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PRICE ONE PENNY

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

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1864-65
In the Matter of **JAMES CHRISTIE,**
of Elora,
AN INSOLVENT.

THE Creditors of the Insolvent are notified that he has made an assignment of his estate and effects, under the above Act, to me, the undersigned assignee, and they are required to furnish me with their claims, specifying the security they hold, if any, and the value of it, and if none stating the fact; the whole attested under oath, with vouchers in support of such claims.
JOHN KERR,
Official Assignee.

Dated at Toronto, 19th Sept., 1868. d2w

Housekeeper Wanted.
WANTED, a Housekeeper who has had some experience in a family. A middle aged person preferred. References required. Apply to the Manager's Office, Guelph.
Guelph, 30th Sept. dwtf

The Wellington Packing House
The subscriber is prepared to pay the highest market price for good FAT HOGS (dead or alive) for packing. Also, cash paid for any amount of good BUTTER.
J. T. BRILL,
Guelph, 1st October. d2w

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.
N. CROFT
WOULD inform his friends and the general public that he has opened a shop in his old premises, on
CHURCH STREET,
Two doors West of Deady's Hotel.
Where he is prepared to make up Gentlemen's Garments in the newest style.
CUTTING DONE ON SHORT NOTICE.
Agent for the best Sewing Machines.
N. CROFT, Church-st.
Guelph, 11th September. d

LAMPS,
LAMPS!

Public Notice.
THE GLASGOW HAM CURER will re-open on
Saturday, 12th of September
And will have on hand a large supply of
FRESH SAUSAGES
LARD AND PICKLED PORK.
He will shortly have on hand Beef, Pork and Mutton Hams; also, his famous Mince Collops, Smoked Bacon, Smoked Hams, &c.
D. NAISMITH,
Guelph, Sept. 11th. d1m

DRUG STORE
Old Post Office Building, Wyndham-St.
A Large Assortment of OIL OIL LAMPS, all sizes and kinds, will be sold CHEAP.

No. 1 COAL OIL.
A supply of No. 1 COAL OIL KEPT CONSTANTLY ON HAND.
A. B. PETRIE, Druggist.
Guelph, September 25th. dw

SALT, SALT
Wholesale and Retail at
A. H. R. KENNEDY'S
FLOUR AND FEED STORE.

UPPER WINDHAM-ST., GUELPH
Guelph July 24. dw-1f

H. METCALF,
(Late Smith and Metcalf),
WISHES to inform his customers and the public that he has opened a
SHOP NEXT DOOR TO MR. HAZELTON'S,
Nearly opposite the Wellington Hotel, where he is prepared to attend to the wants of customers and the public. He has on hand a lot of will
TRUNKS and SADDLES
Slightly soiled by removal at the late fires, be sold cheap
Guelph, July 3, 1 d6

TROTTER'S
Slightly soiled by removal at the late fires, be sold cheap
Guelph, July 3, 1 d6

Canadian Dentifrice
IS recommended by the following first-class Dentists as the best preparation for cleaning, whitening and preserving the teeth: B. W. Day M. D., L. D. S., Pres. of the Dental Association; W. C. Adams, L. D. S., Toronto; J. O'Donnell, Secretary, Dental Association, L. Lemon, L. D. S., St. Catherine's; D. A. Bogart, L. D. S., Hamilton, J. W. Elliott, Toronto.
Price 25c per box. For sale by all Druggists.
Guelph, June 22 d2w 6m

Singing and Pianoforte.
MISS L. RHEMMIE begs to announce to the ladies of Guelph and vicinity that she will be ready to receive pupils for the above accomplishments on the 15th of SEPTEMBER, 1868, at her residence, Waterloo Road.
Guelph, Sept. 11th, 1868. do 1f

CLARK'S
Music Store.

BLANK BOOKS,
STATIONERY, and
SCHOOL BOOKS,
CHEAP.

At Clark's Music Store.
CARTER'S

New Writing & Copying Ink
Superior to Stephens'. At CLARK'S MUSIC STORE, Market Square.
Guelph, September 10th. dw

A NEW VOLUME OF MUSIC
For the Young Folks, entitled
THE GOLDEN ROBIN
CONTAINING:
I. Musical Notation. II. Rounds and Exercises adapted to Physical Action. III. Songs for All Occasions. IV. Sacred Pieces.
By W. O. PERKINS, author of "The Nightingale," "Sabbath School Trumpet," &c.
The whole forming a most attractive Music Book for Juvenile Classes, Schools and Seminars, and one that cannot fail to be admired by all Teachers and Scholars. Price 50c. Sent post-paid.
OLIVER DITSON & CO., Publishers,
277 Washington Street, Boston.
C. H. DITSON & CO., 711 Broadway, New York.

10.
C. & T. MEREDITH.

GOOD DRAWING TEA,
For 50 cents, worth 65 cents

VERY CHOICE HYSON,
For 75 cents, worth 87 cents

Very best GREEN or BLACK,
For one dollar.

All kinds of **GROCERIES** at very Low Rates.
China, Crockery & Glassware—A very large and well selected stock.
N.B.—The Stock of the Canada Clothing Store is going off at Great Bargains, so as to clear out the premises for C. & T. M's. Immense Fall Stock.
Guelph, September 23rd. d

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D. NAISMITH,
Guelph, Sept. 11th. d1m

DANCING CLASSES.
THE MISSES RHEMMIE beg to announce that in addition to the other branches of education they are prepared to open classes for Dancing on THURSDAY, 1st October, at their establishment, Waterloo Road. Afternoon class at 3 o'clock. Evening class at 7.
Guelph, Sept. 30th, 1868. do1f

OATS DOWN
TO 55 CENTS.

FLOUR, - - - \$3.00
POTATOES, - - - 1.00
AT WEBSTER'S
Market Square, Guelph, 17th Sept. d

Cunard Ocean Steamers.

FARE FROM HAMILTON
First Cabin, - - - \$87, gold value
Steerage - - - - - 3.29, " "
Berths not secured until paid for. For further particulars apply
CHARLES T. JONES & CO.,
Exchange Brokers, Hamilton
Agents for the Erie and New York Railway.
Fare from Hamilton to New York \$7, gold value
Hamilton, 1st June, 1868. dw

Notice to Booksellers & Stationers.
Stationery and Bindery for Sale.

Colt Strayed.
STRAYED from the field near the Guelph Toll Gate, on the Elora Road, about two weeks ago, a Bay Horse Colt, three years old, with a swelling on the right hind leg, near the hoof. The finder will be suitably rewarded by bringing him to the owner, or giving such information as will lead to his recovery, to this office.
HUGH HOGG, near the Toll Gate.
Guelph, October 3rd. dwtf

LAMPS
FOR THE MILLION.

MEDICAL HALL!



E. HARVEY & CO.
NOW offering at the MEDICAL HALL, every description of
PARLOR, BED-ROOM, KITCHEN, HALL and SIDE LAMPS,
At prices which defy competition. Who will want LIGHT when a first-class OIL LAMP, WICK and CHIMNEY can be obtained at the Medical Hall for the small sum of 25 cents.

SPLENDID PARLOUR LAMPS
From 50c. to \$5.

COAL OIL
THAT IS COAL OIL.

If you want the Pure, Genuine OIL, for family use, procure it at the MEDICAL HALL, where none but the very best is kept.
E. HARVEY & CO.,
Cor. Wyndham & Macdonnell-Sts. Guelph.
Guelph, October 1st. dw

Funerals, Funerals!

NATHAN TOVELL has to intimate that he is invited to inspect the stock of CLOTHING, TRIMMING, &c., which for quality and cheapness cannot be equalled in the Dominion. We challenge competition.
A number of first-class Sewing Machines for sale at from \$10 to \$45, in good working order.
Call before purchasing elsewhere and get a bargain.
NATHAN TOVELL,
Nelson Crescent
Guelph, 27th Aug. 1867. dw

Canada Clothing Store!
WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH.
BARGAINS
Positively selling off at
20 PER CENT BELOW COST
COUNTY Merchants and Tailors are particularly invited to inspect the stock of CLOTHING, TRIMMING, &c., which for quality and cheapness cannot be equalled in the Dominion. We challenge competition.
A number of first-class Sewing Machines for sale at from \$10 to \$45, in good working order.
Call before purchasing elsewhere and get a bargain.
RICHARD ANLEY.
Guelph, 29th July. dw

FIRST CLASS MILL PRIVILEGE
TO BE SOLD AT
A BARGAIN.

An Excellent MILL PRIVILEGE, with dam erected, situated on the Grand River, between the Villages of Fergus and Elora, in the County of Wellington and Province of Ontario, known as the KINNETT'S MILL PROPERTY, containing about 44 acres.
The property is in close proximity to where the Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railway crosses the Grand River.
There is a fall of 164 feet, embracing both sides of the river, which gives a number of water-powers capable of being used for various kinds of manufactures.
The property is situated in the centre of one of the finest agricultural counties in the Dominion of Canada, with easy access to either the American or European markets, and is one of the most eligible properties now offered to the public.
Price moderate, terms liberal, the proprietor wishing to dispose of the property on account of falling health.
For further particulars can be learned on application, either personally, or by letter (postal) to
DAVIDSON AND CHADWICK,
Land and General Agents,
Town Hall Buildings, Guelph.
Guelph, Aug. 10. dwtf

R. J. JEANNERET.
From England,
Established in London, Oct., 1842 and in Guelph 1863.)

WORKING WATCHMAKER AND JEWELER
DAYS BLOCK,
Opposite the Market Guelph.

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

Evening Mercury.
OFFICE:.....MACDONNELL STREET
TUESDAY EVENING, OCT. 6, 1868.

Local News.
John McQueen, residing near Walkerton, had two hams and a side of pork, a quantity of wheat and nearly all his apples stolen last Wednesday night.

On Thursday morning a serious riot occurred at Seaforth. Twenty men entered a hotel without provocation, and made a wreck of it. Six of them were arrested by special constables sworn in by the Reeve.

The Hon. G. E. Moore, of Lobs was accidentally shot in the arm a few nights since at Komoka, by a soldier of the 69th, who was carelessly handling a pistol. The ball ripped the arm from the wrist to the elbow.

