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st time to this has been his chief shield im public reproach. The attack on onlton is base beyond parallel. Moul-has only its tell the plain facts just as uppossible has written them in his full d complete statement, and the result libe to annthiate Beecher's denials of altery, and to leave him in the atti-de of a desperate man, who to save medif from the truth has resorted to a arcterize by any other word than in-mous.

York, Aug. 15th .- The con New York, Aug. 16th.—The comments of the morning papers are generally fa-vorable to Beecher. All regard the blackmailing features of the case as da-maging if not fatal to the Tilton party, while Beecher is consured for submitting to it, thus supporting in the minds of many the theory of his guilt. Beecher's church regard his vindication as com-plets, and are greaty overjoyed.

Guclyh Evening Mercury SATURDAY EV'G, AUG. 15, 1874 The Governor's Visit.

As we stated yesterday, the Govr General will be in Guelph this lay week. He is expected to arrive about 2 o'clock. Mr. Lemon has in-umated to the Council that he will give the use of his residence to His Excellency and party during his stay in Guelph over Sunday, and the Council thankfully accepted the offer. At their meeting last night they appointed the necessary committees to carry out the arrangements connected with his arrival and stay in town; and at the meeting on Monday night they will, it is expected, be in a posito report to the Council what tion steps they have taken in the departments assigned them. They will also determine at this meeting what shape the reception shall take, and what sort of entertainment will be accorded to His Excellency on the day of his arrival. He will remain in Guelph from Saturday afternoon till Monday forenoon, and will then proceed to Toronto.

It is said that the Hon. Mr. Ross, Speaker of the Quebec. Legislative Council, has sent in his resignation, and that it has been accepted.

and that it has been accepted. THE Belleville Intelligencer, as well as some other Tory papers, is much exercised over the fact that the St. John Freeman gets the patronage of Government advertaing, and abuses Mr. Speaker Anglin roundly on that account, accusing him of violsting the "Independence of Parliament." The editor of the Intelligencer must surely have forgotten that he him-self, not many months ago, while a member of Parliament, received the Government advertisements. THE Sentant Between _ The Hour.

member of Parliament, received the Government advertisements. THE STANDARD REDUKED.—The Hour, the Junior Conservative organ in London, England, attacks the Stan-dard for its misrepresentations of the present Dominion Government in two articles on the Canadian Pactic Railway and the Reciprocity Treaty, respectively, in which it accuses them of annexationist tendencies. It says that it would be unfortunate if the impression were permitted to prevail that the opinions and atti-tude of English Conservatives to. wards Canadia are fairly represented by the articles of the Standard, and adds that at a time when all parties in the Dominion are at one in re-cognizing the bigh imperial spirit of the colonial policy of the present Conservative Government, it is pecu-liarly mopportune for an English Conservative of the scured in an al-most unparalleled degree the confi-dence of the whole people of Canada, because they do not bear the name of Conservative.

WEBT GARATEXA RATES.—The follow-ing ratis have been levied by by-law:— 6 and 7-tenths mills in the 8 county rate; 4 and 5-tenths mills Credit V. R. W. rate; 1 mill to equal Go., school grant; 1 mill for the working expenses of the municipality; and 2 mills for the im-provement of roads and bridges.—Total amount 15 and 2-tenths mills. EVERTON MILLS.—We learn that Mr. Rufus Everts has sold the above mills to Mr. Henry Hortop, who will in future carry on the business of curtom and

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the British Wesleyan Conference for the ensuing year. W. Walker, Westminster, reports the extraordinary yield of 120 bushels Diehl wheat from 24 acres on hisfarm, an aver-age of 48 bushels an acre. The Military College at Kingston is ex, pected to be opened on October first. Wm, Hour, of Barrie, was burnt ', ut on the 13th inst., anl lost \$4,000. The first sod of the depot o', the Port Dover and Lake Huron Railw, ay was taid at Stratford on August 13th. A new brass band has open organized in Berlin, under the ', eadership of Mr. Zahn. A raw countrywan, gazing at a garden

Zann. A raw countryman, gazing at a garde in the vicinity of Boston, in which we several marble statues, exclaimed: "Jun see what a waste! Here's no less tha fix seare-crows in this ten-foot patch and any one of them would keep th cows from a five acre let !"

Received the series of the ser

not soon forgotten. Messrs. Groff & Bollert, of Harriston, recently sold 150 kegs of butter, realizing the handsome sum of 29,500, this being the second sale this season. The Orangeville *Advertiser* complains that several taverse in that town keep their bar-rooms open on Sunday and do a large business. One of them, more-over, is selling thus far this year without a license.

A by-law to raise \$5,000, by the issue of debenutres, for the additiona to the Elora school buildings, will be voted on, cn Saturday, 20th inst. The by-law pro-vides for an assessment of 4th mills in the dollar to meet interest and sinking fund.

