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A large stock of Beef, Pork, Hulled Speed Hams, All of which will be sold at 12 1/2 cents per lb. The best Bacon from Dec. to 1 1/2 cents per lb. Shoulders same as the Bacon.

A Splendid Lot of Smoked Hams Lard, &c. A large lot DRIED BEEF and MUTTON will be sold at from 4c to 5c per lb.

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Day's Block, late Petrie's Drug Store and has now in stock an immense assortment of Hats, Caps, Furs, &c.,

In all the latest and most fashionable styles and colors, which will be sold very cheap.

Being a practical hatter, he thoroughly understands the wants of customers, and invites the public to call and see his goods, as he can sell them a better article at a cheaper price than they can get elsewhere.

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MISS WIGHTMAN begs to announce that her school will reopen on the 23rd of April. Guelph, 23rd March, 1869. do

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FARE FROM HAMILTON First Cabin - - - \$57, Gold value Steerage - - - 29, " Berths not cured until paid for. For further particulars apply to

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Which is known to be far superior to anything ever yet discovered for killing rats, mice, insects on poultry, ants, bugs, cockroaches, black beetles, fleas on dogs, tick or scab on sheep or goats, &c. in less than ten minutes. Sold in packets at 25c. per packet, or six packets for \$1.25. The powder is warranted free from all bad smells, and will keep in any climate. It may be spread anywhere without risk, as it is quite harmless to cats and dogs if they will not eat it. Directions for use on each packet.

The above discovery has gained for Professor Herman a silver prize medal at the International Exhibition for Victoria, Australia, of 1866, besides numerous testimonials. Messrs. E. CARROLL & CO., Day's Block, Wyndham-St., Guelph, Agents for Guelph and vicinity. May 29. dwt

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J. HORSMAN'S Guelph, 26th May. dtw

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Begs to inform her Pupils and friends that her School re-opened on MONDAY, 4th JANUARY, 1869. She will also be prepared to give Private Lessons on the Organ, Piano and Melodeon. Residence: Norfolk Street, Guelph. December 30. dwt

SPECIAL NOTICE. The subscriber, in returning thanks to his friends and the public generally for the liberal patronage bestowed on him during the past eight years, begs to announce that he has rented No. 4, Guelph Market, where he will always keep on hand a choice assortment of

FRESH AND SALT MEAT of all kinds, which he will sell at the lowest possible prices. JOHN TYSON, Butcher, Guelph, May 8, 1869. dtw

BILLIARDS GREAT EXCITEMENT. Billiard Hall Refitted New Billiard Tables Exhibition Twice a Week

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CHILDREN'S GARRIAGES In great variety, and remarkably cheap at MRS. HUNTER'S.

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The first tenets of Wines, Liquors, Ales and Cigars always on hand. LUNCH between the hours of twelve noon and three p. m. DENIS BUNYAN, Guelph, 7th June. dt

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Special Rates for Dwellings and contents of terms of one to three years. E. MORRIS, Agent Guelph, December 21. dt

Evening Mercury. SATURDAY EV'NG, JUNE 12, 1869.

The World Over. The pertinent reply of a colored lad to a white boy, who asked him what he had such a short nose for, was, "I expect so it won't poke itself into other people's business."

The suit of Jackson vs. Hyde, for malpractice, is to come up again. The plaintiff has applied for a new trial which the Judges have granted. Each party has to foot their own bill of costs so far.

Berlin is going to build a Market House. Mr. Shantz is to undertake the work, for the completion of which he will be paid \$3,818.17. Mr. Shantz has made a nice calculation as the Westminster Almanac did one time, when it gave an odd 19 in an estimate of the population of Asia.

Wm. Conquest, the young man who suffered amputation of one of his legs, in consequence of its being run over by a train at Stratford, a few days ago has died. Investigation by a coroner brought out the fact that he had been drinking pretty freely for some time previous, and that the accident occurred in consequence of his being partially intoxicated at the time.

A fish-peddler, of Berlin, named Schuster, received such a severe kicking from an ostler named McLean, employed by Mr. Ellis, of Elmira, at the last fair in that village, that it was believed at first he was killed. He remained insensible for two hours. A doctor was called under whose treatment the man revived. The payment of the bill, and a donative of \$5 to the injured man get McLean clear of the scrape.

THE QUEEN'S PLATE.—The race for the Queen's Plate came off over the Newmarket Course, at London, Ontario, on Wednesday. Four horses started; "Bay Jack," "Kate Allan," "Biberly" and "Jack on the Green." The first mentioned horse was the favorite, and public expectation was not disappointed, for he won by five lengths. Kate Allan was second; the others a considerable space behind. Distance, 2 miles; time, 3:30.

During the cross examination of a witness he was asked where his father was. To which question, with a melancholy air, he responded "Dead, sir—dropped off very suddenly, sir." "How come he to drop off suddenly?" was the next question. "Foul play, sir—the sheriff imposed on his unsuspecting nature, and getting him to go on a platform to look at a select audience, suddenly he knocked a small trap-door out from under him, and in falling got entangled in a rope, from the effect of which he expired."

Last year 206,600 persons were employed in coal mining in England and Wales, and 50,160 in Scotland. The quantity of coal raised in Great Britain was 104,996,959 tons. There were 300 separate fatal accidents, 1,011 lives lost, the proportion of persons employed for separate accidents being 403, and 343 employed to every life lost. Every 103,420 tons of coal raised appears to have cost a life. These operations were carried on in 3,303 collieries. There were also 63 lives lost in iron stone mines.

The Paris Patrie, in an article denouncing the French military system from the charges brought against it by various journals, says it has been maintained that Prussia could muster a force of 900,000 men, and that France is far from being able to do the same. "This," adds the paper quoted, "is a complete error. Circumstances at this moment are all peculiar, but were this state of things to be modified, we could muster a force far superior to that of Prussia, and take the field with a rapidity of movement which would astonish the whole world."