The work on the Hillsburg and Reading Gravel Road is being pushed on with great vigor by the contractors, Messrs. Howe, of Hillsburg, who expect to have their contract of so many miles completed in so many weeks.

At the Garafra's show a child about three years of age, daughter of Mr. John Caldwell, was run over by a team of horses and struck in the face. Her injuries are not of a very serious character. Mr. George Bailey, the same day, was kicked by his own colt in the face.

THE BAZAAR.—We would remind our readers of the Ladies' Bazaar in connection with Knox's Church, which takes place in the Town Hall to-morrow and Thursday, and at which a large assortment of fancy work will be offered for sale. Refreshments will also be served to all comers on both days. See advertisement in another column.

ACCIDENTALLY SHOT.—Last Friday the second son of Mr. Arkill, miller, Elora, accidentally shot himself. He was standing on a log conversing with another boy when by some means he slipped, and the gun falling went off, some of the charge entering the lower part of his hip, and a portion grazing his side and cheek. His clothes were badly cut by the shot, but fortunately the wounds are not of a serious character.

GARAFRA'S ITEMS.—The mail stage now leaves Douglas at half-past six o'clock each morning, and returning leaves Fergus at six p.m. As the stage runs in direct connection with the Guelph stage, this will be a great convenience to the people of Garafra, who have business either in Guelph or Fergus. A colt belonging to Mr. Ralph Townsend, in the 6th concession was killed by lightning on Sunday evening the 4th inst., during a thunder storm.

LACROSSE MATCH AT ELORA.—The Lacrosse Match which took place at Elora on Monday between the Indians and the Club of that village was won by the latter. The ball was faced at 1:50 p.m., and the first game, which lasted 20 minutes, was won by the Red Men. The second, third and fourth games were taken by the Elora Club in three, nine and thirty-five minutes respectively.—There were about 2,000 spectators present, and the players of Elora are not a little elated with their success.

FERGUS FOUNDRY.—Messrs. Lamson & Mair are busily engaged getting their new Foundry in order. A large and commodious moulding shop and an engine house have been put up. The engine is already in its place, and the other machinery is being put up as fast as possible. It is expected that the firm will be in a position to commence work in the course of a fortnight. Both partners are practical men of long experience in the business and we are satisfied they will give the utmost satisfaction to all who may favor them with their work. The foundry will be of great convenience to millers and others using machinery in the Centre and North Ridings of the County, and we feel sure it will soon secure a large and rapidly growing business.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.—We regret very much to learn that a serious accident has befallen R. Campbell, Esq., Deputy Reeve of Guelph township, and our regret will be shared by all who have the pleasure of his acquaintance. The particulars are these. Mr. Campbell was engaged threshing at Mr. Logan's and while oiling the machine his cuff was caught in the gearing and right his arm drawn in between two of the wheels, where it was crunched in two a little above the wrist. He was thus deprived of his hand in a few moments. The same arm was also caught close to the shoulder, the muscles fearfully lacerated, the bone broken, and a terrible gash inflicted above the joint extending towards the breast. There is also a very bad cut behind the shoulder. Drs. Clarke & Tuck were in immediate attendance, and the shattered portion of the stump was amputated near the elbow. The other wounds were dressed, and nature allowed an opportunity of permitting the sufferer to retain the remainder of his arm if he will. He is very low at present, as might be expected considering the extent and severity of his injuries.

CLIFFORD FALL SHOW.
(From our own correspondent.)
The Annual Show of the Clifford Union Agricultural Society took place in this village on Friday the 2nd inst. As early as eight o'clock all was alive. Crowds of people began to make their appearance, and by nine o'clock the streets of our quiet little town began to "move" with men, women and children who might have been seen emerging from every quarter. Such a rush or jam has rarely, or I might say, never before been seen in the little but ambitious village of Clifford. Horses, cattle, sheep, hogs, farming implements, &c., lined the streets, and then such a running to and fro of the fair sex with the smile on their faces, baskets on their arms, and the hope of the prize in their minds—all helped to make the affair the more interesting and animated. The show was excellent in every department, which augurs well for the future prosperity of our village and vicinity. The stores, hotels and places of business were very brisk during the day, and I am happy to say that a far greater amount of goods was sold than on any previous occasion of a similar character. The outdoor show was excellent, and the ladies department surpassed anything yet exhibited. The handiwork of Mrs. Stewart and a few others actually surpassed anything that we saw at the great Provincial Exhibition. The needle work was very fine, the Berlin wool work splendid, and besides there was the braiding, matting, knitting, beadwork, quilting, &c. Not having time to give you a detailed account of all, we sum them up by saying that the ladies of Clifford were not to be beaten for fancy work, and also for good looks. The grain was excellent, and for vegetables we had big turnips, immense pumpkins, melons, &c., and the best home-made bread we ever ate; also splendid butter, with and without salt that could not but satisfy the taste of the most fastidious.

The whole affair wound up with a grand supper given at Brown's hotel, at which several hon. gentlemen were present. After the usual speeches and toasts were given, the affair wound up with all joining in singing the national anthem.

JUDGES.—Messrs. R. McKim, J. Tolton, R. Anderson, W. Murray, P. J. Dunn, A. G. Hendry, J. D. Parrell, S. Smith, R. Kilgour, Lady Judges—Mrs. Murray, Mrs. McLean, Mrs. MacReady.

HORSES.—Stallion, Ludwig Crillar; 2d, George Reddon. Brood mare, William Frazer; 2d, John Beman. Draught horses, Elijah Rozell; 2d, R. Kilgour; 3rd, G. Kreizer. General purpose horses, Wm. Frazer; 2d, John Taylor; 3rd, J. Werner. Hack horse, J. S. Hughes; 2d, J. S. Hughes; 3rd, R. Heard. 2 year old filly, Jas. Moore; 2d, J. Drummond; 3rd, J. Gillan. 2 year old horse colt, G. Newton; 2d, W. Dalby; 3rd, J. B. Shouse. 3 year old colt, H. Eaglisham; 2d, G. McLean; 3rd, Wm. Scott. Yearling colt, John Beman; 2d, J. Thomson. Bay, H. Becker. Foal, J. White; 2d, Wm. Hood; 3rd, Wm. Frazer. Shod horse, Joseph Carson.

CATTLE.—Working oxen, H. Eaglisham; 2d, Thos. Rowe; 3rd, W. Scott, (Minto). Aged bull, G. Rife. 2 year old bull, R. Heard; 2d, E. Howes. Yearling bull, A. McLaren; 2d, J. Mathewson. Bull calf, G. Preston; 2d, P. M. Shannon; 3rd, Jno. Hale. Cow, George Preston; 2d, G. Preston; 3rd, R. Colowell. 2 year old heifer, R. Colowell; 2d, John Hale; 3rd, Jas. Ford. Yearling heifer, W. Robinson; 2d, R. Colowell; 3rd, J. Ford. Fat cow, R. Colowell. 4 year old steers, R. Kerr; 2d, S. Sugg; 3rd, J. Muir. 3 year old steers, J. Ward; 2d, Noah Bullock. Heifer calf, G. Preston; 2d, H. Eaglisham; 3rd, H. Eaglisham.

SHEEP.—Aged ram, J. Muir; 2d, J. Ford; 3rd, R. Colquhoun. Yearling ram, G. Adams; 2d, J. Scott; 3rd, H. Eaglisham. Ram lamb, J. Thompson; 2d, J. Ford; 3rd, J. Ford. Pair ewes, D. McLaren; 2d, J. Thompson; 3rd, D. McLaren. Shearling ewes, J. Scott; 2d, R. Colquhoun; 3rd, D. McLaren. Ewe lambs, R. Colquhoun; 2d, R. Colowell; 3rd, W. Scott. Fat sheep, H. Eaglisham; 2d, R. Colowell; 3rd, D. McLaren.

PIGS.—Aged boar, N. Bullock; 2d, J. Metcalf; 3rd, P. M. Shannon. Sows, N. Bullock; 2d, W. Robinson; 3rd, J. Metcalf. Spring pigs, G. Preston; 2d, P. M. Shannon; 3rd, N. Bullock.

TURKEYS.—Turkeys, J. Pearson; 2d, N. Bullock. Geese, A. Mathews; 2d, N. Bullock. Barn door fowls, R. Colquhoun; 2d, H. Eaglisham. Ducks, Jas. Rose.

GRAIN.—Fall wheat, J. Reddon; 2d, S. Sugg; 3rd, Jas. Brown. Club wheat, D. Fletcher. Scotch wheat, S. Sugg; 2d, D. Fletcher; 3rd, J. Hepburn. Midge proof spring wheat, Jno. McLaughlan; 2d, J. Thomson. Barley, J. Moore; 2d, J. Brown; 3rd, W. Scott. White oats, S. Sugg; 2d, J. Pearson; 3rd, G. Preston. Black oats, S. Sugg. Small peas, John Scott; 2d, P. M. Shannon; 3rd, S. Sugg. Large peas, R. Kerr; 2d, R. Kerr. Timothy seed, W. Frazer; 2d, N. Bullock; 3rd, S. Sugg.

MISCELLANEOUS.—Coarse boots, James Rose; 2d, Jas. Rose. Fine boots, J. Rose. Harness, Jas. Bailey. Pannel door, James Knight. Soap, J. McLaughlan.

FRUIT & VEGETABLES.—Crab apples, G. Hopf; 2d, G. Hopf. Citrons, S. Sugg; 2d, J. McLaughlan. Cucumbers, S. Sugg. Top onions, A. Mathews. Large onions, G. Hopf. Cauliflowers, G. Hopf; 2d, D. & F. Campbell. Savoy cabbage, Geo. Hopf. Scotch kale, John Pearson.

IMPLEMENTS.—Ploughs, R. Kilgour; Harrows, Montgomery & Pat' re. Pump, J. W. Bear. Cooper Work, P. Hollinger.

