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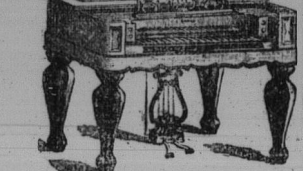
(Successor to John W. Murton)

Banking and Exchange OFFICE,

No. 9, James-st., HAMILTON.

BILLS OF EXCHANGE, uncurrent Money and Specie bought and sold at the best rates. **5-20 Bonds** bought and sold at a slight advance on New York rates. Agent for the National Steamship Company, Weekly line of Steamers between New York and Liverpool. Also for the London and New York Steamship Company, fortnightly Line between New York and London. Tickets via the Michigan Central R.R., and the Michigan Southern and Northern Indiana E.R. for all points West and South, Royal Mail Line to Montreal and intermediate ports. Agent for the Kewshaw & Edwards' celebrated Fire and Burglar Proof Safes. Hamilton Dec 1. doly

Guelph Melodeon Co.'y.



Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

The Co-partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the name of BELL, WOOD & CO., is this day dissolved, by mutual consent. WM. BELL, R. B. WOOD, ROBERT BELL, ROBERT McLEOD.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

BELL BROTHERS, of the late firm, assume all liabilities, and all notes and accounts are to be paid to them at the old stand, East Market Square, Guelph 15th April, 1869. W3

BELL BROS'

The senior partners of the above firm still continue to manufacture **MELODEONS & CABINET ORGANS** in the old stand, under the name of W. BELL & CO. Through the late firm received two First Prizes at the last Provincial Exhibition we were determined to make a still better instrument, and with that end in view secured the services of some of PRINCE & CO'S best workmen, including a tuner who is undoubtedly the best in Canada. We therefore confidently affirm that our instruments are such superior to any made elsewhere in Canada, and at least equal to any made in the United States. Pianos and Melodeons Tuned and Repaired. All our instruments warranted for 5 years and perfect satisfaction guaranteed. Send for our catalogue. Address, W. BELL & CO., Guelph, April 30, 1869. daw

PRIVATE RESIDENCE FOR SALE

In the West End of the

TOWN OF GUELPH.

For Sale, within ten minutes walk of the Post Office, consisting of a substantially built

Stone COTTAGE, dry & healthy

Containing eight rooms, with stable and Driving House, all in good condition. Pleasantly situated in a respectable locality. A large garden planted with choice fruit trees, and plenty of excellent spring and soft water. Terms of payment, easy. One-half of the purchase money may remain on mortgage. Apply to the proprietor, J. E. WORSFOLD, May 19, 69. dlm wt

GLASGOW HAM CURER.

The subscriber wishes to inform the inhabitants of Guelph that he has had

A large stock of Beef, Pork, Rolled Spiced Hams.

All of which will be sold at 12 1/2 cents per lb. The best Bacon from 10c. to 12 1/2 cents. Smoked shoulders same as the Bacon. A Splendid Lot of Smoked Hams, Lard, &c. A large lot DRIED BEEF and MUTTON will be sold at from 4c. to 5c. per lb. D. NAISMITH, Upper Wyndham Street, Guelph, May 20th, 1869. dlm

TOWN OF GUELPH.

TENDERS WANTED.

Tenders for the erection of a DOME on the MARKET HOUSE will be received at the Town Clerk's Office until

Saturday, 5th of June next

The tenders are required according to two plans, which, with specifications, may be seen at the Clerk's Office. The lowest or best tender to be accepted.

JOHN HARVEY, Town Clerk, Guelph, 26th May. doly

\$1616. \$1616.00.

For sale, very desirable property known as the **Heffernan Estate**, situated on Wyndham Street, In the Town of Guelph. The property is now rented for \$1616 per annum. Offers will be received for the whole or in lots up to 1st June next. The property is free from incumbrances. For further particulars apply to JOHN HARRIS, Executor. Guelph, May 1, 1869. doly

THE ONTARIO MUTUAL

Life Insurance Comp'y.

HEAD OFFICE, WATERLOO, ONT. A comparison of our rates with the rates of any Company either doing or purporting to do a legitimate business respectfully invited. EVERY INFORMATION GIVEN To intending Insurers. Medical Examiners—Drs. Howitt & Keating. HENRY L. DRAKE, Agent, Box D, Guelph P.O. mar 12 dw

SPECIAL NOTICE.