CATARH.—If your head, nose and throat are filled with a burdensome mass of mucus, either dry or moist, thin or thick, white or yellow, and your eyes swollen and heavy, your head feeling unusually large, with a constant dull heavy pain all through it, resulting from Catarrh, use Dr. J. Briggs' Alleviator. The mucus will be immediately discharged from the head, nose and throat, the eyes brighten, and sparkle with delight; the head feels natural age-in, all pain has fled, and life once more desirable. Sold by druggists and country merchants generally. Dr. J. Briggs & Co., proprietors, 202 Broadway, N. Y., and No. 6 King Street, West, Toronto. Sold by E. Harvey & Co., Guelph.

STATES OF MINISTERS.—The Wesleyan Conference has appointed the following ministers to the various stations named in the Guelph District:—Guelph—Wm S Griffin, W W Clark, super'd. Fergus—Wm J. Briggs, M A Thomas Jackson, Rockwood—George H Cornish, Elora—N F English, Jas Pearen, Fergus—Robert Brewster, Peel—Isaac Coe, John Scott, B A. Braton—M Swan, E Chown, B A. Galt—Thomas Brock, Washington—William Ames (Plattsburgh), Thomas M Campbell, Berlin—Thomas A Ferguson, J. Tovel, Preston, (German Mt)—Charles Allum, Heidelberg (G. Mission)—John Schesser (Grey), St Jacobs (G. Mission)—William Andre, Listowel—Wm W Shepherd, Wm W Edwards, John Armstrong, superintend. Trevinot—C H W Allen, Millbank—John Hough, Thomas Jackson, Arthur—Aaron D Miller, Mount Forest—Stephen Bond, Wand. Wellesey—Thos Feather.

CHAFFING MATCH BETWEEN WELLINGTON AND BROOKHAM.—One day, when his Lordship had driven to the house in the vehicle of his own invention, which Robinson the coachmaker, had christened after him, he was met in the robing room by the Duke of Wellington, who, after a low bow, accosted him, "I have always under the delusion that your Grace would be remembered as the hero of a hundred battles, the liberator of Europe the conqueror of Napoleon; but no—your Grace will be known as the inventor of a pair of boots." "Confound the boots! I had forgotten them. You have the best of it."

Canada Presbyterian Church Synod. THE GALT REVIVAL CASE. JUNE 10th.

When the Synod met at 3 o'clock, the consideration of the dissent and appeal against the finding of the Presbytery of Guelph in reference to the revival in Galt was taken up. The following are the reasons for the dissent, and the names of the dissenters: We dissent and complain to the Synod against the finding of the Presbytery on the following grounds: "We regard conscientiously that our subordinate standards teach, and the safety of our principles require, that those who preach to our congregations should be accredited and authorized to do so by the Church, and be responsible to her constituted authorities; of the violation of which principle, in our bounds, the Presbytery take no notice."

W. T. MURDOCH, R. TORRANCE, W. BARRIE, M. MCKENZIE, ADAM KERR, T. MCCRAE, JOHN MCCORKINDALE.

Rev. Mr. Murdoch, of Galt, was the first appellant called on in support of the appeal, and made a long and able speech which occupied over an hour. After apologizing for being put forward as the leader of the dissenters, being the youngest of them, he combated the statement made more than once that the position that he, and those who held the same views on the subject now under consideration, had taken was antagonistic to the interests of religion. He wished it to be distinctly understood by every one present that they strongly repudiated such an imputation; on the contrary they were as deeply solicitous for the revival of true religion among their people as any member present. He then dwelt at great length on the subject of lay preaching. He took strong ground in regard to the question, "By whom is the Word of God to be preached?" and wholly concurred in the answer given to it—after question 153 of the Larger Catechism, viz: The Word of God is to be preached only by such as are sufficiently gifted and also duly approved and called to that office. He himself had been among the first to admit non-ordinating persons to his pulpit; he had discovered that the person was not a safe teacher, and receded from the position at once. He claimed that the Presbytery of Guelph had done a grave wrong in denominating the religious movement in Galt, a "gracious work." Persons engaged in this revival had boldly declared that being "duly called" meant called and approved of by the Synod, and every sign which the state of the human heart could be known, he knew the revival to be the work of God and the most glorious dispensation of His power ever witnessed on this continent.

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what it is called an irregularity. He urged the necessity of great caution in judicial proceedings in considering a work because there are some things in it we cannot quite approve. If the Presbytery had endorsed strongly the views, they might then have pointed out the objectionable features. In all the records of great religious movements there were things that it was difficult entirely to concur in. He maintained that neither Scripture nor the Standards of the Church were opposed to the work objected to by the appellants. He subscribed to the doctrine that none were to preach but those who were sufficiently gifted and duly called, but felt that such a call need not necessarily be through a presbytery or other ecclesiastical authority. He argued that there were since the apostolic times many instances of men whose work, as in the present case, had been singularly blessed. He quoted largely from the works of John Owen in support of his position. He referred also to the movement that had taken place in Scotland at the close of the last century in which the brothers Haldane, Rowland Hill, and others took such a prominent part. He concluded by asking the Synod to refrain from condemning this movement. He gave the Synod the word of men devotedly attached to the standards of the Church, that no unsound doctrine would be preached in their Churches, but they claimed the liberty to use the services of men whose gifts would benefit their people, and were willing to be responsible for the utterances of such men.

Mr. McKenzie, in reference to some remarks of Mr. Middlemiss said that their objection was not to lay preaching, but to lay preaching over which they had no control.

