### GUELPH, ONT., CANADA, SATURDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 28, 1874.

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### Local and Other Items. Luelph Evening Mercury APPOINTMENT.—Mr. Peace, formerly the Jounty of Waterloo Inspector of Schools, as recently been appointed Town In-pector in Galt. SATURDAY EV'G, NOV. 28, 1874.

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Guelph, Nov. 10th, 1874 dw

## New Advertisements.

WANTED.—A Housemaid, one wh understands her work.—Apply t Irs. Morris, Woolwich Street. ddt VICTORINE LOST.-Lost in Guclph on Friday, a Mink Victorine, with head of Mink on each side. The finder, by leav-ing it at Wan. Rutherford & Co's stors, will be suitably rewarded. n28a3t

SPECTOR IN Galt. ACCIDENT.—On Friday last, while Mr. James Hood, of Freelton, was driving a load of posts into Hamilton, his load up-set and fell upon him, breaking one of his arms in two places. **Fown and County News** Mr. David Anderson of Rothsay, while walking along the streets in that village, a few days ago, slipped and fell, breaking his ancle. his arms in two places. LOST IN A SWAMP. — The Examiner states that a search is to be made for Mrs. Troy, who was lost in Proton swamp in Soptember last. No tidings of the missing/woman have yet been received, and a last general systematic effort is to be made to discover, if possible, any trace of her remains, as it seems beyond doubt that she must have perished. The Weaverner Vorme 'Last. At the

ST. ANDREW'S .- The St. Andrew's So. ciety of Elora have decided to . celebrate "The Day" by a dinner at the Gomercial hotel.

DRAYTON. - A son of Mr. Gameau, ad a finger taken off while playing with combined cramper and cutting ma-

THE WROXETER VOTERS' LIST.—At the revision of this list on Thursday there was great consternation and excitement in court, the Conservative party having lost the original subpena, and therefore had to abandon all their appeals, not having struck off a vote. The Beformers made a not gain of forty-four in the town-ship. T. G. & B. RAILWAY .- Mr. Wylie of Hamilton has been appointed station master at Arthur, in place of Mr. Hadley who has gone to Teeswater.

Imitations of Canadian five and ten DECISION ON A.WILL CASE .- In the cent silver pieces are said to be plentifully in circulation. They are so cunningmade that very few people detect heir baseness.

DECISION ON A WILL CASE, --HI the while case of Abbott v. First the appeal has been allowed, and the decision of the Queen's Bench in Mo. asl reversed. Each party to pay his own losses. Mr. Fraser left about \$60,000 to establish a library in Montreal; his relatives dis-puted the will, and were sustained by the Montreal Court, a decision which the Privy Council has now reversed. CLEAN YOUR SIDEWALKS. — We notice that the Chief of Police has issued posters calling the attention of citizens to the

Trivy Council has now reversed. TENACOUS OF LIFE.—A pig belonging to Mr. Thos. Sudden, North Dumfries, was lost about six weeks ago, and was found the other day in a pile of rails, where it is supposed it has been all the time without ever having obtained any food, and strange to say was still alive, after its imprisonment of live, weeks and three days. section of the Act, requiring them to keep the snow of the sidewalks in front of their property, and also to the clause forbidding the dangerous practice of running hand-sleighs on the sidewalks. The clause forbidding animals to ran at large

Old Trusty vs. Fly-Away. The Guelph Herald pities " ames Ross, who has less chance of eing elected than he has of being struck y lightning." It charitably speaks of im as "a defunct politician" dug up rom "the political bone yard," but loubts whether he is "a healthy corpse."

