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New Advertisements

WANTED - To rent, by Sept. 1st, a new Cottage, 5 rooms, West Ward

SITUATION WANTED - As housekeeper, by a respectable elderly lady

TWO ASSISTANT MILLINERS WANTED IMMEDIATELY at the Fashionable West End

HOUSE TO LET - To let, a dwelling house near the Great Western Station

BOARDERS WANTED - Two respectable young men can be accommodated

POST - On Sunday last between Chalmers' Church and the Eramosa Road

PAINTERS WANTED, Wanted immediately, two first-class Painters

BOARD - A few respectable young men can obtain board in a healthy locality

PHILADELPHIA Lawn Mowers, Of my own manufacture, lower in price

TOWN OF GUELPH, COURT OF REVISION, The first sitting of the Court of Revision

ENTRANCE EXAMINATION, HIGH SCHOOL, The examination for admission to the High School

TO BUILDERS, The subscribers have on hand and will continue to keep

Glazed Sewer Pipes, ALL SIZES; FLUE PIPES, OVAL AND ROUND

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NEW Paint Shop, The undersigned beg to announce that they have commenced business

CORMIE & EAGAN, T. ALEX. CORMIE, JEREMIAH EAGAN, Guelph, May 9, 1874

MONEY TO LOAN ON FARM SECURITY, The undersigned have \$25,000 for investment in Mortgages on Farms

Brass Castings, MADE TO ORDER BY HARLEY & HEATHER, IRON FOUNDERS

PRESTON Mineral Baths, Attention is called to the fact that the phrase "too thin" generally regarded as slang

NOW OPEN FOR THE SEASON, This favorite resort is now open for the season

NOTICE, Estate of the late D. Savage, All parties indebted to the Estate of the late David Savage

BENJAMIN SAVAGE, Guelph, May 21, 1874

Guelph Evening Mercury

TUESDAY EVENING, MAY 26, 1874.

Town and County News

The New By-Law - We direct the attention of the ratepayers to the text of the new By-law published in to-day's issue.

HOUSE BURNED - Mr. Richard Davie of Luther, had his house and contents entirely destroyed by fire originating from the stove-pipe.

OBITUARY - We regret to learn of the death, at London on Saturday, 23rd inst., of Rev. N. F. English, Wesleyan minister, formerly of the Elora circuit.

BASE BALL IN ACTON - An exciting game of base-ball was played in Acton on Monday between the Pastime Club and the Victoria Club.

CONCERT - A concert will be given at Downey's School House, Puslinch, on Tuesday evening, June 23rd.

GRAND Pic-NIC - The eighth annual picnic in aid of the aged and orphans in St. Joseph's Hospital, Guelph, will be held on the Central Exhibition grounds on Wednesday, June 24th.

STEREOSCOPIC VIEWS - We have seen some very excellent photographs taken in Guelph by Mr. J. Esson.

POLICE COURT, (Before the Police Magistrate.) May 26. Thomas Mitter, drunk on Macdonnell was discharged, on consideration that yesterday was an occasion of public celebration.

PROBABLE SUICIDE - On Wednesday night about half-past nine o'clock, the engine driver of a special freight train, bound west, when near St. Paul's station, a few miles west of Stratford, perceived a man walking along the track some distance ahead.

THE CRICKET CLUB of Trinity College School, Port Hope, were presented, on Saturday, with a splendid Dominion flag for their cricket ground.

At about 8 o'clock in the morning the Independents left for Georgetown, returning in the evening. The game with the Restless Club, of that town, was well contested, and resulted in the defeat of the Georgetown boys.

Notwithstanding the very inclement weather, a large number of spectators witnessed the game between the Seaford Stars and the Champions.

It is said that the Government of Guatemala have compensated Vice-Consul Magee for the outrage inflicted upon him by giving him \$50,000.

BREMPTON RACES - The second annual meeting of the Brampton Driving Park Association takes place on the 28th and 29th of this month.

According to the latest statement of the British Registrar-General, London has a population of 3,254,260.

The Celebration

Whatever importance the weather possesses on ordinary days, its influence on the enjoyment of a holiday cannot be questioned.

It is often called "Queen's Weather," we can rely on everybody enjoying themselves, whether the civic authorities take any action in the matter or not.

Yesterday, however, was one of the most enjoyable and dampening days that we have had for a long time.

Refreshments. In the morning the scholars attending the different schools of the town turned out in holiday attire and wended their several ways to the scenes of their studies.

Here they were presented with refreshments in the shape of candies, oranges, &c. which are so well calculated to put a holiday appearance upon things in general.

THE RIFLE MATCH ALL COMERS' Name. 400 yds. 300 yds. 400 yds.

J. Young, Elora..... 2323 2343 4344-17 J. Crowe..... 4343 2323 4344-15

THE CONCERT in the evening was well attended, and may be pronounced a success.

THE Duet by Miss U. Stevenson and Mr. Whentley was well received; Miss Nellie Foster's and Mr. Maitland's singing were deservedly encored.

ILLUMINATIONS. In the evening the Town Hall and Mr. G. B. Fraser's store were brilliantly illuminated, and Wyndham street presented a lively appearance from fireworks set off by Mr. Murray and Mr. Evans.

Base Ball Notes. The Mutuals defeated the Chicago nine on Saturday in Chicago, by a score of 7 to 4.

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Town Council

A special meeting of the Council was held on Saturday evening. Members all present except Mr. McCrae.

The Mayor read the requisition that had been sent in by eight of the Councilors, and mentioned that this meeting was called in answer to that request.

Mr. Hood moved, seconded by Mr. Petrie, that leave be granted to bring in a by-law for the purpose of raising funds for the erection or extension of a building for increased market and hall accommodation, and that the same be now read a first and second time.

Mr. Howard objected to the proceedings of the Council in this matter. One of the members of the Council was absent, and it was pretty generally known that he would oppose the by-law if he were present.

The people had given expression to their views on the former by-law, and by their vote it could be seen that they did not wish to spend the money for such a purpose.

Mr. Howard called Mr. Howard to order. Mr. Howard said he had a perfect right to state that which he knew positively, and he knew that that was the intention. There was a division even in the Council on the question.

The Mayor called on Mr. Howard to give names. Mr. Howard said Mr. Hood wanted the extension and Mr. Elliott was in favor of the new building.