Rev. Mr. Ball was the last to speak in support of the Presbytery. He also went fully into the history of the revival movement in Galt. He referred to the fact that Mr. Murdoch was the first minister in Galt to invite Mr. Russell to his pulpit, and stated that three weeks after that Mr. Murdoch had invited him a second time into his pulpit. (Mr. Murdoch denied this.) He referred to the careful supervision maintained over this work by Mr. Smith, to whom sufficient credit had not been given for the share he took in the work. He referred also to the large number of ministers, about 50, who had visited Galt, and whose testimony were all in favour of the genuineness of the work. He spoke feelingly of its fruits in the change which had been wrought in the hearts of many, and in the love and unity which characterized the work. Instead of craving from the Synod toleration, he thought Mr. Smith deserved the thanks of the Synod, and they who endorsed Mr. Smith also deserved the thanks of the Synod. By every sign which the state of the human heart could be known, he knew the revival to be the work of God and the most glorious dispensation of His power ever witnessed on this continent.

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McPherson and Irvine took part in the discussion. The Synod adjourned at six o'clock. (Special Telegraph to the Mercury.) HAMILTON, June 11.

The Synod met again at half-past seven o'clock, when the discussion on the Galt case was resumed.

Rev. Prof. Young, seconded by Rev. Mr. Ure, moved another resolution: That the Synod dismiss the dissent and complaint, and while ready to acknowledge with thankfulness to God indications of spiritual good in any of the congregations of the Church, through whatever instrumentality it may have been produced, think it not unreasonable, without casting the least reflection on the course which has been pursued by members of the Presbytery at Guelph, to call the attention of ministers and sessions to the great importance of exercising due caution in regard to the qualifications of any labourers not formally recognized by the Church, but of those whose occasional cooperation in public religious services they may desire to avail themselves.

After further debate this motion was carried by a very large majority over the three others proposed.

There is a temperance society in Iowa whose members only pledge themselves not to "treat" nor be treated. They may go it "alone" as much as they please.

BY TELEGRAPH BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

Despatches to the Evening Mercury GREAT BRITAIN.

LONDON, June 11.—The agitation in Paris last night continued till after midnight. Troops occupied Montmartre and the vicinity, and the cavalry paraded through the streets all night. Shortly after midnight a crowd of people in one of the streets of Montmartre broke thro' a line of police and formed a barricade, but they were dispersed and pursued in all directions by the troops. Many windows were broken and other damage done to property in that quarter of the city. The cavalry charged on the crowd in the streets several times, and many citizens were wounded, but no one was killed. The police have been very active, and it is reported to-day that they made nearly 600 arrests since midnight. Further disturbances are apprehended, and extraordinary precautions have been taken by the Government to prevent them. The Patrie and other Paris journals give returns showing the election of 199 official and 93 opposition candidates. The editors of the Revue have been arrested on a charge of conspiracy.

In the House of Lords this evening, Lord Bateman asked for the intention of the Government in respect to the Irish Church Bill. Earl Cairn said Lord Cairns opposed the question as unnecessary and inexpedient at the present time. Earl Granville, Secretary of State for the Colonial department, said, in reference to outside rumours, that the Government had no intention to depart from their course, that was due to the House of Commons.

FROM FRANCE. PARIS, June 11th.—Gen. Cluseret has been expected from France. Great crowds of people still continue in the streets of Montmartre, and other quarters here, and agitation and excitement still continues unabated. The Emperor and Empress, however, passed through the streets this evening in an open carriage, with only the usual number of attendants.

FROM SPAIN. MADRID, June 11th.—The Cortez is discussing the proposition for the establishment of a Regency, and the Republicans have offered many amendments limiting the powers of the Regent.

CORDOVA, Spain, July 11th.—A great meeting of Republicans was held here to-day for the purpose of protesting against a return to a monarchy. Deputies were present from every Spanish province. Speeches of a revolutionary character were made. During the proceedings the Spanish flag was entwined in that of the United States, and the assemblage shouted for America and for General Grant. About 50,000 persons were present. While the meeting was in session the military and civil authorities interfered, creating a panic. Many women and children were trampled down and several lives were lost. The crowd then barricaded the streets, and there is danger of a serious affray.

FROM NEW YORK. NEW YORK, June 13th.—The Tribune's Washington special says it is rumored in diplomatic circles here that Mr. Thornton will ultimately be superseded by an English diplomatic representative of the highest Ambassador rank, and the retiring Minister will be sent to Madrid. This proceeding, it is presumed, will relieve the administrations of both governments from the annoyance of a failure to confirm and ensure a settlement of the Alabama claims acceptable to the Senate.

Wesleyan Conference. TORONTO, June 10. The Conference was constituted by

required the undivided energies of an active agent. Various votes of thanks were passed to parties to whom the Conference considered it was under obligation, and the proceedings closed.

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SATURDAY EVENING, JUNE 12, 1869.

