

ALBION HOTEL,
St. Paul's, Montreal.
MR. DECKER would say that having resumed the management of the ALBION HOTEL, he hopes by personal attention to merit a continuance of the patronage so liberally bestowed upon him during the last 12 years.
30th March, 1868; d L. W. DECKER.

HALIFAX HOTEL,
HOLDS EXETER, HALIFAX, N.S.
THIS Hotel is the largest and most commodious in the city of Halifax, and being centrally situated will be found most convenient for business men and tourists.
HENRY HESSLEIN, Proprietor
Halifax, 12th August.

DOMINION HOTEL,
GUELPH.
JOHN BRYAN begs to inform his friends and the public that he has leased the above Hotel, in the DRICK HOUSE, MACDONNELL-ST. a few doors above Higginbotham's Drug Store, and immediately opposite Messrs. Chapman's Solicitors. There is a good stable attached to the house, with good and commodious stabling. Every attention will be paid to customers, and to secure their comfort and convenience. The best of liquors and cigars always kept at the bar. Good accommodation for Boarders by the week at reasonable rates.
Guelph, July 13th. d w y

AMERICAN HOUSE,
BOSTON, MASS.
The largest first-class Hotel in New England, offers to Tourists, Families and the travelling public, accommodations and conveniences superior to any other hotel in the city. During the past season additions have been made of numerous suits of apartments, with bathing rooms, gas, water closets, &c., attached, one of Tutin's magnificent passenger elevators, the best ever constructed, conveys guests to the upper story of the house in one minute; the entire house has been newly carpeted, and the entire house thoroughly re-furnished and furnished, making it in all its appointments, equal to any hotel in the city.
Telegraph Office, Billiard Room and Cafe on the first floor.
Aug 18 to 6m LEWIS RICE & SON, Prop'rs

CANADA HOUSE,
CALADONIA SPRINGS,
Near L'Original on the Ottawa, County of Prescott, Ontario.—By A. M. F. GIANELLI.
THIS elegant and fashionable first-class Hotel, with accommodation of a superior order for over two hundred persons, will be open for the reception of visitors on the 1st of June next. The House is fitted up in the first style, and is replete with every accessory demanded by modern ideas of comfort and convenience. The Halls and Lobbies are spacious, the Parlor and Billiard Rooms and Gentlemen and Ladies' Parlors are furnished in a handsome manner. The Hot and Cold Baths are very numerous, in a wing specially arranged for them, and constantly supplied with the Mineral Waters from the Springs, by costly steam pumping engines. To meet the requirements of all, without interfering with the repose of any, the arrangements for indoor amusements are confined to a separate building, specially erected for the purpose, containing a spacious Ball Room, Billiard Room, Bowling Alley, and other requirements. The Saline, White Sulphur, and Gas Springs are but fifty yards from the house.
Charges moderate.
For further information, please address
A. M. F. GIANELLI, Proprietor, Montreal
Montreal 50th April d w m

CASTLE GARDEN SALOON
MARKET SQUARE,
GUELPH, ONT.
THE Subscriber begs to inform the public that he has leased the above premises for a term of years, and has refitted it in a very superior and substantial manner, and is prepared to share a portion of the patronage of the public.
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THE BAR
will be supplied with the best
Wines, Liquors & Cigars
And the table with the delicacies of the season. In fact no expense will be spared to make it a first-class establishment.
LUNCHEON!
Every day from 1 to 3 o'clock.
OYSTERS AND GAME,
Etc. Dinner and Supper parties provided short notice, at reasonable charges.
JOHN MILLER,
Proprietor.
Late of the Commercial Hotel, Whitty
GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.
Guelph, Jan. 29, 1868. d o t t

New Catechism
FOR THE PEOPLE.

WHO do the Largest Boot and Shoe Business in Guelph?
PREST & HEBURN.
Who have the largest and best assorted stock of Boots and Shoes in Guelph?
PREST & HEBURN.
Who have the Newest and Best Styles of Boots and Shoes in Guelph?
PREST & HEBURN.
Who have always been ahead in Style, Material, Workmanship, Neatness and Durability?
PREST & HEBURN.
The subscribers being the only Manufacturers in Guelph, are in a position to offer inducements to the public which no other House in the Trade can do. CALL AND SEE, and you will be convinced that large and varied stocks have always been on Stock the one now on hand far exceeds anything ever shown by us in the past.

Support Home Manufacture
And keep your money in the Country.
Remember our Goods are all Warranted.

TERMS Cash, and no Second Price.
PREST & HEBURN.
Guelph June 18 d w t

GALLERY OF ART.
R. W. LAIRD,
Looking Glass and Picture Frame
MANUFACTURER,
9 King-st. West,
TORONTO.

The Trade supplied with Washable, Gilt and Imitation Rosewood Mouldings and Looking-Glass Plate. Country orders promptly attended to.
Toronto 1st A. 1868. d w y

Pocket Book Lost.
LOST on Thursday morning, the 27th, between the Grand Trunk Railway Station and Elora, a Pocket Book. It contained five notes of \$10.00 each, drawn in favor of J. Flenny, Aurora, one dollar bill; an advice note from the Grand Trunk Agent for 10 packages and some papers of no value to any person but the owner. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it with S. Duffield, Great Western Hotel, Guelph; A. W. Bith, Martine; H. Dalby, Elora, or Frank Brown, Clifford.
GEORGE JENNINGS,
Guelph, Aug. 28. d w t

ESTRAY OX.
CAME upon the premises of the subscriber, on 24. Cont. 4, Elora, on the 21st August, a white Ox, marked with the letter W. on the off hip. The owner can have him away by proving property and paying expenses.
JOHN GRIEVES,
Elora, Aug. 28. w d t

Educational Classes

THE MISSES RHEMMIE
OF London, England and New York, propose opening their Educational Classes early in September. Young ladies desiring improvement, or fresh in the elegant or useful branches, will be received as boarders or daily pupils.
Temporary residence: Mrs. Williams, Waterloo Road. Consult at Mr. Cutbush's Bookstore, Guelph, August 13. 13d

MISS L. RHEMMIE,
Teacher of Singing and Piano-forte,
PUPIL of the best Masters in England, having taught successfully for some in New York, has removed to Guelph, and hopes to receive a share of the patronage of the families and families of Guelph and vicinity.
Terms, &c., may be had at Mr. Cutbush's bookstore, or Mrs. Williams's Boarding House, Guelph, Aug. 17. d w

No 10. No 10.

FRESH BISCUITS, of all kinds,
AT C. & T. MEREDITH'S.
MARMALADE, PEACHES and PRUNES,
AT C. & T. MEREDITH'S.
PURE MOCHO and JAVA COFFEES, Roasted on the premises,
AT C. & T. MEREDITH'S.
TEAS, from 50c. and upwards,
AT C. & T. MEREDITH'S.
TOBACCOS, Natural Leaf, Chewing and cut,
AT C. & T. MEREDITH'S.
BRAND Pipes and Pocket Knives,
AT C. & T. MEREDITH'S.
Nearly opposite their old stand, known as the Canada Clothing Store
Guelph, Aug. 27. d o t t

SALT, SALT

Wholesale and Retail at
A. H. R. KENNEDY'S
FLOUR AND FEED STORE,
UPPER WINDHAM-ST., GUELPH
Guelph, Aug. 27. d w t

MONEY LOST.

LOST between 3 and 4 o'clock, on Friday, on the road between Guelph and Elora, a small leather bag, containing a sum of money in silver. The owner desires to recover it, and will reward the finder with \$10.00. Any person finding the bag and returning it to the Mercury Office will be liberally rewarded.
Guelph, Aug. 29. d t t

Accommodation STAGE

To and from Fergus.
THE Subscriber begs to intimate to the public that from and after MONDAY, the 31st of August, he will run a Stagecoach once from Fergus to Guelph, as follows: LEAVE FERGUS at 7 o'clock, a.m., making Guelph in time for the morning trains East and West. RETURNING, will LEAVE GUELPH at 6 p.m., after the arrival of the train from the East, making Fergus at half-past eight o'clock. Special attention paid to the comfort of passengers, and particular care taken of all baggage and parcels.
JOHN GERRIE, Proprietor,
St. Andrew's Hotel, Fergus.
Guelph, Aug. 29. d w t

OPPOSITION STAGES.

