged are to be had at

THOMAS BROWN'S
NEW BOOT & SHOE STORE

He would advise all who are not satisfied with such Boots and Shoes as they get elsewhere to call and give him a trial, and be convinced that

The Boots and Shoes he makes are the Best they ever Had.

Repairing neatly done. All orders attended to promptly.

THOMAS BROWN,
 Guelph, 5th October, 1867. dw Day's Block, Wyndham-st., Guelph.

THE GROCERY & WINE TRADE.
OPENING ANNOUNCEMENT.

FRANK SMITH & CO.
77 Front Street, Toronto,

BEG to intimate to their Western friends and the public generally, that they have now received a large portion of their Fall supply of

Fresh English Groceries, Wines, Brandies, &c.,

Ex. 'Planet,' 'Chaudiere,' 'City of Hamilton,' 'Glenborie,' from London.
 'Ayon,' 'Onida,' 'Hibernia,' 'Peruvian,' 'Summer,' and 'Pericles,' from Liverpool.
 'Alcega' and 'Gleniffer,' from Glasgow.
 'Agnes' from Charente. And are daily expecting the arrival of

Fresh New Crop Fruit and Mediterranean Cargo

Ex. 'Deodara,' 'Canny Scott' and 'Mary Ann,' from Malaga, Marseilles and Deila.

JUST RECEIVING IN STORE,

303 Hhls and Tierces of Barbadoes, Porto Rico and Cuba Sugars.
 552 Bbls Currants crop 1866, VERY CHEAP.
 1275 Half Chests and Caddies Souchong, Congou, Japan, Gunpowder, Young and Old Hyson Teas.
 With a full assortment of Tobacco, Refined Sugars, Wines and Liquors and Dry Groceries. All of

GREAT BANKRUPT SALE

HOGG & CHANCE,
GOLDEN LION, GUELPH,

Have Bought a **WHOLESALE BANKRUPT STOCK** of **DRY GOODS**, value over

\$40,000!

AND ARE NOW OFFERING THE SAME AT ABOUT ONE HALF ITS VALUE.

TREMENDOUS BARGAINS!

CALL AT ONCE. Goods are being offered at Great Reduction on manufacturers' cost. We have bought this large Bankrupt Stock, and are determined to offer the whole at such prices as will ensure a complete clearance in a short time.

Goods Wholesaled 20 per cent. under Hamilton or Toronto prices.

HOGG & CHANCE.
 20,000 Cotton Bags, 900 No. 1 Buffalo Skins, 170 do., Lined, Cotton Yarn at Manufacturer's Prices. 20,000 Overcoats, Sack and Shooting Coats, Vests and Pants---No. 1 GOODS.
 Guelph, 2nd November, 1867. dw

DIRECT IMPORTATIONS
 OF STAPLE AND FANCY
DRY GOODS!
 AT THE BRADFORD HOUSE.
GEORGE JEFFREY

Has much pleasure in announcing the arrival of his

FALL AND WINTER STOCK!
 WHICH WILL BE FOUND ONE OF THE MOST ATTRACTIVE IN CANADA. HE WOULD PARTICULARLY DIRECT ATTENTION TO A FEW DEPARTMENTS:

SILKS, Black and Coloured.
REPS, PRINCESS' CLOTHS,
MANTLE CLOTHS,
 Some things Quite New.

And every other description of Goods will be shown as they appear in the Market.

GEORGE JEFFREY.
 Guelph, September 21, 1867. d tf

MONTREAL BOOT AND SHOE EMPORIUM.
JOHN McNEIL

INVITES his customers and those in want of **BOOTS AND SHOES** to call at his establishment and be convinced that, without doubt, he has

The Largest and Best Stock

to select from in or out of the County of Wellington, no matter what the pretensions of others may be to the contrary.

MY GOODS ARE ALL NEW!

and mails to my special order, I can therefore recommend what I sell as being second to none.