Day is prepared to do the school book trade. His stock of school books and school materials is complete, his 5 cent copy book is made of the best paper and con-tains 36 copies. See that your children buys it at Day's Bookstore.

BIRTHS. HAMILTON-In Harriston, on the 5th inst., the wife of Mr. D. Hamilton, V. S., of a daughter.

daughter, YOUNG-In Harriston, on the 6th inst, the wife of Mr. S. Young, of a daughter, WILKUS-IN Minto, on the 6th inst, the wife of Mr. George Wilkins, ir, of a son. GINSOW-In Minto, on the 6th inst, the wife of Mr. R. Ginsen, of a daughter. HollAND-In Minto, on the 7th inst, the roughter, John Holland, 6th con. Minto, of a son.

DEATHS.

Wasson-In Nichol, on the 10th inst. Arms Wasson, relies of the late John Cunningham, aged 76 years, 2 months and 19 days. The deceased suffered from a long illness, which she bore with Christian fortitude. She was one of the oldest settlers in the Township, having come to live in Nichol in 1832. She was well known and much respected by all her friends and acquaiptances. Jourstrow-In Minto on the 9th inst., John Jourston, aged about 64 years.

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THE GUELPH OIL WORKS. To the Coal Oil Trade.

Dauntless, Dominion Regulation I take this opportunity of letting my old friends and customers know that early this fail, I intend having my new Petroleum Hefloery in operation. I am erecting on my old promises between the Grand Trups and Star, Practice, Junior, Boya from old premises between the Grand Truns and Great. Western Railway Freight Stations an Oil Refinery with all the lat st improve-uents for the perfect manufacturing and decodorising of Petroleum or Coal Oil; and from my long experience in the businese, test coulder to fiving all in the trade who for my many customers, I have in shock as of my many customers, I have in shock as my warehouse a large int of the best London Refined Oil, which I an selfing at low rates. Address all Orders to O. Clark, Guelpa Oil Works, Guelpa, Ont. O.CLARK. Guelph, August 11th, 1874. O. CLARK. OSHAWA Agricultural Impl'ments The subscribers having been appoint-ed Agents of the Joseph Hall Co., of Osha-wa, for the sale of their Implements, will take orders for Reapers, Mowers, Separators, Sawing Machines, Seed Drills, etc. etc. and will keep on hand at their Foundry, near Presant's Mills. Guelph, all parts and deces of the machines, etc, also The Oshawa No. 4 Plow KEPT ON HAND. All jobbing and REPAIRS to the various Machines, and to all other kinds of machi-nery, done at short botice, and on reasona-ble terms. All kinds of from and Brass Castings made to order promptly at low rates. NEW to order promptly at low rates. HARLEY & HEATHEB. Gualph, August 12, 1874. dw recovery. r. Thomas is considering a ror of thin have the town lighted with gas at a for the whole work of \$26,400. The poetd price of the article is \$3.00 per "a lidwit J.S. A. THORP Proprieto TORO.YTO.

¹'ar. John Horsman has just returned from the Hardware Manufacturing dis-tricts of England and Scotland, having purchased there to very great advantage, a large and varied stock of Hardware, Oils, Paints, Colors and Window-Giass, which he expects in the month of Sep-fember, and will cut every article down in price to such a figure as will please his customers and surprise every one.

THE SCHOOLS RE-OPEN ON MON-DAY, Aug. 17th. SCHOOL BOOKS

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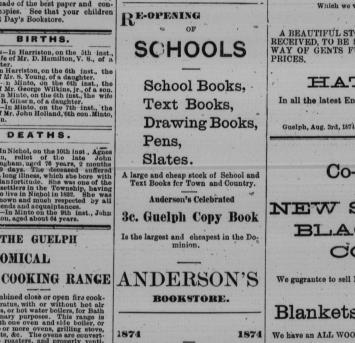
DAY'S BOOKSTORE.

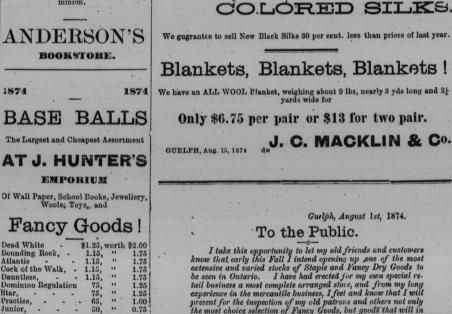
All the Text Books used in the Town and County Schools will be found at

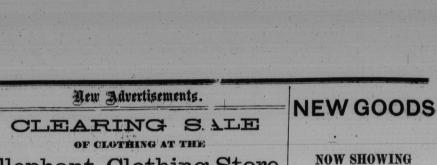
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Drawing Books and Draw-ing Materials, Inks, Pens, Slates, and all the different Copy Books cheap at

DAY'S BOOKSTORE. Parents should see that their Children buy Day's Five Cent Copy Book, it is the largest, made of the best paper, and will last – a copy a day – for seven weeks and two days.