The subscriber, in returning thanks to his friends and the public generally for the liberal patronage bestowed on him during the past eight years, begs to announce that he has rented **STALL No. 4, Guelph Market**, where he will at all ways keep on hand a choice assortment of

FRESH AND SALT MEAT

of all kinds, which he will sell at the lowest possible prices. JOHN TISON, Butcher, Guelph, May 8, 1869. daw tf

EDUCATIONAL.

MRS. WM. BUDD,

Organist of the Congregational Church

Begs to inform her Pupils and friends that her School will re-open **MONDAY 4th JANUARY, 1869**, she will also be prepared to give Private Lessons on the Organ, Piano and Melodeon.— Residence: Norfolk Street, Guelph. December 29. doly

1869. SPRING 1869

AND SUMMER

DRY GOODS

Seasonable and New.

WM. STEWART

now a full shop of NEW DRY GOODS, purchased and imported

DIRECT FROM THE

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BARGAINS

Of my House in the trade.

Terms Strictly Cash.

Special attention called to a lot of Nottingham

LACE CURTAINS

CHEAP

WM. STEWART.

Guelph, 10th April. dw

HARD TIMES vs. SOFT ONES.

OWING TO THE HARD TIMES A Softening of Prices has taken place. It would be folly to say that we do not WANT MONEY, as "Money makes the Mare to go."

The way to make TIMES SOFT and MONEY BASKY is to buy your Boots & Shoes at

JOHN McNEIL'S

Montreal Boot and Shoe Store, Wyndham-St. I beg to inform the public that I have been appointed Agent for

RAYMOND'S SEWING MACHINES,

Celebrated for their durability, cheapness and fine finish. Orders by mail promptly attended to. Machines sent to any part of the country carefully packed. Prices same as at the Factory. JOHN McNEIL, Montreal Boot and Shoe Manufacturer, Guelph, May 19. dwtf

GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN,

Barristers, Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitors in Chancery, &c., GUELPH, Ontario. d. GUTHRIE, J. WATT, W. H. CUTTEN, Guelph, April 1, 1869. dwt

CHILDREN'S

GARRIAGES

In great variety, and remarkably cheap, at MRS. HUNTER'S.

THE PATENT CLOTHES HORSE,

A most useful and convenient article. Every house should have one.

AT MRS. HUNTER'S.

Something new in TOYS, at Mrs. Hunter's.

Dress Making & Straw Millinery

At MRS. HUNTER'S

Juvenile Clothing and Patterns at Mrs. Hunter's.

A large and select stock of Fancy Goods, Wools, &c. At MRS. HUNTER'S, Berlin Wood and Fancy Goods Store, Wyndham Street, Guelph. May 12. dw

GOOD NEWS FOR ALL

PROF. HERMAN'S

NEWLY DISCOVERED

VERMIN DESTROYER

Which is known to be far superior to anything ever yet discovered for killing rats, mice, insects on poultry, ants, bugs, cockroaches, black beetles, fleas on dogs, ticks or scabs on sheep or goats, &c., in less than ten minutes. Sold in packets at 25c. per packet, or six packets for \$1.25. The powder is warranted free from all bad smell, and will keep in any climate. It may be spread anywhere without risk, as it is quite harmless to cats and dogs for they will not eat it. Directions for use on each packet.

The above discovery has gained for Professor Herman a silver prize medal at the Intercolonial Exhibition for Victoria, Australia, of 1866, besides numerous testimonials.

Messrs. E. CARROLL & CO., Day's Block, Wyndham-St., Guelph, Agents for Guelph and vicinity. May 29. doly

CLARK'S

Washing Composition

Parties wishing to give the Celebrated Washing Compound a trial can do so now, without buying a FAMILY BOTTLE.

PETRIE'S DRUG STORE

The subscriber has purchased the exclusive right to

Manufacture and Sell

the above article in the TOWN and TOWNSHIP OF GUELPH.

Family Rights:

For the above District only to be purchased of

A. B. PETRIE, Chemist.

Guelph, May 15. daw tf

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TAKE NOTICE,

For one of the best Subscription Books which has ever been published.

Highly commended by Eminent Men in Canada, United States and Europe.

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BOOTS and SHOES

EVERY DESCRIPTION AND STYLE suitable for the

Spring & Summer Trade.