Mr. Elliott took objection to Mr. Howard's statement. The gentleman didn't know his views and had no right to state what he thought he (Mr. Elliott) would do.

Mr. Howard said that on the Committee itself there was a division of sentiment. He asked if the whole thing was not a fraud on the face of it and a deception. As the matter is now, the people do not know what is to be done with the money.

The Mayor - It would be quite in order for you or any other gentleman to move the site. Mr. Howard objected to the principle of the by-law. He was opposed to having this by-law forced upon the people whether they like it or not.

Mr. Howard said that the by-law would be carried by misrepresentation. The Mayor ruled that Mr. Howard's remarks were foreign to the question.

Mr. Coffey said it was not fair for Mr. Howard to impugn the motives of any member of the Council. Mr. Howard was allowed to go on. He remarked that this by-law was identical with the other one, except in the figures.

It was possible to make the present building for all the uses of the Council. He hoped the by-law because the Council would persist in pressing it.

Mr. Robertson thought the promoters of this scheme were determined to carry their point, and had reduced the amount of cost to \$18,000. If this did not suit, the next move would be to make it \$15,000. The people were not prepared to vote this amount. Besides, it would cost 20 per cent. more now for building than if the builders were not so busy. Then, walls would have to be torn down, and about a year's revenue from the stalls would be lost. He advised leaving this matter over till next year.

Mr. Davidson said the Council were not asking a single cent this year for this work, as they would not be liable to pay. As to expending the amount on roads, the Council had no power to vote more than \$6,000 to that purpose.

Mr. Elliott said there had been misrepresentations made in his ward. It was said that there would be no improvements if the other by-law were carried, but the fact was not so. He revealed that there would be no extra assessment for 1875. The assessment would be 8-tenths of a mill on the dollar, 8 cents on \$100, and 80 cents on \$1,000, and the object would benefit the town. Half the amount would be raised by the increased accommodation. That would reduce the assessment to 4 cents on \$100. There would be nothing wrong in submitting the new by-law to the people.

Mr. Raymond thought the preamble to the by-law was not definite. It provided that the additional accommodation be "either attached to the present building or separate therefrom." This accommodation, he thought, could be obtained at less expense than \$18,000. The Council should look well to expending such an amount. It would entail an additional burden of \$2006 a year to the permanent expense of the town, and the money could be put to a better use. The assessment has been raised 20 per cent. within the last ten years, and he thought this was sufficient. He had no particular plan to carry out, and he would not move a finger to jeopardize the present market or move it from its place.

Mr. Hall had opposed the upper site for the hall, and he was just as much against it as ever. It would make a narrow lane of the public street.

Mr. Crowe thought the present scheme would cost \$20,000 before it was completed. No mention was made of a site in the previous by-law, neither was there in this; and this is in effect just the by-law that was defeated.

Mr. Petrie said there was precedent for submitting by-laws a second time. In reference to this by-law, there was only a choice of site between this place and the south-west corner. It was suggested that there was no opportunity to extend this present building. The sum of \$18,000 was placed as the amount that would be required to add an extension or erect a new building. The question now was, he thought, extension (cries of No, No). However, if the people say they want to spend this money, there's no use in hanging back.

Mr. Hood had always voted to extend this building, but did not want it extended rear-ward. But why didn't Mr. Howard vote before for extension? The last by-law would have been carried but

for the left fielder, and several good throws by others, but they will have to pick up wonderfully if they ever intend to visit Guelph again. As to the Champions, the score speaks for itself. Although considerable miffing was done, their playing showed that when a tough opponent was on the field they were all there just when their services were required. Mr. Moore acted as umpire in his usual satisfactory manner. The following is the score:

MAPLE LEAF. R. 1ST B. P. O. A. Jones, s. b..... 4 2 0 5 Myers, l. b..... 4 3 6 2 Emery, c. f..... 4 3 3 0 Bunley, c. f..... 5 4 0 3 T. Smith, l. f..... 3 1 1 0 Keel, 2nd b..... 4 4 4 3 W. Smith, r. f..... 1 0 0 0 Maddock, c. f..... 3 2 3 1 Spence, 3rd b..... 2 2 5 4

STARS. R. 1ST B. P. O. A. Lamb, p..... 0 0 1 1 Shaw, f..... 0 0 1 0 Cameron, 1st b..... 0 0 5 0 Hogan, r. f..... 0 0 0 0 Cameron, s. f..... 0 0 4 3 Greaves, l. f..... 0 0 1 0 Tyley, 2nd b..... 0 0 3 1 W. Smith, r. f..... 0 1 1 0 Paulin, c..... 0 0 0 0

SCORE EACH INNING. Maple Leaf..... 9 3 3 2 1 5 2-30 Stars..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 C-0

1st base on errors - Guelph, 15 times; Seaford, 9 times. Time of game two hours. Umpire - Mr. A. M. Moore, Toronto. Scorers - Guelph, Matthew T. Lober; Seaford,

This is the only occasion on record in Canada when an amateur club has been "whitewashed" by an opponent.

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BY TELEGRAPH TO THE MERCURY
The Magee Outrage.

The New Duke of Connaught.

Finances in the U. S. Senate.

New York, May 24.—Panama ad-
vices to the 16th inst. say that Gonzalez,
commandant at San Jose de Guatemala,
was not mortally wounded by shots re-
ceived when attempting to escape to the
steam ship Arizona, but was recovering.
His trial for the outrage upon British
Vice Consul Magee was fixed for the 28th
April. He will probably be shot. Pas-
sengers who were on board the steamer
Arizona in the port when the outrage
was going on speak very strongly against
Mr. James, the U. S. Consul, for not in-
terfering to save Mr. Magee from the
cruelty of the Commandant.

Darmstadt, May 24.—The Princess
Alice of England, wife of Prince Louis of
Hesse, Darmstadt, has given birth to a
daughter.

London, May 24.—At the celebration
of the Queen's birthday, which takes
place to-morrow, the title of Duke of
Connaught will be conferred on Prince
Arthur.

New York, Apr 26.—The Times Wash-
ington special says some doubt has
arisen as to whether the civil rights bill
will pass the House this session.