A. O. BUCHAM

Elephant Clothing Store. Previous to receiving Fall Stock we have concluded upon a Clearing Sale COURING THIS MONTH

Of our entire stock, consisting of Save time and money by get-ting, your School Books at Day's Bookstore, for Day has on hand the Books wanted, and sells theap. William Stewart's Which we will offer at prices never before equalled in Guelph

A BEAUTIFUL STOCK OF OXFORD AND REGATTA SHIRTS JUST RECEIVED, TO BE SOLD VERY CHEAP, AND EVERYTHING IN THE WAY OF GENTS FURNISHING GOODS AT COMPARATIVELY LOW PRICES.

HATS AND CAPS In all the latest English and American styles. C. E. PEIRCE & CO.

Co-Operative Store.

NEW SILKS, BLACK SILKS,

We gugrantce to sell New Black Silks 30 per cent. less than prices of last year.

Blankets, Blankets, Blankets! We have an ALL WOOL Planket, weighing about 9 lbs, nearly 3 yds long and 2 yards wide for Only \$6.75 per pair or \$13 for two pair.

Guelph, August 1st, 1874. To the Public.

I take this opportunity to let my old friends and customers know that early this Fall I intend opening up one of the most extensive and varied stocks of Staple and Faney Dry Goods to be seen in Ontario. I have had erected for my own special re-tail business a most complete arranged store, and from my long experience in the mercantile business, I feel and know that I will present for the inspection of my old patrons and others not only the most choice selection of Faney Goods, but goods that will in reality be of such a character as to cive to the purchaser the The most choice selection of Fancy Goods, but goods that will in reality be of such a character as to give to the purchaser the most entire satisfaction. The value will form one of the most important features of my establishment; the fact of going direct to the foundain head for my whole stock, and buying all for the ready money, and in addition having no old stock to palm off, is of itself a positive guarantee that my satablishment will pre-sent inducements to the purchaser that none other in Guelph can approach. I carnestly request my old friends and customers to pay a visit to my establishment, when the old motto that I used for so many years to their adcantage will again be adopted, viz; the best goods in the trade at the smallest possible profit. Good goods and Cheap goods. One price and no abatement. No misrepresentations, and the interests of the public doing business with me stremuously watched. Yours truly, JOHN HOGGC. JOHN HOGG.

-AT-SPECIAL LINES OF White Shirtings, New Sheetings, 72, 80, 90 and 100 inches wide. A SPECIAL LOT OF Nottingham LACE CURTAINS From 90e to \$10. **New Bláck Silk Laces** CHEAP; New " Cluny Laces; OFFERING SPECIAL BARGAINS Black Lace Shawls and Capes From 90c and up.

New Prints,

New Hosiery,

A lot of Ladies Belts cheap

WM. STEWART.

earry on the business of curtom and merebant work. Mr. Hortop has had long experime in milling, and as he in-tends to go into the business with spirit, his removal to Everton will be of benefit to the vilage and surrounding section, as we hope it will be to himself.

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A. Taylor and J. Knowles. HAMILTON CENTRAL FAIN.—The Direc-tors of the Great Central Fair, which is to be held in Hamilton on the 6th, 7th, ski and 9th of October next, have just issued their prize list which makes an octavo pampheto of 36 pages, and em-braces almost everything which can be produced. The directors are sparing mither pains nor expense to make the approaching Fair the greatest of all Cen-tral Fairs, and this liberal and extensivo prize ist ennot fail to attract an un-usually large number of competitors.

ACCIDENT AT COLLINGUE and an an-issually large number of competitors. ACCIDENT AT COLLINGUED.—As Mr. Hugh Wallace, of the Sthe con. Colling-wood, was diving in his wagon on Fhursday last, a runaway team came undeely upon him, leaged upon the wagon, and the neekycke breaking looses struck Mr. Wallace on the head, the holt penetrating the skull, besides inflicting ther serious injuries. Dr. Maelenn, of Meaford, was telegraphed for, and on reaching the scene, performed, with the ssistance of Dr. Hunt, the operation alled trepanning, taking out the piece onsciousness, and, notwithstanding the number and severity of his injuries his adical attendants have good hopes of is recovery.

