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REMOVAL

STEPHEN BOULT, Architect and Builder. Has Removed his Workshop and Planning Factory to QUEBEC STREET, (off of the old Congregational Church), a short distance east of Wyndham Street.

Evening Mercury

OFFICE..... MACDONNELL STREET. WEDNESDAY EV'G, APRIL 22, 1868.

Plans, Specifications & Estimates

Supplied, and work superintended in all its branches.

MUSIC

Last night the members of Dyson's Cornet Band took their instruments out to give them an airing, and marching through the streets played several beautiful airs, very much to the delight of those whose ears the lively strains greeted.

Planing Done to Order

AND ALL KINDS OF Mouldings, Sashes, Doors, Blinds, and Machine Joiners' Work.

NEW BLACKSMITH SHOP

Mr. Caleb Chase, long and favourably known in Guelph, has opened a Blacksmith Shop near Goldie's Mills.

DR. JAMES' NEW DISCOVERY

GREEN MOUNTAIN OIL

WARRANTED TO CURE Rheumatic Pains of all kinds, Diphtheria, Croup and Burns, Swelling and sore Eyes, Rheumatic Pains, Stiff Joints, Pains in the Back, Dropsy, Asthma, Sore Throat, SPRAINS, Wounds and Bruises, NEURALGIA, Toothache and Headache, SARACHE and Stiff Neck, SALT RHEUM, ERYSIPELAS, FROSTED FEET and CHILBLAINS.

Municipal Council of Nassagaweya

The Council met pursuant to adjournment on Monday, 20th April. Members all present, the Reeve in the chair. The minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

NOT RUN AWAY YET

THE Subscriber begs to inform his old friends and the Public, that though several noted characters have lately been constrained to leave Guelph for the sake of their health, it is still hale and hearty, and hangs out his shingle at the old spot.

TEMPERANCE LECTURE

Rev. Mr. Ball delivered a Lecture in the Temperance Hall on Tuesday night last. The attendance was large and the audience listened attentively to the remarks of the lecturer on the subject, in which most of them take a deep interest.

CORK STREET

DEADY'S HOTEL

Where it is prepared as formerly to make up CLOTHING of every description at short notice and in a superior style.

DAILY MAIL

We are very glad to learn that our friends at the village of Douglas now enjoy the luxury of a daily mail, being supplied therewith from Ferguson. It may be unnecessary to add that the post office at the former place is known by the name of Garafaxa.

To Farmers!

Having had 30 years experience, and devoting all his time to the business, he can make up

PRESENTATION

On Monday last the Wardens of St. George's Church, presented Miss Wightman, in the name of the Vestry, with an elegantly bound Church Service, and a handsome Hymn Book, as a token of their appreciation of her services as organist for a long time past.

Home-made CLOTH!

And trim it CHEAPER than can be done at any other Establishment in Town.

SEIZURE OF WATERLOO BREWERIES

AND MALT HOUSES.—We are informed that Mr. District Inspector Romaine, assisted by Mr. Officer Davis, on Tuesday seized the breweries and malt houses of David Kuntz, Christopher Huether, Jos. Speitz, and the brewery of George Selig, all in the County of Waterloo, for violation of the Act respecting Inland Revenue.

Dominion Store!

JUST RECEIVED, a large assortment of Embroidery for Ladies Underclothing. Also for Braiding on all sorts of Dress Goods.

COST OF THE DOG LUXURY

We happened, says the Canada Farmer, to glance, the other day, at the published account of the Treasurer for the township of Puslinch, as it appeared in a local paper. Observing that "paid destruction of sheep" came very often, we had the curiosity to foot up these items. The result was that out of \$449.54 of township expenditure, \$354.25 were paid for the destruction of sheep.

New Oranges and Lemons

For sale GATES' & CO'S VICTORIA SEWING Machines. Don't forget the stand, next to the Wellington Hotel.

Erin Correspondence

Last Thursday night the Mechanics' Institute gave the first of their readings and concert. It was very well attended from 250 to 300 being present. Most of the readings were loudly applauded and a number of the songs were encored. The readings were selected from Burns, Scott, Dickens and W. H. Russell.

Apothecaries' Hall!

Just received, a supply of very fine Oil, made to suit

JACKSON & HALLETT

Our readers will see by the advertisement in another column that Messrs. Jackson & Hallett have purchased the Grocery business of Mr. John L. Lewis, and will in future carry it on in the same store on their own account.

Sewing Machine Oil

Superior to all other Oils.

MYSTERIOUS WARNING

A few days ago, says the Toronto Telegraph, his Worship the Mayor received an anonymous letter stating that a plot had been prepared to set fire to the Drill Shed on either Saturday or Sunday night.

Sewing Machines

Will wear longer, and does not clog up the finest parts of the machine.

DENIAL

We are reluctantly compelled to refer to the painful case in connection with Knox's Church, from a paragraph in last night's Advertiser, in which it is charged that we designedly and from sinister motives made a false statement to the effect that the decision of the Presbytery was carried by a majority. We said so advisedly and now repeat it without fear of contradiction that the decision was carried by a majority. As to the motives spoken of, we have little doubt the gentleman referred to will readily acquit us of that charge.

A. B. PETRIE

Chemist, Market Square, Guelph, April 22, 1868.

Dissolution of Co-Partnership

NOTICE is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, as Farmers, was dissolved this 4th day of April, 1868, by mutual consent.

Death of Lord Cardigan

James Thomas Brudenell, seventh Earl of Cardigan, who led the celebrated charge of the Six Hundred at Balaklava, and whose name has been prominently before the public in more or less honorable connections throughout most of his career, died at his seat in Northamptonshire, England, on the 28th of March, in consequence of a fall from his horse.

The Ottawa Tragedy

A Witness to the Assassination. A man was arrested on Tuesday, named Lacroix, nine miles out of the city. The evidence extracted from this man is of very important character; and if established, brings on the stage a person who actually saw Mr. McGee assassinated. He left Hull on the night of the murder, and according to his own account happened to be going along to the scene of the assassination shortly before the murder.

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BY TELEGRAPH

Despatches to the Evening Mercury

Interesting from Abyssinia!

The Fight not Commenced, but Shortly Expected

Attempt to Burn Buckingham Palace BY FENIANS.

PROGRESS OF FENIAN TRIALS IN LONDON.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

London, April 21, midnight.—In House of Commons to-night a bill requiring all executions of criminals by hanging to be conducted in private, was considered in committee of the whole. Mr. C. Gillip, member Northampton, moved an amendment abolishing capital punishment. Mr. Gregory and Mr. Mill opposed the motion.

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Paris, April 21

The Moniteur to-day says Government will bring a bill before the Corps Legislatif to provide for the completion of extensive public works on the interior and connecting roads of France.

London, April 21

The London Times this morning has a special despatch from its correspondent, with the expedition in Abyssinia, who says that on 29th March (Gen. Napier, with the advance, was at the village of Redclaw. The weather was cool and rain was falling. It was reported that King Theodore had an army of ten thousand men, and would make a stand against the British.