The Herald's Washington despatch
says the vote in the House yesterday,
refusing to suspend rules in order to take
up the Senate financial bill, in the opin-
ion of members decides the fate of all
financial measures in this Congress, and
there is now very small hope of any defi-
nite action on financial matters at this
session.

Chicago, May 26.—The estimated loss
of the Independence fire is half-a-mil-
lion. Three men entering the store to
save goods are supposed to be lost.

Boston, May 26.—A brutal murder has
just been discovered in the State alms-
house. On the 13th March Edward
Dohard, an aged cripple, was maltreated
by Daniel Leary, the steward, as to
cause his death. The fact was only re-
vealed yesterday.

BIRTHS.

HUME—At Marden, on the 17th inst., the
wife of Mr. Peter Hume, of a son.
CAY—In Nichol, on the 20th ult., the wife
of Mr. Wm. Gray, of a daughter.
JACKSON—In Paisley Block, on the 19th inst.
the wife of Mr. Wm. Jackson, of a son.

MARRIED.

CUMMING—WATSON—At the residence of the
bride's father on the 20th inst., by the
Rev. Alex. McKay, M.A., Mr. John Cum-
ming, of Detroit, U.S., to Miss Ellen,
eldest daughter of Robert Watson, Esq.,
Puelinb, Ont.

DIED.

MEREDITH—At Guelph, on the 25th inst., the
wife of Mr. Chas. Meredith.

The remains will be taken to the family
burying place, Kingston, by the 3 a.m.
Grand Trunk train on Wednesday morning.

RECHAN—In Detroit, on the 15th inst., James
Bechan, of Iowa, formerly a resident of
Guelph, aged 28 years.

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TUESDAY EV'NG, MAY 26, 1874

The Law of Libel.

Considerable attention has lately
been given to the law of libel in
Canada, from the frequency with
which cases of this nature have been
before the Courts. The celebrated
Montreal case—in which the prop-
rietary of the Witness were defendants
—and on which sat a jury so stupid as
not to know for whom to return a
verdict—has given rise to a demand
for an amendment of the law now in
force in Quebec. In the case above
mentioned the old and tyrannical
law in force in Britain at the begin-
ning of this century was the one un-
der which it was tried, and even it
was strained to its utmost limits in
order to secure a verdict against the
Messrs. Dougall, who showed that
in publishing the statements charged
as libellous, there was no malice. We
are glad to see that the matter has
engaged the attention of Parliament,
and that a bill framed and intro-
duced by Mr. Brooks, for assimilating
the law of libel to that which now
prevails in England and also in Ontario,
will receive the sanction of the House.
The first clause provides that the
jury, on the general plea of not
guilty, shall not be required by the
judge "to find the defendant guilty
merely on the proof of publication
by such defendant of the paper
charged to be a libel, and of the
sense ascribed to the same in such
indictment or information," with
the two provisos of leaving the judge
the usual discretion in the nature of
his charge, and the jury the right to
find a special verdict, and the de-
fendant the right to move in arrest
of judgment. The next three clau-
ses relate to fines and periods of im-
prisonment. The fifth clause allows
the plea of the truth of the libel, and
that it was for the public benefit that
the libel was published, "and to en-
title the defendant to give evidence
of such matters charged as a defence
to such indictment or information, it
shall be necessary for the defendant
to allege the truth of such matters
charged in the manner of pleading
in justification to an action for defa-
mation, and further to allege that it
was for the public benefit that the
said matters charged should be pub-
lished," and that it shall be com-
petent for the Court to consider
whether such plea is an aggravation or
mitigation of the libel. There is
also a proviso that it shall be com-
petent for the defendant to plead
not guilty, and that no defence
shall be taken away or prejudiced
under the plea of not guilty, which
the defendant can now make under
any such plea to any indictment
or information for a defama-
tory libel. Clause six allows the
defendant the plea that the libel was
published in his absence, without his
authority, and that he used all due
caution. Clause seven relates to costs.
The eighth clause provides that in
cases of private prosecution it shall
not be competent for the private
prosecutor to cause any juror to
stand aside until the panel has been
gone through, without the express
authority of the Attorney or Solicitor
General, or the Crown Counsel; but
the prosecution shall be limited to
the right to challenge four jurors
without cause and any number with
cause.

Ice Cream Freezers,
Refrigerators,
Ice Picks,
Ice Tongs,
Butter Coolers,
Baths,
Toilet Sets,
Garden Tools,
Fishing Tackle,
Bird Cages,
Floor Oil Cloths
MATS, &c.

JOHN HORSMAN'S,
HARDWARE MERCHANT,
GUELPH.

NEW
Confectionery Establishment.

The subscribers having rented the
store lately occupied by G.B. McCullough
as a Drug Store,

Corner of Wyndham and Quebec-sts.

Have fitted it up for Confectionery, with
a commodious

Ice Cream Parlor in the Rear,
Where they intend carrying on the above
line in all its branches, and hope by strict
attention to business, and keeping a good
stock always on hand, to merit a due por-
tion of the public patronage.

A supply of Ice Cream and Soda Water,
and a variety of

BISCUITS, BUNS, CAKES, CANDIES,
etc. always on hand.

Bride and other Cakes made to
order.

SMITH & SUTTON,
Guelph, May 21, 1874. dw

UNDER THE DISTINGUISHED
PATRONAGE OF THEIR EXCEL-
LENCIES

The Earl and Countess of Dufferin.

The Hampton Singers

From the Hampton Normal and Agricul-
tural Institute, Virginia, will give an enter-
tainment in the Town Hall,

On Thursday Evening, 4th of June,
When will be presented

The Slave and Plantation Songs and Sac-
red Melodies of the South.

No music like that of the Hampton Sing-
ers has ever been presented to the Canadian
public. Both in Europe and America
crowded audiences have testified their
interest and delight.

The proceeds of the concert are devoted
to the building of the new college at Hamp-
ton.

Tickets 50 cents each.

For sale at the stores of T. J. Day and J.
Anderson.

Guelph, May 4th, 1874. doewtm23

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CORNICES
—OF—
Various Patterns,
New Designs,
Large Assortment
AT LOW PRICES.
—
John M. Bond & Co.
Hardware Importers,
Wyndham street, Guelph.

R. CRAWFORD'S
SALE
—OF—
Watches,
Clocks, and
Jewelry

Will only last till the 1st of June, when
the stock will be transferred.