Ladies and Gents', Misses and Girls', Boys and Youths'

Boots & Shoes!

In great variety, all home manufactured.

THE CHEAPEST AND BEST IN THE COUNTY OF WELLINGTON.

CALL AND SEE MY STOCK AT THE

Wellington Boot & Shoe Manufactory

WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH.

JOHN A. McMILLAN, Boot and Shoemaker for the Million, Guelph, Guelph, May 18, 1869. Ferguson and Elora.

Four Journeymen Shoemakers Wanted Immediately.

Dominion Store.

Just received, a Complete Stock of

WORKING CANVASS

Of all descriptions; also a great addition to the already handsome

Stock of Berlin Wools,

Making it now as complete as any found in the Dominion. These will be sold at a

SMALL A PROFIT as Possible.

Stamping for Branding done to order.

Mrs. T. Robinson,

Guelph, May 26. dw Upper Wyndham st.

MORTGAGE SALE.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a mortgage, (which will be produced at sale) made by Andrew Warner, and more particularly made by HENRY HATCH, Esq.

AUCTION

At the Town Hall, in the Town of GUELPH, at 12 o'clock, noon,

On Saturday, June 12th, 1869

By W. S. G. Knowles, Auctioneer, that Stone Store and Dwelling House, and other buildings and premises in the Village of Rockwood, in the County of Wellington, containing 25 and a half perches, more or less, and recently occupied by the said Andrew Warner, and more particularly described in the above mentioned mortgage.

Terms and conditions made known at time of sale; on application to HENRY HATCH, Esq. or to Messrs. GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN, Vendor's Solicitors. Guelph May 26, 1869. 424awtd.

DOMINION SALOON.

FRESH OYSTERS!

Of the best quality always on hand, and served up in all styles at short notice; also for sale by the keg or can. The Paris supplied with Liquors, Wines, Ales and Cigars, of the choicest brands, likewise with the favorite drink, "Tom and Jerry." LUNCH between the hours of 12 noon and 2 p.m.

DENIS BUNYAN

HOUSE and LOT FOR SALE.

House and Lot for sale on Delhi Street, Mitchell's Hill, Guelph, being Lot 23, in Division A, containing one-fifth of an acre. The house is built of stone, and contains four rooms and kitchen, also clothes press and cellar, all well finished. The lot is well fenced, and planted with choice fruit trees. There is a good well, with pump, on the premises; also, stable and carriage house. This house is well adapted for a small family, being on a healthy site, and affording a fine prospect. It will be sold cheap. For further particulars apply to WM. JOHNS, McEugene-st., Guelph, 26th May. doly

BILLIARDS

GREAT EXCITEMENT.

Billiard Hall Refitted New Style Tables. Exhibition twice a Week

AT O'CONNOR'S BILLIARD HALL.

Guelph, 24th February. doly

Evening Mercury.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, JUNE 2, 1869.

Town and County Items.

HORTICULTURAL SHOW.—The Spring show of the Guelph Horticultural Society will be held on Tuesday, the 20th day of June, in the Drill Shed.

When Tom Muley was taken back to Galt to Guelph with the lively horse he had abused he was taken before a Justice of the Peace and fined \$8 and \$7.50 costs.

DIRECT IMPORTATIONS.—T. J. Day, opposite the market, has received extensive shipments of *Prussia* and *North American*, and ex ship *Lake Superior*, from Liverpool, several bales and cases paper hangings, all new patterns and good styles, which will be sold very cheap. Call and examine goods and prices before buying, and be satisfied that Day's Bookstore is the right place to buy wall paper.

PHARISWORTHY.—Our Elora correspondent informs us that at a congregational meeting of Chalmers' Church on Monday May 31st, it was decided to raise the stipend of the minister (Rev. Mr. Middlemas) from \$800 to \$830. This act shows the high and just estimation in which this Revd. gentleman is held by his flock. It also speaks well for the liberality of the congregation, which is by no means a large one.

THE HILLSBURG MAIL.—Some of our subscribers have complained to us that the WEEKLY MERCURY does not reach Hillsburg regularly on Thursday night. We have made enquiry into the matter, and find that since the afternoon mail train on the Grand Trunk was changed to a later hour, the stage for Hillsburg, when the train happens to be late, does not wait for the mail from the west, and consequently the papers have to lie over a day at Georgetown. Such being the case the remedy is in our hands.