London, April 21

The trial of Fenian prisoners, charged with causing the explosion at Clerkenwell prison, was resumed this morning. Mullaney, the informer, was cross-examined by the counsel for the defence. He testified that he had acted as Fenian centre; boarded with Murphy, and met at his house W. Desmond, one of the prisoners at the bar.

A REPUTATION

The following is an extract from a letter dated Halifax, N. S., March 5, 1868:—"The Antia are having one of their great arguments nicely refuted just now. You know how they frightened the poor farmers in the country about the Canadians coming down here, and ruining the market for produce. It does not look much like that at the present. For instance, taking butter as an article; it now commands the high price of thirty cents per pound, and is still advancing notwithstanding all that has been sent down here from old Canada; and further the Canadians here are buying up all the butter they can, and re-shipping it back, as they can get more for it there."

To Sportsmen.

Now opening my Spring Supply of Fish Hooks, Rods and Tackle, consisting of Reels, Nets, Fly Books, Panier's Landing Rings, Winches, multiplying and plain, Silkworm Gut, Artificial Flies, mounted and plain Hooks, Steel and Brass Swivels, Bait Boxes, Floats, Freble Braid Hooks, and a variety of Fish Lines—linen, silk, horse hair, &c.

Yours, &c. DELTA. April 22nd, 1868.

Herapath's Railway Journal, in an article on the present and future of the Gt. Western Railway of Canada, pronounces it "a good sound concern and well managed."

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OFFICE:..... MACDONNELL STREET
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22, 1868.

THE KU-KLUX KLAN.

While the American war was still raging, and at a time when the rebels were showing symptoms of weakness and approaching exhaustion, a clever correspondent of an English paper hazarded the prediction that the "proud, money-making North could never overcome the South." He believed they might beat them from every field, but when the Southerners could no longer meet their foes in battle line rebellion was not necessarily crushed out—the swamps of Florida would afford a cover for predatory and irreconcilable enemies, and in the usual weapons of warfare could not be procured, a resort would be had to those arms of a ruder age and a more simple construction. We are not, of course, disposed to attach importance to human vaticinations, but it is somewhat singular that in the organization and depredations of the infamous Ku Klux Klan, the correspondent's prophecy should have found its fulfilment.—These are the implacable and unscrupulous foes of Republicanism, taking the same ground towards the United States that the Fenians occupy towards England. President Lincoln pronounced slavery extinct, and the negro free throughout his jurisdiction—the object of the Ku-Klux Klan is to nullify the proclamation and strike down with the assassin's dagger, if need be, any prominent Radical who shall attempt to carry out his policy in the South. These States they look upon as the inalienable heritage of democracy, and the slave with his chains struck off is to them as much an object of contempt and detestation as when he was an article of merchandise, and might be flogged to death without compunction. Negro equality and Radical supremacy are alike hateful to the members of the Ku-Klux Klan, and they are bound by a fearful oath to do all in their power to prevent a result towards which at the present time the affairs of the country are undoubtedly tending.

And now what think the Americans? An organization as dangerous to their interests and their peace as Fenianism is to Britain or Canada, is already in vigorous operation, and the knife or the pistol has already sent some victims to a premature grave. More will follow, for there appears to be about the daring, reckless Southern a promptitude in executing bloody decisions which the Fenian only occasionally rivals. With the same measure with which the Americans meted, it is being measured to them again. They spread their regis over the ruffian horde that invaded our shores; they pampered and encouraged them, and the Chief Magistrate did not consider it a derogation from his dignity to receive with courtesy, at the White House, a deputation of the Irish Liberator—the representatives of a mythical republic. They thought little, and perhaps cared less, about the terrible results which might follow to a country with whom they were outwardly at peace from their nurturing a swarm of demons whose avowed intention was mischief to Britain and her dependencies. Was it to be wondered at if some others of her people should copy manners which they saw marked by Executive approval?

A den, as it is called, has lately been broken up in Tennessee, and some papers found on the person of one of the members will assist in making known the character of the Ku-Klux Klan. The officers were three in number, a Grand Cyclops, a Vice Grand Cyclops and a Secretary, who controlled all the funds. As regards initiation, all candidates are balloted for in open council, and three black balls preclude admission. If elected, the after ceremony is thus described:

"The members of the lodge all shrouded, will rise and receive him, and conduct him into the middle of the room. Each member of the order shall have a drawn dagger or other weapon in his hand, pointed toward the candidate, and each member will be required, in the presence of the candidate, to swear that should said candidate prove recreant to the oath which he is about to take, that he will kill him, and make it his special duty to do so on the first safe opportunity. As soon as the shrouded brothers have taken the above oath, the following charge and oath shall be administered by the Grand Cyclops, or, in his absence, the Vice-Grand. Here, in the presence of this skill and the members here assembled, I solemnly swear to be true to the Order, to its members individually and collectively, and should I ever, by sign, word, or deed, betray a secret, or a member of the Brotherhood, that the skull upon which I now look may be counter-part of mine, and I hope that all the social relations which I now enjoy may be sundered, that honesty in the men or virtue in the females may not be known in my family and generation, and that all who own my name shall be branded as dogs and harlots. I further swear that I will, under and in all circumstances, bear true allegiance to the South and her interests, as interpreted by the Supreme Cyclopean Council, and when I receive its orders, should I be even in the embraces of my wife, I will leave her to obey them. I further swear that all Radicals and negroes who have placed themselves opposite to the interests of the owners of the soil of Tennessee shall forever be my enemy, and that under no circumstance will I have other connection

able graves: "That my enemy shall never change visita. And I further pray that the God of the Southland, whom I now invoke, shall strike me dead should I ever, either in letter or in spirit, infringe upon the things set forth in this oath. To all of which I swear in honesty of heart and sincerity of purpose. So help me God."

Such are the spirits with whom the States have now to deal.

Attempt to Fire Buckingham Palace.

A despatch comes to us this morning, that late on Tuesday night two men, supposed to be Fenians, were arrested in front of Buckingham Palace. In their possession was found a gallon of phosphorus or Greek fire. After a desperate resistance they were captured. It is evident they had some murderous intention which further information will no doubt elicit.

Honour to Mr. Cartier.

Sir John A. Macdonald announced in the House on Tuesday night that Her Majesty intended to create Mr. Cartier a Baronet, and Mr. Langevin a C. B. If these honours are to be looked upon as any reward for services rendered in connection with Confederation, Mr. Cartier is equally, if not more, deserving of them with Sir John A. Macdonald, and we heartily congratulate the foremost citizen of Quebec on being the recipient of such high distinction. We suppose now that all these honours are distributed, there will be peace in the Cabinet, and the felicities of the happy family resumed—for a time. But what of Mr. Galt, who refuses to be comforted? Can't another Baronetcy be thrown to him into the bargain?

THE TRIAL.