STILL ON HAND
Some Fine Gold Watches, \$100;
Fine Silver Watches, all prices;
CLOCKS AND JEWELRY IN EVERY
VARIETY.

All who want such articles will save
money by purchasing from me, as I will give
bargains such as cannot be had again for
some time.

Call early and judge for yourselves.
Store next the Post Office.

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Guelph, May 5, 1874.

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For Hatching

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Poultry, for which I have taken first pre-
miums at all the principal shows:

DARK BRAHMAS
LIGHT BRAHMAS
PARTIDGE COCHINS
WHITE COCHINS
GOLDEN SPANGLED HAMBURGS
SILVER do do
BLACK RED GAME
White Faced BLACK SPANISH
AYLESBURY DUCKS

Price \$3 per doz.

F. STURDY,
May 23, 1874. dw5w GUELPH.

THE GEM
MICROSCOPE

Is the most wonderful production of the
nineteenth century. It furnishes the power
of a high-priced instrument for a mere
trifle, and exceeds in usefulness any micro-
scope ever invented. It reveals the hidden
wonders of God's minute creation—as Eels
in Vinegar, Animals in water, Butterflies'
feathers, the Golden Marrow of a Hair, etc.
It also shows Trichina Spirals, or Pork
Worm, wherever it exists in pork. It is just
the thing for Children and Young Folks, and
grown to its top. Price \$1.50. Sent by mail,
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where. Men and women, boys and girls;
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ceipt of price. Address, the Beverly Com-
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City or Town Property, on easy terms of
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For full information apply to

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Exchange Broker,
Market Square, Guelph.
Guelph, May 15, 1874. dw5m

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sisting of 200 acres, being well watered.
There is a good new frame house, log barn
and stables and some small improvements.
It is good land, and will be sold cheap. For
information apply to Wilson Dynes or Wm.
McDonald, on the premises, and F. J. Chad-
wick, Guelph.

New Advertisements.

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—AT—
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A large assortment of first-class Furniture to be rushed off in the next few weeks, con-
sisting of

Parlor Suites, Bed Room Sets,
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AND ALL OTHER KINDS OF FURNITURE.

Parties may rely on getting cheap bargains. **TERMS CASH.**

MITCHELL & TOVELL,
Guelph, April 30, 1874. dw

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Try our EIGHTY CENT TEA:
Equal to any Tea sold in
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One trial will convince.

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Photograph Views
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FRESH ARRIVALS DAILY!

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5000 Coconuts,
100 Boxes Oranges,
50 Boxes Lemons,
10 Barrels Pine Apples,

FOR SALE TO THE TRADE AT CITY PRICES.

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Wyndham-st., Guelph.
Guelph, May 5, 1874.

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SATIN STRIPE GRENADINES;
THOMSON'S GLOVE FITTING
CORSETS;
AMERICAN BLACK LUSTRES;
JOB LINE DRESS GOODS;
ASHTON'S DARK FANCY PRINTS;
LACE CURTAINS,

TABLE LINENS,
COTTON TWEEDS,
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LACES, SHAWLS.

Boot and Shoe Department fully
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CLOTHING MADE TO ORDER.

GUELPH May 9, 1874 dw
J. C. MACKLIN & Co.

GOOD BOOTS AND SHOES
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(Successors to W. D. Hepburn & Co.)

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We have the largest stock in town! Keep the best goods and sell at the lowest
prices.

R. MacGregor & Co.
GUELPH, May 10, 1874. dw

BEAUTIFUL
FLOWERS

Cheap Window Plants

Purchasers will find it to their advan-
tage to inspect our stock before going else-
where.

Bouquets,
Pine Apples,
Bananas, &c.,

—AT—
R. EVANS'
CHEAP FRUIT STORE,
WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH,
Next to Jackson & Hallett's. dim
May 14, 1874. 1874

BASE BALLS
The Largest and Cheapest Assortment

AT J. HUNTER'S
EMPORIUM

Of Wall Paper, School Books, Jewellery,
Wools, Toys, and

Fancy Goods!

Dead White - \$1.25, worth \$2.00
Bouncing Rock - 1.15, " 1.75
Atlantic - 1.15, " 1.75
Cock of the Walk - 1.15, " 1.75
Dauntless - 1.15, " 1.75
Dominion Regulation - 75, " 1.25
Star - 75, " 1.25
Practice - 65, " 1.00
Junior - 50, " 0.75
Boys, from - 12 cents.

LACROSSE AND RUBBER BALLS
Of all kinds cheaper than ever.

Full line of new Goods, Wools, Jewel-
lery and Toys.
Hair Goods, Combs and Small Wares
AT J. HUNTER'S
Berlin Wool, Fancy Goods and Toy Store
Wyndham Street Guelph.

1874 1874

SPRING
IMPORTATIONS.

JAS. CORMACK
Tailor and Clothier,
No. 1, Wyndham Street,

Is now receiving a large and beautiful
assortment of

Goods suitable for the Season, con-
sisting of Plain and Fancy Wool-
lens in the best and newest
patterns.

1874 1874

**Hats, Caps, Shirts, Col-
lars, Ties, &c**
IN GREAT VARIETY.

JAMES CORMACK,
Guelph, April 21, 1873. dw

JUST RECEIVED
—AT—
G. H. McIntyre's
(LATE McCULLOUGH'S)
NEW DRUG STORE,
A fresh supply of

The HANDY PACKAGE DYES
In all shades, comprising

BLACK, BLUE,
GARNET, MAGENTA,
MAROON, PONCEAU,
SCARLET, VIOLET,
YELLOW,

—ALSO—
Blue, Green and Yellow for Cotton

Each package warranted capable of color-
ing from one to four pounds of Goods.
Price per package 15 cents.
G. H. MCINTYRE,
No. 3, Day's Block,
Next door to J. E. McElderry's and directly
opposite John Horsman's. dw

PLANTS.

1,000,000
Plants Now Ready

Comprising all the choicest varieties of the
undermentioned, which are grown
from selected Stock Seeds:

Cabbage,
Cauliflower,
Tomato,
Celery,
Kale,
Kohl Rabi,
Asparagus.