A CARD TO THE PUBLIC.
UNDERSTANDING THAT MR. JOHN GERRIE has signified his intention through the Fergus paper, of starting an opposition line of stages, to run between Fergus and Guelph only, I beg to announce to the travelling community, as well as the public at large, that for the last two or three years, I have run a line of stages so as to accommodate both Fergus and Elora, timed to meet the arrival and departure of trains at Guelph. As I am one of the largest stage proprietors in Canada, as well as a mail carrier, I can and will suit the wants of the travelling public as well as Mr. Gerrie. I therefore have to mention that I will run covered stages at the times and hours mentioned by Mr. Gerrie, and will convey passengers at the rate of 10 cts. (return ticket)—free if preferred by passengers. These rates will be adhered to so long as Mr. Gerrie's line exists.
R. B. COULSON,
Stage Proprietor and Mail Contractor,
Guelph, Aug. 29. d w t

OATS, OATS.

OATS can be purchased from the subscriber for **62 CENTS PER BUSHEL** at his store, West Market Square.
Guelph, 15th August. ALEX. CRICHTON. d t

BOOK-KEEPING!

Evening Classes for Young Men.
MR. WM. HART will open classes in BOOK-KEEPING, PENMANSHIP, and COMMERCIAL ARITHMETIC,
ON MONDAY EVENING, SEP. 7th,
In the West Ward School House. For terms, &c., apply to
Guelph, August 31st. WM. HART, Teacher. d t

PHOTOGRAPHY!

Large PHOTOGRAPHS,
CHEAP.
At MARSHALL'S.
Come and see my NEW CAMERA for Large Photographs, one of the BEST LENSES
W. MARSHALL,
Dev's Block, Guelph, Ont.
P.S.—Groups to doors or out.
Guelph, August 31st. d t

FOR SALE.

SODA ASH—Gambles'.
CAUSTIC SODA—Gambles', 'Widnes', 'Alkali Company', 'Garrett's'.
SAL. SODA.
CHLORIDE OF LIME.
PALM OIL.
W. T. BENSON,
37 St. Peter Street, Montreal
Montreal, 1st April, 1868. d w t

Evening Mercury.

OFFICE:.....MACDONNELL STREET
MONDAY EV'NG, SEPT. 1, 1868.

Local News.

A man named Thomas Moore was run over by the cars at Brampton, yesterday, and instantly killed. He leaves a family.
A young child was burnt to death at Southampton a few days ago by its clothes catching fire from the stove.
The merchants of London held a meeting on Friday, and resolved to continue the silver discount movement.
Hon. John Rose is going to Washington on matters connected with the negotiation of a new Reciprocity Treaty.
A young man named Phelan, who was to have been married in Montreal on Thursday, has disappeared, and is believed to have been murdered by a rival.
A store in London was entered by burglars on Thursday night. Postage stamps to the amount of \$3 rewarded their enterprise.
There is an unusual amount of sickness in Toronto at present, diarrhoea being the most prevalent complaint. The sufferers are chiefly children.
BUILDING BEGUN.—The excavation for the basement of the new Knox Church was commenced to-day. The building will now be pushed rapidly forward.
ERRATUM.—In our notice yesterday of Mr. Punshon's lecture in Guelph the "8th of October" was substituted for the "8th of September." The lecture will be given a week from to-night.
John McKeown, Esq., President of the Hamilton Cricket Club, broke his leg while playing cricket on Saturday. He attempted to strike a ball, but slipped and fell, with the result stated.
Two brokers, Sandford & Jones, who had returned from Montreal a few days ago, having before their departure passed a number of forged drafts, and "gone through" some of the other brokers by borrowing.
A young man from England, engaged in a drug store in Toronto some time ago, and shortly after got married. A few days since a former wife came to claim him, but he left her in the lurch by slipping for the States, and taking No. 3 along with him.
Some of the farmers of North Waterloo are saying that they never had such crops of grain as they have this season. A number of them have harvested between thirty and forty bushels to the acre, and one man had a field of barley containing nine acres, from which he threshed 400 bushels.
Two youthful bruisers, of Toronto, went out of the city a few days since to settle by a fight, according to the rules of the P. R. some little difference that had arisen between them a short time previous. The combat was decided in the first round. One chap hit the other right on the dinner and knocked him out of time.
SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—We would remind our readers of the auction sale of Town and Park Lots which will take place at the Town Hall, to-morrow (Wednesday). There are several desirable lots to be sold in town, and some park lots in Guelph township. Those who have cash to invest in real estate will do well to attend at 2 o'clock.
PIC-NIC.—We announced a few days ago that the picnic in connection with the Scotch Church Sabbath School of this Town, would take place on the 3rd inst. We have now to add that it will be held in the same place as last year, and that Mrs. Stewart has given permission for the party to pass through her grounds, thus shortening considerably the distance which they would otherwise have to travel.
BOILER BURST.—We learn from Elora that the boiler of the engine which drives Messrs. Bain & Son's Woollen Mills burst about 9 o'clock on Monday morning. The cause of the accident is not clearly known. The front of the boiler was driven a short distance forward when it fell without doing and damage. The junior member of the firm was severely, but we believe not dangerously, scalded about the face and arms.
WOMAN LOST.—An old woman, named Mrs. McKinnon, a resident of Durham, has been lost in the woods on the town-line between Elderslie and Sullivan. She had gone on foot to visit her son who lives at a distance of about 2 miles from Bearman's Mills. At five o'clock on the evening of the 10th ult., she called at the mills to enquire the way, and having received proper directions she was observed to get on the straight road for her son's residence. The circumstance of her calling at the mill was accidentally mentioned the next day, and then it was discovered that she had never reached her destination. The people of the neighborhood turned out, and for days the woods were searched for her; the water in the dam was also drawn off, but still no traces of her have yet been discovered.
75,000,000 cigars are consumed in New York yearly.

THE LACROSSE MATCH.

Yesterday a match at Lacrosse took place between twelve of the Guelph Club and twelve players of the Six Nation Indians from Brantford. Considerable interest was felt in the match from the fact that the Indians are reputed the crack players in the Province of Ontario, and they were to appear in full native costume, and that they were to delight the citizens of Guelph with the Indian "war dance" on the ground. Although the Guelph Club was only organized this spring, it already has a large number of members, many of whom by careful and frequent practice have become excellent players, and are a match for any of the Clubs in Western Canada. It required no small amount of courage to challenge these Indian experts, but as the sequel will show, our Guelph players acquitted themselves most creditably, for the match was one of the hardest contested which has been played this season.
The Indians reached Guelph by the early train, and were comfortably located at Mr. Thos. Ellis's Hotel. After dinner they were escorted down town by the Guelph players, and being attired in full Indian costume, with head gear of feathers, rings in the nose, their faces daubed with war paint, besides all the other paraphernalia of Indian decoration, they attracted much attention. Mr. Denroche, the photographer, took their picture along with that of their opponents, and when this little ceremony was over, the players marched to the ground. Here was gathered a very large crowd of spectators, numbering over 400, waiting for the game. Soon all preliminaries were arranged, and the Captains—Mr H. Macdonald for the Guelph Club, and one of the Indians with an unpronounceable name for the other side—started the game, there being twelve players on each side. In order that the uninitiated may understand it, we will give a short explanation of the game. It is very simple, the whole design being comprised in sending the ball through two goals, which are 180 yards apart and consist of two upright posts, surmounted by flags, six feet apart and six feet high. The players on each side consist of a goal keeper, who stands between the staffs to prevent the ball from passing through. The ball may be stopped in any manner, either with his feet or hands, or with his cross. In front of each goal stands the 'Points', and in front of the 'Points', at a short distance, are the 'Cover Points'. The 'Centre' players face each other in the centre of the field, and the 'Home' players are nearest the goal's opponents. All the remaining players are termed fielders. The game is started by the ball, which is made of sponge, covered with rubber, being placed in the centre of the field. The men are stationed in their various positions, each armed with his 'cross', which is a hickory stick hooked at the end, attached to which is a catgut netting. The opposing 'centres' struggle for the ball, which as soon as obtained is hurled to one of the same side. For many minutes, and oftentimes for hours, the ball is hurled about the field, the players all endeavoring to send it between the staffs surmounted by their opponents' colors. The exciting moment is when the ball is in proximity to the goal. The players close in and their sticks or crosses fly like rapiers, when suddenly one of the defenders of the goal catches the ball on his cross, and running like a deer, bears it toward the other goal, but he is invariably intercepted by some of the fielders, who knock his 'cross' and catch the ball in their own.
The game commenced at 3 o'clock and lasted one hour. It was keenly contested on both sides, and at one time it was hard to say which side would win. Often the ball was near the goal at both ends, and in a moment was as far off again as ever. The Indians exerted their utmost skill, while their opponents performed wonders in running and catching the ball. The Indians had the advantage, however, in fielding. They were better distributed over the ground than the Guelph players, who in our opinion gathered in too strong round the goal. The Indians were also better runners and remarkably expert at 'dodging', but when it came to a close, the Guelph players got the better of their dusky antagonists. On the whole the game was a very exciting one, and well contested, and it is no small matter of pride to the Guelph players that their antagonists admit it was the hardest and longest they have yet played with any club. At last, however, the Indians pushed the ball through the red flag and the game was won. Dr. Middleton, of Elora, and Mr. Stanton, of Berlin, were umpires for the Guelph club, and Mr. Snyder, of Paris, and one of the Indians acted for the other side. Judge Macdonald acted as referee.
The storm which had been gathering for some time before now burst forth in all its fury, and there was a general and hurried dispersion of the crowd in all directions for the nearest shelter. The rain came down in torrents, the spectators made their way home as best they could, and the players had to content themselves with one game.
In the evening the Indians gave a concert in the Town Hall, which was crowded to the door. The performers were dressed in full Indian rig—paint, nose-rings, feathers, sashes, tomahawks, war-clubs, knives, and all the other 'fixings' necessary for Indian costume. They gave specimens of their war dances, buffalo hunt dance, canoe dance, and heaven knows how many other dances, besides many other traits of Indian life, all of which were very laudable to some, and very ridiculous to others.
Dr. Russell, the well-known special correspondent, is to be brought forward as the conservative candidate for Chelmsford.
There are no less than fifty different children's publications in the country, and every few months brings a new one.