It elegantly compares him to a cart-horse, pleasantly hints that he feels weak in the knees, and gracefully suggests that he is neither useful nor ornamental. And, notwithstanding all this it cannot help adding that he is jetady and plod-ding, that he is regarded by all parties as a respectable, steady-going old gentle-man, that he is neapable of doing ovil. This is an odd mixture, but the *Heraid* man is pretty well accustomed to that sort of thing. He takes it hot, and hasn't for-gotten the sugar. Evidently, James Ross, with all his imperfections, is, ac-cording to the *Heraid's* own showing, far uperior to that wooden image for which Conservatives, as Mr. James Grindly ad-mitted at the election trial, are so ready-ming to the theorem image for which Conservatives, as Mr. James Grindly ad-mitted at the election trial, are so ready-ming the other requisites of experience and honesty, is just the man for Centre Wellington. The people of this consti-tuony don't object to the cart-horse which, joldding and obedient, buckles cheerfully to work, is always to be found in harness when wanted, and which never bauks or flinches when the strong pull is needed. Call James Ross an old eart-horse if you will. He is trusty, and true, and tried. He has helped to drag the state waggion out of the mud already, and will be nons the less fitted to assist in boxing it along aow that firm ground is reached. The *Hercald* thinks dif-forently, however. It profers "high splitt and high stopping, albeit the ani-mal is apt to run away and get unruly betimes." In obsery and fick Doctor. There is no accounting for taste, but we are of opinion that a large majority in Centre Wellington, will not agree with the fast and horsey opinions of the not arthor trust themselves behind the old carthorse once more, and that is just that dail was tho be run away with. They don't desire an animal which will "get unruly betimes" They don't ask for high-spirited and high-stepping, with no bottom. They have no desire to be thrown out in the

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Ontario Legislature. Nov. 27.

Untario Legislature. Nov. 37. Mr. Crooks moved, That the House ratify the Order in Council approved by His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor in Council on the 24th September, 1874, with reference to the Toronto, Grey, and Bruce Railway, extending the time for the construction of the road between Weston and Toronto, and for extending the time for the completion of the whole road to Tesswater. Carried. A similar motion was passed for ex-tending the time of construction on the Northern Extension Railway between Washage and Graven hurs. The Toroks moved the concurrence of the House in the report of the Commit-tee on the Resolutions respecting Junni-ration to Canada. The motion was carried. The motion for concurrence on the them of \$51,030 Crown Lands Depart-ment. Mr. Hykert moved, in amondment, "That while this House cannot refuse the amount estimated for contingencies in the Crown Lands Department, it re-ports that year after year the expenditure tor contingencies largely escoeds the ap-pariation." The Mr. The the proposed ament after that' in the proposed ament washing the increased business of the Department from year to year." He beatment has been amply justified by personn the increased business of the Department from year to year." He beatment from year to year. " He beatment from year to year." He beatment from year to year." He beatment from year to year." He beatment from year to year. " He beatweet he increased business of the beatment from year to year." He beatment from year to year." He beatwe

erried on. After considerable discussion, a divis-on was taken on the amendment to the mendment, which was carried—Yeas. 85;

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Mr. McKellar said that with regard to Mr. Henning, whose means had been mentioned by the member for Lincolu-the other evening, he had left the Insti-tution long before Mr. McCandless was appointed. With only two exceptions, the officials in the College were all ap-pointed at the recommendation of Prof. McCandless. Complaints had been con-tinually coming in to the Government of Prof. McCandless's incapacity, and the Government at last deemed it necessary to make an enquiry. The Committee had examined the various witnesses se-parately, and the evidence taken was such as to convince him and the other members of the Government that Prof. McCandless was entirely unit for his position. The Attornoy-Gen, with the cantiousness that characterized his every action, was very unwilling to dismiss-the Professor, but at last even he was convinced that his releation in office would result in every student leaving the Institution. He believed if even a portion of the evidence was placed before gentemen opposite, they would say the Government had acted wisely. (Hear, hear.)