VERBENAS,
PETUNIAS,
ASTERS,
BALSAMS,
ZINNIA ELEGANS,
PELOX DRUMMONDII,

And other Bedding Varieties, for sale at

SHARPE'S SEED STORE
Or at their Gardens down the Waterloo
Road, Guelph.

C. & A. SHARPE.
Guelph, May 15th, 1874. dwim

TWO SOFT-WATER TANKS FOR
sale, lined with lead. Size, 6 ft. x 3 ft.
6 in., depth, 4 ft. 8 in.; and 6 ft. x 3 ft., depth,
4 ft. Apply to
R. CRAWFORD,
Next Post Office, Guelph.
Guelph, April 16, 1874. dw



Grand Display of Millinery

—AT—
GEORGE JEFFREY'S.

GEORGE JEFFREY has much pleasure in informing his numerous friends and the public generally that his Show Room is now open, and is prepared to show

**One of the Best Assortments of Millinery and Mantles
EVER EXHIBITED IN GUELPH.**

As the stock is all new, Ladies will have no trouble in selecting the newest goods at reasonable prices.

GEORGE JEFFREY, GUELPH
Direct Importer, Guelph.

Another large arrival of New Goods direct from France & Britain

AT THE LION
GUELPH



AT THE LION
GUELPH

Our Weekly Arrivals of Goods make things Lively at THE LION!
Trade better than Ever!

Over Thirty Thousand Dollars worth more Goods sold this Spring than last, and there will be more in the future, for we are determined to keep prices down in spite of increase in the tariff. Every one remarks the great business doing at THE LION. Of course it must be so,—our stock is larger than any six stocks in Guelph, and our prices so much lower, and the people find out these things, and go where they get the best value for their money.

We have received a specialty this week of over one thousand dollars worth of Double Ballon's Kid Gloves direct from French makers, that we will sell at one dollar a pair; elsewhere you pay from \$1.25 to \$1.50 for the same.

Also, French Silks in all the newest shades in plain, striped, and shot, at \$1. worth \$1.50 a yard.
Another lot of lovely Dress Goods in Plain Lustres, Zenobin Stripes, Australian Grapes, and Polka Spots.
59 Boys' Suits just received to suit little chaps from 4 to 10 years old at \$3.50, \$5.75, \$4.00, \$4.50 and \$5.00 a suit.

Our Agent advises that next steamer will bring us 100 pieces Linen Tasso Dresses that he has bought very cheap. The goods are worth 25 cents; we will sell them at 12½ cents. The next Allan steamer will bring them.

Golden Lion, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

J. D. WILLIAMSON.

profession in that place.
Mr. Brooks, of Arkansas, the defeated contestant for the governorship of that state, was formerly a Methodist minister.

WILLIAM WILSON, charged with attempting to shoot Mr. Henry Walking, boss on the line of the new canal, has been sent to jail for one month.

The non-arrival of the 200 saddles ordered from England, for the Manitoba Mounted Police, will necessitate their staying in Toronto till the 15th of June.

It is reported that Messrs. Wilson & Brown, of Brockville, have secured the contract for constructing the Brantford and Port Burwell Railway.

A runaway in Brantford on Saturday resulted in the breaking of the leg of John Martin just below the knee.

Miss A. J. Duncan, of Bluevale, has received the appointment of assistant teacher in the Harrison Public School, at a salary of \$300 per annum.

Mr. Miller, of Wingham, who was thrown from the buggy some time ago and had his foot and ankle badly smashed, has been obliged to have the leg amputated just below the knee.

The Quebec Chronicle says, that on leaving the Grand Trunk, the English directors presented Mr. Brydges with the handsome sum of £4,000 sterling.

A new steamboat company, for traffic between Montreal and Quebec is projected. It is to be called the Union. Capital stock, \$500,000.

Mr. Murray, geologist, of Newfoundland, states that a coal seam on that island is thirty-eight miles square, which, allowing for a thickness of three feet, would be 54,720,000 chaldrons of coal.

The remaining five of the "Hampton Singers" professed conversion on the last Sunday of Rev. Mr. Paterson's meetings in Syracuse, N. Y. county.

Furber's apoplexy is the name of the disease which has been so fatal amongst the Seaforth cows, a large number having died.

Now that the word "hymeneal" is so commonly used in reference to weddings, it is suggested that births should be headed "erymeneal" and deaths "diemeenal."

A by-law will be submitted by the County Council of Victoria, at the June for a bonus of \$200,000 to the Huron and Quebec Railway, to be voted on by the ratepayers.

A daughter of Mr. William Telford, about nine years old, was out in the field on Saturday when they were rolling land with a field roller. She got on the roller to ride for amusement when she fell, and got under the roller and was killed.

A large emigration is setting in toward Manitoba this Spring. A colony formed at Esdale, Wis., is now on its way to Emerson, the colony town situated on the east bank of the Red River, just over the boundary line in Manitoba; and another, of one hundred and fifty families, has recently formed in St. Paul, destined for the same point.

Henceforward all British ships will be admitted to the coasting trade of Germany. In like manner the Canadian coasting trade will be open to German vessels. The German coasting trade must be infinitesimally small compared with that of the British Empire.

On Saturday evening, at about seven o'clock, as a lumber train on the Northern Railway was approaching Richmond Hill station, one of the cars broke down, either a wheel or an axle having snapped in consequence of which the train ran off the track, and seven of the cars were smashed to splinters.

On Sunday morning, while Wm. McMullen was uncoupling some cars on the Northern Railway near Richmond Hill, two other cars broke loose from another small train, and ran down on the train at which he was engaged, crushing him in a frightful manner, his head having been almost flattened. He was taken to Toronto, but Drs. Archibald and Ogden, who attended him, gave no hope whatever of his recovery.

BREAKFAST.—Epps's Cocoa.—GRATEFUL AND COMFORTING.—"By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavoured beverage which will save us many heavy doctors' bills."—Civil Service Gazette. Made simply with boiling water or milk. Each packet is labelled—"James Epps & Co., Homeopathic Chemists, London."

**COMING, COMING, COMING,
COMING WEST!**

Notwithstanding the extraordinary efforts made to confine the trade to Lower Wyndham street, the Fashionable West End continues to flourish, and is daily crowded with customers patronising the various departments of our stock.