#### University Convocation.

The annual convocation of the University of Toronto took place on Thursday afternoon. Among the eminent scholars present on the occasion was Prof. Goldwin Smith. The degrees having been conferred the medals were next presented. The gold medal in the Faculty of Law was taken by Mr. J. M. Gibson; in medicine by Mr. J. E. Graham, who also took the Starr medal, and in classics Mr. T. Langton. Silver medals were presented to Messrs. R. E. Kingsford, G. Burnfield and G. H. Robinson. The Gold Medalist in Mathematics was Mr. A. Baker, the Silver Medalist, Mr. M. Cumming. No one had attained a high enough standard in Modern Languages to be considered worthy of a medal. Prof. Croft presented the Medalists in Natural Sciences. These were: Gold Medalist, Mr. C. R. W. Elzgar; Silver Medalists, Messrs. J. H. Hughes, D. F. H. Wilkins, H. H. Ross and W. R. Mason. In Metaphysics and Ethics, Mr. W. Cumming got the gold medal, and Messrs. J. Springer and R. M. Thornton silver medals. Mr. M. Cumming a young man from Georgia took the Prince of Wales prize for general proficiency. The Chancellor and Prof. Smith addressed the Convocation, after which the proceedings closed. In the evening the Annual Dinner of the University Association took place. When the edibles had been partaken of, and the usual loyal toasts honored, the Chairman proposed the University, College and kindred institutions. The Chancellor, Judge Morrison, and Rev. Mr. McCaul responded, and then Prof. Goldwin Smith came to his feet. He made a speech that the Americans will probably not relish. He responded for two institutions, for Oxford and Cornell the latter of which was rude and unfinished; but the American Eagle had a habit of boasting about its institutions before they were quite fixed up. After showing the points of difference and of resemblance between the education at Cornell and the Toronto University he went on to say: "He was indebted in every way to the Anglo-Saxon and on this account he trusted to further the interests of Cornell. But the other day he thought this position somewhat precarious. He was afraid he would have to cross the lines and take refuge in Canada. But he was glad that thunderstorm was passing rapidly away without doing any harm, except, perhaps, scolding a little. Sumner had quoted his (the Professor's) remarks to substantiate his denunciations of England; but he also took up the cause of England, stated her case, and for this had received a pretty full amount of abuse, and especially from the press; but as he was under the safe protection of the British flag, he might say that the American press is not universally celebrated for its intelligence; and one of the papers which had been very fierce in its denunciation of him, had the day before a brilliant article bearing on the hat and boots of a rival editor. He sincerely hoped the storm would blow over, and the more he saw of the American people the more he was convinced of their readiness to meet every other people in a fair and honorable spirit. All he feared was the extreme virtue of some of the politicians. It was possible that they might do something too disinterested and sublime. He was afraid of this for hasty progress in that direction would lead to consequences. (Laughter.) We—the English—were ready to repair any wrong we might have committed—and if we had done any injury to any other people let that people come in a proper spirit and we would at once acknowledge it—we are ready to do that, but are not by any means ready to allow any one to have the honour of trampling our flag under foot. (Loud and prolonged cheers.)"

**THE MILKY WAY.**—The milky way forms the greatest feature of the firmament. It completely encircles the whole fabric of the skies, and sends its light down upon us, according to the best observations, from no less than 18,000,000 of suns. These are planted at various distances, too remote to be seen, than feebly understood; but their light, the medium of measurement, requires for its transit to our earth pericls ranging from ten to a thousand years. Such is the sum of the truths revealed to us by the two Herschels, who with a zeal which no obstacle could daunt, have explored every part of the prodigious circle. Sir William Herschel, after accomplishing his famous section, believed that he had gauged the milky way to its lowest depth, affirming that he could follow a cluster of stars with his telescope, constructed expressly for the investigation, as far back as would require 330,000 years for the transmission of its light. But, presumptuous as it may seem, we must be permitted to doubt this assertion, as the same telescope in the same master-hand was not sufficiently powerful to resolve even the nebula in Orion. Nor must we forget that light, our own clue to those unsearchable regions, expands and decomposes in its progress; and coming from a point so remote, its radiant waves would be dispersed in space. Thus the reflection is forced upon us, that new clusters and systems, whose beaming light will never reach our earth still throng beyond; and that, though it is permitted to man to behold the immensity, he shall never see the bounds of the creation.

**THE ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS** is for sale at Thornton's. The number is of date, May 29th. It contains a number of fine cuts, and among them is a splendid likeness of Mr. Motley, the minister of the United States to England. The leading article is on the subject which has lately been engrossing so much attention, namely, the relations of the States and England. The correspondence is well written and interesting. It is accompanied by a supplement, entitled "the Noon-day Rest," which is worth the price of the paper.

**SHANTIES ON THE STREETS.**—Half a dozen Irishmen who have shanties built upon the streets in various parts of the Town, appeared before His Honor, Judge Macdonald, on Friday to answer to a charge of obstructing the highway. All pleaded guilty except Maurice Trehan, who did not know whether he was guilty or not. Each entered into his own recognizance in \$50 to appear in December, when judgment will be delivered. It is expected they will all have encamped elsewhere before that time. Mr. Peterson prosecutes.

### TOWN AND COUNTY NEWS.

Gold at noon to-day 1869.

**CHALMERS CHURCH.**—As will be seen by advt. the Rev. Professor McVicar, of Montreal, will preach in the Court House to-morrow, morning and evening.

The first and second nines of the Maple Leaf B. C. Club had a match yesterday, the first giving the second two innings to one of theirs and beating them two runs. The scores were 40 and 38.

It is understood that the new suspension bridge at the Falls is to be widened, so as to allow double teams to pass each other. The bridge is found to be a paying concern.

The trial of James Hamilton, and McDermott, for robbing the Rev. Mr. Renwick's house, Elms, of \$300, has been postponed until the assizes.

Another disastrous colliery explosion took place in Wales on the 10th inst. Two miners escaped from the pit, and 120 were killed. Later news state that 56 bodies have been recovered, and the total number killed about 78.

A horse attached to a buggy created a little excitement this morning in consequence of its beginning to kick when opposite Day's bookstore, and keeping up the operation, regardless of the efforts of the driver, until some one caught it at the corner. Disarrangement of the harness was the cause.

A ratepayer of Elora writes to the Observer recommending that the village provide accommodation in the shape of a lock-up for the navvies that will be employed in the construction of the railroad. A lock-up is always a mark of progress, and Elora is progressing.

**BARN BURNED.**—The barn and shed of Mr. W. Elliott, near the 14th con. Maryboro', was burned to the ground on Sunday night. He is the man who was lately sent to gaol by his son. There is not the least doubt on the minds of any but that the fire was the work of some vile incendiary; no insurance. His fences were set fire to and burnt some time ago.