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The House divided, and the amend-ment to the amendment was lost—Yeas, 36; Nays, 3. YEAS—Messrs Barber, Baxter, Bethune, Bishop, Caldwell, Clarke, (Norlk), Clemens Cook, Craig, (Russell), Crools, (Cresby, Deacon, Farewell, Finlay, sen., Fraser, Gibson, Gow, Hardy, Harrington, Hod-gins, Lauder, McKellar. Meredith, Monit, Mowat, O'Donoghue, Bardee, Paxton, Sinclair, Smith, Springer, Waterworth, Williama, (Hamilton), Wilson, Wood, 36.

36. NAYS-Messrs. Cameron, McCall, Ry-

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The amendment to the amendment was carried. On the item for cost of inspection of Division Courts, Mr. Meredith moved that the following words be added to the resolution as amended :-- "But this House regrets that it has been asked to vote a sum of \$2,050 for the salary and travelling expenses of the Inspector of Division Courts, when in the opinion of this House no sufficient reason exists for the continuance of that office-Lost, y for, 34 against. The House then adjourned.

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There is a very old saying to the effect that "Maidons, and moths are caught with glore." A young miss has reduced her views on these words to poetry:
When first this sounded in my ear.
I foit 'twas false, a libel clear;
I could not be that maidens fair
Like silly moths were caught by glare.
She didn't like to believe it, but after deep medication she has come to the con-clusion that it is too true—that
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And when they're caught, coor, foolish thingst

pered under him. But as no moral mis-conduct was imputed, it was right that he should have had a gratuity. Both pay-ments were made rightly, and the subse-quent successful employment of the two gentiemen would not prove that the action of the Government was wrong (Cheers.) Mr. Rykert contended that the papers should be brought down to enable the roason of the dismissatof Mr. McCandless was that he had told the Government that there were persons in the institution unfit for their offices, as they would show if they were granted a committee. of in-vestigation. He alleged that the Government the order for the payment of the \$1,500 without an Order in Council. Gratuittes

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SATURDAY EV'G, NOV. 28, 1874.

The Agricultural College again. The Opposition are determined to

fight it out on the Agricultural College, if it takes up nearly the whole time of the session. On Friday they made another attack on the Govern.

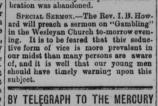
The condition of the operation of the condition of the conditions of the conditio wenge on the Government for not condoning his mismanagement. But we are satisfied that the more this matter is stirred the worse it wild be for the ex-Principal, who does not seem to have even sense enough to hide his own incapacity, but has urged on a course of action which has tended very much to expose it. Of course, Mr. McCandless is very anxious to tell all his imaginary grievances, and at the sitting of the Public Accounts Committee on Fri-day, Mr. Lauder thought there was a fine opportunity for giving him a chance to do this, and for the exam-ination of papers referring to the

chance to do this, and for the exam-ination of papers referring to the gratuity paid him. But he demanded papers, which, according to the reso-lution of the House, the Committee had no right to ask for, and when the Chairman had decided that the Committee should confine itself to its strictly 'legitimate work, Mr. Lauder forund that he was baulked in his design, and so left the examina-tion of Mr. McCaudless till another time.

his design, dn so for the choice the tion of Mr. McCandless till another time. Mr. Cameron, in the House, sought to bring this aflatir up as a matter of privilege. He objected to the ground taken by the Charman, that the Committee had nothing to do with the circumstances connected with the removal of Mr. McCandless, but had only to see that there were vouchers for the expenditure. The House, however, concurred in the view taken by the Government, and held that it was no business of the Committee to make such inquiry; that such power only belonged to the House, when the Committee had reported to it. The Speaker ac-cordingly ruled that this question of privilege was out of order, and so Mr. Cameron's indignant appeal went for nothing. nothing

HALTON .- The election Trial for Halton will take place at the Court House, Milton, on Tuesday, the Sth December before his Lordship, the

The other day, while the me in-bers of the Ontario Legislature were waiting for the Speaker's coming, the versatile member for Lincoln (Mr. Rykert) suggested that, the House not being in session, a member of the Government should volunteer a song for the general entertainment, but the first line of "GOOD BYB CHARLE, WHEN YOU ARS AWAT," caused him to regret that he had urged his request.