The trial of Johnson "drags its slow length." It is gradually approaching its conclusion. The counsel for the defence closed their case on Saturday. This week two of the Managers on behalf of the House of Representatives will be heard in argument for the prosecution, and two of the counsel for the defendant will be allowed the privilege of replying. After this the vote will be taken, and the issue decided—two thirds of the whole number voting being required to convict. The N. Y. Tribune speculating on the vote, says:—"The Senate consists of 54 members, of whom 12, being anti-Republicans, are counted as certain to vote for acquittal any how, while Mr. Wade, because of the fact that he will succeed to the Presidency in case Mr. Johnson is deposed, is expected not to vote. If, then, seven of those elected by the Republicans, in addition to three declared apostates, should vote in the negative, Johnson will be acquitted, and thus emboldened to resume the course which has kept the country distracted and belligerent for the last two or three years. There are ten Senators counted on who will favour the President, but of these ten there may possibly be five votes for acquittal, though we believe there will be barely three, if so many. We do not see, therefore, how the trial can result otherwise than in Johnson's conviction and expulsion from office. Further than that, we trust the verdict will not go: for we ardently wish the man to realize beyond question the hollowness, the hypocrisy of those Democratic professions and protestations whereby he has been lured to his ruin. There was never a moment when the Democratic leaders purposed to make him their candidate for next President. They intended only to fool him to the top of his bent—to use him to the utmost, then cast him aside like a squeezed orange. We pray that he may not be debarred from holding office until this truth shall have been demonstrated beyond cavil or demur."

New Advertisements.

WANTED.
WANTED a first class Machine Operator at the Bradford House. Apply at once.
P. BISH.

POCKET FOUND.
FOUND this day on Wyndham Street, an old-fashioned lady's pocket, containing some money and other articles. The finder, by applying to this office and proving property, can have the same.
April 23rd, 1868. (4)

TUITION.
An experienced Teacher wishes a few tuitions. Address: A. S., Post Office, Guelph.
Guelph, 23rd April, 1868. d2

Insolvent Act of 1864 FOR SALE
BY ASSIGNEE.
THE Stock-in-trade of ROBERT RUTHERFORD of Guelph, Here, in the presence of this skill and the members here assembled, I solemnly swear to be true to the Order, to its members individually and collectively, and should I ever, by sign, word, or deed, betray a secret, or a member of the Brotherhood, that the skull upon which I now look may be counter-part of mine, and I hope that all the social relations which I now enjoy may be sundered, that honesty in the men or virtue in the females may not be known in my family and generation, and that all who own my name shall be branded as dogs and harlots. I further swear that I will, under and in all circumstances, bear true allegiance to the South and her interests, as interpreted by the Supreme Cyclopean Council, and when I receive its orders, should I be even in the embraces of my wife, I will leave her to obey them. I further swear that all Radicals and negroes who have placed themselves opposite to the interests of the owners of the soil of Tennessee shall forever be my enemy, and that under no circumstance will I have other connection

UP TO SATURDAY, 2nd May,
and may be made either EN BLOC or separately for

DRY GOODS or GROCERIES.
TERMS cash, or approved credit.
PHILIP S. ROSS,
Assignee of Estate of R. Rutherford.
Montreal, 20th April, 1868. dw3

FARM LOTS
FOR SALE CHEAP, in a good settlement, with every convenience. Apply to
C. J. BLOMFIELD, Secy.
Canadian Land and Emigration Company,
Toronto Bank Buildings, Toronto.
April 17, 1868. daw 1m

At JOHN A. WOOD'S.

MAPLE SUGAR!

At JOHN A. WOOD'S.

BISCUIT

Arrowroot,
Cream,
Fruit,
Victoria,
Abernethy,
Wine and Ginger Nut BISCUITS

At JOHN A. WOOD'S.

AMBER SYRUP

At JOHN A. WOOD'S.

AUCTION SALE

OF VALUABLE
Real Estate.

THERE will be offered at Public Auction at the Market House, in the Town of Guelph, at the hour of two o'clock,

On THURSDAY, 30th of April,

by Mr. W. S. G. Knowles, that desirable and beautifully situated property known as the Canningham farm, being composed of Lots Nos. 7 and 8, in Division A, and part of Lot No. 24 in Division A, in the Township of Guelph, containing 87 acres, more or less. This valuable property is in close proximity to the business part of the Town of Guelph, is beautifully situated, and offers an inducement to purchasers very rarely met with.

There will also be offered at the same time and place, Village Lots No. 26 and 27, on the North side of Market Street, in the Village of Elm Mills, containing one-fourth of an acre each, more or less.

Terms very liberal, and will be made known at time of sale. For further particulars apply to D. McFarlane, Guelph, or Buchanan & Co., Hamilton.
Hamilton, April 18th, 1868 dw-2w

AUCTION SALE.

REAL ESTATE

IN THE TOWN OF GUELPH.

MR. N. CROFT has instructed the undersigned to sell by public auction

On Tuesday 28th of April,

on the premises, that most desirable Lot, known as Lot 26, corner of Superior and Public Streets, Canada Company Survey, in the Town of Guelph. The Lot is well fenced, with ornamental trees growing thereon, and is a first class one for building purposes. Also, Lot 9, on the London Road. The above Lots are well adapted for homesteads for business and professional men, or as an investment. Sale at 2 o'clock.

Terms liberal, and will be made known at time of sale, or application to the proprietor, and at the office of the auctioneer.
W. S. G. KNOWLES, Auctioneer,
Guelph, 15th April, 1868. dtd

REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE BY AUCTION.

F. J. B. FORBES has been instructed to sell by public auction the following valuable town and farm property:

1. That three story stone Hotel, opposite the market, in the Town of Guelph, at present occupied by James Lindsay, and known as Lindsay's Hotel.

2. The large and commodious stone Warehouse adjoining, extending from Market Square to Macdonnell Street, having two fronts, occupied by the Messrs. Sharp, and known as Sharp's Seed Store. The property is situated in the best business part of the town, rents for \$1100 a year, and affords a profitable investment for capitalists.

3. Lot No. 13638, on Paisley Street, adjoining the Primitive Methodist Church, quarter of an acre of land, with frame house, stable, pump, well, &c.

4. West half of Lot 12, in the 14th Concession of Peel, 100 acres, on the gravel road, and nine miles from Elora; about 80 acres cleared and fenced, land of the best quality.

5. West half of Lot 12, in the 15th Con. Township of Peel, 100 acres, principally hardwood land, some pine—valuable, being near to a saw mill.

The above property will be sold without reserve at the Town Hall, Guelph,
On Wednesday, 6th May, 1868,
at 12 o'clock noon. Title indisputable.

Terms of payment made known at the time of sale. For further particulars apply to
THOMPSON & JACKSON,
Land, Loan and General Agents, Wyndham-st.,
Guelph, 21st April, 1868. dw2

Valuable Property

FOR SALE.

LOT No. 1, in the Town of Guelph, nearly a quarter of an acre of land, with three fronts, situated between the Grand Trunk Station and Guelph Hotel, well located either for Warehouse or private residence.

PARK Lots Nos. 19 and 20, being part of the subdivision of Lot 1, in the 3rd Con. Division C, Township of Guelph, (11) acres in a block, situated on the Grand Trunk Railroad, and adjoining Judge Macdonald's property.