CHILDREN'S CONCERT TO-NIGHT.—Dr. French, assisted by his class of 170 pupils, will give his farewell concert this evening, and next Friday in the Town Hall, at 8 o'clock. A graduated stage, twelve feet high at its highest point, and twenty-four feet long, has been constructed. Curtains will be provided adding greatly to the interest of the solos, duets, and pieces in character. The stage will also be decorated with evergreens. Such a galaxy of happy voices alone would amply repay a visit to the Hall. Tickets for this concert 25 cents; children under ten years 15 cents. Be sure and go early to secure a good seat.

HARRISTON NEWS.—Our Harriston correspondent informs us that at the last fair in that village there were only about 30 head of cattle on the ground, not a good looking one in the lot and only a few cows sold. On Saturday last Mr. James B. Preston, saw-miller, Harriston, ran his left hand against one of the saws and got it badly lacerated. It is feared that one or more of the fingers will have to come off. Mr. Melchior, Secretary of the Minto Agricultural Society, states that 123 members have paid their subscriptions and that a good many more are still expected to do so.

INQUEST.—Dr. Herod, coroner held an inquest, on Tuesday, on the body of Mr. Bolton's child, which we have already mentioned died suddenly the day previous. There was not much elicited but what we have already given. The little fellow was not altogether well in the forenoon and the girl laid it on a lounge. About 3 o'clock the father came in, and remarking that it was sleeping, went to look at it, and found that it was dead—how long we do not know. The only thing is the verdict returned that the deceased James Bolton came to his death from congestive apoplexy.

RUNAWAY.—A desperate runaway took place from Mr. Platt's stable, below the Drill Shed, this morning. The horse, strong, coarse, spotted on his sides, attached to a light wagon and just when drawn up to the stable door, and when the driver had alighted he bolted and made off at a furious pace down the street below the fair ground. He turned the corner and made for the railway track, knocking down a verandah post which narrowly missed falling on two children. As soon as he got to the track he took a sudden dash down towards the big hotel, and getting the wagon jammed against a post he snapped the whipple-tree in two, broke the reach and made off down the Waterloo Road.

METRICAL WAIFS.—We acknowledge with thanks the receipt of a collection of poems, entitled "Metrical Waifs from the Thousand Islands," by Mr. Wylie, Editor of the Brockville Recorder. The author has for some time held the position of poet to the Press Association, and his efforts in the line of poetry have been not a little admired. Many of the poems in the little book now before us have already had an extensive circulation in the newspapers, having been copied from the author's papers in which they first appeared. Among them are some stirring patriotic songs, and many beautiful lyrics; and in the composition of all Mr. Wylie has evinced the possession of no inconsiderable portion of true poetic spirit and fervour. The Author tells us in a prefatory note that the collection is designed more for circulation among private friends than for public sale; but many books less attractive in contents though more pretensions in outward appearance have not been condemned by modesty to make no acquaintances except those of their author.

The "Local" begs to tender an expression of his gratitude to Dr. Briggs, the Chiroprapist, for having relieved him of a corn, which people in a crowd had an ugly habit of treading upon. It was of no use whatever, except as a natural barometer for it always made vigorous leaping before a storm. On this account it may be missed, but its absence will not be regretted. The operation was quick, painless, and was not succeeded by any inconvenience. All who are corned, not in the head but in the feet, will find that Dr. Briggs is the man for their money.—Guelph Mercury. Dr. J. Briggs has established a branch office at No. 6 King Street, West, Toronto. His wonderful remedy for corns, bunions, ingrowing nails, &c., the Modern Curative is sold by druggists and country merchants generally. For sale by E. Harvey & Co., Guelph.

Seal of the Dominion of Canada.