Violent Storm.

A storm of considerable violence, and which committed numerous ravages, passed through a portion of the country lying from one to five or six miles to the north and north-east and west of Guelph. From what we have been able to learn it partook of the nature of a whirlwind, and fences, roofs and various other things were before it as if they had been chaff. On the Eramosa road near Guelph fences were overturned, and the materials scattered over the fields. A team coming into town by this road with a wagon load of apples is said to have been driven by the fury of the storm off the road into an adjoining field, and the roofs of a number of buildings whose exact localities we have been unable to ascertain were more or less damaged. Mr. O'Neil, of the Anglo-American Hotel has lost heavily. On his farm a short distance from town, there were three barns and a cattle shed, and scarcely any part of them now remains except the walls. The roofs of two of the barns and of the shed were carried away so completely that not a vestige of them remains to be seen, and the proprietor is scarcely satisfied that they are not "marching on" through mid air even at the present moment. The third barn had the shingles taken off it as effectually as if they had been stripped off by man's hands; and a wagon with iron axles was first denuded of the box, and then carried bodily about ten rods and left sitting on one end.
Considerable damage was also done to the barns, buildings and grounds of Mr. Wm. Stevenson, nurseryman, Mr. Hall, Mr. Tracey, and others in that section. Many trees were uprooted, fences blown down, and a general wreck made of everything which came within play of the storm. Nor was it less severe of attended with less damage on the west side of the town. It burst with terrible fury over Mr. John Rennie's farm, unroofing part of his barn, tearing the fences and gates down in all directions, making general havoc of every movable article. The roads in that section after the hurricane were strewn with fence rails, gates were torn off their hinges and carried a considerable distance away. In fact it was chaos come again on a small scale.
We hear that a team of horses were killed by the lightning a little above the Guelph toll gate, but we have been unable to gather any particulars with regard to the accident.
Three Persons Burned to Death near Windsor.
On Sunday morning about half-past twelve o'clock, a horrible tragedy was enacted at Belle River, about 18 miles from Windsor. Van Orden's mill was set on fire by the torch of an incendiary. This fact is easily shown by the subsequent discovery of an oil can and other combustibles near the place where the buildings were fired. Van Allen's mill about two hundred yards off soon caught fire also, and both were burned to the ground. The buildings adjoining, wherein Mr. Van Orden's wife and grandson were, were most enveloped and sad to say, they perished in the general disaster. Yesterday morning their blackened and charred remains were taken from the mouldering pile and placed in a box for interment. They were barely distinguishable so complete had the element done its work. The body of Mrs. Van Orden could only be distinguished from the fact that she had exhausted its fury before she was entirely consumed. Sickness as may be the details of this horrible affair the facts must be stated. All that is left of Mrs. Van Orden's body is a portion of the trunk, burned to a cinder, head and legs gone, and scarcely the semblance of humanity left. The wife is only recognised from the appearance of the hair on the back of the head, which was almost consumed. The balance of the body, extremities and top of the head were destroyed. The body of the grandson, who was a smart young man of 17 years of age, was only recognizable from the facts given above. There is a surmise, and probably a well founded one, that the wife and child were murdered, and that the premises were fired to cover up discovery. Citizens state that pistol shots heard at the time of the alarm, and it is probable that the unfortunate family were murdered in their sleep. It is alleged that Mr. Van Orden drew from his bankers, Messrs. Noble & Strong, at Windsor five hundred dollars on a note of moderation. There may have been a motive for this horrible proceeding—that he was dogged by his home, and with his family, brutally assassinated.

THE GUELPH POLICE COURT.

Before T. W. Saunders, Esq., Police Magistrate
Tuesday Sept. 1st.—Walter Hill and his wife Susanah, who have made up old differences and are living in amity again, were charged by the Chief Constable with having used blasphemous, obscene and insulting language towards George Johnson (colored) on Saturday last. Hill was very abusive in his expressions, but his wife seems to have conducted herself with more than wonted moderation. The former was fined \$2 and costs; the latter was dismissed; and both were admonished to keep civil tongues in their heads for the future.
Michael Ryal was charged yesterday afternoon by John Chambers with assault and battery. Fined \$2.
The Loss by Fires.—Few persons have any adequate idea of the immense amount of damage caused by the recent fires in the woods and forests of Canada. The loss is estimated at not less than \$5,000,000. At Bristol's Creek, on the Ottawa river, the Quebec Gazette says that large lumbering depot, comprising some fifteen or sixteen buildings, has been destroyed, with an immense stock of provisions, everything having been consumed except the pork which was stored under ground. On the Gatineau, too, the destruction has been most extensive, the townships of Lowe and Hincks, and some others, having been almost overrun with the devouring element. Devastation of a similar character are reported on the north branch of the Upper Ottawa, as well as at several points in the Province of Quebec, and also on the north shores of Lake Huron and Superior.

BY TELEGRAPH

Despatches to the Evening Mercury
(BY ATLANTIC CABLE.)

Cork, Aug. 31.—The Corporation of the City of Cork have adopted, by a unanimous vote, a resolution to the government to pardon and discharge all prisoners now serving out sentences of imprisonment for complicity in the late Fenian disturbances.
Paris, Aug. 31.—The Paris Press, the Austro-Catholic opposition journal, has an article in its last issue on the subject of the relations of the United States and Russia. The writer recounts the reception of the Turkish Minister and officials on board the flagship of Admiral Farragut, at Constantinople, a few days since, on which occasion the crew of the Franklin cheered enthusiastically for America and Russia. The representatives of the other foreign powers in Constantinople have construed this partiality into a slight of their respective countries. The Press thinks the envoys were fully justified in so doing, and wants an explanation.
London, Aug. 31.—It is announced to-day that Captain Baldwin, of the American yacht "Sappho," has challenged the yacht "Albatross," and that the challenge has been accepted. The details of the race are not yet agreed upon. The "Cambria," which came in first in the recent race around the Isle of Wight, has gone to Spain, and will not return for some time. Captain Baldwin therefore challenged the "Albatross," which was second in the last race, and only two minutes behind the "Cambria".
The proposed champion fight between Harry Allen and Joe Goss may be regarded as off. Allen has been arrested and bound over to keep the peace for a year.
Mason Jones, the Liberal candidate for Parliament, from Queen's County, has been obliged to retire from the contest. Reports had been extensively circulated among his Catholic supporters that he was a devoted partisan of Garibaldi, and it was thought that this would prove fatal to the success of the Liberal ticket in that portion of the county. He has been strongly opposed by the Dublin Nation, which has published these reports and condemned him on account of his anti-Roman Catholic proclivities. The Dublin Irishman and the Irish Times both censure the electors of Queen's county for their bigotry and intolerance as well as their lack of judgment in their rendering necessary the withdrawal of one of Ireland's warmest friends.

Madrid, Aug. 31.—Alexandre De Parro, Minister to Rome, has tendered his resignation, which has been accepted by the Queen.
Lisbon, Aug. 31.—The Portuguese Cortes has been prorogued by royal decree.
Paris, Aug. 31.—Girgenti special envoy from Madrid, arrived to-day and had an interview with the Emperor. It is rumored that the object of his mission is to bring about an agreement with the Emperor, that in the event of a European war Spain will send a fleet and troops to Rome, in return for which the French army will be used to sustain the reigning dynasty of Spain, should it be attacked.

