

MRS. GRAHAM, MUSIC TEACHER. Will give instructions on the Piano forte and Organ at the homes of pupils...

DR. MENNIE. John G. Mennie, M.B., M.D., C.M., M.C., B.S.O., Graduate of Toronto University...

DR. GROVES. DR. ROGER. IMPERIAL BANK BUILDINGS, Fergus.

ORONHYATEKHA, M.D. Member of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Ontario...

REMOVED. JOTHAM'S BARBER SHOP Has been removed to the new block next to R. M. Bowtell's...

INSURANCE. JOHNSON & CO. Fire, Marine, and Life Insurance. Capital \$1,000,000...

ROBERT PHILLIPS, DRUGGIST, BOOKSELLER, STATIONER. And Issuer of Marriage Licenses...

HOEHNS BARBER SHOP. HOEHNS begs to inform the public that he has bought out Mr. Joseph McNamara's...

WEAVING. J. CRAWFORD wishes to inform his customers and the public that he is prepared to do all kinds of weaving...

J. Smith, Butcher BELWOOD. Wishes to inform the people of Belwood and surrounding district...

Lots, Lots!! Given Away. On the Barton Survey, Fergus, Mr. Barton is now prepared to give away...

WELLINGTON County Council. The Warden will attend at the County Clerk's office, in Fergus, on the 20th...

Picture Framing. I have on hand an assortment of Oil Paintings, Chromes and other pictures...

MEAT, MEAT! D. S. BURK. Wishes to inform his customers and the public generally that he still continues the Butcher business in Fergus...

Interest Again Reduced. \$300,000 to loan on Farm security at 5 1/2 per cent, and in large sums at 5 per cent...

FARMS FOR SALE. Cheap and easy terms, good bargains. Call or send for printed list.

THE ADVOCATE.

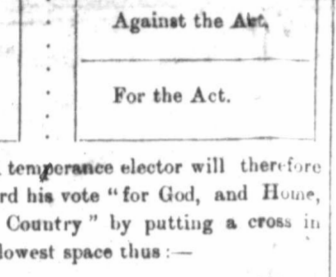
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THE ADVOCATE.

J. COOMAN, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR. FERGUS, WEDNESDAY, MAR. 20, 1889.

HOW TO VOTE.

Under the law as it stands now, all voting in Scott Act Contests is with ballots in the form given below...



A temperance elector will therefore record his vote for God, and Home, and Country...

Against the Act. For the Act. X

Beware of the Red Letters! They are a danger signal! Keep away from them.

WHY DISCRIMINATE? Would you vote to put a bar-room in your own house...

VOTE FOR LICENSE. If you ever knew a bar-room reclaim a drunkard...

THE BARROOM AS A MANUFACTORY. It takes in the raw material in the shape of bright, pure boys and turns out the finished product...

HOW EASILY SHOCKED? The Record believes "no hotel-keeper or his advocate could have used stronger language..."

THEIR OWN ADMISION. That the Scott Act has measurably curtailed treating and what might be called open drinking...

"BLESS'D ARE YE WHEN MEN SHALL REVILE YOU!" We congratulate the clergy on the fact that they were, last week, made the object of a fierce attack...

MONEY VS. MORALITY.

Whiskey men try to get votes against the Scott Act by appealing to men's cupidity, by saying it hurts business or it drives business to Orangeville...

ALL OR NONE.

It is often claimed by whisky advocates and their journals that since the Scott Act is not perfectly enforced...

PARTAKERS IN SIN.

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BOYS WILL ESCAPE THEM.

Fathers and mothers of Wellington will you give up your boys? Will you license bar-rooms to make your bright boys of the present the old soakers of the future?

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ARTISTS' MATERIALS (Winsor and Newton's) at WATERS BROS. 25 WYNDHAM STREET, Guelph.

ARGO BLOCK. SPRING GOODS. Arriving weekly and the following lines going out weekly: Grey & White Cottons, Cotton Shirtings, Cottonades & Prints.

LACE CURTAINS. I have pleasure in informing you that I have received notice from the Manufacturer to obtain a Special Shipment of the largest assortment of LACE CURTAINS...

JAS. ARGO. Fergus, March 5th 1889. STATEMENT OF THE Mutual Life Insurance Co. OF NEW YORK.

Table with columns: Total Assets, Income in Assets, Surplus for each year, Increase in Assets, etc.

THE ASSETS ARE INVESTED AS FOLLOWS: Bonds and Mortgages, United States and other securities, Real Estate and Loans on collateral, etc.