OUR DRESS DEPARTMENT

Commands the favorable notice of every lady of taste in the Town of Guelph and surrounding country. Our Cheap Lines at 12c, 15c, 20c and 25c are creating quite a sensation. Our Millinery Department is the great centre of attraction for the Ladies.

OPENING TO-DAY --- 12 doz. Fancy Straw Hats, Ladies and Misses—newest styles.

OUR MANTLE DEPARTMENT

Is full of every new and popular style for the season. We are also showing a splendid variety of Mantle Materials. Mantle Making on the premises.

Opening, Opening, Opening.

ANOTHER LOT OF CHEAP KIDS | " CHEAP TWEEDS
only 50c. per pair. | " CHEAP SUN HATS
" CHEAP DRESS GOODS | " CHEAP PARASOLS
" CHEAP PRIZES

Come, ladies, direct to the Fashionable West End for nice Goods at reasonable prices.

A. O. BUCHAM,

Fashionable West End Dress, Mantle, and Millinery Establishment.

CHEAP, STYLISH, DURABLE

BURR & SKINNER'S

NEW FURNITURE WAREROOMS

A Splendid Assortment of

FANCY CHAMBER SETTS

Of New and Handsome Designs

In imitation Walnut, Chestnut and English Oak, all beautifully ornamented, making the cheapest and most stylish furniture people can put in their houses.

Call and See them at once.

ALSO, ALL KINDS OF FINE FURNITURE, UPHOLSTERED GOODS,
Spring Beds and Mattresses, cheap as the cheapest.

Come to the New Warerooms for Bargains in Furniture.

BURR & SKINNER,

Manufacturers and Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Furniture

SPRING CLOTHING

AT THE

Elephant Clothing Store.

C. E. PEIRCE & CO.

Have now on exhibition one of the Largest Stocks of

READY-MADE CLOTHING

For Men and Boy's Wear ever shown in Guelph.

Well Made and Fashionably Cut

And at prices that cannot be beaten, being 25 per cent less than any other place in town.

A Big Stock of Straw and Felt Hats now on hand.

Hepburn's Old Stand, Wyndham-st., Guelph.

C. E. PEIRCE & CO.,

GUELPH, April 10th, 1874.

William Stewart

HAS

NOW OPENED

THE

**First Lot's New Goods
for Spring!**

Piles of Plain Lustres,

Lots of Striped Dress Goods,

Fancy Goods

The Newest Colors and Patterns.

THE

Print Department

IS CROWDED

With the Latest Productions in Colours and Styles, and at

LOWER PRICES THAN LAST YEAR

WM. STEWART.

Guelph, March 23, 1874

JUST COME IN!

GUELPH TEA DEPOT

E. O'DONNELL & Co.

Are putting up to-day

320 caddies best dollar Young Hyson Tea for 80c. per lb.
600 caddies of the best 75 cent Tea for 50c. per lb.
95 caddies of nice Sweet Tea at 40c per lb.
120 caddies of Japan Tea worth 75c, for 50c.
A few packages of Black Tea for 35c per lb.
10 hogsheads of Good Bright Sugar, 12lb. for \$1.
50 Ingersoll Cheese, very choice.

A very large stock of Groceries of all kinds always on hand Cheap.

Terms—Strictly Cash.

E. O'DONNELL & CO

REMOVAL.

G. B. FRASER

Has removed directly opposite his old stand, where he has opened with a brand new stock at much lower prices than could be bought earlier in the season.

G. B. Fraser is too modest to advertise that he is selling much cheaper than those who make a great blow. Still facts are stubborn chiefs, and a discerning public pronounce Fraser's to be the cheap store to deal in.

G. B. Fraser gives his old friends a cordial invitation, and invites all who wish to save money to call and see his new stock.

G. B. FRASER,

Wyndham Street, opposite his old stand, Guelph, May 23, 1874.

GUELPH CLOTH HALL.

SHAW & MURTON

OUR SPRING STOCK

Is now fully assorted in every department.

**CLOTHS,
HATS AND CAPS,
GENTS' FURNISHINGS
READY-MADE CLOTHING.**

We would inform our customers and the public in general that we never before offered such a complete and handsome assortment of Goods for Gent's Wear.

Shaw & Murton,

MERCHANT TAILORS

GUELPH, March 21, 1874

WOODLAND NURSERIES.

New and Beautiful PLANTS

Green House, Foliage, Window and Bedding Plants.

The undersigned are prepared to supply healthy flowering plants at low prices. Having facilities to grow a large quantity of plants, we are in a position to fill a want that was felt in Guelph. All our stock has been selected with care, embracing many

New and Beautiful Plants.

Novelties of merit will be added to our stock as they appear.

Vegetable Plants

Cabbage, Cauliflower, Celery, Tomatoes, Asparagus, &c., &c.

Strawberry Plants at low rates by the 100 or 1000.

A FEW THOUSAND WELL GROWN Apple, Pear and Plum Trees at lowest market rates. All orders entrusted to them will be executed with fidelity and dispatch. Nurseries west of St. Joseph's Hospital, GUELPH, Ontario
Guelph, April 16, 74 dw

The Senate did not venture to make any amendments to the Pacific Railway Bill, but a good deal of time was occupied in discussion. Tomorrow was left clear for the proposition, which will take place at three o'clock.

Lord Dufferin addressed the firemen to-day, complimenting them on their fine appearance. He expressed his pleasure at witnessing one of the most creditable and characteristic sights to be witnessed in Canadian towns and cities, and said he believed that this system of volunteer aid in fighting fires evinced self-denial and public spirit.

Lady Dufferin made the presentation of colors to the Guards, and spoke as follows: "Officers and soldiers of the Regiment of the Governor-General's Foot Guards, I commit to your safe keeping this stand of colors as the emblem of the sovereignty of Her Majesty Queen Victoria and the honor of your regiment, with the assurance that you will guard them well and bear them bravely whenever and wherever your Queen or your country may require your service."

At the conclusion of her speech a Royal salute was fired. A detachment of the Prince of Wales Rifles, from Montreal, was present, and took part in the proceedings. The Vice-Regal party were entertained at luncheon in a large tent by the officers of the Guards. In the course of a short speech Lord Dufferin said some words in the habit of sneering at our native soldiers, and as such displays as were witnessed to-day, but that class of people were a small minority of Canada. He said the regiment of Guards were a credit to the city and the whole force, and while they maintained such a position he should not desire any change.