American Despatches.
Mobile, Sept. 1st.—The yearly cotton statement shows the total receipts for the year just closed to be 361,093; exports to Great Britain, 215,114; France, 10,433; other foreign ports, 14,292; coastwise, including 18,659 from Montgomery direct to New Orleans, 180,893 bales. The crop is estimated at two and a quarter millions.
New York, Sept. 1.—The cattle disease excitement has abated. The authorities consider that the danger is now over and Dr. Howard, the State Commissioner, reports that no infected cattle are in the city or expected to arrive as long as the present rigid surveillance is kept up.
The Tribune's special says Secretary Seward, who has been in correspondence for some time in relation to matters connected with the new reciprocity treaty with Canada, has been informed by the Canadian authorities that the Hon. John Ross has been empowered by that government to arrange a treaty on the basis agreed upon in the correspondence, subject to lawful ratification, and that he will arrive in Washington in a short time. The treaty will embrace many points covered by the old one, with some provision to prevent the smuggling of foreign goods so common along our northern frontier, and will be ready for the action of Congress next December.
The Herald's China letter says gold and silver mines have been discovered in the neighbourhood of the open port of Chefoo.

Herald's Japan correspondence says: Hostilities had been resumed with vigor. The Mikado's adherents after capturing Jeddo, had burned nearly a third of it.—Three large armies opposing them were in the field.
Philadelphia, Sept. 1.—A match game of Base Ball between the Athletics of this city and the Athletics of Brooklyn, took place yesterday. Game was not just before the completion of the 8th inning, when the score stood 14 to 18 in favor of the Athletics. Heavy rain prevented the game being finished.

THE CATTLE PLAGUE.—The cattle plague is increasing in southern Ohio, Indiana, and Illinois. The Governor of the former State has issued a proclamation presenting measures which will check the spread of the disease, and the various towns on the Ohio River have determined not to allow the landing of cattle from the South. It is still some satisfaction to know that in the Eastern States cases of disease are growing less every day.
It is proposed to number the organ grinders in England and hence them, in order to insure their good conduct, and their punishment in cases of misbehavior. The Bishop of Oxford, on a ring of the plan, said that, so far as he was concerned, he had rather see the Exodus than the Numbers of the organ men.
The Monitor publishes some interesting statistics of the produce of the chess in the province of Archangel, Russia, from which it appears that the number of animals annually shot, amounts to about 400,000 scutrels, 23,000 ermines, 40,000 hares, 3,000 white or sky blue foxes, 200 large wolves, 175 small wolves, 200 bears, 70,000 brace of woodcocks, 10,000 wild geese and ducks and 12,000 swans.

FACTS for ADVERTISERS.

The circulation of the DAILY and WEEKLY MERCURY is DOUBLE that of any Paper in Guelph, and larger than that of any paper published west of Toronto.

Guelph Evening Mercury

OFFICE:.....MACDONNELL STREET TUESDAY EV'NG, SEPT. 1, 1868

THE SOUTH AMERICAN WAR.

For the twentieth time, perhaps, we are told that the fortress of Humaita has fallen into the hands of the Allies. About a month ago a similar announcement reached us, but it was almost immediately followed by the counter declaration that the Paraguayans had repulsed with slaughter the attack upon their stronghold, and that it was still in their own possession.

Prospects of some of the Candidates.

The candidates on both sides in Britain are busily preparing for the coming parliamentary contest. The majority of the distinguished Liberals whose fortunes we follow with interest, are likely to be returned without serious opposition.

The Hamilton Railway By-Law.

Special to Mercury. The voting took place in Hamilton today on the By-law to transfer the G. W. R. stock to the Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railway.

FIRE at GODEFRICH.—A fire broke out on Sunday in a large wooden block on West street, belonging to Dr. Gordon, of Godefrich, and Thomas Robertson, of Dundas, and occupied by W. Moss, shoemaker, B McCormack, tailor, Miss Taylor, milliner, Mr. Thompson, shoemaker, and Mr. Sharp as a dwelling.

Mr. Charles Magill, M. P., President of the Local Exhibition Committee, is in receipt of a note intimating the acceptance by His Honor, Lieut-Governor Howland, of the invitation to be present at the Exhibition at Hamilton.

Local and Miscellaneous

WELLINGTON HUNT. WANTED immediately, a Steady Young Man to look after the Wellington Fox Hounds. For particulars apply to F. GRANGE, ESQ. Guelph, September 1st. 3td

TO PRINTERS.

WANTED immediately, at the Mercury Office, Guelph, a first-class Printer who can make himself generally useful at the Case and Job-work. Constant employment given. Also, a stout, active lad who has been at the business two or three years. A good opportunity of learning the business in all its branches. Apply at once. McLAGAN & INNES, Mercury Office, Guelph. Guelph, Sep. 1.

NO MONOPOLY

PETRIE'S Drug STORE, Old Post Office, Wyndham Street.

DYE STUFFS!

BEING determined to maintain my reputation for keeping THE BEST DYE STUFFS IN GUELPH,

Have this year devoted a greater amount of time and care to their selection and preparation than ever. My stock will now be found complete, and all parties buying from me will have no difficulty in making colors required, and of the Very FINEST SHADE.

A. P. B. would call particular attention to his BRIGHT SCARLET DYE, which has given universal satisfaction during the past two years, and pronounced by all parties superior to any they have ever used before. Remember the Old Post Office Buildings. A. B. PETRIE, Chemist. Guelph, September 1st. dw

MEDICAL HALL!



E. HARVEY & CO. Just received, a fresh supply of

MINCASEA

For the successful rearing of Infants. This article is prepared under medical supervision, and supported by the Scientific and Theoretical Institutions of Great Britain, France, &c., and is the only preparation manufactured for this purpose.

Cocoa Nut Oil Soda Soap

For imparting a beautiful Whiteness and Softness to the Skin. CAMPBELL'S

Quinine Wine!

A large supply just received. E. HARVEY & CO., Cor. Wyndham & Macdonnell-Sts. Guelph. Guelph, September 1st. dw

NOTICE!

ALL persons indebted to Dr. PERKINS, Rockwood, are hereby notified to settle the same immediately, otherwise their accounts will be put into Court for collection. Rockwood, Aug. 5th 1868. wtf

New Advertisements.

Anglo-American Hotel FOR SALE.

THIS HOTEL is the only first-class building that lies on the line of the Grand Trunk Railway between Toronto and London. It is 130 feet long by 45 feet in width, 3 stories high, and of cut stone, 12 and 11 feet high between ceilings; cellars full size of building, 10 feet deep. Also stone kitchen 40 x 24, with a cistern that holds over 1000 barrels of water. It is situated in the best business part of the town, and is directly opposite the proposed site of the new Union Passenger Station of the Great Western and Grand Trunk Railways.

Likewise there is a farm of 30 acres of the best land in the county, and the best cultivated, and will produce more per acre this season than any farm of its size in this county. Three barns and feeding stable and log house are on the farm. Also a running spring creek, and other springs that never fail. The fences are of board and new. The farm is laid out in ten acre fields. All the farm implements are new, and will be sold if desired at valuation.

Also, there is in connection with the hotel a Livery Stable, one of the best in Ontario, of fifteen horses, doing the only first-class business in town and indisputably surpassing all others. As the proprietor is retiring from business he offers to the public a property, the advantages of which are seldom enjoyed by one man in business. The whole will be sold without reserve within three months, either the business separately, or the whole property as may be agreed upon to suit the purchaser.

TERMS.—For the hotel property, half cash down will be required, the remainder to be paid in six yearly instalments, or ten per cent. allowed off the second half, if paid at time of sale. JAMES O'NEILL, Proprietor. Guelph, Aug. 29. daw tf

CLEARING SALE

OF AN IMMENSE STOCK OF WALL PAPER, AT

Day's Bookstore, OPPOSITE THE MARKET.

The balance of our Stock of PAPER HANGINGS will be sold at COST to make room for our Spring stock. Now is the time to buy; sooner than keep it over till next Spring we will sell at First Cost.

A large lot on hand. Call early and select good patterns, at DAYS BOOKSTORE, Opposite the Market. Guelph, Aug. 22.

JUST RECEIVED!

AN IMMENSE STOCK OF CONCERTINAS CHEAP.

At Clark's Music Store. ALSO Several NEW PIANOS. Inspection invited. SHEET MUSIC IN GREAT VARIETY. At CLARK'S MUSIC STORE, Market Square, Guelph. Guelph, Aug. 29, 1868. daw tf

Medical Dispensary

An entire NEW STOCK of Toilet Requisites. E. HARVEY & CO. Wyndham Street, Opposite English Church. Guelph, August 31st. daw

Canada Clothing Store!

WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH. BARGAINS Positively selling off at 20 PER CENT BELOW COST

COUNTRY Merchants and Tailors are particularly invited to inspect the stock of CLOTHING, LITHING, TRIMMINGS, &c., which for quality and cheapness cannot be equalled in the Dominion. We challenge competition. A number of first-class Sewing Machines for sale at from \$10 to \$45, in good working order. Call before purchasing elsewhere and get a bargain. RICHARD ANLEY. Guelph, 29th July. dw

H. METCALF,

(Late Smith and Metcalf). WISHES to inform his customers and the public that he has opened a SHOP NEXT DOOR to MR. HAZELTON'S, Nearly opposite the Wellington Hotel, where he is prepared to attend to the wants of customers and the public. He has on hand a lot of TRUNKS and SADDLES Slightly soiled by removal at the late fires, will Guelph, July 5, 1868. dw wtf

New Advertisements.

Wellington Boot and Shoe Manufactory,

WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH. ENCOURAGE HOME MANUFACTURE!

A Few Facts to the People of Wellington to Consider:

- 1st.—Is it good policy to buy imported BOOTS and SHOES, when you can get home made work for less money. 2nd.—Is it wise to keep hundreds of people at work in Hamilton, Toronto, Kingston or Montreal, making your Boots and Shoes. 3rd.—Would it not be much better to have those work-people living in Guelph and spending their money here?

Every person can answer the above to suit his own fancy, but remember the Wellington Boot and Shoe Manufactory you can get Home made Boots, a better article than any Imported Work, for less money. Call and See.

The Cheapest and best Boots in the County are to be had at the WELLINGTON BOOT and SHOE MANUFACTORY, Wyndham Street, Guelph, the "Old Post Office Block." JOHN A. McMILLAN, Guelph, 1st September. (dw) Wellington Boot and Shoe Manufactory, Wyndham-st., Guelph.

A. R. McMASTER & BRO.,

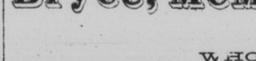
Are Now Opening their FALL IMPORTATIONS!

And will be glad to see their friends and customers at 32 Yonge Street, TORONTO. Toronto, September 1, 1868. daw tf

Bryce, McMurrich & Co.

W. HOLESALE DRY GOODS IMPORTERS, TORONTO. Our Large Stock is now fully assorted, to which we invite the attention of the Trade. TERMS: LIBERAL. Toronto, September 1, 1868. daw 3m

FRESH TEAS!



FRESH TEAS! CROP '67 and '68. REFORD & DILLON ARE now receiving direct from London, Eng'd, their FALL SUPPLIES of New Season Teas, comprising: TWANKAYS, YOUNG HYSONS, IMPERIALS, GUNPOWDERS, Col'd & Uncol'd JAPANS, CONGOU, SOUCHONGS, PEKOES. ALSO, 100 Hhd's Choice Barbadoes and Cuba Sugars, With a well selected assortment of GENERAL GROCERIES, all of which they offer to the trade LOW. REFORD & DILLON, Toronto, September 1, 1868. 12 and 14, Wellington Street, Toronto.

BRADFORD HOUSE

WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH. PHILIP BISH, IN returning thanks to the public for the very extensive patronage accorded to him this season, would state that as our Mr. Jeffrey is now in the Markets, and in order to clear out the Stock as much as possible, he will still continue to Sell the balance of his Stock at the same Prices as they were during our GREAT CLEARING SALE. OUR STOCK OF DAMASKS, TABLE LINENS, TOWELINGS, SHEETINGS, &c., is well worth the attention of Housekeepers. As every body knows, have been the rage this season. We have still some great bargains left. Just Received—Two Bales White Cotton Warp. Two Bales Coloured Cotton Warp. Three Bales White Cotton. Two Bales of Dundas Cotton Bags, Also—A splendid assortment of HOOP SKIRTS, to be sold cheap. PHILIP BISH. Wyndham Street, Guelph, September 1, 1868. daw tf

SPECIAL ATTENTION.

THE Highest Market Price paid for Wool, Hides, Sheepskins, Cat skins, and Wood Pickings. At No. 4, Day's old Block, Gordon Street, Guelph, July 28. dw D. MOLTON

TEACHERS' PIC-NIC.

THE Teachers in the South Riding of Wellington will hold a Pic-Nic on Saturday, the 12th SEPTEMBER, on the grounds of the Rockwood Academy, at 1 o'clock, p.m. It is hoped that the Teachers, and others interested in education, will make it convenient to attend. By order of Committee. Guelph, August 31st. 1d-1w

BILLIARD HALL!

Adjoining Coulson's Hotel, GUELPH, ONT. Four New Phelan Standard American tables. Guelph, June 24. W O'CONNOR, Proprietor. dw 1y

Cedar Posts for Sale.

FOR sale a number of Cedar Posts Apply to DENNIS COFFER. Guelph May 25th 1868 wt

Another Lot of those Delicious

Pine Apples

At H. BERRY'S. SPLENDID DATES At H. BERRY'S. FINE ORANGES & LEMONS At H. BERRY'S. REAL Maple Sugar At H. BERRY'S. Guelph, May 30 1868. dw

STATIONERY

FANCY GOODS. At W. J. McCURRY'S OFFICE STATIONERY and Fancy Goods Store, opposite the English Church, Wyndham Street GUELPH, Will be found a good assortment of Standard Theological Works, Biographies, Travels, Works on Arts and Sciences, Architecture, Engraving and Agriculture, Works on the Horse, Cattle, Sheep and Dog. A large stock of all the SCHOOL BOOKS in general use always on hand, and sold cheap. The Trade supplied at Publishers' Prices. In Classical Works, the stock will be found equal to any in Ontario. A great variety of Music Books and Sheet Music. A large stock of Family School Pocket BIBLES, School and Pocket Testaments, Wesleyan and other Hymn Books. All the Standard Works of the British Posts. Law and Office Stationery, a complete assortment of Envelopes and writing materials. Great variety of Gilt and other Moulding for Picture Frames, &c. Looking Glass plate made, and pictures promptly mounted, at the smallest advance on price of moulding. A very large stock of FANCY GOODS. Over 2,000 Eodin Wool Patterns, at less than half the usual selling price. A very large stock of Italian and other Violin Strings, Bows, Accordions and Concertinas. English and American hall paper, bordering and decorations, which for variety, low prices and beauty of pattern cannot be excelled in Canada. As the above stock is imported direct from the manufacturing houses of Great Britain, France and the United States. Bookbinding and Paper Binding done on the premises at very moderate rates. Guelph, June 24. daw tf

FRIEND,

WISH I can get good, sound first-class Bacon, Hams and Shoulders? AT WILKINSON'S He has the best in town. The finest, cheapest and best assortment of BRIAR ROOT AND FANCY PIPES IS AT GEO. WILKINSON. Guelph, August 3. daw tf

Special Notice

TO THE PUBLIC GENERALLY. E. CARROLL & CO. BEG to notify that they are now receiving a large lot of NEW CROP TEAS which they intend to sell cheaper than any house in Guelph. Examine OUR PRICES and judge for yourselves. Young Hyson per lb. 75c. worth \$1.00 Old Hyson... 50 " 0.75 Gunpowder... 87 1.00 Japan... 62 " 0.75 Congou... 50 " 0.62 Souchong... 62 " 0.75 And all other Goods equally low at No. 2, DAY'S BLOCK. Guelph, August 12. daw tf

GOOD Pure CIDER VINEGAR

25 cents per gallon. AT JOHN A. WOOD'S. NEW AND OLD FACTORY AND DAIRY CHEESE, Wholesale and Retail. AT JOHN A. WOOD'S. Good Young Hyson Tea, 50c Good Congou Tea, - - 50c At John A. Wood's. Fresh ROASTED JAVA COFFEE At JOHN A. WOOD'S. SILVER AT PAR AND NO MONOPOLY. THE Undersigned has come to the conclusion to deal as usual by taking silver at par, hoping thereby to squash the discount business, as in other places of note. All kinds of FRESH MEAT always on hand in Butcher Stall, No. 2, Guelph Market. JOHN TYSON, Butcher. Guelph, August 28. d dt

The Braes of Yarrow

An Historical Tale of the Sixteenth Century.

A small cruise had been left with the prisoner, and its feeble light scattered the darkness of the centre of the dungeon but left the sides and corners in gloom.

Sir Walter quietly took off his helmet and laid it upon the table. Then he threw himself upon the mattress with his arms crossed under his head and his eyes fixed upon the blank damp roof.

"Here ends the venture for me," he said calmly, reflecting; "escape is impossible; the sentence is inevitable. How long before it comes? Not long, for in my death Angus rides himself of a troublesome enemy; Bartra gains Binram, and Tushlagh safety from the discovery of his treachery to the King."