MANUFACTURES AND LADIES' WORK.—Wool blankets, Mr. Iler; 2d, C. Rozell. Wool flannel, C. Rozell. Linsey flannel, W. Scott; 2d, J. Muir. Full cloth, J. McJannet; 2d, H. Becker. Piece quilt, Mrs. Dr. Crandell; 2d, Miss Howes. Emb. needle work, Mrs. Stewart; 2d, Miss Frazer; extra prize, Mrs. Stewart. Berlin wool work, Mrs. Stewart; 2d, Mrs. Stewart. Braiding, Mrs. J. H. Dolmage; 2d, Miss Frazer. Fine shirt, Miss Frazer; 2d, Mrs. Rennie. Coarse shirt, Mrs. Brown; 2d, Mrs. Rennie. Straw hat, Mrs. Sugg; Woolen mitts, Mrs. J. Brown; 2d, Mrs. J. Brown. Woolen Socks, Miss Frazer; 2d, J. Muir. White bead mat, Miss Kate Bullock. Floor mat, Mrs. McIntyre; 2d, Mrs. Rose. Worked coverlet, Mrs. John Wenner; 2d, Mrs. J. Keller. Fancy knitting, Mrs. Ward; 2d, Mrs. Ward. Tatting, Miss Preston; 2d, Miss French. Crochet work, Mrs. Stewart; 2d, Mrs. Stewart. Wool stockings, Mrs. Rose; 2d, Mrs. Mathews. Quilted petticoats, Mrs. Sugg; Linsey blanket, D. Fletcher; 2d, D. Mathews. Stocking yarn, W. Rennie; 2d, S. Hepburn. Braid basket, Mrs. Iler. Raised work, extra prize, Mrs. Stewart. Lamp cover, Mrs. Iler, (extra). Raised embroidery, Miss

Preston. Hair covers, G. Hopf. Cloth quilt, Anor Mathews. Knitted gloves, Jas. Brown.

ROOTS, &c.—Swede turnips, S. Hepburn; 2d, R. Colowell. Other turnips, A. McLaren; 2d, Geo. Preston. Cup potatoes, W. M. Frazer; 2d, D. & F. Campbell; 3rd, S. Sugg. Pinkeye potatoes, W. Frazer; 2d, S. Hepburn. Other potatoes, A. Whitman; 2d, W. Dalby; 3rd, W. Scott. Table Carrots, Jas. Brown; 2d, Dr. Crandell. Cabbage, A. Whitman; 2d, D. & F. Campbell. Corn, Jas. Carson; 2d, J. McLaughlan. Apples, J. Metcalf; 2d, J. Pearson. Blue plums, J. Metcalf; 2d, D. & F. Campbell. Egg plums, D. & F. Campbell; 2d, G. Hopf. Tomatoes, S. Sugg; 2d, J. McLaughlan. Mellons, S. Sugg; 2d, J. McLaughlan. Pumpkins, A. Whitman; 2d, J. McLaughlan. Squash, W. Frazer; 2d, A. Whitman. Honey in comb, J. Pearson. Maple sugar, P. Hepburn; 2d, A. Mathews. Loaf sugar, Miss Pearson; 2d, Mrs. S. Hepburn.

DAIRY PRODUCTS.—Fresh Butter, Mrs. McJannet; 2d, Mrs. Colquhoun. Salt butter, Mrs. J. Brown; 2d, Mrs. W. Hepburn. Cheese, Mrs. McJannet; 2d, H. Eaglisham. Boquet, G. Hopf.

Shop-breaking in Guelph.
Last (Monday) night the store of Heferman Bros., Guelph, was entered by some person or persons at present unknown, and a number of articles extracted therefrom. The entrance was effected by getting on the roof in the rear and descending through the skylight, in which two squares of glass were broken to admit the passage of the thieves' bodies. The aperture was small, consequently we may argue that the deprecaters were not big. The iron apparatus on which the lamps are hung is fastened to one side of the skylight, and to slide down the rod and drop on the table underneath was no difficult achievement. Then the work of spoliation commenced. They went first to the ladies' department, where they rummaged about until they found that if they were not in the wrong shop, they were at least behind the wrong counter, as it was goods for gentlemen's wear they were evidently in quest of. They went to the other side taking along with them a bundle of ladies' gloves, which they left as useless.

They then got into the window disarranging the articles considerably as might be anticipated, squirting tobacco juice over some fine shirt fronts that were on show, and bringing away with them a box of neckties, valued at \$6, and a pair of buckskin gloves worth \$3.50. There were \$4 in the till and that was appropriated, but no attempt was made on the safe. A large roll of valveteen was opened out, but it had been found impossible to get it away. This and much more might have been removed had the attempt to open the back door been successful. The thieves were unable to understand the knack of one of the bolts, and consequently had to content themselves with what they could get out through the skylight. The remaining articles missed so far are, \$5 worth of ornaments for ladies' hats or bonnets and a set of hoops. Two flannel shirts were found on the roof in the morning, and there may be other goods gone, the absence of which has not yet been noticed. A few large rolls of carpet were piled one upon another on the table, the lamp hanging was reached with ease, whence an exit could be made without much trouble. The thieves gave themselves light in their operations by burning matches and pieces of paper, the remains of these materials having been found plentifully scattered over the floor.

THE LATE A. W. LILLIE.—We regret to record this morning the death of Mr. A. W. Lillie, son of the Rev. Dr. Lillie, of Montreal, and late partner in the law firm of Messrs. Palmer & Lillie of this town, which sad event took place last (Monday) night after a week's illness. Mr. Lillie had not felt entirely well since the extreme hot weather in July, but it was not till Sunday, 27th ult., that his illness began to assume an acute form, shortly after which his reason became clouded, and in this sad state he continued, spite of the unceasing efforts of the best medical skill, till the physical powers gave way, when he at last sank into his long and unbroken sleep. The deceased was a young man of great promise, and though not long a resident here, he had drawn around him a large circle of friends and acquaintances. The deepest sympathy is felt for his young widow and only child, and for the bereaved parents and relatives, who mourn over one cut off in the prime of his days by the most visitations the Almighty sees fit to inflict on man.

NARROW ESCAPE FROM BEING SHOT.
A little girl, daughter of Mr. George Marlin, late Reeve of Elora, was wantonly shot at by a boy named Allan last week, while she was returning from school. Some of the shot struck her hand, but fortunately they were almost spent and only ruffled the skin. It is charitable to suppose that she had no intention of harming her, but was playing with firearms as very dangerous, and they should not be trusted in the hands of young people on any account.

A comic paper in Spain was recently seized because it glorified "thin women." It was taken as a slur upon her portly Majesty.

In London, England, 500 men live by writing cheap sensation stories.

Guelph Evening Mercury

OFFICE:.....MACDONNELL STREET
TUESDAY EVENING, OCT. 6, 1898.

Town Council.

The Council met on Monday night. Present, the Mayor in the chair, Dr. Derod, Messrs. Heffernan, Day, Sayers, Howard, Buckland, Chadwick, Melvin, McCarty, Mays, Mitchell, Messie and Harvey. The clerk read the minutes.

The Clerk read a communication from the office of the Toronto Telegraph respecting a Gazetteer of the Province which the proprietors are about to publish, and for which they solicited the subscription and patronage of the Council. The price will be five shillings. The Clerk read a communication from G. Elliott, Esq., agent of the Western Insurance Company, enclosing \$30 in aid of the Fire Department. A similar communication was read from Messrs. Davidson & Chadwick, agent of the Royal Insurance Company, enclosing a cheque for \$100 for the same purpose.

Mr. Chadwick read a petition from John Neeve relative to some lots which had been leased to the town in order to procure gravel therefrom. The time they were to be restored was April last, and the petitioner set forth the disadvantages it was to him that they had not been restored, as he might in that case have sold them, as he wished to do. There was also a well 40 feet deep which had been filled up, and he prayed the attention of the Council to the matter, and justice in the premises. Mr. Heffernan read a petition from John T. Cunningham regarding some taxes he had paid by mistake, praying for the refunding of the amount and ten per cent interest thereon. Mr. Mitchell read a petition from D. Krebs, asking for an office where he, as Inspector of Weights & Measures might keep his articles. Mr. Mitchell read a petition from D. Guthrie for the closing up and conveying to him of parts of Elora and Fergus streets, and in lieu thereof he offered to dedicate certain lands for public use as roads which would be equally convenient with those he desired conveyed to him. The above communications and petitions were referred to appropriate committees.

Mr. Chadwick presented the report of the Finance Committee. They had received a cheque from Sheriff Macdonald, Goderich, for \$150.08 the full satisfaction of arrears of taxes on certain lots in the Town of Guelph, as per schedule attached, and they recommended that the same be received. Adopted.

Mr. Harvey presented the report of the Fire & Water Committee, which recommended that six members be added to the Fire Company viz, W. McKee, W. McCandless, Wm. Doyle, Alex. Bruce, Duncan Milne, and John Peniston, and that the Hook & Ladder Company not having complied with the By-law are no longer recognized by the Council. The report also recommended the payment of accounts to the amount in the total of \$179.25.

Mr. Melvin thought the Council should have something more from the Committee than there was in the report. The Hook & Ladder Company had not been communicated with. They were a company of respectable men, who had always stuck to their post and with whom there had been little trouble. If not a word of communication had been held with them, it was very harsh treatment to disband them. Moreover the report should have said something about the tanks. When the frosty weather sets in there will be no possibility of sinking tanks, and a great portion of the town will be utterly defenceless, for though we may be told that every part of it can be covered, in hard frost the 1,500 feet of hose can't be worked ten minutes before it bursts. There is no water in the tanks at Nelson Crescent, a little only in those at Dr. Parker's, and those behind the market shed had leaked about half.

On motion of Dr. Derod, seconded by Mr. Buckland the Council went into Committee of the Whole on the report, Mr. Chadwick in the chair. The report was adopted, and passed when the Council resumed.

Moved by Mr. Mitchell, seconded by Dr. Herod that a by-law be introduced for stopping up Elora and Fergus streets, and selling them to D. Guthrie, and that it be now read a first and second time. By-law read accordingly.

Mr. Chadwick wanted to know from the Market House Committee if the door in the Royal Insurance Company's office was to be built up. Dr. Herod said he would call together the committee this week and see about it.