Messrs. J. G. & A. B. Wyon have now on view at 287 Regent Street, Impressions from the seals of the four Provinces of Canada, and the Great Seal of the Dominion, just completed, with the gold medallion that has been struck in commemoration of the union of the Provinces. They are all designed and executed in a very high style of the art. Of the seals, that for the Dominion is, of course, the largest. It represents the Queen, seated under a Gothic canopy, and holding the ball and sceptre, while the wings of the canopy contain the shields of the Provinces—two on either side—hanging on the stem of an oak. These Gothic canopies occupy nearly the whole of the middle space of the seal; the ground between them and the border is covered with a rich diaper, and a shield bearing the Royal Arms of England fills the space beneath the canopy. The border of the seal bears the inscription "Victoria, Dei Gratia, Britannicæ, Regina, F. D. Canada Sigillum." This work would add to the reputation of any other seal engraver, though it can hardly do so to that of the Messrs. Wyon, whose productions have long enjoyed high and deserved celebrity. The seal is well filled, as it should be in a Gothic design, but it is not crowded; the ornaments are all very pure in style, and the whole is in the most perfect keeping. The execution is not less remarkable; the relief is extremely high in parts (although it does not at first appear to be so, owing to the breadth of the composition); but, in spite of this difficulty, the truth, sharpness and finish of every part have been preserved as well as they could possibly be on a medal, or even on a coin. The smaller seals for the Provinces are engraved on one general design. The crown surmounts a central shield bearing the Royal Arms, below which is a smaller shield, bearing the arms of the particular Province—New Brunswick, Ontario, Quebec or Nova Scotia. The Royal motto on a flowing ribbon fills up the space at the sides; a border adapted to the outline of the design runs outside this, and touches the circular border of the seal, containing the legend. These seals are no less remarkable for carefulness of execution than the one to which we have referred. The medal which has been struck to commemorate the confederation of the Provinces is in solid gold, and is so large and massive that its value in metal alone is £50. On the obverse there is a head of the Queen, for which Her Majesty recently gave Mr. Wyon sittings; the reverse is simple, and has a heraldic design—Britannia seated and holding the scroll of confederation, with figures representing the four Provinces grouped before her. Ontario holds the sheaf and sickle; Quebec, the paddle; Nova Scotia, the mining spade; and New Brunswick, the forest axe. Britannia carries her trident, and the coronet by her side. The following inscription runs round a raised border:—"Juretas et Patrius Vigor Canada Instaurata, 1867." The relief on this side is extremely bold, and the composition, modelling and finish are such as to leave little to be desired. The treatment of the head on the obverse is broad and simple; the hair is hidden by a sort of hood of flowing drapery, confined by a plain coronet, and the surface is but little broken anywhere. The ornaments are massive rather than rich; there is a plain pendant in the ear, and a miniature of the Prince Consort is attached to a necklace of very chaste design.—*European Mail.*

The Supreme Court Bill.

The following is a synopsis of the Act to establish a Supreme Court of the Dominion:

A Court of Common Law and Equity, and Admiralty Jurisdiction, and Court of Record, will be presided over by the Chief Justice, six Puisne Judges, four of whom will form a quorum. The Chief Justice must be a barrister or Advocate of 15 years' standing in any Province of Canada, or Judge of Superior Court. The six Puisne Judges must be either Judge of Superior Court, or Barrister or Advocate of ten years' standing. The Chief Justice of the Supreme Court shall have precedence over all other Judges of the Dominion. The Judges of the Court may be removed from office upon an address of the Senate and House of Commons. The salaries are to be paid out of the Consolidated Fund—amount not stated. A retiring allowance may be made to the Judge, equal to two-thirds salary, after having served fifteen years. The Court shall have Appellate, Civil and Criminal Jurisdiction, throughout the Dominion. The Appeal shall lie to said Supreme Court from all Judgments of the Court of Error and Appeal, Queen's Bench and Superior Court, Quebec; and of Executive, Criminal and Superior Courts in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, two terms in appeal yearly, 20 days each, to be held in Ottawa on the 3rd Monday in January. The Court shall have power to dismiss appeal; or give the Judgment which ought to have been given with costs. Proceedings on writs of error, where not otherwise provided for by Act, will be as practice as possible, in conformity to the practice of the Court of Exchequer, England. No appeal or writ of error shall be allowed, unless brought within two years from date of judgment; and no appeal shall lie from any interlocutory order or rule, brought within six months. Security required in appeal or error, five hundred dollars. The Courts will have exclusive original jurisdiction in case of extradition, and in Admiralty cases upon inland navigable waters in the Dominion, above tide water, in suits brought into the Courts by the Crown, proceeding by information in the name of the Attorney-General for the Dominion. There shall be a Registrar of the Court, who shall have office at Ottawa, and four Deputies Registrars' offices: Toronto, Quebec, Halifax and Fredericton; salaries not stated. A barrister of not less than five year's standing may be appointed Reporter to the Court; fees paid to the registrar and Deputy Registrars, by stamps.