ROBERT A. GRANNIS, Vice-President. THOMAS W. JAS. CHOWN, Secretary. WILLIAM J. EASTON, Secretary.

SABBATH SCHOOL CONVENTION. A convention met in the Methodist Church, Fergus, on the 14th inst. for the formation of a Township Sabbath School Association...

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REPORT OF SABBATH SCHOOLS IN THE TOWNSHIP OF NICHOL.

Table with columns: Name and Denomination of S. S., No. Scholars on Roll, No. Teachers and Office Bearers, Average Attendance, Name of Superintendent, Name of Secretary.

PARLIAMENT.

Ottawa, March 19.—Trade questions are this session dwarfing all others in parliament. Five days debate has not yet disposed of the budget though there is an understanding that to day, the sixth day, will see a division in the wee hours of Wednesday morning.

LOVE UNRETURNED.

So long ago—yet still it seems
Source hall of yesterday to me,
Since my ideal of shadowy dream,
Became a sweet reality.

BATTLE OF THE BOTTLE.

It would be better for everyone who has a vote to record it on the 4th prox. than to show indifference by absence.

WALL PAPERS, PLAIN & GILT.

We take pleasure in informing the LADIES OF FERGUS and surrounding country that we are now for this season's trade the finest line of

ROOM PAPERS

that have been displayed in the town.

Celling Decorations and Boards.

An extensive display which cannot be surpassed in the West. We extend a cordial invitation to examine our samples which will be no trouble but a pleasure to show.

R. H. Perry, BLACK'S BLOCK, | FERGUS.

GLENLAMD Saw Mill.

THE SUBSCRIBER having leased the Glenlamd Saw Mill is prepared to do

CUSTOM SAWING LUMBER

on the shortest notice. Also keeps on hand a good stock of first class

W. M. GERLIE

MERCHANTS' PROTECTIVE COLLECTING ASSOCIATION

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Having for its object to collect from all that it is possible to collect from, then publish the results of all that is collected or will be, which list is supplied to every member of the Association.

MEMBERSHIP: Fee: First Year \$10.00

FOR SALE OR RENT.

A FIRST CLASS FARM, consisting of Lots 10, 11, 12 and 13, Con. 15, 215 acres, in the Township of Nichol, will be sold or rented.

FERGUS R. T. OF T. 124.

FERGUS COUNCIL OF ROYAL VETERANS OF FERGUS, every Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

250,000 FEET OF LUMBER ON HAND AND FOR SALE.

Comprising Sibley Hemlock, Sitka, Spruce, and other kinds of all lengths and sizes used in building.

FERGUS MARKET.

Table with columns: Commodity, Price per unit.

GUELPH MARKETS.

Table with columns: Commodity, Price per unit.

BELWOOD MARKETS.

Table with columns: Commodity, Price per unit.

FOR SALE.

That beautiful brick house on Maple Avenue, Lower Street, Fergus, containing eleven rooms, with wood shed, green house, roof house, &c.

FOR SALE.

The Household Furniture of Robert Phillips, Junior, will be sold at the above house on the 9th of April next, Easter Fair, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

YOUNG MEN.

suffering from the effects of early evil habit the result of ignorance or folly, who find themselves weak, nervous and exhausted;

TO AGENTS.

The CANADIAN NEEDLE MANUFACTURING CO., 40 and 42 Front Street East, Toronto, get up the Next best, most complete and Best Selling Needle Package in America.

FOR SALE.

A splendid cottage on Perry street containing 4 rooms and back kitchen, with cellar under main house.

Waggon Shop to Rent.

I am desirous of renting my Waggon Shop to a man competent to build waggons and I can furnish him with some lumber good for his trade such as spokes, rims, etc.

DRUG STORE

Belwood, N. L. SMITH, Dealer in Drugs, Medicines, Dye-Staffs, Perfumery and Toilet Articles, Books, Stationery, Fancy Goods, &c., &c.

BEWARE OF COUNTERFEITS!

Linen Iodide Ammonia

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HAS NO EQUAL. THE ONLY SEWING MACHINE THAT GIVES PERFECT SATISFACTION.

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OVER 100 STYLES OF HAY SCALES, GRAIN SCALES, FARM SCALES, LEA SCALES, IMPROVED SHOW CASES, MONEY DRAWERS, MEAT CHOPPERS, AND BUTCHERS' SUPPLIES.

DEWOLTERS' EXTRACT-WILD STRAWBERRY

CHOLERA CHOLERA INFANTUM. ALL SUMMER COMPLAINTS. SUGAR BY ALL DEALERS.