Dr. Herod wanted some explanation from the Fire & Water Committee with regard to the tanks. In the first place they should have been ashamed of the loss of contract which they made. The work was to be finished the first of July and now the middle of October was approaching, and out of three double tanks that had been put down there was only one that would hold. The Committee should have reported to the Council if they considered that the contractor had failed, and let something be done. The contractor had got over \$500, and the town had not got a snap of his finger for it. The people are crying shame on such a way of doing business.

Mr. Harvey asked the doctor who had told him that the contractor had received \$500. The doctor said he would make his assertion good. The Clerk brought out the books, and it appeared that Mr. Armstrong had received somewhere about \$450. Mr. Buckland thought it was high time the Council should know whether they are to have tanks or not. There were holes in the ground but they will not hold water.

A considerable amount of discussion ensued, some of it rather warm, but we cannot possibly find room for it. Finally it was moved by Mr. Melvin, seconded by Dr. Herod, that this Council adjourn till Friday at the usual hour, and that the Fire & Water Committee be instructed to report at said meeting what steps they consider advisable to be taken with regard to the completion of the tanks, or otherwise.

The Council adjourned. The City Council of Montreal have decided to borrow \$350,000 to purchase the mountain for a public park. A man, hanged last Saturday, in Worcester, Mass., for a peculiarly brutal murder, gravely lectured the party round the scaffold, dispassionately and philosophically arguing the impety of capital punishment.

There is a region in Minnesota lying back of Red Wing, twenty-five miles long by fifteen wide, almost entirely occupied by Scandinavians. This dense mass of Norwegians, Swedes and Danes, industrious and prosperous.

Minto Correspondence.

During the last two or three weeks circumstances did not afford, ingeniously itself would have failed to invent, material for anything like an interesting letter from this neighborhood; but there are now a few things that can be noted, and first of all comes the

HARRISTON FARM.—Yesterday (Friday) was a beautiful day, and sundry more unpropitious circumstances, such as the Agricultural Show at Clifford, which by the way is said to have been a very good one, the fair was the largest ever held in Harriston. There were not fewer than 500 head of cattle on the ground, a large portion of these in very good condition, and quite a number of sales, or as some of the farmers termed them "gits" or "give aways," were made. It was impossible amid the bustle and confusion of such a day to get anything like a full statement, but the following may be taken as a fair average of the business transacted. Samuel Johnston sold heifer for \$23; W. Paggot a yoke of oxen \$95; M. Wright a cow, \$28; John Corbett a cow, \$21; John Wilkinson a heifer, \$29; W. Bruce a steer, \$15; John McLellan a heifer, \$35; W. Bent a heifer, \$18; A. Nelson a cow, \$25; Mrs. W. Adams a cow, \$26; Thos. Simpson a steer, \$22; J. Turner a heifer, \$10; John Lewis a cow, \$18; J. Irvine a yoke of oxen, \$86.50; J. Davidson a cow, \$25; J. Wright a heifer, \$12; R. Craig a yoke of oxen, \$115; James White a heifer, \$35; Martin Engle a steer, \$16; J. Lang a bull \$30; A. Gillespie an ox, \$43; J. Kean a cow, \$17; G. Lockmore a cow, \$16; J. Fleming a steer, \$24; M. McLeod two steers and a heifer, \$20; J. Henry a cow, \$24; D. Ferguson two steers, \$73; J. Kindness a mare, \$125; J. Norman two steers, \$46; F. Ballins a yoke steers, \$46; A. Patterson a cow, \$10; D. Gillespie a cow, \$10; J. Britt two heifers, \$40; M. Nehlie a cow, \$25; D. Smith a steer, \$23 and a yoke oxen, \$120; A. McDermitt a yoke steers, \$60; McEachern a cow, \$25; T. Stays a cow and steer, \$43; P. Smart, one yoke of steers, \$90; A. Sinclair, one cow, \$18; R. Sinclair, two cows, \$26; A. Patterson, one steer, \$30. Mr. R. Cochrane bought 100 hogs at \$2.75 to \$4 per 100lbs, live weight. The same gentleman bought 50 head of cattle from the more northern townships which he has bought at an average of \$28 per head.

THE SILVER QUESTION.—Silver is again taken at par in Harriston. How the recent compact entered into between merchants and others has so soon been broken is not exactly known. Perhaps the fact of parties going from store to store and telling that in such and such a place they could procure goods for silver without the discount had the effect of generating the suspicion that some, at least, were not keeping good faith with their neighbours; and without any meeting having been called with the view of inflicting such a purpose the scheme has, by tacit consent been abandoned. It is a pity that it should have been so; but the parties breaking the contract will themselves alone be the sufferers. Farmers can now, as usual, take their produce to Guelph, sell for silver, receiving the discount, and in their ordinary local transactions be the gainers to the extent of at least four per cent.

LARGE AND SMALL EGGS.—Of the eggs taken to store for sale it takes the average number of seven to weigh a pound, but to this rule as to almost all rules there are some exceptions. Mrs. Arch. Johnston of the 11th, and Mrs. James Kennedy, of the 8th concession had some for sale the other week, the produce of hens between the common and shanghai breeds, each of which weighs fully three and a half ounces, and four of which weighed almost as much as any seven of the ordinary kind, and yet the same price per doz. is paid for the small as the large. Perhaps the merchants having got quit of the silver difficulty might originate, and have a whack at the "egg question." It will be no more than justice to pay to those who keep good hens and sell good eggs a little more than to those who are content (so long as they obtain the same price) to keep the common breed of fowls and sell eggs, half a dozen of which barely makes a mouthful to a hungry man.

VALUE OF PROPERTY.—The Harriston grist mill has passed into the hands of Mr. Thos. Robinson, late of Nichol at a cost of \$4,000, being \$1,200 in advance of the price paid for it some nine months ago. Bush lots of 100 acres are selling at from \$1,000 to \$1,300, and those with improvements at from \$2,000 to \$3,000, while in one instance, at least, the price named, and likely to be obtained, is no less than \$5000. A good many individuals have also been looking out for suitable village lots with the view of commencing business at an early day. No doubt the certainty of the railway to this point and from thence northward, is one of the finest agricultural districts in Canada, has had something to do with the sudden rise in the value of land, &c., but that does not account for it altogether. The growing capacity or fertility of the soil affords great additional inducements for parties to procure farms, building lots, &c., and to settle down in this locality. Among the many good crops in Minto the following ought not to have been omitted. Mr. Alex. Patterson, of the 7th concession, while engaged in harvesting a crop of spring wheat which he considered to be as good as any in the township, either spring or fall, discovered that in one instance, at least, he had a most extraordinary yield. He found that twenty stalks had grown from one grain of wheat, sixteen of which had reached maturity, the stems measuring about three feet, and the ears or hearts six inches in length, each head contained 96 grains of wheat making the return something between 1,500 and 1,600 fold. The bunch is on hand and can be shown at any time. It is of the red chaff species, and was not, as many suppose, an outsider.

A NARROW ESCAPE.—On Friday, the 25th ult., Michael Connolly, son of Mr. J. Connolly, of the 12th concession, had his clothes caught in the side-gearing of a threshing machine, and had a very narrow escape from being crushed to death, but his father who was standing close beside him caught him round the body and pulled him away. The boys' clothes which fortunately were of tearable material, were all drawn into the machine, and a large piece of flesh was torn from one of his thighs, but happily beyond that no serious injury was sustained.

Next month an entirely new poetical work, by Longfellow, entitled "New England Tragedies," is to be published.

A mercantile house in Boston lately received a despatch dated Calcutta, Sept. 21st which had been less than twenty-four hours on its way, and which reported the fact that their ship was ready on that date to sail for Boston.

DIED. Little—In Guelph, on the 5th Oct. A. W. Little, Esq., Solicitor, aged 33 years.

The remains will leave his late residence for the Grand Trunk Railway station, at 9 o'clock on Thursday morning. Friends will please accept this intimation.

New Advertisements.

Board Wanted. Three Young Gentlemen, about five or ten minutes walk from the Post Office. Address Box 42, Guelph Post Office. Guelph, Oct. 5th.

STRAYED OR STOLEN. STRAYED or Stolen from the premises of the subscriber, a Brown Cow, about 12 years of age, with white face, white under the belly, and two black rings round the eyes. Whoever will return her to the owner will receive \$5 reward. R. B. COULSON, Coulson's Hotel. Guelph, October 6. d8w1t

Knox's Church, Guelph. A BAZAR in the Town Hall. THE LADIES ASSOCIATION will hold a Bazaar in the Town Hall, Guelph, on Wednesday and Thursday, The two days of the County Show, to be open from 10 a.m., till 10 p.m., when a number of Useful and Ornamental Articles will be offered for Sale at low prices.

REFRESHMENTS from 12 to 3 o'clock; tickets 37c cents each. Tea from 5 to 8 o'clock; tickets 25 cents. The proceeds to be appropriated in aid of the Building Fund of the new Church. By Order of the Committee. Guelph, October 6. d2t

STRAYED PIC. CAME on the premises of the subscriber, about six weeks ago, a three year old Pig. The owner by proving property and paying expenses can have her, by applying to the undersigned. October 5th. WM. HOOD, Guelph/Township. d2dlw

TO TAILORS. WANTED immediately, two first-class Tailors, to whom steady employment and the highest wages will be given. Also, two Good Girls wanted. D. HARVEY, Dominion Clothing Store, Listowel, Listowel, October 5th. 1st-21w

Carriage Hand Wanted. A JOURNEYMAN in the Wood Shop. Good wages and steady employment. Apply to JOHN B. ARMSTRONG & CO., Excelsior Works, Guelph. October 5th. 2nd-11w

NO RESERVE. IMPORTANT Auction Sale. W. S. G. KNOWLES has been instructed by the subscriber to sell by Public Auction, at his farm near Guelph, ON FRIDAY THE 30th OCTOBER, At twelve o'clock, noon, the whole of his valuable Stock and Implements:—2 horses, 2 mares (6 and 8 years old) in foal to 'St. Lawrence', 1 one year colt and a foal by the same horse, 2 grade cows, Durham, steer, 1 Galloway heifer, 15 pigs (Essex and Berkshire breeds). 1 iron axle wagon, 1 box do., 2 ploughs, 3 harrows, 3 scuffers, prize cultivator, prize double mould-board plough made by Thain, 1 turnip sower, 1 roller, 1 stone boat, 1 new furnace, 2 hay racks, 2 sheep racks, 1 fanning mill, hay and manure forks, harness, and numerous other articles. There will be no reserve, as the proprietor is about to close his business and leave the Province.