LONDON TURF CLUB.—We have to tender our thanks to the Secretary of the London Turf Club—the London sports always act thus generally—for a complimentary ticket to the races over the Newmarket Race Course, beginning on the 9th inst., and extending over that and the following day. For the first day there are four races, the second of which is a two miles dash for the Queen's Plate. There are five races on the programme for the second day, and in each of the nine there are purses offered worth counting for.

BY TELEGRAPH

Despatches to the Evening Mercury

GREAT BRITAIN.

LONDON (midnight), June 1.—The Irish Church bill was read for the first time in the House of Lords to night. It was agreed that the bill should come up for second reading on the 14th inst.

Mr. Motley, it is understood, to day addressed a letter to Lord Clarendon informing him of his arrival in London, and officially requesting the appointment of a day for the presentation of his credentials. As the Prince of Wales holds a leave of day, to-morrow has been named as the most fitting time for the ministerial introduction.

The English press are burdened with glowing articles on the future prospects of the two countries.

LONDON, June 1.—Nearly all the journals have articles to-day on the presentation of the address to Mr. Motley, and discuss the probable future relations between Great Britain and the United States. The *Times*, after contrasting Mr. Sumner's speech in the Senate with Mr. Motley's language of yesterday, hopes that the peaceful tendency of the latter is not to be attributed to appearances; but a real practical indication of the intentions of his Government. Setting aside all controversies, Great Britain offers Mr. Motley a hearty welcome. The *Times* is assured that both the Government and the people of the nation will reciprocate his friendly expressions.

Nassagaweya Competitive School Examination.

(From our Correspondent.)

The competitive examination of the schools of Nassagaweya, took place on Saturday last in the Drill Shed at Hallowville, which Capt. Lyon had graciously fitted up for the occasion. One hundred and sixty-seven scholars were entered for examination in the different divisions. There was only a small representation from Sections Nos. 5 and 8, and none from No. 7. At 10 o'clock, all was ready for work, but not one of the examiners had put in an appearance, which was a great disappointment. Various schemes were proposed for getting over the difficulty, and finally it was agreed to take some of our own teachers, together with our Local Superintendent, and such among the visitors as were competent, and at it they went with a hearty good will and discharged their duties faithfully and impartially. I should say, however, that Mr. Little, of Milton, who was one of the examiners appointed, came at noon and rendered very efficient service during the afternoon; but the day was not long enough to finish the exercises, so that the Fifth Book Division was not examined in some five or six branches for which they were prepared. The best of feeling prevailed in all the parties concerned, and I must not forget to mention that our friend, Mr. Lyon,

ASALUTARY LAW.

A new Act has just passed the Dominion Parliament which will be considered impertinent, uncharitable or salutary, according to that manner of men they are who discuss it.

But what about derelict beggars? It does seem a little hard that they should be deprived of liberty, simply because they are stricken with age and poverty, and must needs follow the once lucrative occupation of asking alms.

All idle persons who, not having visible means of maintaining themselves, live without employment—all persons who, being able to work and thereby or by other means to maintain themselves and families, willfully refuse or neglect to do so—all persons openly exposing or exhibiting in any street, road, public place or highway, any indecent exhibition, or openly, or indirectly exposing their persons—all persons wandering about and begging, or who go about from door to door, or place themselves in the streets, highways, passages or public places to beg or receive alms—all persons loitering in the streets or highways, and obstructing passengers by standing across the footpaths, or by using insulting language, or in any other way, or tearing down or defacing signs, breaking windows, breaking doors, or doorplates, or the walls of houses, roads or gardens, destroying fences, causing a disturbance in the streets or highways by screaming, swearing, singing or being drunk, or impeding or incommoding peaceable passengers—all common prostitutes, or night-walkers wandering in the fields, public streets or highways, not giving a satisfactory account of themselves—all keepers of bawdy-houses, and houses of ill-fame, or houses for the resort of prostitutes and persons in the habit of frequenting such houses, not giving a satisfactory account of themselves—all persons who have no peaceable profession or calling to maintain themselves by, but who do for the most part support themselves by gaming or crime or by the avails of prostitution—shall be deemed vagrants, loose, idle, and disorderly persons within the meaning of this Act, and shall upon conviction before any two Justices of the Peace, be punished by imprisonment in any goal or place of confinement other than the Penitentiary, for a term not exceeding six months, and with or without hard labor, or by a fine not exceeding fifty dollars, or by both, such fine and imprisonment being at the discretion of the convicting Justices.