PARK Lots Nos. 25, 31, 32, 34 and 36, (27 acres in a block) being part of Lot 3, 3rd Con. Division C, Township of Guelph. The land is of the best quality, free from stones and stumps, and eligibly situated for building sites.

Also, a choice Farm in Erin.

THAT valuable Farm, composed of the East half of Lot No. 11, in the 10th Concession of Erin, 100 acres, with about 30 acres cleared, free from stumps and stones, well fenced in an excellent state of cultivation; a good spring creek running through it; situated one mile from the village of Erin. There is a good frame house containing five rooms, and a Woodhouse; also, a frame bank barn 40x50, with stables, sheds and driving house, 2 pump wells, &c.

Also, a Farm of 133 Acres.

EXCELLENT LAND, being composed of Lot 1, in the 7th Concession, Division C, in the Township of Guelph, 27 miles from the Town of Guelph—one of the best markets in Ontario. The land is nearly all under cultivation, and well watered, the Special running through, on which there is a waterpower, and a valuable spring at the barn—the buildings consist of a good stone house, a large frame bank barn, stables, sheds, &c., together with orchard, garden, pump, well, &c.

For further particulars apply to
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Guelph, 21st April, 1868 dw3

STANDARD

Life Assurance Company,

(Established 1825.)

Accumulated Fund \$3,700,005 18. 4d. Stg

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK,

Agents at Guelph.

THE STANDARD strongly advocates the Bill now before the House of Commons which Insurance Companies are required to make certain deposits with the Government. The STANDARD is ready and willing to make 50 per cent deposit, thus guaranteeing to the fullest extent the Policy Holders. Every information to those desirous of insuring will be given at the office of
DAVIDSON & CHADWICK,
Town Hall Buildings,
Guelph, 18th April, 1868. dw

LOOKING UP!

WITHIN the last few days trade has been looking up considerably, and

A. O. BUCHAM

Is satisfied that his Spring Stock is such as will meet in every respect the wants of the community.

ATTRACTIVE DEPARTMENTS.

Dress Goods, Straw Goods and Millinery, Jackets and Jacket Materials, Buttons and Trimmings in all the Newest and Leading Styles.

Ladies are invited to call and inspect our Stock.

Guelph, April 21, 1868.

A. O. BUCHAM.

BRITANNIA HO USE

Clothing Ware-rooms.

We have now on hand the Largest, Cheapest and Best assorted

Stock of Ready-made Clothing!

IN GUELPH.

CLOTHING MADE TO ORDER

We keep a First-class CUTTER, and guarantee a perfect FIT.

Guelph, 16th April, 1868 dw

HEFFERNAN BROS.

No. 1, Wyndham Street., Guelph.

JAMES CORMACK,

TAILOR AND CLOTHIER,

HAS NOW RECEIVED at his New Store, next to John Horsman's, in Mr. Hogg's New Block, one of the Largest, Cheapest and Best assorted Stock of

CLOTHS AND CLOTHING

GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS, &c.,

EVER OFFERED IN GUELPH.

Large Display of Hats & Caps

English, French and American Styles.

And the Newest received Monthly.

JAMES CORMACK,

Guelph, 15th April, 1868. dw Wyndham-st., Guelph

1868. SPRING 1868.

Important and Startling Announcement.

FIRST ARRIVAL OF SPRING GOODS

AT THE

BRADFORD HOUSE

THE Subscriber has much pleasure in announcing the arrival of his **SPRING STOCK**, which for extent, cheapness and quality is not surpassed in the Dominion, and

This Week will shew the following Attractive Lines

POPLINS—In all the New Colours, from \$6 per dress.

PLAIN AND FANCY SILKS in every shade.

PLAIN AND FANCY DRESS GOODS—New Styles.

CASIMERES—In beautiful colours and patterns.

HOSIERY—White and Coloured in large variety.

GLOVES—A beautiful assortment, including Joivin's Black and Col'd Kid.

Alexandra's do do

And the Largest Assortment of Small Wares in Ontario.

UNRIVALLED BARGAINS!

Gotten Goods at December Prices

BEING FULLY TEN PER CENT CHEAPER THAN ANY OTHER HOUSE IN GUELPH, NO MATTER WHAT THEIR PRE-TENTIONS MAY BE.

THE MILLINERY and MANTLE SHOW ROOMS

WILL BE OPENED IN A FEW DAYS.

As this Department has always been acknowledged to have no rival in the West, extra attention has been given this season to place it still further ahead of any attempt at competition. Due notice will be given of the OPENING DAY.

The Furnishing Department, as usual, is Large and Attractive.

Inspection invited. Will be glad to show the Stock and give List of Prices.

PHILIP BISH.

Bradford House, Wyndham Street, Guelph, April 8, 1868. daw 1f

THE SPRING TRADE

STEWART

SPRING DRESSES,

NEWEST STYLES.

SPRING DRESSES,

BEST MATERIALS.

SPRING DRESSES,

MOST MODERATE PRICES.

STEWART

HAS JUST RECEIVED the largest and most choice stock of New Spring Goods he has ever shown, and respectfully requests attention to the great difference in price from last year, being at least **One-third Lower.**

STEWART

HAS opened a case of White Drab and Grey Suits, that fit the body and not the body the stays. Highly recommended by the Faculty.

STEWART'S

CARPET STOCK is the largest west of Toronto, and being all this season's importations the designs and colors are new.

STEWART'S

STOCK OF TAPESTRY is large and choice. Styles are new, and will be offered very low, commencing at 75 cents.

STEWART'S

NEW SILKS.

BLACK AND COLORED.

DRESS GOODS.

CHEVENS, CAMLETS, REPS, POPLINS, SERGES, MOHAIRS.

MANTLES.

SILK, CLOTH AND VELVET.

JACKETS,

SILK, CLOTH AND VELVET.

LACES.

COLLARETS, TIES, FALLS, MUSLIN AND LINEN SETS.

PARASOLS.

RIBBONS, FLOWERS, &c.

HOSIERY,

SILK, SPUN AND COTTON.

GLOVES,

KIDS, SILK AND LISLE.

SMALL WARES,

BELTS, BUGLE TRIMMINGS, BUTTONS IN VARIETY.

PRINTS.

BRILLIANTS, PIQUES, SHIRTINGS AND SKIRTINGS.

STEWART

Is now showing for the Spring Trade

NEW DAMASKS,

NEW REPS,

NEW CHINTZES,

NEW LENO CURTAINS,

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WM. STEWART.

Guelph, April, 1st, 1868. dw

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Guelph Evening Mercury

OFFICE:.....MACDONNELL STREET.

WEDNESDAY EV'G. APRIL 23, 1868.

The Maiden's Choice

OR, THE LAIRD OF BIRKENLEUCH
A Tale of the Covenanters.

Without a word, Sir Gilbert carried Helen towards the fire, laid her down before it, and began hastily to remove the outer coverings which enveloped her form.