TERMS.—Sums of \$20 and under, Cash; over that sum, 12 Months' Credit will be given on approved endorsed Notes, or 10 per cent allowed off for cash. HAY, STRAW, TURNIPS.—Also, will be sold 7 acres of Turnips that cannot be surpassed in the country, besides a quantity of Hay and Straw, if not previously disposed of. Terms—3 Months' bankable paper, or 10 per cent per annum for cash.

AN EXCELLENT FARM.—The Farm will be offered for sale the same day, if not previously disposed of. Terms made known at the time of sale. JAMES O'NEIL, Proprietor, Anglo-American Hotel. Guelph, October 5th. d2w3t

WEEKLY GLOBE The Weekly Globe with the Prize List of Provincial Exhibition. DAYS BOOKSTORE, Opp. the Market. ANOTHER SUPPLY AT Guelph, October 6th.

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OYSTERS. Platt & Co's BALTIMORE OYSTERS, WHOLESALE & RETAIL. Geo. Wilkinson Guelph, October 5. dw

TO F. THE undersigned has his farm residence, kitchen, cellar and many very out-buildings and a very fine spring of water runs through about ten minutes walk from the premises can be leased for one or more years, with more or less land, as may be agreed upon. Apply to PETER GOW. N. B.—The buildings can't be arranged for two tenements. Guelph, September 6th. d1f

Anglo-American Hotel FOR SALE.

THIS HOTEL is the only first-class building that lies on the line of the Grand Trunk Railway between Toronto and London. It is 180 feet long by 46 feet in width, 3 stories high, and of cut stone; 12 and 11 feet high between ceilings; cellular full size of building, 10 feet deep. Also stone kitchen 40 x 24, with a cistern that holds over 1000 barrels of water. It is situated in the best business part of the town, and is directly opposite the proposed site of the new Union Passenger Station of the Great Western and Grand Trunk Railways. It is the only first-class building in the town that is capable of doing a first-class business. The hall runs through the centre of the main building; the rooms are well ventilated and none in the house dark. The furniture is nearly new, having been purchased only four years ago, and will be sold at a valuation. There is a stone stable, capable of affording accommodation for 100 horses; well arranged and runs through to back street.

A CAPITAL FARM. Likewise there is a farm of 90 acres of the best land in the county, and the best cultivated, and will produce more per acre this season than any farm of its size in this county. Three barns and feeding stable and log house are on the farm. Also running spring creek, and other springs that never fail. The fences are of board and new. The farm is laid out in ten acre fields. All the farm implements are new, and will be sold if desired at a valuation.

FIRST-CLASS LIVERY STABLE. Also, there is in connection with the hotel a Livery Stable, one of the best in Ontario for fine horses, doing the only first-class business in town and indisputably surpassing all others. As the proprietor is retiring from business he offers to public a property, the advantages of which are seldom enjoyed by one man in business. The whole will be sold without reserve within three months, either by the business separately, or the whole property as may be agreed upon to suit the purchaser. Terms—For the hotel property, half cash down will be required, the remainder to be paid in six yearly instalments, or ten per cent. allowed off the second half, if paid at time of sale. Guelph, Aug. 29. JAMES O'NEILL, Proprietor. dast

18 FALL IMPORTATIONS. 68 Wools, FANCY GOODS TOYS, &c. JUST Arrived, an Immense Stock of Berlin, Zephyr, Saxony, Andalusian, Lady-Betty, and Fancy Wools. English, Scotch and American.

FINGERING YARNS. A Splendid assortment of Braids, Fillings Russes, and Fancy Goods. A Great variety of Slippers and Slipper Patterns Ottomans, &c.

JET and RUBBER GOODS. Juvenile Clothing always on hand and made to order. Stamping for Braiding and Embroidery from the Latest Designs.

J. HUNTER, Opposite the English Church, Wyndham-St Guelph, September 12th. dw

MACK & CO'S Celebrated Glyceride Soap. SUPERIOR to any other compound ever introduced to the public as a labor and money saving commodity, possessing the quality of thoroughly cleansing without rubbing, while warranted to contain no ingredient injurious to either the fabric or the hand. As a toilet article it cannot be surpassed. On sale at the Grocery Store of Mrs. Forbes, opposite the Wellington Hotel, Wyndham Street. Wholesale orders promptly executed.

CERTIFICATE. The undersigned having used Mack & Co's Washing Soap, certify to its superiority, and recommend it as the very best, the cheapest, and the safest soap known, and ever offered to the public.—Mrs. Thomas Ellis, Mary Ogden, Emma Harris, Sarah Ferguson, Mrs. D. J. Heffernan, Miss S. Kelly, Guelph, Margaret Thompson, Mrs. P. B. Brodie, Guelph; Community of Loreto, Guelph; Mrs. William Wilkie, Guelph Mr. M. Case, Guelph. Guelph, October 2nd. d6w1

CLARK'S EXCELSIOR Washing Composition! The best and Rarest Discovery of the Age, for Washing Purposes, Worth Twenty Dollars a Year In a family of eight or ten persons.

IT will wash in hard or soft water. Clothes require no rubbing. The dirt is boiled out in ten minutes, and the washing may be on the bare fabric. It is warranted not to injure or discolor the clothes, and will also remove grease, or stains of all kinds. Give it a fair trial and you will not be without it. "Family Rights," containing full directions for making and using the Composition, \$1 each. Sold at the Patentees' Music Store, and at A. B. PETER'S Drug Store. July 16th W. WARNER CLARK, Patentees, Guelph, Ont.

Medical Dispensary COUGH NO MORE! But try a bottle of HARVEY'S RASPBERRY COUGH SYRUP! WHY suffer with a teasing Cough when relief can be had after taking a single dose of this Remedy.

From its first introduction to the public, great numbers have given their testimony as to its curative properties. One bottle will be found sufficient to convince the most scrupulous.

PREPARED AND SOLD BY E. HARVEY. Wyndham Street, OPPOSITE ENGLISH CHURCH. Guelph, 11th September. daw

First of the Season. Finnan Haddies, Smoked Salmon, New Herrings, New White Fish, New Table Cod, New Scaled Herring, New Sardines, New Lobsters, &c.

Choice lot of TEN SMOKED HAMS, and SPICED BOLL BACON, AT E. CARROLL & CO'S, Day's 2 Block, Guelph. Guelph October 5th. dw

An Immense Stock of Ready-made Clothing For Fall and Winter wear—all our own manufacture. We solicit a call before leaving your order. Guelph, 30th September. dw

New Advertisements.

RECEIVING DAILY, PER EXPRESS.

Fresh Oysters, Direct from Baltimore. Fresh Salmon, Direct from the Sea side. Fresh Lobsters, Direct from Portland.

WHOLESALE & RETAIL. HUGH WALKER, Sole Agent for J. Ludington & Co., Oyster Planters, Baltimore. Guelph, October 5. dw

A CARD. OPENING OF THE FALL TRADE. OWING to the extensive business done by the subscribers during the last twelve months, and which is daily increasing, we are enabled to buy our Goods in the best markets for CASH. We are now offering our Stock of GROCERIES, LIQUORS, CROCKERY, &c., at prices which defy competition.

In order to make room for our Winter Stock, which we have imported direct, we will sell all Goods at a still further reduction. We would call particular attention to our large stock of TEAS, which for price and quality is the cheapest in the market.

A large lot of Labrador Herrings, White Fish, Salmon Trout, &c., expected daily. Yours truly, E. CARROLL & CO. Guelph, Sept. 23. dw No. 2, Day's Block, Guelph.

WELLINGTON BOOT and SHOE MANUFACTORY. A Card to the Owners of Property in the Town of Guelph.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN. John A. McMillan has already experienced some difficulty in procuring houses for the numerous families he has brought to the Town of Guelph to work in the Wellington Boot and Shoe Manufactory, Wyndham Street, the Old Post Office Block.

He has already brought one family from Bowmanville, one from Hamilton, one from London, three from Georgetown, one from Buffalo, U. S., one from Linn, U. S., and one from Berlin, besides the parties employed in Guelph. There are, in the early part of next week, five families coming to work in the Wellington Boot and Shoe Manufactory from the city of Toronto, two from Georgetown, and one from Prescott. There are twenty-six people at work now in the Wellington Boot and Shoe Manufactory, and the number must be quadrupled immediately.

Parties having houses to rent will confer a favor by leaving the address of the same at the Wellington Boot and Shoe Manufactory. The people of Wellington must have good Boots and Shoes, and John A. McMillan is bound to manufacture them in Guelph. Observe the Cheapest and Best Boots in the County of Wellington, all home manufactured, are to be got at the Wellington Boot and Shoe Manufactory, Wyndham-st, Guelph, the Fergus Boot and Shoe Store, corner of St. David and St. Andrew Streets, Fergus, and the Elora Boot and Shoe Mart, directly opposite Kirk & Clark's, Elora.

J. A. McMILLAN, Proprietor. Guelph, 2nd Oct. dw Wellington Boot and Shoe Manufactory, Wyndham-st, Guelph.

The Montreal Boot and Shoe Store WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. WYNDHAM-ST. - - - GUELPH. LARGE SUPPLIES TO HAND OF LADIES', GENTS', BOYS', YOUTHS', MISSES', AND CHILDREN'S BOOTS AND SHOES, for Fall and Winter wear.

A Splendid Assortment of Hand-made Goods IN STOCK, CONSISTING OF Men's Cowhide Boots, Men's Kip Boots, Boys' Cowhide Boots, Boys' and Youths' Kip Boots, JUST THE GOODS FOR THE SEASON.