Home Manufactured Goods always on hand.

ALL WORK WARRANTED.

26 No Barnum Humberg on this side of Wyndham Street.

JOHN McNEIL,
 Montreal Boot and Shoe Emporium, Wyndham-st., Guelph, Ontario.
 Guelph, 41st November, 1867. d59 w735 tf

CO'MERCIAL BANK.

ROBERT RUTHERFORD

Will take Commercial Bank Bills AT PAR for the

SALES OF DRY GOODS,

For ONE WEEK from this Date. Being anxious to clear out the Stock Bargains will be given.

Paris Correspondence of the N. Y. Times.
At the last cabinet council held by the Emperor, it is said that the present extravagant high price of bread formed one of the principal subjects of consideration. Napoleon has always been of opinion, with the wise old Roman tribune, that if the stomach be kept full, the other members of the body corporate will give no trouble. The high price to which the four-pound loaf has attained—twenty-one shillings—coupled with the general falling off in all kinds of employment, consequently great distress has been increased by some very indications of popular discontent which have recently manifested themselves. Along the public walks in the Champs Elysees and on the Boulevards, from the Madeleine to the Place de la Bastille, the iron chairs and benches which stood there for the accommodation of the public were on Thursday night all twisted and broken, so as to render them unfit for further service. To accomplish this without attracting the attention of the police a great number of persons must have been employed, and it is this fact which gives to the outrage so serious a character. The newspapers, for obvious reasons, refrained from commenting on it, but in the cafes and public places one hears considerable uneasiness expressed at the occurrence, as it is assumed to indicate a very discontented feeling among the working classes. It is said that they have resorted to this manner of giving expression to their dissatisfaction, because it interferes with the enjoyments of those who are apparently better off than themselves. I have heard it rumored that on the same night placards were found posted up Faubourg St. Antoine with the words "Du pain bon marche ou la mort!" (Cheap bread or death!) printed in large characters upon them. Of this there is not a word in the newspapers, and I give it to you merely as a report. That the condition of the working classes is such as to inspire great anxiety to the government, is, however, not to be contested, and unless steps are taken to reduce the price of bread and find employment for those who have been thrown out of work by the existing stagnation, the consequences may be serious. The class who find steady occupation are those employed by the military contractors. The other day M. Alexis Gadillot gave to nearly four thousand of his work people a holiday, to enable them to visit the exhibition, and paid all the expenses of the treat, including a grand dinner. The fact has given rise to a great deal of grumbling and dissatisfaction among the employed, who say that it is to the activity being displayed in these military furnishing establishments they owe their own state of illness and suffering. There is a good deal of truth in this. Were it not for the uncertainty in which the country is kept by the unsettled condition of its foreign relations, there would be but little ground for complaint in this regard.

COMMERCIAL.
Guelph Markets.
MERCURY OFFICE, GUELPH,
November 13, 1867.

The market for the week has been very slack, deliveries of all kinds of grain having been lighter than usual. Of Fall Wheat there is scarcely any offering, and the price is steady at our quotations. Spring Wheat is the principal grain brought to market, and even of that the receipts are comparatively light. The price has slightly advanced today, but it is scarcely probable that the advanced rate will long be paid, as there is no increased demand in other markets to warrant the rise here. It is a result of the same cause to which we attributed a slight increase of price last week, namely, to local requirements. Owners of mills who want to keep their running pay a little more than those who are buying for shipment; but beyond this there is no reason why wheat should sell higher today than it did a week ago, for the Montreal, Toronto, New York and Chicago Markets are dull and drooping. Indeed, some of the buyers are not very eager to purchase at \$1.40. Of barley there is but little offering, and the price has gone up two cents a bushel. Peas coming in slowly, with no advance in prices. Of oats there is scarcely any offered, and there has been no change in price for two weeks. Pork is offering freely, and finds good demand at from \$4.50 to \$5. Poultry are much looked for, and it would be well for those who bring them in to know that the buyers want them killed by bleeding, and not opened, nor the heads cut off.