"Are you mad?" exclaimed the Hermit, starting forward between them and the fire. "If you would save the girl, bring her near the heat. A rubbing of snow in yonder corner is the better restorative. Give the child to me, and I will do my best to bring her round."

Sir Gilbert could make no reply to this, either by word or action, but passively allowed the Hermit to lift Helen, still enveloped in her coverings, and carry her to the corner in which the couch was spread. There, laying her down, he knelt beside her, and silently proceeded to remove her happings, when, for the first time, her pale face was uncovered and illuminated by the fire-light.

The moment the Hermit caught sight of her white countenance he gave a great start, and fixed upon a strong look of horrified inquiry. "Lord, his amazed look of doubt giving place apparently to a certainty, he uttered a loud cry, and started away with a recoil, still gazing at the calm, deathlike face like one stupefied."

Sir Gilbert was at the moment engaged in shaking the encrusted snow from his garments, but hearing the cry, and seeing the Hermit start aside with such a horrified gesture, he ran forward in dreadful apprehension.

Before he had time to speak, the Hermit sprang upon him like a wild beast, while his dark eyes blazed like burning coals, and his aspect was one of furious excitement.

"Guilty! he canny, he canny," exclaimed the Baronet soothingly, for he thought he had to do with a madman.

At the sound of his voice and a view of his face, the Hermit's conduct underwent another sudden transition. The intense concentration of aspect of fury left him, and he drew back a pace, as if astonished. The Baronet had scarcely power to observe this, for, at the instant, his eye fell on the ashen face of Helen, and in grief and fear he hung over her, and resumed with frantic eagerness the task of removing her snowy garments.

"Oh, she's no dead," he groaned, "the pair lassie is no dead! For the love o' heaven, canny man, help me to bring her round."

"No, she is not dead," he heard her faintly still, said the Hermit, in a husky tone of mournful sadness. "But the flame of life is flickering feebly in the socket. She is beyond consciousness and suffering, and why bring her back to this world of sorrows? Rather let her pass in peace than restore her to a life of pain and misery. Leave her as she is, I say, for that is the truest kindness you can do her."

"Puddin's and panchies, man, that's a dreaful way to speak," cried Sir Gilbert, whom the Hermit's words filled with mingled sorrow and indignation. "Hae ye nae humanity—nae pity. Ye may think life a burden and a sorrow, but it's different with a young lassie like this, that both loves and hopes."

"But she has no power to love or hope," said the Hermit, bitterly.

"No, so long as she's insensible of course," responded Sir Gilbert, in the same indignant tone. "But if ye kenna her as I ken her ye wad understand how dear and precious life is to her."

"Is it indeed so?" returned the other. "She is not yet weary of it, then; she believes still in happiness?"

"There's nae nae mair cause—I tell you name, said man; and if ye are no inhuman a' thegither, ye'll help me to save her life."

"Be it so, I will restore her," said the Hermit; and without further word, yet with hands that strangely trembled, he removed the outer covering from Helen's form, and gathering up a handful of the snow which had dropped on the floor he rubbed vigorously with it her face and hands.

Her clothes underneath being perfectly dry did not require to be removed, but no sooner did the application of the snow and the vigorous chafing of her limbs bring back the colour to her cheek and quicken the feeble circulation, than from a recess he brought a flask and a glass, and pouring out some of the contents, succeeded in causing her to swallow some of the liquor. He also brought forth an armful of blankets, and, with the assistance of Sir Gilbert, wrapt many folds of them round her, and laid her in a comfortable attitude on the couch.

"She is safe now," he remarked, when this was done, "and you had better attend to yourself. First of all, empty this glass, and then I will see for supper."

"Many thanks," returned Sir Gilbert, "I'll coup the glass, but before I can rest in this snug build I maun see for some shelter for our pair horse."

"Ah, you have a horse. True, I might have known that, and the poor beast needs shelter, too."

"He baith needs it and deserves it," cried the Baronet. "If it hadna been for his wisdom, we ne'er had fa'in on this refuge, and wad hae wandered among the hills till we perished in the snow."

"Your errand must be an urgent one that brings you among the hills on such a night," observed the Hermit as he thrust the end of a pine torch among the burning logs and brought it out in a blaze.

"Troth and it is urgent," replied Sir Gilbert. "But for a' that, had I kenna the storm was to be on sea sune, I wadna stirred frae the ingle-side o' the public at the fit o' the hills."

"Follow me," said the Hermit, "and we shall get the horse cared for."

The Baronet expected that they were to pass out by the door through which he had entered, but his host led the way to the far end of the cavern, and, unfastening another door which was there, entered by a passage between two ledges of rock into another rocky apartment, fitted up as a byre, and here a sowsy cow stood patiently and placidly eating fodder, while in a neighboring stall two goats lay in loving fellowship.

This apartment had also a door leading outside, and by this door the Hermit and Sir Gilbert issued in search of the horse.

TO BE CONTINUED.

No. 2, Wyndham Street.

Guelph, April 20, 1868. daw

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W. T. BENSON,

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NOTICE.

THE subscriber having purchased from the Executors of his late partner, Mr. Henderson his share of the business, begs to notify his friends and the public that he will continue to carry on the business in all its branches at the old stand, Wyndham Street, Guelph, and would solicit a continuance of that patronage so liberally bestowed on the late firm.

G. B. FRASER.

ALL outstanding accounts to be paid in bankable currency to G. B. FRASER up to the 12th of April, any remaining unpaid then will be put into Court for collection, as the books of the late firm must be closed within 30 days after date.

Guelph, 27th March, 1868. d

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Chemist and Druggist, Wyndham-St., Guelph.

April 16. daw tf

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Toronto, April 11, 1868. daw tf

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Boston, April 14, 1868. daw tf

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RECOMMUNICATED.

The Lords of the Admiralty have been reluctantly compelled to remove the name of Captain, the Honorable Augustus C. Hobart, brother of Lord Hobart, who has figured as a writer on the Alabama claims, from the Navy List, in consequence of his having accepted an appointment under the Turkish Government, without, in the first instance, having consulted the wishes of their lordships. At the same time we believe that the difficulty of Captain Hobart's position has been well considered at Whitehall. He was on half pay; he could not obtain employment in his own service—his pay was totally inadequate to his requirements—he was desirous of finding a field for the exercise of his professional duties, and an offer (unsought by him) of an appointment in Constantinople having been made to him, he felt that he had no alternative left but to close with it, even at the risk of unintentionally offending his former "lords and masters." The position now occupied by the Captain is a high and dignified one, and whilst he occupies it, he will be enabled to render good service to England by maintaining the efficiency of the Navy of her ancient and always faithful ally.

The Budget of the British Indian Empire for the present financial year shows a surplus of £800,000. Public works are to be pushed forward with great vigor.

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COMMERCIAL.

Guelph Markets.
MERCURY OFFICE, GUELPH, April 22, 1868.
The supply of grain is at present very light and in wheat there is no variation of price. Our quotations of that grain to-day are the same as they were a week ago. During the last two or three days of last week there was a slight advance in spring wheat but it has come down to the original figure. Oats are unchanged, barley has advanced slightly, and hay is much higher with a keen demand, and but little offering. Potatoes have gone up, and now bring from 80¢ to 90¢ per bag. Beef, butter and eggs have also advanced. The cause of the rise in the first article is that vast numbers of cattle are being carted from the vicinity to other markets, but the demand keeps up with the supply.