### HOTEL ARRIVALS

**COULSON HOUSE,**

GUELPH, June 12, 1869. The following are the arrivals at the Coulson House up to 10:30 this morning: J. Donaldson, Toronto; J. D. Dunbar, Mt. Forest; W. Trussell, Hamilton; W. Hawthorn, Port Hope; J. Walk, Durham; J. Y. Bowber, Brantford; J. A. Frazer, Milton; J. Hooper, Kingston; C. Pollard, Lynn, Mass; Dr. Orton and wife, Fergus; Mrs. McEdward, Neustadt; Miss McLean, Neustadt; H. A. Field, Montreal; R. Muckleton, Toronto; G. T. Werner, Listowel; T. Walsh, Toronto; Mitchell, Hamilton; Mrs. David Findlay, Chatham; T. Denna, New York; Jas. Schoemaker, New York.

### MARRIAGES.

**McLEAN-BERFORD.**—At St. James' Church, Perth, on the 9th inst., by the Rev. F. L. Stephenson, B.A., incumbent of Newboro, brother-in-law of the bride, assisted by the Rev. R. L. Stephenson, Rector of Perth, Neil McLean, of the Bank of Montreal, Guelph, youngest son of the late Hon. Archibald McLean, to Emily, daughter of W. R. F. Berford, Esq., Clerk of the Peace, Perth.

**CURTLEY.**—By the Rev. W. Warner Clark, on the 11th inst., at the Wellington Hotel, Guelph, Robert Curless, of Danville, to Mary Gartley, of West Flamboro.

### New Advertisements.

**FIRST-CLASS STORE TO LET.**  
Store to let on Wyndham Street, Guelph, Central position. Apply to Guelph, June 12. dtf GEO. ELLIOTT.

**SERVANT WANTED.**  
A servant wanted. Apply at this office. Guelph, 20th May. dtf

**WAGGON FOR SALE.**  
A fine Democrat Waggon (nearly new), for sale. Apply at CUTHBERT'S. Guelph 11th May. dtf

**KEYS AND DIARY LOST.**  
Lost in the beginning of last week, a bunch of small keys and a pocket diary. The finder on returning it to this office will be suitably rewarded. Guelph, 10th June. dtf

**FACTORY FOR SALE OR LEASE.**  
A good Factory for sale or to let. Apply to S. BOULT, Quebec-st., Guelph. Guelph, November 19, 1868. dtw 11

**CHALMERS' CHURCH.**  
The Rev. Professor McVicar, of Montreal, will preach in the Court House to-morrow, morning and evening. Service at 11 a. m. and 6 p. m. Guelph, 12th June. dtf

**SPEED LODGE NO. 180.**—An Emergency Meeting of the above Lodge will be held in the Masonic Hall, on Wednesday evening, June 16, at half past 7, when a full meeting is requested. By order. R. CUTHBERT, Secretary. Guelph, 12th June. dtf

**STONE HOUSE TO LET.**  
To let, a two-story stone house on Dublin-st., with stable and three-quarters of an acre of land, lately occupied by Joseph Holton, Esq. Immediate possession given. DAVIDSON & CHADWICK, Land Agents, Town Hall Buildings. Guelph, 12th June. dtf

**ST. PATRICK'S SOCIETY.**  
A Special Meeting of the above Society will be held in Mr. Casey's Hotel, On Monday Ev'g, 14th Inst. at eight o'clock. D. NUNAN, Sec. Guelph, 12th June. dtf

**ROSSINI'S SUBLIME MASS,**

"MESSE SOLENNELLE."

Just published. The only complete and authorized American edition. The only edition containing English words in addition to the Latin. Arranged with full piano accompaniment, to which is added on each page, a score for Cabinet Organ or Harmonium, a combination producing a fine orchestral effect. The "Messe Solennelle" is now being performed in the principal cities of Europe, to the universal admiration of the musical world, who have been anxiously awaiting its publication. Price in paper, \$1.60; boards, \$2; cloth, \$2.50. Sent post-paid on receipt of price. The price of the foreign copy is more than double this edition, and contains only the Latin words. O. Dixon & Co., 277 Washington Street Boston. C. H. Pison & Co., 711 Broadway, New York.

**WALTON'S PATENT SCRUBBING MACHINE.**

Agents wanted to sell Walton's Patent Scrubbing Machine for the County of Wellington. For particulars enquire at the Wellington Hotel until Tuesday. WATSON WALTON, Patentee. Guelph, 10th June. dtf

### SALE OF BANKRUPT STOCK OF

**JOHN BOWES**

Of the VILLAGE OF ELORA, and County of Wellington.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned, as assignee of John Bowes, of the Village of Elora, up to WEDNESDAY the 10th instant, for the following Stock, viz:

**DRY GOODS, GROCERIES**

CROCKERY AND HARDWARE,

at so much in the dollar; the inventory thereof to be inspected at the office of the undersigned, at the Court House, Town of Guelph, up to the day of tender. THOMAS SAUNDERS, Assignee. Guelph, 12th June, 1869. dtf

### PIANOS.

The undersigned having been appointed agents in Guelph for three prominent manufacturers, and having selected therefrom several choice Pianos, at various prices,

From \$250 and Upwards!

which we have now in stock. We would invite intending purchasers to call at our Ware-rooms, EAST MARKET SQUARE, and examine quality of tone, as well as terms and prices. A written guarantee given for five years.

### CABINET ORGANS.

We would also invite lovers of music to test our own make of Cabinet Organs with Vox Humana or Fan Tremolo. We are constantly manufacturing these superior instruments, as the demand for them is very cheering.

Remember the Ware-rooms, East Market Square—sign of the Mammoth Melodeon. Guelph, 12th June. McLEOD, WOOD & CO. dtw

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### NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

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The undersigned are prepared to receive proposals for the execution of any portion of the works, including Station Buildings, &c., required in the construction of the Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railway between Guelph and Fergus, at their office at Elora, where plans, profiles and specifications can be seen, and all information obtained.