Money Market.
JACKSON'S EXCHANGE OFFICE,
Guelph, November 13, 1867.

Gold, 1300	
Silver bought at 70 to 71; sold at 71 to 72.	
Upper Canada Bank Bills bought at 55 to 60.	
Commercial Bank Bills bought at 70 to 80c.	

MONTREAL MARKETS.
(Kirkwood, Livingston & Co's report by Special Telegram to "Evening Mercury.")
MONTREAL, November 13, 1867.

Flour—Fancy, \$7.40 to \$7.50; Superfine No. 1, \$6.95 to \$7.10; Welland Canal, \$7.00. Bag flour, \$5.35 to \$5.45. Oats 38c to 39c. Barley 70c to 75c. Butter—1 lb to 15c; store packed 12c to 15c. Ashes—Fees 45 to 50; pearls \$6.15 to \$6.15. Flour—receipts moderate; market steady, with fair business at yesterday's rates. Grain—wheat—very hard at \$1.22. Peas—sold at 10c loads at 9c to 9 1/2c. Oats nominal.
Provisions—Pork mess firmer; Butter unchanged. Ashes neglected dull and drooping.

HAMILTON, November 12, 1867.
New fall wheat, \$1.40 @ \$1.42. Spring do—\$1.30 @ \$1.35 per bushel. Barley—73c @ 74c. Peas—43c to 44c. Peas—73c @ 73c.

TORONTO, November 11, 1867.
Flour—Receipts, 200 bbls; No. 1, at \$6.50. Oats—\$1.42. Peas—78c. Oats—50c to 52c. Wheat—32c to 30c.

LAMP GLASSES!
Of every size and description.

JUST RECEIVED
A FRESH SUPPLY OF
Lamp Glasses,
AT THE MEDICAL DISPENSARY,
HARVEY
the English Church, Wyndham-st.,
Guelph, Ontario.

Wholesale Grocers,
39 Front-st., TORONTO,
ARE now receiving Ex. S. S. Nova Scotian, Moravian, and other vessels.

Boxes New Valencia Raisins
" New Layer do
" Very Prime West End Layer Raisins
Bbls English Crushed Sugar
" New Currants
Bags and Pockets choice Java Coffee
Or Casks and Cases Dunville Irish Whiskey
Cases Kinahan's L. L. do
Chests, Half Chests, and Caddies New Season, Ping Sues, Young Hysons, Gunpowders, Congous, Souchongs, Color'd and Uncolor'd Japans, Imperials, Twankay, Orange, Pekoe, &c., &c.
Bags superior Arracan Rice
Cases English Thumb Blue
Bbls Brazil Nuts
Bags S. S. Almonds
" Walnuts
" Filberts,
Cases Pearl Tapioca,
" Thin's Pickles
" Booth's, Betts' and Barclay's Old Tom
" John Bull Bitters
Crates Wine, Beer and Whiskey
Bottles
Cases Orange, Lemon & Citron Peel
Boxes Valencia and Jordan Almonds
Cases Table Salt, in glass jars do Liqueur, &c. &c.

AND DAILY EXPECTED
Crosse & Blackwell's Pickles, Sauces, Preserves.
The above, together with a large stock of
GENERAL GROCERIES,
INCLUDING
Raw and Refined Sugars, Bright and Dark Tobaccos,
(in Caddies, Butts and 1/2 Butts), and
WINES & LIQUORS,
COMPRISING
Pale and Dark Brandies, Hollands and Old Tom Gin, Jamaica Rum, Pale and Deep Golden Sherries, Champagnes, &c.,

Will be sold at unusually Low Prices to the Trade.
TERMS LIBERAL.
THOMAS GRIFFITH & CO.,
WHOLESALE GROCERS,
39 Front Street,
Toronto, Nov. 1, 1867. dw-2u