JOHN HORSMAN'S. New York Saloons. HARDWARE MERCHANT, Result of the Recent Trials. GUELPH. New York, Nov. 28. — As a result of the recent conviction of a German saloon keeper for selling liquor with-out license, the saloon keepers ap-plied at the License Bureau yester-day in such numbers that they form ed in line and waited their turn, and numbers failed of receiving atten-tion. Two hundred licenses were is-sued, netting \$14,000 to the City Treasury. ST. ANDREW'S DAY IN GUELPH. Will celebrate the ANNIVERSARY of their Patron Saint, by a IN THE TOWN HALL, TOWN HALL. On Monday Evening, November 30th. The Concert will be given under the man-agement of Miss Jeanie Wat on and Mr. J. F. Hardy, the well-known Scottish Vocalists, who will be assisted by popular amateurs. RETURN HERNDONS A SPLENDID QUADRILLE BAND Opera House Company Has been engaged for the Ball. Tickets, admitting lady and gentleman, \$1.50; goniteman's single ticket, \$1; extra lady's ticket, 50c. Refreshments extra. Tickets may be had at the Drug and Book Stores, and from the members of the Com-mittee. Doors open at 7 o'clock; concert to com-mence at 5 hum. FOUR NIGHTS ONLY Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, Nov 25th, 26th, 27th and 28th. mence at 8 sharp. JOHN ANDERSON, Secretary. Guelph, Nov. 17th, 1874. dw ENTIRELY NEW LIST OF PLAYS WO EXTRA No piece repeated that this Company as ever performed in Guelph. Berkshire Boars. Saturday Evening, Nov. 28th "OUR AMERICAN COUSIN." Admission 25 and 50 cents. Doors open a 1 ; commence at 8. Guelph, Nov. 20, 1874. BERKSHIRE BOAR JOHN A. FAMILY

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- Ladies' Black, Mid and Dark Snades, best robuind: And, and the pair.
  Misses' White Kids, Single Button, in Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6.
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  Misses' Light Evening Shades, Single Button, in Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6.
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  Gents' White Kids, in the following sizes, \$1 per pair: ---71, 73, 8, 84, 82, 83 and 9.
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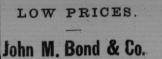
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Guelph, Nov. 16, 1874 NEW GOODS

The following invoice of Goods has jus-con received from the Celebrated Estab-ishment of Crostes & Biackwell, of London and as it comprises goods such as are not rought to Guelph by any other house you re lavited to imspect them :--

Wax Moons for Carriage Lamps, Night-lights, 6 and 8 hours, Cadbury's Cocoa Essence, Raspberry and Strawberry Jam, Raspberry Yinegar, Calvesfoot Jelly, Lemon, Madeira, and Vanilla Jelly China Preserved Ginger, Capt. White's West India Pickle, and Curry Paste, Mango Relish, Pickled Onions, Kippered Herrings, English Yarmouth Bloaters, Smoked Cods, Roes, Anchory and Bloater Paste, Strasburg Meats, Potted Ham, Chicken and Game, Harvey's Sance, Les & Ferrin's Worcestershire Sance,

Sauce, English Malt Vinegar, and Anchovy Sauce. ALSO,

White Clover Honey, in Comb, Cranberries from Lake Superior.

AT JOHN A.WOODS.

Alma Block and Lower Wyndham Street, Guelph. 012 do.

FARMERS' DIARIES: - If our farmers knew how little trouble it is to keep a diary, and with what satisfaction they would look over it in a few years, we feel sure they would, many of them, be in-duced to begin one. A simple record of the weather and the operations of the farm, the writing of which would not occupy two minutes a day, will, in after years, be not only a source of pleasure, but also of great practical benefit; by reference back to the record of former years, one can see how late he planted certain crops, and at what time they matured, also items of interest to the family prices, &c. At Day's Bookstore will be found a large stock of Diaries and Farm Account Books. Day will sell you a large foolseap Diary for 35 cents, and Pocket Diaries from 15 cents upwards. Begin now, and it will pay you well for the few minutes'lost in entering your day's work.