ROBERTSON & WORTHINGTON, Elora, June 1. dtw-3v Contractors.

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### PRINTS, PRINTS!

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Another lot of DRESS GOODS just arrived. Call early if you wish to secure one, as the rush still continues. Every lady ought to call and examine this Department, as we are determined to keep up its well known reputation.

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In the Millinery Department we are acknowledged to have no rivals. We keep double the stock of any other House in Guelph, and offer the Cheapest Goods in the Dominion.

LADIES will find it to their advantage to call early and see the CHEAPEST GOODS being offered for this month.

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Wyndham Street, Guelph, June 10. dtw BRADFORD HOUSE.

### DRY GOODS!

**WILLIAM STEWART,**

HAS much pleasure in submitting the following Lines of Dry Goods to the public, purchased under most favorable terms, caused by the crisis produced by the action of the Government on the Banking Scheme, feeling confident that they will be found on inspection the Cheapest and Best of Dry Goods ever offered in this town.

**DRESS GOODS.**

A lot of Dress Goods from 10 to 20c, really cheap at double the money. A lot of Choice new Patterns from 20c to 30c, the best Goods produced, fully 25 per cent under ordinary prices. A lot of DRESS PIECES, stylish Goods, from \$1 and upwards, fully 33 per cent lower than usually sold.

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A lot of LADIES' JACKETS to be given away at panic prices in CLOTHS, VELVETS, MELTONS, SILKS, &c., commencing at \$1

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Special attention to a lot of COTTON HOSE, in white and colored, from 5c a pair, and upwards. A lot of MEN'S COTTON HALF HOSE from 10c. An early call is necessary, as these lots cannot be replaced at above quotations.

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Lace and Leno Curtains. The big lot sold this Spring a sure indication of cheapness—a lot still on hand from \$1 a set. Twilled SHIRTING from 2 to 2 1/2 yds wide, all qualities, splendid value.—Twilled C. v. v. Quilts, white and colored. Damasks in Wool and Unions

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A small lot of Double Damask Table Linens and Cloths, slightly soiled, fully 20 per cent under ordinary prices.—This lot deserves special attention. A lot of GAMBEROONS and KENTUCKY JEANS for boys' use, cheap.

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POETRY.

The Two Armies.

As life's unending column pours,  
Two marshalled hosts are seen,  
The armies on the trampled shores  
That death flows black between.

One marches to the drum beat's roll,  
The wide-mouthed clarion's bray,  
And bears upon a crimson scroll,  
"Our glory is to stay."

One moves in silence by the stream,  
With sad, yet watchful eyes,  
Chin as the past and present gleam  
That walks the clouded skies.

Along its line no sabres shine,  
No bicolor pennons wave;  
Its banners bear the single line,  
"Our duty is to save."

For those no death-bod's lingering shades;  
At honor's trumpet call  
With knitted brow and lifted blade  
In glory's arms they fall.

For these no clashing falchions bright,  
No stirring battle cry;  
The bloodless stabber calls by night,  
"Each answers, "Here am I!"

For these the sculptor's laureled bust  
The builder's marble piles  
The anthem's pealing o'er their dust  
Through long cathedral aisles.

For these the bosom-sprinkled turf  
That floes the lonely graves,  
When Spring rolls in her sea-green surf  
In flowery, foaming waves.

Two paths lead upward from below,  
And angels wait above,  
Who count each burning life-pop's woe,  
Each falling tear of Love.

Though from the Hero's bleeding breast,  
Her pulses Freedom drew,  
Though the white lilies in her crest  
Sprang from that scarlet dew.

While Valor's haughty champions wait  
Till all their scars are shown,  
Love walks unchallenged through the gate,  
To sit beside the Throne!

Jeannie Sinclair,

OR,  
THE LILY OF THE STRATH.

CHAPTER XXXII.  
THE STORM—THE PHANTOM SHIP—AN AGONISING  
CATASTROPHE.

The Petrel was a merchant vessel, bound to Liverpool with cotton. She was in no sense a passenger ship, but Captain Mungell, her commander, was overcome by the urgency of William Denman—who represented that it was of the very utmost importance that he and his companions should be in Scotland at the earliest possible moment, and that the Petrel was only vessel which was to sail immediately—to consent to receive the three friends on board, and convey them, if the chance of the voyage so settled it, to the English port to which he was going. He warned them not to expect super accommodation. A snugness approaching to comfort he would promise them in the spare cabin next his own, but life on board the Petrel was not to be thought of as luxurious, or even very refined, for, excepting himself and the chief officer, Mr. Smith, the crew was composed of common men—therefore nothing in the way of society was to be looked for.

William and his companions gladly accepted all the conditions annexed. Indeed they were quite ready to put up with a great deal more inconvenience and discomfort than they were likely to endure in order to get quickly to Scotland. And in point of fact their position and condition on board the Petrel was Paradise and luxury itself compared with the hardships they had borne for so many months—exposed to cold and heat, hunger and thirst, deprived of the comforts and enjoyments of domestic life, and taxed daily with the severest toil. They were just in the mood for estimating even the plain accommodation afforded by the Petrel at a high value, and to prize it as something exceedingly sweet and enjoyable.

Their prospects, too, made their external circumstances extremely agreeable: Things were going all right with them now. The fullest success was theirs, and the highest hope. The course of their true love was promising to run smooth at last. Bright experience and exquisite happiness were before them, and in the contemplation of the future they felt not the wants of the present.