WEAVING

The Subscriber begs to thank his friends and the public in general for their patronage in the past and also to state that he is prepared to weave either

CLOTH OR CARPET

on short notice. First class warp kept hand Residence near Mr. Rodger's shop, 47-1/2 E. H. SMITH, Belwood.

Carriages, Wagons, Buggies, Sleighs, Cutters,

Always on hand

T. H. CUMMING'S CARRIAGE WORKS, FERGUS.

Repairing, Retriming, Retriming, done on the shortest notice.

ALL WORK WARRANTED.

T. H. CUMMING, Fergus, March 15, '86.

BLACKSMITH.

R. D. ALLAN, Having leased the shop of Mr. Nelson, is prepared to do all kinds of general blacksmithing.

Horse Shoeing a Speciality.

Parties having work will find it to their advantage to give me a call, which is all that is solicited.

REPAIRING DONE ON THE SHORTEST NOTICE.

R. D. ALLAN, Metz, Oct. 5, 1886.

R. J. BROWN, MANUFACTURER OF

JUPP'S OLD STAND, BELWOOD.

Having on hand a well assorted stock of thoroughly seasoned material, I am prepared to turn out all kinds of Carriages, Buggies, Phaetons, Farm and Township Waggons, etc.

JOHN TEMPLIN, FERGUS.

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Cutters and Sleighs,

Carriages, Buggies, Phaetons, Democrats, Waggons, Implements, Repainting, Retriming, Reparing in wood or iron.

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IRON FOUNDERS AND AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENT Manufacturers

Heartily thank the Farmers of Wellington and surrounding counties for their patronage during the Fifteen Years we have been in business in Fergus. By your friendly aid our business has steadily increased until we not only supply a large part of the local trade but ship East as far as Montreal and largely West as far as Brandon. Our Machines this year are 2nd to none in the market.

The Toronto LIGHT STEEL RINDER takes the lead all over the Dominion. It has among other superior recommendations the Automatic Weight Trip, the most valuable device by which each bundle is made Equal in Weight. By this arrangement Green or Wet grain is automatically Bound Small which is necessary for the Thorough Drying of the Stack.

The BEATTY REAPER needs no further recommendation to farmers. No other is purchased where it is known.

BEATTY'S HAY AND SHEEP CARRIER is the "Greatest of the Age." It will unload one ton of hay in from Three to Five Minutes, when properly handled and put up. If it fails to do so it will be taken back and money refunded.

The NEW TORONTO RAKE is very strong and durable. A Truss rod extends the whole length of the rake. Dumping arrangements simple, easy and effective without the application of friction bands or ratchet gears.

The BEATTY HANG PLOW stands without a rival, acknowledged by all "King among plows." Our STEEL JOINTER needs no recommendation.

Our NEW No. 3 PLOW with Steel Beam, adjustable handles and mouldboard, and Malleable Clevis is so popular that we can't fill orders fast enough. Many farmers on large farms after thoroughly testing one have come back and purchased two or three, they give such perfect satisfaction.

Farmers wanting Plows cannot fail to get suited at the Foundry. We have General Purpose Plows of different kinds. We have a very fine Turnip Seeder, Seed Drills, Straw Cutters, &c., &c.

Farmers beware of any misrepresentations made by parties who find it to their interest to mismanage our machinery. We not only supply a large part of the local trade but ship East as far as Montreal and largely West as far as Brandon. Our Machines this year are 2nd to none in the market.

Sherwood's Old Stand.

GROCERIES AND CROCKERY.

New Raisins, New Currants, New Figs, New Peels, New Spices, White Granite Tea Sets, Printed China Tea Sets, China Tea Sets, Toilet Sets, Dinner Sets.

Barrel Salt, Labrador Herrings, Lake Huron Herrings and Trout.

The above can all be bought cheap for cash or produce at

JAMES PHILIP'S, THE GROCER.

December, 1887.

Business Change.

Having disposed of my business to Mr. Fred Armstrong, I would take this opportunity of thanking my customers for their liberal patronage and would recommend Mr. Armstrong to them.

Fergus, September 10th, 1888.

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Beware of fraudulent imitations as there are many inferior grades of oil offered and sold under the name and reputation of our "McCull's Lardine." See that our "Lardine" is in the hands of the barrels. We are the sole manufacturers. McCULL & CO., Toronto. Also, Cylinder, Spindle, Eureka, Lead, Wood, Harness, and other Oils, Axle Grease &c., always in stock.

LARDINE sold only in Fergus at Menzie's Hardware.

25 10m