Any two Justices of the Peace upon information before them made, that any persons hereinbefore described as vagrants, loose, idle or disorderly persons, are, or are reasonably suspected to be, harboured or concealed in any bawdy-house, house of ill-fame, tavern or boarding-house, may, by warrant under their hand and seal, authorise any constable or other person to enter at any time such house or tavern, and to apprehend and bring before them or any other Justices, all persons found therein so suspected as aforesaid.

THE EXODUS FROM LOWER CANADA.—Mr. Brydges publishes a statement in relation to the exodus of the French Canadians to the States, being facts elicited in reply to a circular addressed to the Agents of the Company. From this, it would appear, that there has been this year a departure of about 200 or 300 families by the Grand Trunk for the States, who have no intention to return, and that in addition there has been an excess of usual emigration to the factories and brickyards of about 3000 beyond those who usually go every spring, returning in the fall with the products of their industry. It also shows that every train brings back many who had gone to the Western States.

The Government announced on Monday through Senator Campbell, that the additional subsidy granted to Nova Scotia is intended to be a final and conclusive adjustment of the Nova Scotia claims, in so far as the Dominion Government is concerned. This ought to be good news to the Wilkins Government, as it will save them the useless labor of making the fresh demands they threaten.

Finance Minister Rose declines calling the Public Accounts Committee together. He doubts considers anything in the shape of investigation to be a bore.

Tuesday, Hon. Mr. Rose moved the House into committee to consider his resolutions relating to the Banking and Currency. Hon. Mr. Holton argued that the present system, which on the whole has worked satisfactorily, should not be hastily abandoned, and that time should be given for the due and careful consideration of the change proposed; he moved in amendment that further consideration of the subject be postponed until next session. Mr. Mackenzie seconded the amendment, and stated his belief that the proposed policy, if carried out, would prove disastrous to the whole commercial relations of the country, and of Ontario especially. Mr. Cartwright made an able speech, and expressed his desire for time for a full discussion of the measure proposed. Hon. Mr. Galt exposed the defects of the Government scheme, and showed the disastrous effect it would have upon Ontario especially. Hon. J. H. Cameron moved in amendment to the amendment, seconded by Mr. Gibbs that as it is impossible immediately to obtain uniformity of the currency, it is expedient that the several charters of the Banks about to expire be extended to such a period as the House shall determine. Sir John A. Macdonald then moved an adjournment, giving the assurance that every opportunity would be given for a full and free discussion of the measure, before a vote was taken.

The special of the Globe says:—The debate on Mr. Rose's banking resolutions, and the amendments proposed by Mr. Holton and John Hilliard Cameron, have told terribly against the Government. Mr. Cartwright made an excellent speech, showing the most thorough knowledge of the subject. Mr. Galt made a masterly exposure of the defects of the Government scheme and stood up generously for Ontario. He showed that Mr. Rose's scheme would destroy the elasticity which is required to move the crops in Ontario. Messrs. J. H. Cameron and Gibbs also spoke effectively on the question. The effect of the severe attack on the policy of the Government by their usual supporters had an almost demoralising effect on their position in the House. The members of the Cabinet are only held together by the ties of office. Of principles they have few in common. It is peculiarly unfortunate at the present time that Ontario is represented by only three of the ministers. Of course Wm. McDougall's voice will not be heard in defence of the interests of Ontario. The Government were so very much embarrassed by the outspoken tone of their supporters to-night that they did not know what to do. There is a report to-night that they will ask their supporters to vote down both Mr. Cameron's and Mr. Holton's amendments, privately pledging that they will not proceed with their banking scheme from the character of the debate to-night. I should say that Mr. Rose's scheme has received such a check that it will not be proceeded with this session.