OYSTERS!
IMPORTED direct from the Packing House in Baltimore by
GEORGE WILKINSON,
Those celebrated and select
XXX BALTIMORE OYSTERS!
Wholesale and Retail, equally low as any house in the trade. Enquire prices before purchasing elsewhere.
GEORGE WILKINSON,
Next door to the Telegraph and Express Office
Guelph, Nov. 1, 1867. daw tf

Apothecaries' Hall,
MARKET SQUARE, GUELPH.
PATENT
STOVE VARNISH
Free From Smell,
Manufactured and sold by
ALEX. B. PETRIE,
Chemist, Market Square, Guelph.

Price, - - 20c. per Bottle,
or in quantities to suit purchasers.
Guelph, Oct. 7, 1867. daw

XXX OYSTERS,
IMPORTED DIRECT. The trade supplied on Liberal terms.
H. BERRY.
Guelph, Oct. 30, 1867. 881 732w

FARM FOR SALE.
FOR SALE, in Guelph Township, on the Waterloo Road, 5 miles from Guelph, a farm containing 70 acres, about 35 acres of which are cleared and in a good state of cultivation. The farm is well watered by springs, and has suitable log buildings. Terms made known by application to the proprietor,
EDWARD VANCE,
Guelph, Oct., 30, 1867. wtl.

COW LOST.
STRAYED from the premises of the subscriber, a near Goldie's milk, a brindled cow, with white spot on forehead and shoulder, and white on the belly. She is about 6 years old, and with horns turned inward. Any person giving such information to the owner as will lead to the recovery of the animal will be rewarded.
DANIEL CARTER,
Guelph, 30th October, 1867. dw3m

FARM FOR SALE.
FOR sale, a bush farm in the Township of Garafraxa, being East half of Lot 18, Con. 5, consisting of 100 acres. It is well watered, and there is access to it by good roads. The land cannot be surpassed in quality. The lot is about 20 miles from Guelph, 9 miles from Elora, 6 miles from Fergus, 3 miles from Douglas, and about 14 miles from Orangeville. When the Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railroad, and the Toronto Central Railroad are finished, it will lie between the two lines of railroad. Cash price \$2,000. For particulars apply post-paid to
ROBERT CAMPBELL,
87 Sunnyside-st., Toronto, 3m
Guelph, 24th Aug., 1867.

James Barclay,
CARPENTER and JOINER, has removed his Shop from the old stand to the large and commodious premises adjoining the Fair Ground, and nearly opposite the Drill Shed. All kinds of cabinet work, and cash paid for the same. Agent for Proof Fire Roofing.

HAVE YOU SEEN BARNUM?
YES!
Well, the next biggest thing is the **BOOT and SHOE** Establishment of
PREST & HEPBURN
COME AND SEE IT.

THERE IS NOW ON EXHIBITION the Largest, Best, Cheapest, Neatest and most Durable assortment of
BOOTS AND SHOES
ever offered to the trade in the county of Wellington. In fact, it is the stock of Ontario. This is the only house that manufactures their own Boots and Shoes.

SUPPORT HOME MANUFACTURE!
and keep your money in the county. We do not believe in puffing, but simply ask the public to come and see our Boots and Shoes, and we are confident the verdict will be in our favor. We will guarantee all our goods. Remember the Stand—

The Old Penitentiary Boot and Shoe Store!
And the oldest Shoe Store in Guelph. **REPAIRING DONE AS USUAL.**
PREST & HEPBURN.
Guelph, 10th October, 1867.

CHOICE WINES
Cosen's Pale Sherries,
Cosen's Brown Sherries,
Domecq's Pale and Brown Sherries.
OFFLEY'S OLD PORTS,
GRAHAM'S OLD PORT.
Guelph, 10th October, 1867.

VERY CHOICE CLARET.
CLARET, a few cases of very choice.
do 200 cases in nice order, from \$3.50 to \$4
THESE Wines were imported direct, and intended specially for our retail trade, and will be found superior to any other offered here.