Also, Ladies' Misses' and Children's BOOTS AND SHOES—neat, fashionable, durable and cheaper than the cheapest. All home manufacture. Call and see my Goods and learn prices. The Trade supplied at Montreal Prices. JOHN McNEIL. Guelph, 30th September. dw Montreal Boot and Shoe Store, Wyndham-st.

HEFFERNAN BROTHERS. BRITANNIA HOUSE, GUELPH. FALL & WINTER IMPORTATIONS WE beg to advise our customers and the public generally that we are in receipt of the large and choicest assortment of DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, MILLINERY, &c.

ever brought to Guelph, and we are determined to sell them at prices that will maintain our widespread reputation—THE CHEAPEST HOUSE IN GUELPH. CLOTHING Having secured the services of Mr. ROBERT GRANT, whose reputation as a first-class Cutter stands second to none in the Dominion, and having the largest, cheapest and best assorted stock of Canadian, English and Scotch Tweeds in town, we are prepared to turn out the Cheapest and Best Fitting Clothing to be had in the Dominion.

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OFFICE:.....MACDONNELL STREET
TUESDAY EVENING, OCT. 6, 1868.

The Braes of Yarrow

An Historical Tale of the Sixteenth Century.

Their arrival was greeted with furious howls and loudly muttered oaths of vengeance by the comrades of the dead moss-troopers. Three of the bodies were left in the Court to be looked after by their own women-folk. But the body of Ding-a-Doon was carried upon a bier of Jeddart axes into the hall.

Tushelaw and Barras were thunderstruck by the spectacle. Eddie Craig related all that had occurred truthfully enough, with particulars except with regard to the numbers and time of arrival of the pursuers. Probably he spoke truth in this respect also according to his belief, for he had not had a chance to count their assailants, and his idea of time might well have been confused by the combat.

He and those with him expected to see Tushelaw burst into one of his most uncontrollable passions. They were, therefore, considerably astonished when he simply motioned to them to retire.

When all were gone save Barras, he advanced slowly to the corpse of his foster-brother, and looked with a grim sorrow on the ghastly, grisly-bearded face. He gazed with a gloomy doubt troubling his soul, yet with a stern resolution in his bearing that confessed something of dignity upon him. So, with hands clasped and head bowed, he stood for a space.

Barras, frowning and savagely gnawing the flesh of his finger-tips, his cunning eyes moving restlessly about the hall and occasionally glancing askance at the living and dead forms near him, waited.

Tushelaw looked up at last. 'Well, are you satisfied yet—is this the hand of Fate, or merely chance?' he demanded deliberately, as one labouring under an earnest conviction.

'Chance, chance, I say, for each man holds his own fate in his own hands,' was the uneasy rejoinder, for Barras could barely conceal from himself that his faith in his own power was being shaken.

'And I say Fate, Fate, and no man may command his destiny,' thundered Tushelaw. But, be the power which rules these things what it may, your memory, Fate, shall not lie cold; the woman Hyslop, with which she be, and Gilbert Elliot, shall die for your sake before this armour quits my back—yes, though it should rust there and my bones rot in it. My hand is given to the dead in truth upon it!

Solemnly he clasped the dead man's cold hand in his own, and laid it almost gently down.

A gleam of fiendish satisfaction flashed in the eyes of Barras, the crafty.

'And I join my truth with yours,' he said, advancing and touching the breast of the corpse as he spoke.

'Now, scheme for you have a head for cunning wiles; and, be your scheme howe'er bold, here is the hand that will despatch it.' 'Rest you here, then, till you have tidings from me. Trust me you shall not tarry long.' Barras took horse at once and set out at a round pace for Edinburgh.

Tushelaw summoned Ork and bade him get some of the women folk to help him in preparing the body for the grave. There was little to do, for he decreed that the giant should be buried in his armour as he had fallen.

Then he retired to the turret-chamber and held no intercourse with any until the succeeding night, when the burial took place.

TO BE CONTINUED.

POLITICAL PROGRESS IN EUROPE.

The last two years have been prolific of political changes in Europe, all of which have been made in the direction of the enlargement of the power of the people. Russia emancipated her serfs; Italy established a limited monarchy, swept away an overgrown monastic system, regained Lombardy and Venetia, and arranged a treaty for the annexation of the States of the Church upon the death of Pius IX. In Turkey, religious and political liberty have been decreed, and in Spain an overbearing public will has deposited an obstructive Bourbon, and left open a practicable way for modern progress. In England, the representation has been widened and deepened, and a firm resolve taken to wipe out the anomaly of the Irish Church. Surely this manifest advancement should give hope and courage to those who seek to elevate the people to, and educate them in, the rights of self-government, placing citizenship before mere birth, and implanting a true conservatism by giving to the masses rights which have hitherto been regarded as the privilege of the few.

TORONTO CATTLE MARKET.—During the past few days the cattle market has been well supplied with beef cattle, most of which were of but a fair description, and but few were really fat cattle, owing, it is thought, to the scarcity of grass, occasioned by the drought of the past hot and dry season. On Friday upwards of two hundred head were offered for sale in the yard near the Northern Railway station. The prices realized were \$18, \$5, \$4.50 for first, second, and third class slaughtered beef.—Leader.

Special Notices.

COAL OIL.

Hall Lamps, Table Chandalliers, all the new styles of Burners, Lamp Glasses, Wicks, Lanterns.

JOHN HORSMAN, Guelph.

ITS EFFECT IS MIRACULOUS

HALL'S VEGETABLE SICILIAN HAIR RESTORER.

It is a perfect and wonderful article. Cures dandruff. Makes hair grow. A better dressing than any Oil or Pomade. Softens, brushes, dries and wavy hair into beautiful and Silken Tresses. But, above all, the great wonder is the rapidity with which it restores GLAY HAIR to its ORIGINAL COLOR. The whitest and worst looking hair resumes its youthful beauty by its use. It does not dye the hair, but strikes at the root and fills it with new life and coloring matter. The first application will do good; you will see the NATURAL COLOR returning every day, and before you know it, the old, gray, discolored appearance of the hair will be gone, giving lustrous, shining and beautiful locks.

Ask for Hall's Sicilian Hair Restorer; no other article is at all like it in effect. See that each bottle has our private Government Stamp over the top of the bottle. All others are IMITATIONS.

Price \$1.00. For sale by all druggists.

P. HALL & Co., Nassau, N. H., Proprietors Sept. 25. dw 1m

FOR SUMMER COMPLAINT,

DIARRHOEA AND CHOLERA,

OR ANY OTHER COMPLAINT OF THE STOMACH,

THE PAIN-EXPELLER REMEDY.

It has been used for nearly 30 years, and has been found to be perfectly reliable.

IT IS USED BY THE MILITARY AND THE NAVY.

And for Sudden Colds, Coughs, Fever and Ague, Headache, Neuralgia, and Rheumatic Pains in any part of the system, it is the most popular Medicine extant. Sold by all Druggists and Country Dealers.

FERRY DAVIS & SON, Montreal P. O. August 12. dw 2 a

NEW AUTUMN

Winter Goods

STEWART

Has now in Stock, and

Daily Receiving,

In all the various Departments,

A Magnificent Assortment of the

Greatest Novelties!

Suitable for the Present Trade.

Particulars in next Issue.

CARPETS

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

Summer Dress Goods,

Shawls,

Silks,

Jackets.

Will be sold at very reduced prices.

W.M. STEWART

Wyndham Street, Guelph

Guelph Sept. 24. dw 7

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK,

GENERAL AGENTS,

TOWN HALL BUILDINGS, } GUELPH,

Agents for Investing Money for the

TRUST and LOAN COMPANY

OF UPPER CANADA, AND

THE CANADA PERMANENT

BUILDING and SAVINGS

SOCIETIES

OF TORONTO.

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

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK,

Have also a large amount of

PRIVATE FUNDS

On hand for investment.

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

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK

are Agents for the

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY

OF ENGLAND.

Capital, \$10,000,000. Accumulated funds, \$6,000,000

The Royal subscribers \$100 towards the purchase of the Guelph Steam Fire Engine, and is the only Company doing business in Guelph, that has subscribed.

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK

are Agents for the

STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY,

Established in 1825.

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

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK

Have a number of FARMS for sale in the Co. of Wellington and adjoining Counties.

Also, Town Lots and Houses

In Guelph, Berlin, Fergus, &c.

AMARANTH.

Lot 22, in the 10th Concession, 200 acres. Lots 17, 18 and 19, 8th Con., 600 acres.

ARTHUR.

South-half of Lot 15, 3rd Con., 100 acres, 60 of which are in a high state of cultivation, and well fenced, watered by a creek crossing the centre of the farm; a two story house and good barn on the lot.

ERAMOSA.

Part of West-half of 2, in the 3rd Con., four acres, with good frame dwelling house, and lot.

West-half of Lot 30, in the 5th Con., 100 acres, 25 acres cleared.

Part of 5, in the 1st Con., 90 acres, 70 cleared, good buildings.

East-half 9, in the 4th Con., 100 acres, 40 cleared.

ERIN.

West-half of Lot 8, in the 1st Con., 100 acres, 80 cleared, good frame barn and shed and parting and frame dwelling house, well watered & fenced.

East-half of Lot 32, 5th Con., 100 acres, 75 acres cleared; new frame house and barn; spring creek.

West-half of Lot 22, 8th Con., 100 acres; 75 acres cleared; 25 excellent bush.

West 70 acres of 24, 3rd Con., 15 acres cleared, level log house. Small amount required down, and long time for the balance.

ELORA.

Valuable Tavern Stand for sale in the Village of Elora, at present leased to Robert Cook being lots 5 and 6, corner of Victoria and Walnut Streets, with stables.

GARAFAXA.

Lot 11, in the 12th Con., 100 acres; 60 acres cleared, all dry land, farm buildings, well watered & fenced.

Part of Lot 29, 3rd Con., 100 acres; 20 acres cleared; farm buildings, watered by a creek.

South-quarter of 5, in the 15-50 acres.

GUELPH TOWNSHIP.

Lots 3 and 4, in the 3rd Con., Div. D., 140 acres; 90 acres improved, frame dwelling house, and frame bank barn and sheds, well fenced, and an excellent orchard on the farm; and being so near the Town, and on the Grand River, makes this a very valuable Property.