He smiled half contemptuously as he heard the footsteps of a sentinel passing and the passing of the door of the cell.

"They value my safe keeping rarely since these walls and yonder iron door are not secure enough without a guard of honour."

"Umph, I may outlive them yet. Arran will not desert me in this extremity; and Gilbert—"

He paused at the name.

"Is he honest? His manner was strange; the note is unexplained—ugh, it is all a lie, made to set me against the King. I will trust them in spite of everything until they tell me that they wish me dead."

The door opened, and a sergeant with four men carrying torches entered.

"Your attendance is required in the Council Chamber, Sir Knight."

"I am ready."

He took his place between the soldiers and was conducted along the narrow underground passage, up a narrow winding staircase, across a court, and into the tower in which the Council and Parliament anciently met.

The sergeant's guard remained at the door of the Council Chamber, and Spens was ushered in. He found there the Governor of the Castle, and beside him with the man whose face was concealed by the plumes of his hat which drooped over it as he bent to read a document which he held in his hand. His body was covered by a large robe, but Spens had no difficulty in recognising Angus.

At the table sat a clerk, pen in hand, as if ready to write at a signal from his masters. The Knight of Hainstone felt his pulse quicken as the suspicion flashed upon him that he was to be judged here by Douglas alone, for the Governor would not dare to oppose his judgment. He remained, however, perfectly calm, waiting for the issue.

"Angus looked up suddenly."

"Walter Spens, you are aware of the dangerous position in which you stand?" he said in a harsh deliberate tone.

"I am aware that I stand in the midst of enemies," was the quiet answer.

"You are aware that you are outlawed and condemned by the Lords in Council to death for treachery to his Majesty James IV."

"I am aware that I was condemned and heard, and on the word of a villain who hoped by my death to screen himself."

"You speak with mighty coolness of the matter," said Angus, feeling irritated by the calm dignity of the man whom he had hoped to awe into submission; "but beware, sirrah; for even had the former charge been proven false, your life is now forfeit by your attempt to steal the King from his lawful and loving guardians."

"I sought to save my country from more useless bloodshed and my Queen from shame."

Angus scowled fiercely, and gnawed his lip until the blood started, in the effort to subdue his passion. At length—

"I am not here to bandy words with an outlaw," he said haughtily. "I am here to show you that the Queen, whom you would have grossly wronged, and the King, whom you would have stolen from his friends, for what evil purpose you know best, can be merciful even to you."

"I do not doubt the mercy which comes through my Lord Angus must be paid for, I listen."

Again Douglas with difficulty suppressed his rage; and only the warning look of the Governor enabled him to succeed.

"You do not wish to die, I presume."

"Not more than other men, my lord."

"Then if a few words could obtain for you liberty—complete liberty, with the former sentence of the Council rescinded, and all consequences avoided—would you refuse to speak these few words?"

"There are some words, my lord, which are worth more than as many heads as they require letters to spell them by."

"Do you refuse?" demanded Angus with barely controlled anger.

"I must first know what you desire me to say."

"If words be sometimes worth heads take care that silence does not cost you yours."

"I wait, my lord."

"Answer only one question, and the gates are open to you—Who were your accomplices in your attempt to carry off the King?" Spens was silent.

TO BE CONTINUED.

In Holland it is so hot during the day that the reaping of the harvest is carried on at night.

Parents neglecting their children are now liable to six months' imprisonment, and a husband not maintaining his wife can now be sent to prison by two justices in England.

VOTERS IN GLASGOW.—The hopes of many who were convinced that the small householders in Scotland, admitted to the franchise under the late reform act in England, would secure to themselves the privilege of voting, have been disappointed. In Glasgow, for example, there are 23,245 householders who have not paid poor rates up to August 1st, the last day allowed for payment, in order to qualify for voting. It was expected that the new constituency would have amounted to 70,000; but this number is now reduced to 47,000 for the coming election.

Special Notices.

HARVEST.
A large variety of Seythes, Seythe handles, Gradles, Forks, Stones, Rakes, Grindstones, and other articles suitable to the season. Also Brass and Enamelled Preserving Kettles.

JOHN HORSMAN, Guelph.

PERSONS WHO ARE GRAY
can have their hair restored to its natural color, and if it has fallen out, create a new growth by using

HAIR RESTORER
It is the best hair dressing in the world, making the hair soft, healthy, and glossy, and is sold at all druggists.

FOR SUMMER COMPLAINTS.
DIARRHOEA, DYSENTERY & CHOLERA, or any other form of bowel disease in children or Adults.

THE PAIN KILLER IS A SURE REMEDY.
It has been favorably known for nearly 30 years, and has been tested in every variety of climate.

IT IS USED BOTH EXTERNALLY AND INTERNALLY.
As for Sudden Colds, Coughs, Fever and Ague, Headache, Neuralgia and Rheumatic Pains in any part of the system, it is the most popular Medicine extant.

W. M. STEWART, Guelph, Aug. 20

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GENERAL AGENTS,
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Qualities good and Prices moderate.

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OF Canadian and British manufacture.

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TO HAND ALSO,

A lot of 6-4 Damasks,

Bought at Job Prices. Goods perfect, to be sold at LOW PRICES.

A LARGE STOCK OF

CARPETS

To be sold at **COSE**, to make room for internal alterations. A rare chance to obtain a good Carpet at a low figure.

Summer Dress Goods,
Shawls,
Silks,
Jackets.

Will be sold at very reduced prices.

W. M. STEWART

Wyndham Street, Guelph.

Guelph Aug 20

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK,

GENERAL AGENTS,
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TRUST and LOAN COMPANY

THE CANADA PERMANENT BUILDING and SAVINGS SOCIETIES OF TORONTO.

THESE Companies afford every facility to the borrower, and give him the privilege of either retaining the principal for a term of years or paying it off by instalments extending over any term of years up to 15.

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK, Have also a large amount of PRIVATE FUNDS On hand for investment.

Money Invested and Interest collected. Mortgages bought subject to examination of title, and valuation of property offered.

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK are Agents for the ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF ENGLAND.

Capital, \$10,000,000. Accumulated Funds, \$6,000,000. The Royal subscribed \$100 towards the purchase of the Guelph Steam Fire Engine, and is the only Company doing business in Guelph, that has subscribed.

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK are Agents for the STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY, Established in 1825.

The STANDARD takes risks at very reasonable rates, and Policy holders are secured by the very large sum of accumulated and invested Funds, viz: \$18,000,000, and the Company have made liberal contributions to the Government of the Dominion of Canada required by the new Act.

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK Have a number of **FARMES** for sale in the Co. of Wellington and adjoining Counties.

Also, Town Lots and Houses

In Guelph, Berlin, Fergus, &c.

AMARANTH.
Lot 22, in the 10th Concession, 200 acres.
Lot 20, in the 7th Con., 200 acres.
West-half of Lot 7, 10th Con., 200 acres.
West-half of Lot 8, 10th Con., 100 acres.

ARTHUR.
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.
Lot 20, in the 1st Con., 200 acres.
South-half Lot 21, 2nd Con., 100 acres.

ERAMOSA.
Part of West-half of 2, in the 2nd Con., four acres, with a good stone house and log stable.
West-half of Lot 30, in the 5th Con., 100 acres, 25 acres cleared.

ERIN.
West-half of Lot 8th, in the 1st Con., 100 acres, 80 cleared, good frame barn and shed, and parting and frame dwelling house; well watered & fenced.
West-half Lot 5, in the 1st Con., 90 acres; 90 acres improved; good frame dwelling house, one-and-a-half stories high, and bank barn; well fenced, 4 miles from Guelph.
East-half of Lot 22, 5th Con., 100 acres, 75 are cleared; new frame house and barn; spring creek.
West-half of Lot 22, 5th Con., 100 acres; 75 are cleared; 25 excellent bush.

ELORA.
Valuable Tavern Stand for sale in the Village of Elora, at present leased to Robert Cook being lots 5 and 6, corner of Victoria and Walnut Streets, with stabling for 40 horses.
Private residence with grounds, and a two and a half story stone dwelling house, and frame buildings on Chalmers Street, known as the Crown Hotel.

CARAFRAXA.
Lot 11, in 13th Con., 100 acres; 60 cleared, all dry land; farm buildings.
Lots 29 and 30, 3rd Con., 200 acres; 70 acres cleared; farm buildings watered by a creek.
Lot 16, 1st Con., 100 acres; 80 cleared; a corner lot, good house and barn.