-50, LACROSSE AND RUBBER BALLS Of all k n cheaper than ever. Full lines of Fancy Goods, Wools, Jewel c. y and Toys. Hair Goods, Combs and Small Wares AT J. HUNTER'S Berlin Wool, Fancy Goods and Toy Store Wyndham Street Guolph. TUST RECEIVED, A splendid assortment of Church, School, Farm and Factory Bells. Which will be sold at low prices. John M. Bond & Co. Direct Hardware Importers, Wyndham street, Guelph. CLOTHING MANUFACTURERS SCARFS, and Tailors WILL FIND A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF WOOLLENS WITH JOHN MACDONALD & Co.,

GUELPH, Aug. 6, 1874

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A CHOICE LOT OF

Silk Handkerchiefs, TIES, &c.

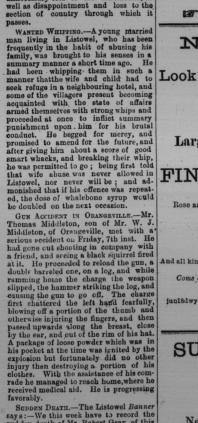
> Shaw & Murton, MERCHANT TAILORS

THE SUBSCRIBERS HAVING BEEN **APPOINTED AGENTS** -BY-Messrs, Williams Bros. of Buffalo, N.Y., FOR THEIR CELEBRATED AMERICAN MARBLEIZED SLATE MANTLES Beg to acquaint **Contractors and Builders** That they will keep constantly on hand a stock of their Mantles, and would invite inspection of the samples we have on hand, and which we are offering at very low figures. H. CLEARIHUE & Co., GUELPH. Guelph, Aug. 1, 1874 dw4w THOS. WORSWICK MANUFACTURER OF MACHINISTS' TOOLS Complete.with best modernattachments. STEAM ENGINES of a superior class, with variable cut off. er sizes of which are designed for mees, and othersrequiring small Jobbing will Receive Careful Attention. THOS WORSWICK Dec.17.1878



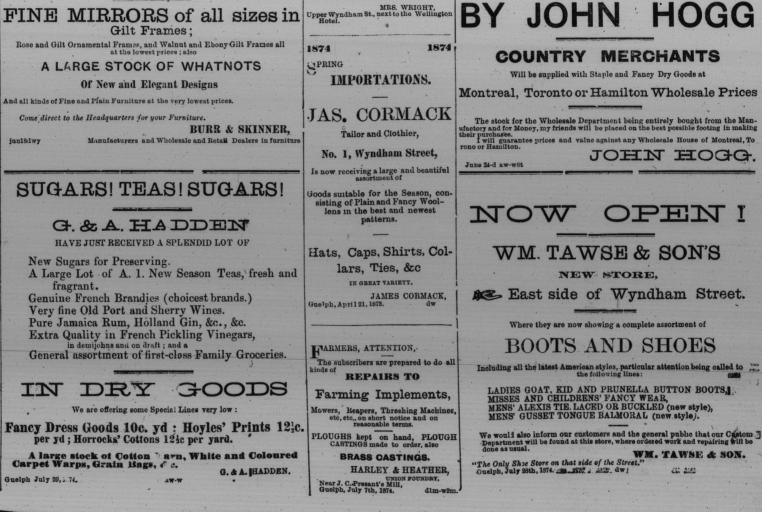
her the occusion, and wint where the pro-sented will the addresses. T. G. & E. Ratuwar.—The Harriston *Tribune* says:—The work on this road, the as grading and building are con-cerned, is now about complete. The contractors have had an engune and gang of men waiting for over a week, for the Western Co. to put in the crossing over the road, in order to allow them to pro-ceed with the track laying ; but although the diamond is made and lying in Hamil-ton, the Western Co. presist in refusing to put itin. This, we think, is unneces-sary stubbornness on the part of the Western, as it will only result in the T. G. & B. Railway Co. forcing the right of way in the end, and is entailing an unnecessary loss to the contractors, as well as disappointment and loss to the pases.

Large Warerooms, Upper Wyndham Street.



received medical aid. He is progressing favorably. Suppose Darm.—The Listowel Banner says.—We this week have to record the sud den death of Mr. Robert Gray, of this vill age, aged 19 years. He had been out working during harvest, had overhested him self, and probably partaken too freely of cold water while overheated, and in-flam metion of the bowels set in. He came home on Monday ovening, and died on Thesia's evening about six o'clock. He was a very steady, exemplary young man, and his loss is severely felt by his sor rowing father and sisters. Shart RHRUM.—This disease can be cured in its worst form. Read this from David Simpson, 89 Prince street, Boston: — Dear Sir, —This is to certify that my dangber. (Sarsh Simpson) has been toubled with Scrofula and Salt Rheum Hu mor for severel years mostly confined to the time not being able to read. She has been under the care of physicians in New York and Boeton, and finding no relief, she took two bottles of Fowles File and Humor Cure, which wholly cured for... The Jubilee singers during their stay

her. The Jubilee singers during their stay in England have realized ±10,000 on be-half of the Fisk University, Tennessee. Guelph July 29, 1.74.



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