TOWN OF GUELPH.

Large two story stone house with verandah, stabling and garden, and 1/2 of an acre of land, on Dublin Street, at present occupied by Joseph Holston, Esq.

River Lots on Queen Street, well adapted for Private residences, valuable quarries being on the lots.

Water Privilege and Mill Site, containing 10 1/2 acres, in the 1st Con., 100 parts of Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4 and Lots 5 and 6, in Oliver's Survey, on the Waterloo Road.

Lots 4, 15, 16, 22, 23, 29, 31, 35, 36, 40, 41, 49, 50, 51, in Webster's Survey, lying between Strain Street and the river Spool.

Lot 4, on the north side of Pearl Street, with a double frame house.

Lot 155, corner of Gordon and Wellington-Sts., Lots 104 and 104 1/2, Cambridge Street, on which is erected a frame plastered dwelling house.

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

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

East-half of Lot No. 383, on which a frame house is erected.

Two story brick house on Queen Street, with stable and sheds, at present occupied by Mr. J.P. Martin.

Park Lots in St. Andrew's Church Glebe, containing from 1/2 to 5 acres each.

Nos. 23, 24, 25, 28, 29, 30, 36, 37, 38 and 39, fronting on the Woolwich Road, and Nos. 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 40, 41, 42 and 43 in rear, acre lots each, in one block.

Also, lot 15, five acres, a beautiful lot, well fenced, and in a high state of cultivation.

These lots are admirably adapted for Market Gardens, and the terms of credit are extremely liberal.

Lot 388, Market Street, next to Mr. Heffernan's residence.

PILKINGTON.

Lot 8, Concession B, 150 acres, 105 cleared, well watered, close to Elora.

LUTHER.

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

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

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

Lot 26, 4th " 200 "

Lot 30, 5th " 200 "

Lot 4, 1st " 7th " 200 "

Lot 2, 7th " 200 "

Lot 18, 5th " 200 "

Lot 25, 6th " 200 "

Lot 14, 11th " 200 "

Lot 15, 11th " 200 "

N 1/2 Lot 16, 12th " 174 "

N 1/2 Lot 17, 12th " 190 "

Lot 18, 12th " 208 "

Lot 19, 12th " 208 "

Lot 11, 18th " 200 "

Lot 12, 18th " 200 "

Lot 13, 18th " 200 "

Lot 4, 8th " 200 "

Lot 5, 9th " 200 "

N 1/2 Lot 15, 9th " 190 "

Lot 11, 19th " 200 "

County of Halton.

ESQUESING.

W 1/2 Lot 29, 3rd Concession, 95 acres, 65 cleared. Good buildings.

County of Kent.

CHATHAM.

N. E. 1/4 Lot 21, in the 5th Concession, 100 acres, well timbered.

Prompt attention will be given to all prepaid letters addressed to

DAVIDSON & CHADWICK,

General Agents, Town Hall Buildings, Guelph,

Guelph 8th Aug. 1868. dw 7

New Advertisements.

FALL STOCK.

JAMES CORMACK,

MERCHANT TAILOR, No. 1, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

HAS now the pleasure to announce the arrival of his Fall Stock, which you will find one of the Largest and Best Assorted in the Province, comprising the CHOICEST GOODS OF THE SEASON, in Overcoatings, Undercoatings, Trouserings and Fancy Vestings.

I would call special attention to the very Large and Superior Stock of Ready-Made Clothing, This Department, which is so well-known to the public as being Better Cut and Better Made than the most of such Goods. Besides having an Immense Stock to choose from, you can get better served at the very lowest prices to be found.

In the Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods it is unusually large and attractive, embracing everything NEW, NOVEL, PLAIN and COMFORTABLE, and would invite the attention of the public to No. 1, WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH.

Guelph, September 24th. dw

1868. Fall Importations 1868.

BRADFORD HOUSE

WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH.

The Subscriber has pleasure in announcing the arrival of his Fall Stock of

Fancy & Staple Dry Goods

WHICH FOR EXTENT AND QUALITY IS NOT SURPASSED IN THE DOMINION

Mr. JEFFREY being early in the Markets, has succeeded in purchasing some of the Cheapest Goods ever brought into Guelph. As the reputation of the BRADFORD HOUSE is so well known, it is needless to remark on its merits. INSPECTION is the only thing asked, & convince the public that

CHEAP GOODS,

Small Profits and Quick Returns, is our motto.

THE DRESS DEPARTMENT

Being a very important one, great care and trouble has been taken in procuring the most Fashionable and Elegant Designs. In this Department we astonished every one last summer, and this Fall we intend doing the same again.

THE STAPLE DEPARTMENT

Is the largest we have ever offered to the public. We are showing some great value in Grey and White Cottons, Sheetings, Tickings, Towellings and General House Furnishings. We are also offering decided bargains in 6-1 all wool Damasks at 75c, worth \$1 per yard.

The Fancy and Small Ware Department!

As usual are very extensive, embracing everything New and Fashionable in their lines.

THE CANADIAN DEPARTMENT

Has received a large amount of attention. Having bought from the best manufacturers in the Province, every article we warrant is of the best description, or no sale.

Every Department is well represented, and New Goods will be arriving weekly, of which due notice will be given.

PHILIP BISHOP

Wyndham Street, Guelph, September 8, 1868. dw 1f

MAKING READY

FOR THE

FALL CAMPAIGN!

IMMENSE

Arrivals at Headquarters.

A. O. BUCHAM

Is now opening an Immense Stock, and making

Extensive Preparations for the FALL TRADE

INSPECTION INVITED.

A. O. BUCHAM.

Wyndham Street, Guelph, September 19, 1868. dw 1f

BILLIARD HALL!

Adjoining Coulson's Hotel, GUELPH, ONT.

Four New Belgian Standard American tables.

Guelph, June 24. W O'CONNOR, Proprietor do 1y

How to Cool Off.

Gentlemen, come to the

DOMINION SALOON

If you like a FANCY DRINK of any kind, got up in first-class style.

Pilgrim's celebrated Plain Soda and Ginger Ale received daily from Hamilton.

CHAS. BUNYAN, Guelph July 18, 1867. do 1y

DOMINION

LIVERY STABLE

GUELPH, ONTARIO.

H. MARRIOTT

BEGS to inform the citizens of Guelph and the travelling public that he has started a Livery Stable next door to Mr. W. Armstrong's Blacksmith's Shop, Macdonnell Street, where he can supply

Saddle Horses, Horses and

CLOCKS, CLOCKS.

CUTHBERT'S

Importation of CLOCKS this Fall larger than ever:

WHOLESALE & RETAIL.

Guelph, 26th September, 1868.

FALL IMPORTATIONS!

J. CHARLESWORTH & Co.

44 YONGE-ST., TORONTO.

We have the pleasure of informing our customers and the Trade generally that we are now in the receipt of our Fall Importations, and are showing a full assortment of **NEW GOODS** in each Department.

Having taken advantage of the late depression in the Manufacturing districts, we have been enabled to secure **Cheap Lines in almost every Class of Goods.**

We would call the special attention of our friends to several large lots of **Plain and Fancy Winceys**, which we think particularly good value.

Our Stock of **Fancy Dress Goods, Shawls, Hosiery, Gloves, & Fancy Wool Goods**, will be unusually complete.

We would also mention as worthy of notice **Plain and Fancy Flannels, Blankets, Mantle Cloths and Trowerings.**

We have imported a more **Complete Stock of Staple Goods** than we have hitherto offered, and feel confident in inviting an early inspection.

Our stock will be kept assorted by weekly arrivals of New Goods during the season.

J. CHARLESWORTH & Co.

Toronto, August 31st.

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44 YONGE STREET, TORONTO.

South Waterloo Show.

We notice that some of the farmers belonging to the County of Wellington have been exhibitors at the South Riding of Waterloo Show, which was held at Galt on Wednesday and Thursday, and been very successful too. In horses Mr. Kenneth McKenzie took a first prize for a brood mare, for general purposes, Hector McCaig a third for a span of heavy draught horses, and K. McKenzie again a first for a two year old filly. In cattle Geo. Ruid took a first for a two years old bull, first and second for cows, first for a yearling heifer and second for a heifer calf, all these animals being Devons. In grade cattle Henlock Young took a first for a cow of any age, a first for a two years old, and also for a yearling heifer, first and third for heifer calves, and first for a fat cow or heifer. In the same class Mr. Sturton took a second prize for a yearling heifer. In Leicester sheep Peter McGregor, Paslinch, got a third for a shearing ram, and D. Sturton a second for two shearing ewes. In sheep, not thoroughbred, P. McGregor received a first, and D. Sturton a second for a pair of ewe lambs, the latter also took first and third for shearing ewes, and the former a second for two ewes. Wm. Evans got a second for a pair of fat sheep. The same gentleman took a first for a pair of small breed pigs, and a first for a pair of Black Spanish fowls. For flax seed the first prize was awarded to K. McKenzie, also the second for fall table pears, the first for winter table pears, and the first in each of three classes of onions, red, white, and yellow. For "turnips of any other sort" (than Swede) Wm. Evans took a first, and the same for mangrel wurtzel. Certainly Paslinch took a fair share of the prizes that were distributed in the South Riding of Waterloo.

COMMERCIAL.

Guelph Markets.

MERCURY OFFICE, GUELPH.

October 6, 1868.

Flour 100 lbs	8 00	@	8 00
Fall Wheat 10 bush	1 15	@	1 20
Spring Wheat 10 bush	1 08	@	1 10
Oats 10 bush	0 48	@	0 52
Peas do	0 80	@	0 85
Barley do	1 20	@	1 25
Hay 1 ton	10 00	@	12 00
Straw 2 50	@	3 50	
Shingles 10 square	1 00	@	1 50
Wood 1 cord	3 00	@	4 00
Wool	24	@	25
Eggs 1/2 dozen	0 11	@	0 12
Butter (store packed) 1/2 lb	0 18	@	0 20
do (dairy packed) 1/2 lb	0 19	@	0 21
Geeze, each	0 25	@	0 30
Turkeys each	0 50	@	0 60
Chickens 1/2 pair	0 30	@	0 38
Ducks, do	0 20	@	0 25
Potatoes (new) per bag	0 60	@	0 80
Apples, 1/2 bag	0 75	@	1 00
Lamb 1/2 lb	0 24	@	0 27
Beef	5 00	@	6 00
Beef, 1/2 lb	0 05	@	0 12
Pork, 1/2 lb	7 00	@	7 50
Sheep Pelts each	0 20	@	0 25
Lambskins	0 45	@	0 50
Hides	0 00	@	0 00

Money Market.