Each one of the three had reason for gladness of soul, because each had the prospect of happiness before him. First of all, Watty had reason for perfect satisfaction and contentment. He had fulfilled his mission to the letter. He had been in a most material and essential way the helper and protector of the two youths. He had rendered them all manner of service, and had saved them from death in a double sense, by averting it when it threatened and extricating them when they became involved in it—He was able to render to Maggie a great account of his stewardship, and he counted securely on receiving herself as his reward—herself—the girl he loved so truly, whose image he had cherished night and day since he parted from her. In circumstances like these, who had a right to be happier than Watty? All that troubled him now was the length of the voyage. He wished that he had the wings of a strong bird, that he might fly swiftly across the Atlantic to the shores of Scotland, and straight through the air to the sequestered Strath, to be with Maggie at once. This was his wish; but as he knew it was impossible to realize it, he made up his mind to endure as patiently as he might the several weeks' voyage which must intervene, knowing that every day that passed made the time shorter, and brought the hour of arrival nearer.

Robert Douglas had no less reason to be happy and hopeful than Watty. His mission too was accomplished, and the dreadful issues involved in its failure avoided. He brought with him the ransom of Cloverlea, a treasure in itself, but chiefly valuable in his eyes from the relation which it bore to the acquisition of the true treasure of his heart. Having won back Cloverlea, he had secured his darling Helen. He could claim her now without forfeiting honour and self respect. Love and honour were united, and there was every prospect that their lives would be crowned with joy. There opened to his view a wide and a bright kingdom of earthly enjoyment; but Robert could not forget through what tribulations he had yet to come to reach it. Dangers of various kinds had menaced him, and the last and greatest of all was that which had been gone through on the journey from the diggings to San Francisco. For a time, in the ravine, their all seemed lost, and he had given himself up to bitter rage and despair; but unexpected help had come, deliverance was effected, and success finally achieved. A propitious voyage was now all that lay between him and the consummation of his hopes—at least he fondly imagined so. In the buoyancy of his glad-some heart he anticipated no other misadventure. In the security of his hope he took no account of the possible dangers of the deep, but counted only the days and nights which must pass ere the Petrel, with a fair wind, could enter the desired haven. And yet it would be wrong to say that he had not calculated in some degree the possibility of mishap, for, on William's representation, he had been advised to pay into a bank in San Francisco the money received for the nugget and gold dust, and get for it a cheque on the bank at Shawhead, thus avoiding the risk involved in carrying a large sum of money on his person, and securing the cash against accident. And to make the matter still more sure, he had got from the Californian banker a duplicate check, which he had put into the post office addressed to Mr. Munro, so that should the cheque he himself carried be lost, the money would still be payable at Shawhead.

TO BE CONTINUED.

The crops throughout Mornington, Co. of Perth, present indications of a bountiful harvest. Since spring fairly set in, vegetation has been rapid. Fall wheat, in particular, looks well. The regret is that so comparatively little has been sown. There has, however, been large sowings made this spring.

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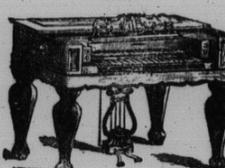
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Guelph Melodeon Co'y.



Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

The Co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name of BELL, WOOD & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

WM. BELL  
R. B. WOOD  
JOHN REDD, } Witnesses.  
ROBERT BELL  
ROBERT MCLEOD.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

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Fresh Tomatoes, Green Peas and Corn

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**COMMERCIAL.**  
Guelph Markets.

MERCURY OFFICE, GUELPH, June 12, 1869.

Flour #100 lbs	.....	\$ 2 00	@	\$ 2 25
Fall Wheat, # bush	.....	0 88	@	0 90
Spring Wheat # bush	.....	0 82	@	0 84
Oats # bush	.....	0 51	@	0 52
Peas do	.....	0 65	@	0 70
Barley do	.....	0 70	@	0 80
Hay # ton	.....	15 00	@	15 00
Straw	.....	3 00	@	4 00
Shingles, # quar	.....	1 00	@	1 50
Wood, # cord	.....	3 00	@	3 50
Wool	.....	0 31	@	0 32
Eggs, # dozen	.....	0 10	@	0 10
Butter, (store packed) # lb	.....	0 13	@	0 13
do (dairy packed) # lb	.....	0 13	@	0 14
Geese, each	.....	0 35	@	0 40
Turkeys each	.....	0 60	@	1 20
Chickens, # pair	.....	0 25	@	0 30
Ducks, do	.....	0 40	@	0 50
Potatoes per bag	.....	0 60	@	0 70
Apples, # bag	.....	1 00	@	1 25
Lamb # lb	.....	0 04	@	0 5
Beef	.....	0 05	@	0 12
Beef # lb	.....	0 05	@	0 12
Pork, # 100 lbs.	.....	7 00	@	9 00
Sham Pails each	.....	0 50	@	1 25
Lambkins	.....	0 50	@	0 60
Hides	.....	4 50	@	5 00

**MONTREAL MARKET.**  
Kirkwood, Livingstone & Co.'s report by spec Telegram to 'Evening Mercury.'

MONTREAL, June 12, 1869.  
Flour—Extra, \$4 20 to \$4 55; Fancy, \$4 35 to \$4 40; Welland Canal superior, \$4 35 to \$4 38; Superior No. 1 Canada wheat, \$4 25 to \$4 45; Superior No. 1 Western wheat, \$4 25 to \$4 35; No. 2 do., \$3 90 to \$4 20; Barley, \$2 00 to \$2 12; Wheat—Canada Fall, \$1 03 to \$1 04; Spring, \$1 00 to \$1 01; Western, \$0 93 to \$0 97; Oats, per 22 lbs, \$0 42; Beans, per 40 lbs, \$0 70 to \$0 75; Butter—dairy, 14c to 15c; store packed 13c to 14c; Ashes—Pots \$5 55 to \$5 60; Peas \$5 55 to \$5 60; Pork—Mess, \$20 00 to \$20 50; Prime, \$19 50 to \$20 00; Peas, 75c to 76c.