Flour, @ 100 lbs	.....	\$ 3 75	@ 8 40
Fall Wheat, @ 100	.....	1 70	@ 1 75
Spring Wheat @ bush	.....	1 35	@ 1 60
Oats @ bush	.....	0 98	@ 0 60
Pearl do	.....	0 70	@ 0 75
Barley do	.....	1 20	@ 1 22
Hay @ ton	.....	15 00	@ 16 00
Straw	.....	4 00	@ 5 00
Shingles, @ square	.....	1 00	@ 1 50
Wood, @ cord	.....	3 00	@ 3 50
Wool	.....	0 27	@ 0 20
Eggs, @ dozen	.....	0 12	@ 0 12
Butter, @ lb	.....	0 20	@ 0 20
Geese, each	.....	0 25	@ 0 30
Turkeys each	.....	0 50	@ 0 60
Chickens, @ pair	.....	0 20	@ 0 25
Drucks, do	.....	0 20	@ 0 25
Potatoes	.....	0 80	@ 0 90
Apples, @ barrel	.....	2 00	@ 2 00
Lamb, @ lb	.....	0 06	@ 0 07
Beef, @ lb	.....	0 06	@ 0 06
Pork, @ 100 lbs	.....	5 50	@ 5 50
Sheep Pelts, each	.....	0 50	@ 0 75
Lambskins	.....	0 40	@ 0 45
Hides	.....	6 00	@ 6 00

Money Market.
JACKSON'S EXCHANGE OFFICE,
Guelph, April 22, 1868.
Gold, 129¢.
Greenbacks 'not at 71 1/2 to 71 3/4; Sold at 72 to 72 1/2.
Silver bought at 44 to 44 1/2; sold at 44 to 44 1/2.
Upper Canada Bank Bills bought at 65¢ to 66¢.

MONTREAL MARKETS.

Kirkwood, Livingstone & Co's report by Special Telegraph to 'Evening Mercury.'
MONTREAL, April 22, 1868.
Flour—Fancy, \$7 85 to \$8 00; Superior No. 1, \$7 25 to \$7 50; Welland Canal, \$7 62; Bag Flour, \$5 60 to \$5 70. Oats \$6 to \$6 25; Barley \$1 15 to \$1 20; Butter—dairy 18¢ to 22¢; store packed 18¢ to 22¢. Ashes—Potash 90¢ to 95¢ per barrel; Wharf 40¢ to 45¢. Flour—3,100 lbs, good demand. Wheat fair demand at unchanged rates. Peas good demand. Provisions, Pork &c., steady but quiet. Ashes—potash fair demand; Paris quiet neglected.

Calt Markets.

Spring Wheat Flour—\$4 00 @ \$4 00; F. W. Flour—\$4 50 @ \$4 50. Fall Wheat—\$1 70 @ \$1 75; Spring Wheat—\$1 55 @ \$1 62; Barley—\$1 30 @ \$1 35. Oats—\$0 95 @ \$0 95. Peas—\$0 90 @ \$0 90. Butter—17¢ @ 20¢. Eggs—11¢ @ 12¢. Pork @ 100 lbs—\$5 00 to \$5 50.
TORONTO, April 21, 1868.
Flour—Receipts, 1,200 bbls; No. 1, at \$7 00 @ \$7 12; Fall Wheat—\$1 85; Spring Wheat—\$1 65 @ \$1 66. Oats—\$0 85. Barley—\$1 35 @ \$1 36. Peas—\$0 95.
HAMILTON, April 21, 1868.
Fall wheat, \$1 62 @ \$1 72; spring do—\$1 50 @ \$1 60 per bushel. Barley—\$1 35 @ \$1 40. Oats—\$0 85 @ \$0 90. Peas—\$0 90 @ \$0 95.

PRIZE DENTISTRY.

DR. R. CAMPBELL
DENTIST.
OFFICE, next door to the Advertiser's Office, Wyndham Street, Guelph.
References—Drs. Clarke & Orton, Mc Guire, Herod, Mc Gregor and Cowan, Guelph; Drs. Buchanan & Phillips, Toronto; Drs. G. L. Elliott and W. Myers, Dentists, Toronto.
Teeth Extracted Without Pain
Guelph, 20th June, 1866

GUELPH STEAM FOUNDRY

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

NATIONAL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

STEAMERS Weekly from Liverpool and New York, calling at Queenstown.
A Steamship of this line, consisting of the Queen, England, Virginia, Erin, Louisiana, Pennsylvania, and France. Leaves NEW YORK from Pier 57, North River, every Saturday, and Liverpool on Wednesday of each week, calling at Queenstown each way. The size of these Steamships admits of very spacious state-rooms, all opening directly into the Saloon. The accommodation and fare are unsurpassed, and the rates lower than by any other line. The accommodation for steerage passengers are large, and plenty of deck room is allowed, whilst the fare is of the best quality, well cooked and simple.
An experienced Surgeon on each ship, free of charge. Tickets are issued in this country to parties wishing to prepare the passage of their friends from Liverpool or Queenstown (Ireland), for \$5, American money.
For tickets, special berths, and all information apply to
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GEO. FRASER,
Saleen P.O., Co. Wellington, March 6th, 1868.

DR. MAGGIE'S is the founder of a new Medical system. The quantification of internal doses enables the stomach and paralyzes the bowels, thus giving an appetite to the man who restores health and appetite with from one to two of his ordinary Pills, and cures the most violent cases with a box or so of his wonderful and all-healing Salve. These two great specifics of the Doctor are fast superseding all the stereotyped nostrums of the day. Extraordinary cures by Maggie's Pills and Salve have opened the eyes of the public to the inefficacy of the (so called) remedies of others, and upon which people have so long blindly depended. Maggie's Pills are not of the class that are swallowed by the dozen, and of which every box-full taken creates an absolute necessity for another. One or two of Maggie's Pills suffices to keep the bowels in perfect order, tone the stomach, create an appetite, and render the spirits light and buoyant. There is no griping and no respiration in the form of constipation if the liver be affected, its functions are restored, and if the nervous system is feeble, it is invigorated. This last quality makes the medicine very desirable for the wants of delicate females. Ulcers and eruptions on the face are literally extinguished by the distasteful use of Maggie's Salve. In fact, it is here announced that Maggie's Biletics, Dysentery and Diarrhoea Pills cure where all others fail. While for Burns, Scalds, Chills, Cuts, and all Abrasions of the Skin, Maggie's Salve is invaluable. Sold by J. HAYDOCK, at Pine Street, New York, and all Druggists, at 25 cents per box.
COUNTERFEITS—Buy no Maggie Pills or Salve, with a little pamphlet inside the box. They are bogus. The genuine have the name of J. Haydock on box with name of Maggie, M. D. The genuine have the Pills surrounded with white powder.
Fragrant Burns—Fragrant Salve—Dr. Maggie's Salve stops the most violent pain of burns, scalds, etc., it is unsurpassed.
Sold in Guelph by A. B. PETRIE, Druggist, Market Square.