JACKSON'S EXCHANGE OFFICE.

Guelph, Oct. 6, 1868.

Gold, 129 1/2.
Greenbacks bought at 70 to 70 1/2; sold at 71 to 72.
Large Silver bought at 5 dis.; sold at 4.
Small silver bought at 10 dis.; sold at 9.
Upper Canada Bank Bills bought at 50c. to 00c.

MONTREAL MARKETS.

Kirkwood, Livingstone & Co's report by special Telegraph to 'Evening Mercury'.
Montreal, October 3, 1868.
Flour—Fancy, \$5 75 to \$5 90; Superfine No. 1, \$5 40 to \$5 70; Warranted Canal, \$5 40. Bag flour \$3 60 to \$3 95. Oats 45c to 47c. Barley \$1 10 to \$1 15. Butter—dairy 20c to 24c store packed 20c to 24c. Ashes—Pots 65 to 85 70 pearls \$5 40 to \$5 50.
Flour receipts, 7,400 bbls. The market is weak and sickly with a declining tendency, and little is doing beyond a few sales of Welland Canal. 5,400 strong super, from \$5 50 to \$5 65; wheat—red winter, 1 25; spring holders ask 1 25; buyers offer 1 20. Provisions and rates unchanged.

TORONTO MARKETS.

Toronto, Oct. 5.
Fall wheat, 1 35 to 0 00; spring wheat, 1 15 to 0 00; flour, No 1 super, 0 00 to 0 00; extra, 0 00 to 0 00; barley 1 27 to 1 28; peas, 90 to 92c; oats, 50c to 00.

HAMILTON MARKETS.

Hamilton, Oct. 5.
Barley, 1 25 to 0 00; peas, 80 to 90c; oats, 50 to 0 00; spring wheat, 1 05 to 1 07; white wheat, 1 20 to 1 22; red winter, 1 12 to 1 15.

TO TAILORS.

AMERICAN Shears, Trimmers, and Points of all sizes, Squares, Carved Rules, Straight-edges, Improved Irons, English and American Crayons, Bartlett's Needles, Tapes, &c. All the best quality, and at lowest prices.
RYAN & OLIVER,
Importers of Hardware—114 Yonge-st. Toronto
Toronto, 1st April, 1868.

FRESH TEAS! FRESH TEAS!

CROP '67 and '68.

REFORD & DILLON

ARE now receiving direct from London, Eng'd, their FALL SUPPLIES of New Season Teas, comprising—

TWANKAYS,
YOUNG HYSONS,
IMPERIALS,
GUNPOWDERS,

Col'd & Uncol'd JAPANS
CONGOUS,
SOUCHONGS,
PEKOES.

100 Hhd's Choice Barbadoes and Cuba Sugars,
With a well selected assortment of GENERAL GROCERIES, of which they offer to the trade LOW.

REFORD & DILLON,

Toronto, September 1, 1868.

12 and 14, Wellington Street, Toronto.

1868 Fall Importations. 1868.

KERR, BROWN AND MACKENZIE,
HAMILTON,

Beq leave to inform the Trade that they are now receiving and opening their

Fall Importations of DRY GOODS,

And will have their Stock complete early in September. Their assortment of

Canadian Woollens, Cotton Goods and Hosiery

IS LARGE. A FULL STOCK OF

Teas, Sugars, Coffees and General Groceries

ALWAYS ON HAND.

Hamilton, September 2.

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Golden Lion, Guelph.



A CARD TO FAMILIES,

Boarding Houses, Boarding Schools & Hotel-keepers.

CANADIAN BLANKETS!

The Best Canadian Blankets made in the Dominion, is made for me by MESSRS. T. & J. DAVIDSON, Guelph. These Blankets are made of the best Wool that comes into our MARKET, grown by farmers in our own County, and manufactured in our own Town. I am thereby enabled to offer the best article produced, and

AT A MUCH LESS PRICE

Than any of my competitors in the business here. Those wishing to turn a

No. 1 BLANKET at the Wholesale Price, will find it to their interest to call at once at the GOLDEN LION.

JOHN HOGG.

Guelph, 2nd August, 1868.

E. O'DONNELL & CO.

The Right Place to Buy CHEAP

GROCERIES and LIQUORS

THE BEST STORE IN GUELPH TO BUY

China, Crockery, and Glassware.

We are constantly receiving large additions to our present Extensive Stock from the best Markets in the Dominion and the United States, and will sell at prices that shall defy successful competition.

Try our New Crop TEAS.
Purchase our Bright Sweet SUGARS.
Try one Plug CHEWING TOBACCO, at 20c. per lb.

BASS' PALE ALE AND GUINNESS'S PORTER,

IN SPLENDID CONDITION.

Particular attention paid to fine Wines and Liquors, and we recommend buying the dozen or single bottles, as purchasing by the Jug destroys a fine article. A quantity of SALT at

E. O'DONNELL & CO'S.

Wyndham Street, Guelph, September 10th.

Bryce, McMurrich & Co.

WHOLESALE

DRY GOODS IMPORTERS,

TORONTO.

Our Large Stock is now fully assorted, to which we invite the attention of the Trade.

TERMS: - - - LIBERAL.

Toronto, September 1, 1868.

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A. R. McMASTER & BRO.,

Are Now Opening their FALL

IMPORTATIONS!

And will be glad to see their friends and customers at

32 Yonge Street,

Toronto, September 1, 1868.

TORONTO.

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GREAT POWERS

ARE ALWAYS NEUTRAL IN SMALL SQUABBLES.

SO IT IS WITH

PREST & HEPBURN

In the Leather War now going on between their opponents on the South side of Wyndham Street.

WE do not believe in bosh and blarney, but deal with facts, and leave the verdict in the hands of the intelligent people of Wellington. We are prepared to prove, and we positively affirm, notwithstanding all the puffing and blowing which has become the order of the day, that PREST & HEPBURN, Wyndham Street, Guelph, manufacture more

BOOTS AND SHOES

And employ double the number of Workmen of any other establishment in the County of Wellington. We invite the public to call and look through our Factory, and they will be convinced that we are telling the truth, and nothing but the truth.

A great deal has been said for and against Machine-made Boots and Shoes,

Now we believe, and we are confident that every well-balanced mind in Wellington will agree with us, that the less machinery used in the manufacture of Boots and Shoes the better.

All our Staple Boots and Shoes are made by Hand

Which must be admitted is far superior to any machine made Goods. We have now on hand the largest and best assortment of Boots and Shoes ever offered to the people of Wellington, which we will sell as cheap as the cheapest.

Remember that all our Work is Warranted

And no second price. REPAIRS done as usual.

PREST & HEPBURN.

Guelph, 24th September.

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WANTED,

Keep the Feet Dry and the Head Cool.



Keep the Feet Dry and the Head Cool.

Customers to buy out one of the Largest and Cheapest stocks of

BOOTS AND SHOES

TO BE FOUND IN GUELPH.

JOHN CRIDIFORD

INVITES inspection to his stock of NEW FALL GOODS, which have been purchased from the best makers, and can be warranted as equal to any in the market for Style, Durability or Cheapness.

Remember that the spot for Cheap Boots and Shoes is the Kingston Penitentiary Boot and Shoe Store, No. 41, Wyndham-st., Guelph. FOR CASH ONLY.

JOHN CRIDIFORD.

Guelph, September 26th

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Large Bankrupt Stock

AT THE CO-OPERATIVE STORE.

A LARGE BANKRUPT STOCK OF GENERAL

DRY GOODS & CLOTHING,

Which will be sold at nearly HALF-PRICES. The undenominated articles and figures show the usual prices and the reduced prices. The whole Stock is to be sold equally low.

BANKRUPT STOCK.		BANKRUPT STOCK.	
		USUAL PRICES.	REDUCED PRICES.
Union Tweeds	80 45	25 25	
Wool Tweeds	0 75	0 45	
White Flannels	0 45	0 25	
Fancy Flannels	0 60	0 30	
Grey Sheetings	0 13	0 08	
Striped Shirtings	0 18	0 11	
Fancy Prints	0 15	0 08	
Cobourgs and Alpaccas	0 20	0 12	
Skirts	0 75	0 45	
Shawls	2 50	1 50	
Coats	6 00	3 50	

Gloves, Hosiery, Ribbons, Flowers, Trimmings, Buttons, Belts, Collars, Handkerchiefs, Edgings, Laces, Hats, Caps, &c., at the same Reduced Rate.

The Fourth Semi-annual Dividend will be paid to customers on presenting their Pass Books on and after the 1st of October.

Guelph September 1 68

W. MACKLIN & CO.

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INDIA & CHINA TEA COY.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

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

A PURE AND GENUINE ARTICLE

HAS BEEN BECOMING MORE GENERAL. All lovers of GOOD and GENUINE TEAS should try the India and China Tea Company's Packet Teas, sold by their Agent in every Town and large Village throughout the Dominion. They are GUARANTEED PURE and of the FINEST QUALITY.

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

OBSEVE.—None are GENUINE, unless the Company's Trade Mark is on each packet.

N.B.—Those who desire Cheaper Teas, in half-cheese or boxes, can obtain the cheapest and best in the Market, for Cash, on application to the CANADA DEPOT, 23 Hospital St., Montreal.—Samples sent on application.

The above TEAS are for sale at the MEDICAL HALL.

E. HARVEY & CO., Agents for Guelph.

Guelph, August 18.

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FALL GOODS, 1868.

New Fall Goods.

An Immense Stock.

ARRIVING DAILY

AT

THE GUELPH CLOTH HALL

A. THOMSON & CO.

Guelph, 4th September 1868

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