Flour—Market very dull and prices a shade easier; no transactions of importance to report; wheat—the several descriptions may be considered nominal at about one dollar, at which recent sales of carloads have been made; peas—nominal at \$2 1/2 to \$2 3/4 per 60 lbs; oats—firmer, none of consequence changing hands; pork—unchanged; butter—unsaleable, except at about 13c to 14c for ordinary to choice; ashes—unchanged.

**TORONTO MARKETS.**  
Toronto, June 11.  
Fall wheat, \$0 94 to \$0 95; spring wheat \$0 92 to \$0 92; flour, No. 1 super \$4 00, extra \$4 40; barley \$2 50; peas, 75c to 78c; oats, 50c to 50c.

**HAMILTON MARKETS.**  
Hamilton, June 11.  
Barley, 0 75 to 0 75; peas, 0 60 to 0 70; oats, 54c to 55c; spring wheat, 0 90 to 0 92; white wheat, 1 00 to 1 03; red winter, 0 90 to 0 92.

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**BACHELOR'S HAIR DYE.**  
This splendid Hair Dye is the best in the world. The only true and perfect Dye—Harmless, Reliable, Instantaneous. No disappointment. No ridiculous tints. Removes the effects of bald dyes, invigorates and leaves the hair soft and beautiful brown or black. Sold by all Druggists and Perfumers, and properly applied at Hatchell & Wieg Factory No. 16, Bond St., N. Y. dlv

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June 2. dlv

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The necessity of a due proportion of iron in the blood is well known to all medical men; when it becomes reduced from any cause whatever, the whole system suffers, the weakest point being first attacked, and a feeling of languor, lassitude and "all gone" pervades the system. Stimulants only afford temporary relief, and have the same effect as giving a tired horse the whip instead of oats. The true remedy is to supply the blood with the necessary quantity of iron. This can be done by using the

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To take medicine to cure diseases occasioned by a deficiency of iron in the blood, without restoring to the system, is like trying to repair a building when the foundation is gone.

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Guelph, 4th May. dlv

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Guelph, 4th May. dlv

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LONG RED, very large Solid variety suitable for deep soils.  
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Guelph, 29th April, 1869. dw

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Lot 27, in the 10th Concession, 200 acres  
Lots 17, 18 and 19, 8th Con., 600 acres

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South-half of Lot 15, 3rd Con., 100 acres, 60 of which are in a high state of cultivation, and well fenced, watered by a creek crossing the centre of the farm; a two-story house and good barn on the lot.

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Part of West-half of Lot 8, in the 3rd Con., four acres with a good stone house and log stable.  
Part of 5, in 1st Con., 80 acres, 70 cleared, good building

**ERIN.**  
West-half of Lot 8, in the 1st Con., 100 acres, 50 cleared, good frame barn and shed, and parting and frame dwelling house; well watered & fenced.  
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**ELORA.**  
Valuable Tavern Stand for sale in the Village of Elora, at present leased to Robert Cook being lots 4 and 5, corner of Victoria and Walnut Streets, with stabling for 40 horses.

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West-half of Lot 1, in 15th Con., with 50 acres of a splendid farm, with good outbuildings—100 acres of it are cleared, and adjoins another 100 acres, 85 of which are cleared, in Erin, making if desired a block of 250 acres.  
Lot 11, in 13th Con., 100 acres; 60 acres cleared, all dry land; farm buildings.

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Valuable Farm on the Eramosa Road, containing 80 acres, 65 cleared, well watered, an orchard, a two-story stone house, with cellar basement—frame barn, 50 x 30, and other outbuildings. Within a mile of the market house.

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Private Residence—Consisting of 24 acres, on which there is a two-story brick house, in thorough repair, stone and frame stabling, an excellent garden and orchard well stocked with choice fruit trees in full bearing, watered by spring creek.

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Lots 4, 15, 16, 22, 23, 25, 30, 31, 35, 36, 40, 41, 45, 50, 51, in Webster's Survey, lying between Strange street and the river Street, containing 100 acres, on the north side of Pearl Street, with a double frame house.  
Lot 155, corner of Gordon and Wellington-sts.  
Lots 1043 and 1044, Cambridge Street, on which is erected a frame plastered dwelling house.

**Four Quarry Lots,** lying Nos. 21, 22, 42 and 43 on the Waterloo Road.  
Two-story brick house on Queen Street, with stable and sheds, at present occupied by Mr. J. P. Martin.

**Park Lots in St. Andrew's Church Glebe** containing from 1/2 to 5 acres each.  
Nos. 23, 24, 25, 28, 29, 30, 37, 38 and 39, fronting on the Waterloo Road, and 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 40, 41, 42 and 43 in rear acre lots each, in one block.  
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These lots are admirably adapted for Market Gardens, and the terms of credit are extremely liberal.  
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North-half Lot 18, in the 4th Con., 100 acres  
South-half Lot 19, 4th " " 100 "  
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Lot 18, 5th " " 200 "  
Lot 23, 5th " " 200 "  
Lot 14, 11th " " 200 "  
Lot 15, 11th " " 200 "  
Lot 19, 11th " " 200 "  
Lot 16, 12th " " 174 "  
Lot 17, 12th " " 190 "  
Lot 19, 12th " " 200 "  
Lot 11, 13th " " 200 "  
Lot 19, 13th " " 200 "  
Lot 19, 13th " " 200 "  
Lot 4, 8th " " 200 "  
Lot 5, 9th " " 200 "  
N 1/2 Lot 15, 9th " " 100 "  
Lot 11, 12th " " 200 "

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Wanted, \$50,000 of County Debentures, small size—those having several years to run preferred.  
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IN WOOD AND BOTTLE, AT

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Guelph, April 23. dw

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