He paid a high compliment to the Canadian militia, and said he believed the system was valuable as developing a spirit of discipline and self-reliance. During the firing of the salute the horse of Color-Sergeant Stuart ran away at a furious rate, and, stopping suddenly, threw Stuart with great force against a fence. He is very ill.

Earthen bee-hives are a novelty successfully introduced in California.

The druggists of Cincinnati are trying to profit by the temperance crusade by advancing the price of soda water.

The Scotch Presbyterians in Italy are making an attempt to have their church recognized by the Government as a properly constituted body.

INTERNATIONAL SALT WORKS.—The International Salt Company's works were formally opened on Monday. Quite a number of influential business men from different parts of the Province were present.

The publishers of the British Workman have lately issued their Illustrated Parable of the Prodigal Son in the Fijian, Maori, and Malagasy languages, and the Parable of the Sower in the Turkish, Persian, Chinese, and Maori languages.

Cherians are employed in California as draught animals. Two Chinamen are harnessed to a wooden plow, and, which thus answers in lieu of a harrow where the ground is too wet to use the latter. Over a thousand acres have been treated in this manner in Contra Costa county.

QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY IN HAMILTON.—Among the celebrations on Monday in Hamilton, a novel feature was introduced namely, a dog-show. About one hundred entries were made, and some very fine animals were shown. The Horticultural Society's spring show was held in the drill-shed, the show of vegetables being remarkably good for the season.

MONTHLY CATTLE FAIRS.

Year.	Principal.	In arrear.	Aggregate.
1875	\$ 400	\$1,000	\$1,400
1876	500	1,200	1,700
1877	600	1,500	2,100
1878	700	1,800	2,500
1879	800	2,100	2,900
1880	900	2,400	3,300
1881	1,000	2,700	3,700
1882	1,100	3,000	4,100
1883	1,200	3,300	4,500
1884	1,300	3,600	4,900
1885	1,400	3,900	5,300
1886	1,500	4,200	5,700
1887	1,600	4,500	6,100
1888	1,700	4,800	6,500
1889	1,800	5,100	6,900
1890	1,900	5,400	7,300
1891	2,000	5,700	7,700
1892	2,100	6,000	8,100
1893	2,200	6,300	8,500
1894	2,300	6,600	8,900

Commercial.

Quebec Markets.

MERCURY OFFICE, May 26.	
Flour, per 100 lbs.	2 08 to 2 17
Spring Wheat, do.	2 09 to 2 05
Spring Wheat (red chaff) 1 70 to 1 75	
Oats, do.	1 34 to 1 38
Peas, do.	1 00 to 1 05
Barley, new, do.	3 00 to 3 20
Hay, per ton.	12 00 to 14 00
Straw, do.	6 00 to 6 50
Wood, per cord.	4 00 to 4 50
Eggs, per dozen.	10 00 to 11 00
Butter, dairy packed.	15 00 to 16 00
Butter, rolled.	15 00 to 16 00
Potatoes, per bag.	60 00 to 1 00
Apples, per 100 lbs.	2 00 to 2 50
Beef, per cwt.	4 00 to 5 00

Toronto Markets.

TORONTO, May 23.	
Full Wheat, per bushel.	\$1 22 to \$1 23
Spring Wheat, do.	1 20 to 1 21
Barley, do.	0 90 to 1 00
Oats, do.	0 85 to 0 90
Dressed Hogs per 100 lbs.	8 00 to 8 50
Butter, lb roll.	20 00 to 22 00
Butter, tub.	16 00 to 18 00
Eggs, fresh, per doz.	12 00 to 13 00
Apples, per bush.	75 00 to 90 00
Hay, per ton.	24 00 to 37 50
Straw do.	20 00 to 21 00

Hamilton Markets.

Hamilton, May 21.	
White wheat, per bushel.	\$1 28 to \$1 29
Treatwell, do.	1 24 to 1 26
Red wheat, do.	0 90 to 1 00
Spring wheat, do.	1 20 to 1 22
Oats, do.	1 45 to 1 18
Peas, do.	58 to 62
Barley, do.	65 to 68
Corn, do.	1 30 to 1 30
Backwheat, do.	53 to 53
Clover, do.	5 50 to 6 00
Timothy, do.	3 75 to 3 75
Butter, per lb.	23 to 24
Butter, tub.	16 to 18
Apples, per bag.	1 12 to 1 12
Potatoes, do.	1 12 to 1 12

The Druggists have just received a supply of Dr. Wheeler's Celebrated Chemical Food and Nutritive Tonic, the Compound Elixir of Phosphates and Glycerine. This preparation has been in use in private practice for fifteen years, and is confidently recommended to the public as being for building up constitutions that have for a long time been suffering from Chronic Wasting Diseases, depending upon poor blood. It perfects nutrition by aiding the digestion and assimilating all the organs and tissues of the body. In diseases where the stomach is weak, and the child peculiar to women, and in delicate children, it supplies a most long felt by the physician, of a safe and agreeable remedy that may be taken for a protracted period without any possibility of injury, or of becoming objectionable to the patient. Sold at \$1.

Town of Guelph, IN THE COUNTY OF WELLINGTON. BY-LAW NO.

A BY-LAW to provide for the erection of a building required to give increased Market House and Town Hall accommodation in the Town of Guelph, and for the issue of eighteen thousand dollars debentures for that purpose.

WHEREAS, increased Market House and Town Hall accommodation is required by the Corporation of the Town of Guelph, and in order to provide for the erection of the necessary building for the said purpose on the Market Square, in the Town of Guelph, and on land belonging to the said Corporation, and to be attached to the present Market House and Town Hall, the said Corporation will require to expend the sum of eighteen thousand dollars.

AND WHEREAS, it is necessary and expedient for the said Corporation to raise by way of loan, the said sum of eighteen thousand dollars, required to be expended as aforesaid, and to create a debt of eighteen thousand dollars for the said purpose.

AND WHEREAS, it will require an amount of one thousand five hundred and seventy-eight dollars to be raised annually by special rate on all taxable property within the municipality of the Town of Guelph, for paying the said debt and interest under this By-law.