POTATOES!

Potatoes of all kinds
Wholesale and Retail.
AT WEBSTER'S
Grain and Flour Store,
West Market Square, Guelph,
Guelph, March 20, 1868. do tf

REMOVAL.

WM. C. TAYLOR
Veterinary Surgeon,
RESPECTFULLY thanks his numerous Patrons for the liberal support he has received since his residence in Guelph, and begs to inform them and the public generally that he has removed to Waterloo Road, first door West of Mr. W. S. G. Knowles, where he will keep on hand a supply of all medicines for Horses and Cattle.
Agent for McDougall's Patent Disinfectant Powder for dwellings, stables, cow-sheds, and Frigidities, as ordered by the Board of Health in Toronto; also ascertain representative of the Turpin Fly.
He is also agent for McDougall's non-poisonous Sheep and Lamb dipping composition.
All orders punctually attended to, and medicines sent to any part of the country.
Horses examined as to soundness.
Registry office kept for servants.
Guelph 27th Dec. 1867.

Dairy Farm & Mill Site FOR SALE IN PUSLINCHE.

FOR SALE by private contract, the rear halves of Lots 3 and 4, in the 10th concession, and broken lot 3 and 4, in the 11th Concession of the Township of Puslinch; containing 229 acres more or less.
This desirable property will be sold in one or more lots, to suit purchasers.
The soil is a good loam, and the land is magnificently watered by the river Speed and by a creek, which there is a GOOD MILL SITE.
A BERRY FARM this property offers unequalled advantages. 150 acres are cleared and under cultivation, the greater part free from stumps. There are two Log Houses on the property, with Log Barns, Stable, Cattle Sheds, Garden, &c., attached to each house. The property is about five miles from Guelph, and a good road leads to it. Terms of Sale, Liberal. Apply to
PALMER & LILLIE,
Solicitors, &c., Day's Block, Guelph
Guelph, Jan. 2nd 1868.

NOTICE.

IN consequence of building an addition to my Brewery, I have opened a depot on Norfolk Street, for the sale of my XXX ALE in bottles, and appointed Mr. John Nicholson my agent.
THOMAS HOLLIDAY,
Guelph, 15th April, 1868. dohu

NEW Oyster Rooms

VALENTINE WALD
D fitted up Oyster Rooms in connection with his Hotel, on MACDONELL STREET.
The very best of Oysters always on hand, and served up in all styles at short notice.
TOW and JERRY, and all kinds of Fancy Drinks prepared in the most approved manner.
Guelph, 27th December, 1867 dohm

DOMINION HOTEL

GEORGE BLACK
DEGS to inform his friends and the public that he has opened the above Hotel, in the BRICK HOUSE, MACDONELL-ST.
A few doors above Higinbotham's Drug Store and immediately opposite Messrs. Sharpe's Seed Store. There is a good stable attached to the house, with good and commodious stabling. Every attention will be paid to customers in order to secure their comfort and convenience.
Guelph, March 6, 1868. daw 3m

Liverpool & London & Globe INSURANCE COMPANY.

THIS Company has been in existence thirty-two years, and during that period has paid Losses exceeding **Five and a half million Pounds Sterling.**
The disbursement of this enormous sum over a wide area, has without doubt contributed to the establishment of this institution, in the confidence of Public Corporations, Merchants, Household and Business men generally, wherever it is represented.
In its 1st year, 1836, the Fire Premiums alone amounted to £ 9,970
In its 10th year, 1846, 47,768
In its 20th year, 1856, 222,279
In its 30th year, 1866, 230,232
One year later, 1867, 318,055
The Fire Reserve Fund is now \$2,727,464.
The Life Reserve Fund is now \$9,252,465.
The Company is represented throughout Ontario and Quebec by influential Agents, to whom application for Insurance may be made.
G. F. C. SMITH, Resident Secretary,
Montreal.
T. W. SAUNDERS,
Agent, Guelph,
Guelph, 12th Feb. 1868. 747-4

Division Court Sittings

THE Division Courts for the County of Wellington, will be held as follows:
Orangeville, Feb. 4, April 14, June 30, 1868
Erin, 5 15 July 1
Guelph, 7 17
Elora, 18 21
Arthur, 19 22
Mount Forest, 28 30
Fergus, 21 May 1 23
Rockwood, 25 12 Aug. 4
Puslinch, 26 13
Drayton, March 3 26 18
Harriston, 4 27 19
Glennan, 5 28 20
By order,
ALFREDA BAKER,
Clerk No. Guelph, Dec. 1867.

JUST RECEIVED.

JUST RECEIVED.
Choice Messina Oranges and Lemons, Cocoa Nuts, Dried Cherries, Peaches, Apples, Imperial Prunes, etc.
Wholesale at City Prices.
HUGH WALKER,
Wholesale and Retail Fruit Dealer, Wyndham-St., Guelph, daw y
Guelph, March 31 1868.

INDIA & CHINA TEA COY.

Home Depot at London and Liverpool.
Canada Depot, 23 Hospital Street, Montreal.
THE India and China Tea Company beg to call the attention of the Canadian community to their directly imported Teas, which for PURITY and EXCELLENCE will be found unequalled.
The Company have made arrangements whereby they have secured the entire produce of some of the best plantations in Assam and on the slopes of the Himalayas, and by a judicious blending of these magnificent Teas with the best varieties of China produce, they are enabled to offer to the public Tea of quality and flavour hitherto unknown to the general consumer. These Teas are in high favour in England and France, and a single trial will prove their superiority.
The Company supply two qualities only, either Black, Green or Mixed. Their Black Tea will be found to possess great brightness and flavour, combined with colour and strength, and to be entirely different to the flat and vapour article usually sold as Black Tea; while their Green Teas are altogether free from the deleterious mineral powder so commonly used for coloring the leaf.
PRICES: All the packages are in conformity with the standard of the London and Liverpool markets. The above can be had either Black, Green or Mixed.
To be had in packets of Quarter Pound Half Pound, One Pound, and upwards, in tin containers of 5 lbs. and upwards, and in the Company's Agents in all the chief towns of Canada. All the packages are in conformity with tin foil paper, and the Tea will consequently retain its flavour any length of time.
OSWAGA—All packages have the Company's trade-mark, with outwaided name are genuine.
MR. N. HIGINBOTHAM
Agent, Guelph,
Guelph, August 3, 1867. do-w-ly

Valuable Tavern Stand FOR SALE.