GUELPH TOWNSHIP.
Lots 2 and 4, in 3rd Con., Div. D, 140 acres; 90 acres improved; frame dwelling house, and frame bank barn and sheds, well fenced.
Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 in the 1st Con., Div. D, containing 207 acres of land; to be sold together or in parts. (Particulars on application.) On this property there is a large two-story stone house, ample barn, and a two-story frame house and saw mill, a valuable property.
Lot No. 29, on Town Line, in Gall's Survey, containing 25 acres with a frame plastered house, cheap.

TOWN OF GUELPH.
Large two-story stone house, with 10 or 27 acres attached, situate on the York Road, and bounded on the north by the Kinnas river. The buildings and fences are in good repair; good garden and orchard. Terms liberal and price extremely low.
Large two-story stone house with verandah, stabling and garden, and 2 of an acre of land, on Dublin Street, at present occupied by Joseph Henson, Esq.

Water Privilege and Mill Site. containing 15 acres, composed of the north parts of Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 and Lots 5 and 6, in Oliver's Survey, on the Waterloo road.
Lots 15, 16, 22, 23, 25, 29, 31, 34, 35, 36, 40, 41, 49, 50, 51, in Webster's Survey, lying between Grand Street and the river Speck.
Lot 4, on the north side of Pearl Street, with a double frame house.

Lot 153, corner of Gordon and Wellington Sts., Lots 190 and 194, Cambridge Street, on which is erected a frame plastered dwelling house.

Four Quarry Lots. being Nos. 21, 22, 42 and 43 on the Waterloo Road.

70 feet of double frontage on Market Square and Macdonnell Street—just the spot for grain warehouses or stores.

Each-half of Lot No. 883, on which a frame house is erected.

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 Globe, containing from 1 to 5 acres each.
Nos. 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28 and 29, fronting on the Woodville Road, and 25, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 41, 42 and 43 in rear, are lot each, in one block.
Also, lot 15, 10 acres, a beautiful lot, well fenced, and in a high state of cultivation.
These lots are admirably adapted for Market Gardens, and the terms of credit are extremely liberal.

LUTHER.
Lots 4 and 5 in the 10th Con., 402 acres, 100 of which are improved; house, barn, stabling and shedding; 9 miles from Arthur, 12 miles from Mount Forest.

North-half Lot 18, in the 4th Con., 100 acres.
South-half Lot 19, 4th Con., 100 "

Lot 2, 7th Con., 200 "

Lot 18, 7th Con., 200 "

Lot 25, 7th Con., 200 "

Lot 14, 11th Con., 200 "

Lot 15, 11th Con., 200 "

Lot 18, 11th Con., 200 "

Lot 19, 11th Con., 200 "

Lot 11, 13th Con., 200 "

Lot 12, 13th Con., 200 "

Lot 19, 13th Con., 200 "

Lot 4, 21st Con., 200 "

Lot 5, 21st Con., 200 "

Lot 16, 1st Con., 100 "

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Lot 11, 11th Con., 200 "

Lot 27, 9th Con., 200 "

Lot 5, 12th Con., 200 "

Lot 26, 14th Con., 200 "

Prompt attention will be given to all prepaid letters addressed to
DAVIDSON & CHADWICK,
General Agents, Town Hall Buildings, Guelph.
Guelph, 8th August, 1868. dw

G. B. FRASER

25 Pieces Canadian Tweeds, 20 Pieces Plain and Striped Winceys, 100 Pairs Blankets, a few slightly soiled, 3 Cases Ready-Made Clothing, containing Men's and Boys' Over and Under Coats, Men's and Boys' Pants and Vests, 50 dozen Men's Canadian Grey Shirts and Drawers.

The Sale of the above Goods will commence on FRIDAY MORNING, 8th Inst., and will continue for Ten Days only, as the balance will be returned at the expiration of that time. If not sold, NOTE THIS FACT!—An opportunity like the present for buying Cheap Goods rarely occurs in Guelph.

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A COMPLETE assortment of the latest patterns of Shoe Tools, Shoe and Machine Thread, Machine Silk, Shoe Pegs, Shoe Nails, Shoe Tacks, Heel and Toe Plates, &c., wholesale and retail.
RYAN & OLIVER,
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Toronto, 1st April, 1868.

TO TAILORS.

American Shears, Trimmers, and Points of all sizes, Squares, Carved Rules, Straight-edges, Improved Irons, English and American Crayons, Barlet's

A NEW EXPLOSIVE SUBSTANCE.—A Swedish inventor has submitted to a test before a number of scientific gentlemen in England, a new explosive substance called Dynamite, which is solid, granular, and resembles coarse dark sand. The test is thus spoken of: "A thin deal box containing ten pounds of the compound was placed over a raging fire; the box was consumed, but there was no explosion, the dynamite mingling harmlessly with the ashes. It was placed in immediate contact with fire, with the same results. Gunpowder was exploded near it without effect. The superiority of the material over the dangerous explosives was acknowledged by several practical persons present connected with the carrying trades. Ten pounds of dynamite were enclosed in a second deal box, and hurled from the top of a cliff. It fell sixty feet upon the rocks below, with no more signs of explosion than would be caused by the fall of a brickbat. Equally striking were the illustrations given of its deadly strength. A cartridge filled with dynamite was placed upon a two inch plank. A fuse with a strong percussion cap was attached to it and fired, and the plank was split in several places, and had a hole knocked through it. The percussion cap is the explosive agent, and it is claimed that nothing else, so far as is known, will do the work." It is proposed that the new substance should be used for mine and quarry service, as it can be kept by traders without danger.

The honours of Abyssinia are at last out, and it can hardly be said that they are not liberally bestowed. That due discrimination has been shown in the selections is a matter about which we shall, doubtless, hear conflicting opinions and remonstrances from those left out in the cold. Be that as it may, the batch is a large one, comprising two K. C. B.'s and twenty-six C. B.'s, and, in the way of promotions, one major-general, six A. D. C.'s to the Queen, three of them involving promotion to the rank of colonel, nine other promotions to that rank, seventeen brevet lieutenant-colonels, and thirty brevet majorities.

RAILWAYS AND PRIZE FIGHTING.—By an act passed in the late session of the English Parliament, it is provided that on and after April 1, 1869, "any railway company that shall knowingly let for hire, or otherwise provide any special train for the purpose of conveying parties to or to be present at any prize-fight, or who shall stop any ordinary train to convenience or accommodate any parties attending a prize-fight at any place not an ordinary station on their line, shall be liable to a penalty to be recovered in a summary way before two justices of the county in which such prize fight shall be held or shall be attempted to be held, of such sum not exceeding £500, and not less than £200, as such justices shall determine."

A Mrs. Flint sold a hen's egg in Chatham, the other day, which was 8 1/2 inches by 7 1/2 inches, and weighed 4 1/2 ounces. Mrs. Flint herself weighs 337 1/2 pounds. What a country this is.

The federal army of Switzerland numbers 203,603 men, of whom 749 belong to the staff, 87,630 to the active contingent, 49,765 to the reserve, and 65,339 to the landwehr.

The Emir of Bokhara has acceded to the demands of the Emperor of Russia, and the city of Samarcand has consequently been evacuated by the Russian forces. Bokhara has, however, been made a mere tributary to Russia.

Three stock or exchange brokers on the Paris Exchange, have recently sold out their business, realising the respective sums of \$480,000, \$300,000, and \$270,000.

The Canton of Neuchâtel, in Switzerland, produces annually about eight hundred thousand watches, representing an approximate value of \$7,000,000. The trade employs about thirty thousand hands.

Mr. C. J. Brydges has left Montreal for England.

It is reported that the Ontario Legislature is to be called together in October, so as not to interfere with the sittings of the Dominion Parliament.

The St. Lawrence river is again densely enshrouded in smoke from burning forests, and navigation is impeded in consequence.

A man in Halifax had his nose barked in a row. He don't go in for re-peal. Count Bismarck's salary is only \$9,000 a year. The ministers of Napoleon receive \$60,000 a year each, and have been badly beaten by the able Prussian.

COMMERCIAL.

Guelph Markets.
MERCURY OFFICE, GUELPH, September 1, 1868.