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ALE and PORTER!
100 cases Guinness' Porter, Bottled by E. & J. Burke, Dublin.
100 cases Guinness' Porter, Bottled by Blood, Wolfe & Co., Liverpool.
One Hundred Barrels BASS' PALE ALE.

FRESH TEAS. FRESH TEAS.
IMPORTING as we do all our Teas direct, and from the great quantity which passes through our hands, ours are pre-eminently the **Choicest in Flavor and Strength,** and the Cheapest in Ontario.
J. MASSIE & CO.
Guelph 19th August 1867. daw

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SMITH & BOTSFORD
Have now the Largest and Best Selected Stock of
FALL and WINTER
CLOTHING!
Ever brought into GUELPH. The Stock consists in part of the following:

Overcoats, Sacks and Frocks
Black, Blue and Brown MELTONS, Black, Blue and Brown BEAVERS,
Black, Blue and Brown PILETS, Black, Blue and Brown WHITENYS,
Black, Brown and Blue ELYSIANS, ranging in price from \$5.50 to \$16.
ALSO, A SPLENDID LINE OF

TIP-TOP PEA JACKETS
They would also beg call attention to their HUDSON BAY and RED RIVER OVERCOAT, UNDERCOATS SACKS and SACKETES, in Scotch, English and Canadian Tweeds, Doerings, Meltons and Sattaras, from \$5.50 to \$10.

IN PANTS and VESTS
we have a large stock of the following:—Cottonades, Unions, Moleskins, Sackets, 1/2 Tweeds, Doerings and Pilets. Their BLACK CLOTH FROCKS, Shooting Coats, Sacks, Pants and Vests, for style, quality and price, can cope with anything in the Dominion.
A large assortment of **BOYS' CLOTHING** always on hand. S & B. def. competition. Remember the Stand—Sign of the Elephant, opposite the Market.

SMITH & BOTSFORD.
Guelph, 13th September, 1867. dw-tf

FARM FOR SALE.
THE subscriber offers for sale a first-class farm, being Lot No. 8, East half 3rd Con. Township of Erin, containing 100 acres, from 75 to 80 of which are cleared, and, with the exception of 10 acres, free of stump. This farm is well fenced, and in a high state of cultivation.—There is a never-failing creek and a good well and pump on the premises; also, a never-failing creek runs across the Concession about ten rods from the corner of the lot. There are two good barns—a log 30x50 and a frame 30x60—and a good log house 30x50 feet, with a back kitchen and a frame storey, four bed rooms, &c. Also, a good young orchard of choice fruit trees, many of them bearing. This farm is about five miles from Acon Station, and about a mile and a half from the Erin gravel road. The farm will be sold on liberal terms, and a good title given. For further particulars apply personally, or by letter (post-paid) to the subscriber, on the premises.

FARM TO RENT.
TO rent, the farm belonging to the estate of the late Robert Trotter, comprising Lot 19, in the 6th Concession, Garafraxa, containing 100 acres, 150 acres of which are cleared, and in an excellent state of cultivation. The land is well fenced, and well laid off. There is a good comfortable log dwelling house on the place, with large and commodious barns and stabling. There is a good pump well on the premises, and the river Irvine runs through the back part of the lot. If desirable, a lease for ten years will be given.—The tenant can have immediate possession.
For terms and other particulars apply, if by letter post-paid, to the following executors of the estate:

ALEX. DYCE,
JOHN FOX,
WM. EVELEIGH,
Garafraxa P. O.
Guelph, Oct. 10, 1867.

VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY
For Sale or to Exchange.
THE undersigned offers for sale, or to exchange for Real Estate in the Town of Guelph, the undermentioned property, viz:
First.—A valuable improved Farm North of the Durham Road, in the Township of Bentinck, three miles from the Village of Durban, containing about 200 acres, of which about 100 acres are cleared and under fence. On the premises are a substantial Frame Dwelling House, with good cellar, garden and well, with pump of excellent water. Also, a Frame Barn 90x30, with 18 feet posts and underground stabling, and a never-failing spring in the barn yard for the supply of water to cattle. This is a very eligible property, and well worthy the attention of those who wish to obtain a good farm.
Also—Lot 42, in the 3rd Concession of Bentinck, West of the Garafraxa Road, 100 acres, about 12 acres cleared, with a Frame House on the Lot.—The Rocky Sanguon River crosses one corner of this Lot, and has a valuable water power on it, capable of driving any machinery.
Also—Lot 25, in the 1st Concession, South of the Durban Road, three miles from the Village of Pricerville, in the Township of Artemesia. There are about 25 acres cleared and fenced on this lot, with a good new Log House.
The above farms are well situated and timbered with the best kind of hard wood timber, with indisputable titles—the last two being direct grants from the Crown.
For further particulars, &c., apply to the proprietor,
JOHN KAY,
Brass Founder and Fitter, Upper Wyndham Street, Guelph.
Guelph, 9th September, 1867. (d-4f)

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The new anæsthetic agents used for extracting teeth without pain.
R. TROTTER, W. K. GRAHAM,
Guelph, 2nd August, 1867. (dw-13)

INDIA & CHINA TEA CO'Y.
Home Depot at London and Liverpool.
Canada Depot, 23 Hospital Street, Montreal.
THE India and China Tea Company beg to call the attention of the Canadian community to their directly imported Teas, which for purity and excellence will be found unequalled.
The Company have made arrangements whereby they secure the entire produce of some of the best plantations in Assam and on the slopes of the Himalayas, and, by a judicious blending of these magnificent Teas with the best varieties of China produce, they are enabled to offer to the public Tea of quality and flavour hitherto unknown to the general consumer. These Teas are in high favour in England and France, and a single trial will prove their superiority.
The Company supply two qualities only, either Black, Green or Mixed. Their Black Tea will be found to possess great brilliancy and flavour, combined with colour and strength, and to be entirely different to the flat and rapid article usually sold as Black Tea; while their Green Teas are altogether free from the deleterious mineral powder so commonly used for coloring the leaf.
PRICES: Rich, full-flavoured Tea, for family use a real genuine and fine article 70 cents per lb. Finest quality procurable, one dollar per lb.
The above can be had either Black, Green or Mixed.
We had in packets of Quarter Pound Half Pound, One Pound, and upwards, or in tin canisters of 5 lbs. and upwards. From the Company's Agents in all the chief towns of Canada.—All the packages are lined with tin foil paper, and the Tea will consequently retain its flavour any length of time.
OBSERVE.—All packages have the Company's trade-mark, without which none are genuine.
MR. N. HIGGINBOTHAM
Agent, Guelph.
Guelph, August 3, 1867. dw-17

Insurance at Moderate Rates.
WESTERN Assurance Company.
CAPITAL, - - \$400,000.
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GEO. ELLIOTT, Agent, Guelph.
Guelph, 24th May, 1866. 466.

Oldest Accident Insurance Co. in America.
INSURES AGAINST all KINDS OF ACCIDENTS.
INSURE against Accidents in the original office of the **LIANGHONG COMPANY** of Hartford. Net cash assets, Jan. 1, \$741,387.00.
JAS. G. BATTERS, President.
ROBERT DENNIS, Secretary.
DR. MCINTYRE, Medical Referee.
C. NAHRGANG, Agent, Guelph.
Guelph, Oct. 10, 1867.