THE subscriber offers for sale the following valuable Tavern Stand in the village of Rockwood.
The COMMERCIAL HOTEL, close to the Railway Station. It is only recently built, contains 17 apartments, and has a very large and well finished Ball Room or Hall; also large and commodious stables and driving shed. The house is well supplied with hard and soft water, with wash, pig sty, splendid garden, and all other conveniences. From its nearness to the station, and the excellent accommodation it supplies, it does the largest and most profitable business in Rockwood.
The WELLINGTON HOTEL—This house is situated in the heart of the village, and close to the mills and stores. It was rebuilt this summer after being burnt down, and is now rented for a year. It contains 11 apartments, with stone wood shed, drying shed, pig sty, and large frame stable. There is a plentiful supply of water on the premises. There is a good garden attached to the house.
For terms and other particulars apply to the undersigned (if by letter post-paid) at the Commercial Hotel, near the G. T. Station, Rockwood.
WILLIAM STOVELL.
Rockwood, 30th October, 1867.

1868. NEW GOODS. 1868

Mrs HUNTER
HAS pleasure in calling the attention of the ladies of Guelph and vicinity to her extensive and well selected stock of
BERLIN AND FANCY WOOLS
Slippers and Slipper Patterns, Crochet, Knitting and Mending Cottons, Corsets, Braids, Frillings, Edgings, Sewing, Furze, and Embroidering Silk, Floss, Filasse, Belt and Bonnet Ribbons, Dress Buttons, Toilet Sets, and
GENERAL FANCY GOODS
Juvenile Clothing, Infants' Robes, &c.

STRAW MILLINERY!

Bonnets and Hats cleaned, dyed and re-made in the newest styles. Hair Hats and Bonnets re-lined.
STAMPING from the newest designs.
Remember the Stand—Wyndham Street, next door to Harvey's Drug Store, and opposite the English Church.
Guelph, 1st April, 1868. do-w-tf

WALL PAPER

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FOR Extra BARGAINS
In WALL PAPER try
SHEWAN'S BOOKSTORE!
Next door to H. Walker's Grocery.
Guelph, 27th March, 1868 do

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THOMAS BREADON
DOUGLAS-ST., GUELPH,
Painter, Glazier, Paper Hanger, &c.
BEGS to inform the inhabitants of Guelph and surrounding country that he is prepared to execute all manner of work in connection with his business at rates as low as
GOOD WORKMANSHIP
And MATERIAL will allow.
Shop, - - Douglas Street,
Next door north of Wm. Hoover's Livery Stable, and directly opposite Wm. Brownlow's Undertaking Establishment.
When not at the shop, orders to be left at Mr. Brownlow's.
THOS. BREADON,
Guelph, 1st April, 1868. do-m-w-1m

WILLIAM BROWNLOW, UNDERTAKER.

SHOP, in rear of the WELLINGTON HOTEL, Douglas Street. House in rear of Mr. F. W. Stone's Store, and fronting the Fair Ground.
The subscriber intimates that he is prepared to attend
FUNERALS
As usual in Town and Country. Coffins always on hand and made to order on the shortest notice. Terms very moderate.
WM. BROWNLOW,
Guelph, March 20, 1868. daw y

THE BARCLAY SEWING MACHINE.

WITHOUT any exception, the Barclay Sewing Machine, manufactured by the British American Sewing Machine Company, is the best in the Dominion of Canada for general purposes. An examination is merely requested, which will be to the advantage of those intending to purchase. All machines warranted.
Also, agent for the DALTON KNITTING MACHINES, one of the best machines in the market.
Apply to
MOSES BECHTEL,
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Agent for Guelph: MRS. HUNTER, Fancy Store, Market Square.
Guelph, Jan. 22, 1868. do

Wool, Hide and Leather DEPOT.

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Guelph, July 31, 186 (do D. MOLTEN

Importers, Manufacturers, and General Warehousemen.
Have now in stock one of the most magnificent assortments of
Staple & Fancy Dry Goods
In the Dominion. A large assortment of
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AND TAILORS' GOODS AND TRIMMINGS.
They are constantly receiving Leading Styles from the various places of production—**Terms Liberal.**
Lybster Mills Sheatings 33 and 36 inches. Also, Lybster Mills YARNS and BATTING.
Toronto 26th March, 1868. do-1m.

Try those Splendid New Figs

AT THIRTY CENTS PER BOX.
Oranges and Lemons!
Walnuts, Filberts, Almonds, Chocolate Creams, Gumdrops and every other Nicety.

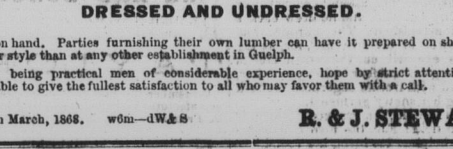
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Guelph, 27th March, 1868 do
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ALL KINDS OF LUMBER

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constantly on hand. Parties furnishing their own lumber can have it prepared on shorter notice and in better style than at any other establishment in Guelph.
R. & J. S. being practical men of considerable experience, hope by strict attention to business to be able to give the fullest satisfaction to all who may favor them with a call.
Guelph, 19th March, 1868. do-m-w-1m
R. & J. STEWART.

Where do you get your Watches, CLOCKS AND JEWELLERY REPAIRED?


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Guelph, February 6, 1868.
ESTABLISHED 1849.

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he will through the HOLIDAYS furnish all kinds of Photographs at greatly
REDUCED PRICES.
Parties wishing to make presents of Photographs to their friends should call at once.
PICTURES
of all kinds furnished in the first style of the art.
Gallery above John A. Wood's Grocery Store.
W. BURGESS.
Guelph, 18th December, 1867. do

JOHN MACDONALD & CO

TORONTO,
Have now a very
Large and Complete Stock!
To which, throughout the Season,
ADDITIONS WILL BE MADE WEEKLY
JOHN MACDONALD & CO.
Nos. 21 and 23, Wellington Street, and Nos. 25 and 30, Front Street, TORONTO.
No. 108 King Street, Manchester, England.
Toronto, 25th March, 1868. do-1m

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CHIEF OFFICES—19 AND 20 CORNHILL, LONDON, ENGLAND.
CAPITAL £2,500,000.
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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 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.
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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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TROTTER & GRAHAM,
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Guelph, April 1st, 1868

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AGENTS FOR THE
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Trust and Loan Company.
AGENTS FOR THE
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A large amount of private funds to lend upon real and personal security. Rates moderate.
Guelph, 4th Feb. 1868. do

Funerals, Funerals!


NATHAN TOVELL has to intimate that he is prepared to attend funerals as usual Coffins always on hand. Hearses to hire.
His Steam Planing Mill is in constant operation. All kinds of lumber, shingles, doors, blinds, mouldings, &c. He solicits a share of public patronage.
NATHAN TOVELL,
Nelson Crescent
Guelph, 27th Aug. 1867.

ALBION HOTEL!

M. DECKER would say that having resumed the management of the Albion, he hopes by personal attention to merit a continuance of the patronage so liberally bestowed upon him during the last 12 years.
L. W. DECKER,
Montreal, 30th March, 1868. do

AGENTS WANTED!

FIVE good men wanted in every Township, to sell on salary CLARK'S PATENT SASH LOCKS and CAN OPENERS. Address, enclosing \$1 for samples and terms. Agents cannot sell, return samples and get your money back.
A. KENNEDY & CO., Box 760, Chicago, Ill
Guelph, 9th April, 1868. do-w