Flour 100 lbs	3 35	@ 3 75
Full Wheat 1/2 bush	1 20	@ 1 25
Spring Wheat 1/2 bush	1 20	@ 1 25
Oats 1/2 bush	0 45	@ 0 47
Peas do	0 80	@ 0 85
Barley do	0 25	@ 0 30
Hay 1 ton	10 00	@ 11 00
Straw	4 00	@ 4 00
Shingles 1/2 cord	1 00	@ 1 50
Wood 1 cord	3 00	@ 3 50
Wool	0 24	@ 0 25
Eggs 1 dozen	0 11	@ 0 12
Bullock (no 1) 1 lb	0 14	@ 0 17
do (no 2) 1 lb	0 13	@ 0 16
Cheese 1 lb	0 25	@ 0 30
Turkeys each	0 50	@ 0 60
Chickens 1/2 pair	0 20	@ 0 28
Ducks do	0 30	@ 0 35
Potatoes (new) 1/2 bush	1 00	@ 1 50
Apples 1 bush	1 00	@ 1 00
Lamb, 1 lb	0 06	@ 0 07
Beef 1 lb	0 07	@ 0 08
Pork 1/2 100 lbs	5 60	@ 5 50
Sheep 1/2 each	0 20	@ 0 25
Lambskins	0 45	@ 0 50
Hides	6 00	@ 6 00

Money Market.

JACKSON'S EXCHANGE OFFICE, Guelph, Sept. 1, 1868.
Gold, 144.
Greenbacks 60¢ at 68 to 69; sold at 69 to 69 1/2.
Large Silver bought at 6 1/2; sold at 6.
Small silver bought at 6 1/2; sold at 6.
Upper Canada Bank Bills bought at 60¢ to 60¢.

MONTREAL MARKETS.

Kirkwood, Livingston & Co's report by Special Telegraph to "Evening Mercury."
MONTREAL, September 1, 1868.
Flour—Fancy, \$6 40 to \$6 70; Superior No. 1 \$6 15 to \$6 40; Welland Canal, \$6 25. Bar, 30¢, \$5 25 to \$5 50. Oats, 25¢ to 30¢. Barley, 21¢ to 25¢. Butter—dairy, 19¢ to 21¢. Store packed, 17 to 19¢. Ashes—Pots \$5 25 to \$5 50, per 100 \$5 50 to \$5 55.

TORONTO, August 31, 1868.
Flour—Market is very dull. No. 1, at 60 to 60 1/2. Full Wheat—\$1 25. Spring Wheat—\$1 20 to \$1 45. Oats—50¢. Barley—\$1 00 to \$0 92. Peas—\$5 to \$6.

R. J. JEANNERET.

From England,
(Established in London, Ont., 1842 and in Guelph 1863.)

WORKING WATCHMAKER

AND JEWELER
DAYS BLOCK,
Opposite the Market, Guelph.

EVERY description of Watches, Clocks and Jewellery repaired in a superior manner at short notice and on reasonable terms.
Guelph, 29th May. dw

BARGAINS

AT BUCHAM'S.

JUST OPENED!

DECIDED BARGAINS IN

WHITE & GREY COTTONS

Prints, Shirts, Towellings, &c.

To - Morrow Morning!

A. O. BUCHAM will offer at a sacrifice the balance of his **Summer Dress Goods, Shawls and Jackets**, and invites public notice to this announcement.
A. O. BUCHAM.
Wynham Street, Guelph, August 25, 1868. daw tf

NEW GROCERY STORE!

E. O'DONNELL & CO.

Are now opening out a large and well selected stock of **GROCERIES, China, Crockery and Glassware!**
(In the Store lately occupied by C. & T. Merrett in Wynham Street.)
ALSO, A CHOICE STOCK OF

Wines, Liquors and Whiskies

Which they are determined to sell cheaper than any house in the trade. Parties wishing to purchase anything in the line will find it to their advantage to give them a call. As they are determined to

SELL FOR CASH ONLY!

GREAT BARGAINS MAY BE EXPECTED.
E. O'DONNELL & CO.
Wynham Street, Guelph, 7th August, 1868. dw

INDIA & CHINA TEA CO'Y.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

SINCE the **TEAS** of the INDIA and CHINA TEA COMPANY were introduced into Canada, some eighteen months ago, their reputation, in spite of the misrepresentations of interested parties, has become widely extended. The qualities of **Low Quality and Adulterated Teas** introduced into Canada for sale to **COUNTRY DEALERS**, have largely increased, and the complaint of the difficulty of obtaining

A PURE AND GENUINE ARTICLE

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Only two Prices—In air-tight packages, extra Black, Green (Hyson or Gunpowder) or Mixed, 70c and \$1 per lb.

OBSERVE.—None are **GENUINE**, unless the Company's **Trade Mark** is on each packet. N. B.—Those who desire **Cheaper Teas**, in half-chests or boxes, can obtain the cheapest and best in the Market, for Cash, on application to the CANADA DEPOT, 25 Hospital St., Montreal. Samples sent on application.

The above **TEAS** are for sale at the **MEDICAL HALL**.
E. HARVEY & CO., Agents for Guelph.
Guelph, August 18. daw 3m

Commercial Union Assurance Company.

CHIEF OFFICES—19 and 20 CORNHILL, LONDON, ENGLAND.
CAPITAL, Fire Department, \$2,500,000.

THE success which has attended the Company's operations has been such as fully to realize the most sanguine expectations of the Directors, who have resolved to extend the business more widely, and now offer to the Canadian Public **PERFECT SECURITY** guaranteed by large subscribed capital and invested Funds.

PROMPT SETTLEMENT OF CLAIMS.—The Directors and General Agents, being gentlemen largely engaged in commerce, will take a liberal and business like view of all questions coming before them.

Life Department.
Volunteers assured in this Company, are permitted, without extra charge, to do duty on the Frontier, and to engage in repelling marauding attacks. Eighty per cent of the Profits of the Whole Life and Annuity business are divided among participating Policy Holders.

Claims are paid one month after Proof of Death.
By a recent Act of Parliament a Wife can now hold a Policy on the life of her Husband free from all other claims.

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Office—385 and 337 St. Paul St., Montreal.
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DRESS SHIRTS,

TIES, COLLARS,

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THE GUELPH CLOTH HALL
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Guelph, 9th May 1868 daw y

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NEW UNDEVEED
"BAROLAY" SHUTTLE
Sewing Machine.

PRICE.
No. 1 Machine, \$25.00
No. 2 Machine, with splendid iron stand, \$35.00
Containing the very Latest Improvements and Inventions—Strong, Durable, Beautiful, Well Made and Highly Finished.

Makes the Genuine Lock Stitch
Which is the best of the material sewed, and will not rip or unravel; using two threads and adapted to light and heavy goods, coarse and fine threads; very large Shuttle and Bobbin, and so simple that a child can be taught to work it efficiently in a very short time.

Suited to all kinds of Family and General Sewing.
Tailoring, Mantle Making, and the use of Dress makers, Manufacturers of Shirts, Collars, Shirts, Cloaks, Clothing, Hats, Caps, Corsets, Linen Goods, &c. They work equally well upon Silk, Linen, Woolen and Cotton Goods, with silk, cotton or linen thread.

They will seam, quilt, gather, fell, cord, braid, blind, hem, tuck, and perform any species of fine or coarse sewing, making a beautiful and perfect stitch, alike on both sides of the fabric sewed.
Office and Salesroom: 56, King-St. West, Toronto, May 6, 1868. dw

Instruction, Exercises, and Music FOR THE VIOLIN.

CAMPAGNOL'S Celebrated Method, \$6.00—Sophie's School, complete, \$4. Abridged, \$2. Max's Instructor with Pleyel's Duets, \$2.75. Modern School by Paganini, \$2.50. Saunders' Self-Instruction School \$1.25. May's Operatic Method, \$1.00. Hill's Practical Method, \$2.50. Henrich's School \$2.50. Ole Bull's Instructor, 60c. Winner's Perfect Guide, a new and popular book, containing selections and 200 favorite Melodies, 75c. Violin Complete, \$1.25. Violin made Easy, 75c. Jewell's National Teacher, 75c. Krutz's 40 Studies, \$2.50. Woodbury's Instructor, 50c. Howe's School—Self-Instruction—Without a Master and Etchings, each 50c. Pleyel's Violin Duets, 75c. Mailed post-paid on receipt of price by OLIVER DITSON & CO., Publishers, 277 Washington St., Boston, or CHAS. H. DITSON & CO., 711 Broadway, New York. daw tf

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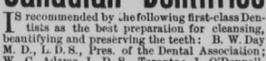
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Price 25c. per box. For sale by all Druggists.
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Hamilton, 1st July, 1868. dw

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TEAS—Hif Chests Young Hyson, Gunpowder, Twankay and Japan.
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We would call particular attention to our Stock of the following, which for Purity and Genuineness cannot be surpassed.

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Peaches, Tomatoes, Pears, Apples,

AT THE FRUIT DEPOT,

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Prarie Tea Sets, 44 pieces, Lustre Band, \$4.25.
Granite Toilet Sets, four Pieces, \$1.25.

Granite Unhandled Teas, per dozen, 75 cents.
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Lamp Chimneys, 50 cents per dozen.
Lamp Chimneys, by the barrel, 40 cts. per doz.

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