STOP AND SEE!
THE following remarks on Testimonials of the most wonderful and extraordinary cures in Canada by the **GREAT INDIAN REMEDY.** They are stern, undeniable and incontrovertible facts, sufficient to convince the most skeptical that the Great Medicinal Compound yearned after for ages is now available in the Great
Shoshonees Remedy!
For Diseases of the Throat, Lungs, Liver, Digestive Organs, Kidneys, and all Scrofula, the various Skin Diseases, Humors, and all diseases arising from Impurities of the Blood, we boldly state that this great remedy has never been equalled. Where was there ever such a cure as that in the person of Wilson Stroves of Brighton, C. W., of Consumption, or that of Peter O. V. MILNER, of Earnestown, C. W., of Consumption, or the of AARON WOOD of Concession, C. W., of Dyspepsia and Liver Complaint, or the of HOSBY of Napanee, C. W., of Rheumatism, who had actually been on crutches for years, in spite of all treatment heretofore, and is now well. Scores of such cases might be mentioned had we space.
Call at the Drug Store and get a Circular of unquestionable certificates on the Great Shoshonees Remedy and Pills, and satisfy yourself.
Price of the Remedy in large plants \$1. For sale by all Druggists and Dealers in Medicine. Agents for Guelph—N. Higginbotham, E. Harvey, A. B. Petrie. Wholesale Agent—N. Higginbotham. w723

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HAVE now on hand a complete assortment of Gray's and Paterson's celebrated Steel
PLOUGHS!
Cast Iron Ploughs of the most approved patterns,
CULTIVATORS,
SCARIFIERS,
HORSE HOES,
DRAG SAWS,
Straw and Turnip Cutters, and Agricultural Furnaces (greatly improved from those now in use). Stoves, Pumps, &c.
All kinds of Castings made and finished to order. Tinsmithing, in all its branches, carried on.
Have Trough, Eave Pipes, &c. made and put up to order in town or country.
Guelph, 18th April, 1867.

Great Cure of Liver Complaint and Dyspepsia in Canada.
Concession, Prince Edward Co., C. W., March, 1867.
[Messrs. Young & Chamberlain, Sirs—Having proved within my own person that there is at last a medicine that will indeed cure Liver Complaint and Liver Dyspepsia, I am induced to make this statement, under oath, which is to certify that I have been sorely afflicted for the last three years, according to the Doctors' statements, with Liver Complaint and Dyspepsia. I had a feeling of sinking and vague uneasiness about the stomach, worse than pain, eruptions of wind, occasional pain, drowsiness, constipation, uneasiness in the right side, headache, a poor appetite, &c. and was greatly reduced in strength. Hearing your new Indian medicine, the Great Shoshonees Remedy, spoken of so highly, I tried a bottle with your Pills, from these I must say I found but little change, but I took another and then found my health improving. I continued it until I have taken about ten bottles, using the Pills, and I find that I have quite recovered. I eat hearty without pain or uneasiness. I am well and have pleasure in attending to my business. The doctor remarked to me I was looking much better. I told him that the Great Shoshonees Remedy was what I had. I have recommended the Remedy in several cases, and it has invariably given good satisfaction, and I would strongly recommend it to all afflicted as I was.

Sworn before me at Concession, C. W., this 2nd day of March, 1867.
J. M. CADMAN, J. P.,
A Commissioner in and for the Co. of Prince Edward, C. W.

F. M. WILSON,
LATE BRAY'S
EXCHANGE OFFICE!
—AND—
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American Money and Silver Bought and Sold.
DRAFTS ON NEW YORK.
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Hamilton, Nov. 1866. 681-17

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Veterinary Surgeon,
RESPECTFULLY thanks his numerous patrons for the liberal support he has received since his residence in Guelph, and begs to inform them and the public generally that he has removed to Waterloo Road, First door West of Mr. W. S. G. Knowles, where he will keep on hand a supply of all medicines for Horses and Cattle.
Agent for McDougall's Patent Disinfectant Powder for dwellings, stables, cow sheds and water-closets, as ordered by the Board of Health in Toronto; also certain preventative of the Turnip Fly.
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All orders punctually attended to, and medicines sent to any part of the country.
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DR. MCINTYRE, Medical Referee.
C. NAHRGANG, Agent, Guelph.
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