TYRCATHLEN LOTS.

THACCATHLEAS LAVIS. The Venerable Archdeacon Palmer has placed in my hands for sale the Lots in his new survey, immediately in rear of his resi-tence and lying on the morth aide of Grange-street. The situation cannot be surpassed in the town-convenient to Market, Post Office, Charch and Schools, commanding magnificenty view of the town and surround-ing country. The lots are of allorent size, introfease soil for gardening. Those lots on Tyrachilen Terrace are well solved of for genteel residences, (and will only be sold to those who will bargain to put up good buildings). — Plan of the Lots can be seen at my office and particulars learned. Terms very liberal. Purchases made this Sall, interest on balance of purchase mers, will and commonce until is theria. If desired the lots will be nointed et 0

next. If desired, the lots will be pointed out on Also, 17 other lots lying to the north of

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Chief Justice. The Reform conven-tion for the same constituency will be held on the 15th December, when delegates from each Electoral sub-division in the County, will meet for the nomination of candidates in the interest of the Government. The Milton *Champion* believes all local interests will be laid aside, and a solid united vote given to the par-ties who may be the choice of the convention. We fervently hope that that this will be the case.

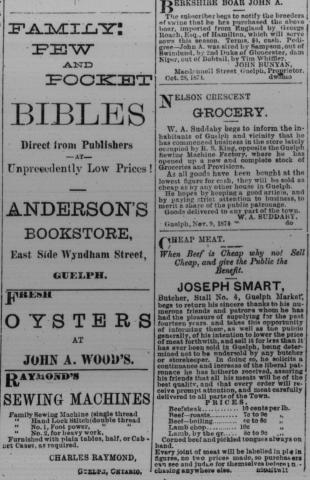
that this will be the case. The directors of the Caughnawaga Ship Canal Company have resolved to construct the canal at their own expense, without the Government's interference, The company has ixed its capital at \$5,000,000, and many of the wealthy men of Montreal have taken shares to the amount of \$410,0000 each. They expect to be able to recover the whole expendi-ture in a few years after the comple-tion of the canal out of its revenues, and afterwards to pocket large divi-dends.

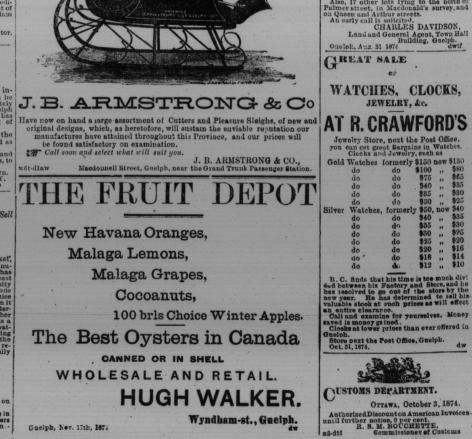
The Convention of the Liberal Con servative Association of East Elgin held on Thursday at Aylmer, result-ed in the nomination of Mr. Thomas Arkell, of St. Thomas, merchant, who was the unanimous choice.

Takus advantage of the depressed state of the market, the Dominion Premier purchased 40,000 tons of steel rails to be used on the Pacific Railway, at \$54 a ton—less than the price of iron rails a few months since.

Whenever Lauder gets obstreper-ous, he has to be brought to his senses by Mr. Fraser, and this has given rise to a new word. for when-ever Lauder gets such a lecture it is swid that he has been "Frasered."

Mr. J. Allen, of Mono Mills, has been chosen Opposition candidate for Card-well in the Ontario Legislature.





Guelph, Nov. 17th, 1874