AND WHEREAS, the amount of the whole rateable property of the municipality of the Town of Guelph, irrespective of any future increase thereof, and irrespective of any increase in the nature of tolls, interest, or dividends, or returns from the said work, and also irrespective of any interest from the temporary investment of the sinking fund or principal money to be raised hereunder, or any part thereof, was according to the last revised Assessment Roll \$2,099,100.

AND WHEREAS, the existing debt including debentures issued for municipal loan fund debt of the said municipality is for principal, the sum of one hundred and seventeen thousand one hundred and nine dollars, and for interest the sum of \$1,000.

AND WHEREAS, there is none of the said principal money, or interest in arrear.

AND WHEREAS, it is intended to make the said debt repayable in twenty annual instalments, such instalments to be of such amounts that the aggregate amount payable for principal and interest in any year shall be equal, nearly, or may be, to that which is payable for principal and interest during each of the other years of such period, such instalments to be as follows:

Year.	Principal.	In arrear.	Aggregate.
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1888	1,700	4,800	6,500
1889	1,800	5,100	6,900
1890	1,900	5,400	7,300
1891	2,000	5,700	7,700
1892	2,100	6,000	8,100
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1894	2,300	6,600	8,900

AND WHEREAS, this By-law hath been duly assented to by the electors of the municipality before the final passing thereof according to law.

AND WHEREAS, a copy of this By-law with due notice hath been duly published according to law.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED, by the Corporation of the Town of Guelph, aforesaid, by the Council thereof, and with the assent of the electors thereof, and the consent and approval of His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Ontario, in Council, and by virtue of the acts of Parliament in that behalf as follows:

1st. THAT it shall be lawful for the Mayor of the said Town of Guelph for the time being, and he is hereby authorized, empowered and required to raise by way of loan from any person or persons, body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same upon the credit of the debentures hereinafter mentioned, the sum of eighteen thousand dollars, and to cause the same to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the Town of Guelph, for the purpose and with the object aforesaid.

2nd. THAT it shall be lawful for the said Mayor, and he is hereby authorized and required to cause debentures to be made for such sums of money as may be required, not exceeding in the whole the sum of eighteen thousand dollars, and not less than one hundred dollars each, and to negotiate and dispose of such debentures, and that the said debentures shall be sealed with the seal of the said Corporation of the Town of Guelph, and signed by the said Mayor, and countersigned by the said Treasurer.

3rd. THAT the said debentures shall be made payable within twenty years by instalments as aforesaid, at the office of the Treasurer of the said municipality, and shall have attached to them coupons for the payment of interest, which interest shall also be payable at the office of the said Treasurer.

4th. THAT the said debentures shall bear interest at and after the rate of six per cent. per annum from the date thereof, and the same shall be payable half-yearly.

5th. THAT for the purpose of paying the said debt and interest an equal special rate of three-fourths of one mill in the dollar, shall in addition to all other rates, be levied and collected in each year upon all the rateable property in the said municipality during the continuance of the said debentures, or any of them.

6th. THAT the proceeds of the said debentures shall be applied in paying for the erection of the said building required by the said Corporation aforesaid, but no person taking the said debentures, or any of them, shall be bound to see to the application of the proceeds thereof.

7th. THAT this By-law shall take effect upon, from and after the fourteenth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

THAT the votes of the Electors of the said municipality upon this By-law shall be taken on the eighteenth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, at the hour of nine o'clock in the forenoon, and at the places hereinafter mentioned, being places in the municipality at which elections of members of the Council therein are held, and the persons hereunder named are hereby appointed Return

officers to take the votes at the said places respectively, that is to say: NORTH WARD.—At the Court House, Returning Officer, Joseph Minnick. SOUTH WARD.—At the Central School, Day's buildings, Returning Officer, Thomas W. Cooper. EAST WARD.—At the Town Hall, Returning Officer, William J. Patterson. WEST WARD.—At the School House, known as the Senior Girls' School House, Edward Newton.

NOTICE.

I, JOHN HARVEY, Clerk of the Council of the Town of Guelph, hereby give notice and state that the foregoing is a true copy of a proposed By-Law, which will be taken into consideration by the Council of the Corporation of the Town of Guelph, after one month from the first publication thereof in the newspaper known as *The Guelph Mercury and Advertiser*, published at the Town of Guelph, the date of which publication was the Twenty-sixth day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and at the hour, day and places in the said By-Law fixed for taking the votes of the electors, the polls will be held for that purpose.

JOHN HARVEY, Town Clerk.

VALUABLE Property for Sale

IN THE TOWN OF GUELPH. In accordance with the last Will and Testament of the late John Mitchell, the residue of the estate now offered for sale is: viz:

Farm Property. About 200 acres of good land (west of the Eramosa Road in the North Ward) in quantities of one acre and upwards to suit purchasers; part of said land well timbered and the remainder under cultivation. There are 2 good two-story stone dwelling houses & frame barns, &c. on the same. The above property is very suitable for building sites, market gardens, &c.

Also, Lot 15, in the 10th concession, Egrement, about six miles from Mount Forest, containing one hundred acres of good land, improved and well watered.

Town Lots.

Lots 23, 24, 25 on the Eramosa Road. 26, 27, 28, 29 on Queen Street. 32, 33, 34, 35 on Delhi Street. Lot 8 on Pearl St., Lot 11, on King St. and Lot 12 on Derry St. East of Lot 9, on Macdonnell St., with 2 story frame dwelling.

West of do do with Livery Stable. Lot 6, corner Eramosa Road and Mitchell St., with good 2 story stone dwelling house, 11 rooms, cellar, well, cistern, &c.

Lot 7, on Mitchell St., with frame building, 20 x 30, suitable for a workshop.

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Apply to the proprietor on the premises, near the Village of Hollis.

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RAILWAY TIME TABLE.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

Trains leave Guelph as follows: 8:15 a.m.; 9:45 a.m.; 1:30 p.m.; 6:00 p.m.; 8:30 p.m. To London, Guelph and Detroit. To Berlin.

GREAT WESTERN-GUELPH BRANCH.

Going south—6:40 a.m.; 1 p.m.; 3:30 p.m. and 4:30 p.m. Going north—11:55 a.m. for Southampton mixed 1:40 p.m. for Palmerston; 6 p.m. for Harrisburg; 9:30 p.m. for Fergus.

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