June Fair. The fair to-day was small, both as regards the number of people that attended, and the number of cattle offered for sale.—The quality of the latter, however, was undoubtedly good, and the sales were brisk. By noon but few remained on the ground unsold. Milch cows were plentiful and commanded ready sales at good prices. Oxen were fairly represented, and as they were nearly all fine animals they were held high. From \$120 to \$140 were the figures commonly asked. The former was paid and a near approach was made to the latter, but we did not hear that it was actually sold. There were numerous, and altogether the fair was smaller and brisker than those we generally have in Guelph. For cattle sold by weight the prices were from \$4.50 to \$5. Very few if any, went above the latter figure. We met a few calves—Win Hood, a Galloway yearling bull \$50, and a milch cow \$35; Geo. Quarry, 2 steers at \$5 per cwt, live weight; Jas Elliott, 2 steers at \$4.25; Mr. Burns, Arthur, a cow and calf for \$33; Mr. Borin, Waterloo, 2 fat heifers for \$51; Wm Martin, Pilkington, 3 cows for \$190; Henry Larter, four steers at \$5 per cwt; Griffith Lloyd, a pair of heavy fat cattle at \$2.50; Richard Palister, a cow for \$58; Mr. Wilson, of Toronto, bought two fat heifers at \$4.50; Mr. J. C. Chadwick sold two milch cows at \$40 each; Hugh Hogg, a cow for \$27; John McCorkindale, a small fat cow at \$36, and Andrew Quarry 6 head at \$5 per cwt.

STICHS AT KILBRIDE.—The Hamilton Times says: On Sunday last the residents of the village of Kilbride, county of Hailton, were shocked by the occurrence of a deliberate suicide, the body of William Irwin having been discovered at 10 a.m., suspended by the neck to a beam in a stable. Irwin was engaged as book-keeper in the store of T. L. White & Co., and had been in the employ of the firm for eighteen years. He was a middle-aged man, unmarried, and was addicted to periodical spells of dissipation. He had been indulging immoderately in liquor since the 24th, and several times last week expressed to his associates a determination to destroy himself. He was last seen alive on Saturday night, and is supposed to have carried his fatal resolve into execution at an early hour on Sunday morning. An inquest was held on the body of Dr. McGregor, coroner, yesterday, and the jury returned a verdict of death by suicide.

CANADA PRESBYTERIAN, SYDNEY.—The Synod of the Presbyterian Church of Canada in connection with the Church of Scotland met in Hamilton on the 1st inst., and was constituted last night. The Rev. John Jenkins, D.D., of Montreal, was chosen Moderator.—Rev. G. D. Ferguson, Rev. Dr. Barclay, and Rev. Kenneth Maclean, were re-elected Trustees of Queen's College.

Mr. Matheson of the Milton Champion has purchased the Clinton New Era from Mr. Holmes. Mr. Matheson takes possession some time in July. He reserves an interest in the Champion.

The premises of Mr. Patterson, a Hamilton grocer, were entered on Sunday night, and \$500 carried off.

CONFERENCE.—The Wesleyan Methodist Conference began its deliberations in Toronto to-day.

New Advertisements. NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS. Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railway. The undersigned are prepared to receive proposals for the execution of any portion of the works, including Station Buildings, &c., required in the construction of the Wellington, Grey and Bruce Railway between Guelph and Fergus, at their office at Elora, where plans, profiles and specifications can be seen, and all information obtained.

ROBERTSON & WORTHINGTON, Elora, June 1, 1869. CONTRACTORS.

PEACH BLOW GROCERIES. If your Groceries do not suit you, try us. J. & D. MARTIN, WYNDHAM-ST., GUELPH. Guelph, 1st June.

POTATOES.

Turnip Seed! THE GROWTH OF 1868! PURE, FRESH SEED! NEW BOOKS!

LAST YEAR'S GROWTH, AT A LOW PRICE. GEORGE WILKINSON. Wyndham Street, Guelph, 1st June.

SPRING TRADE SALE ENGLISH AND FOREIGN GROCERIES

WINE, LIQUORS, &c. AT THE STORES OF THOMAS GRIFFITH & CO., 37 and 39 Front Street, TORONTO, on Tuesday and Wednesday, June 8th and 9th, 1869, will be offered at Auction:

Wine that is Wine. If you want Wine for Medicinal and Sacramental Purposes, THE MEDICAL HALL, Pure Juice of the Grape, the vintage of 1867, in bottles and on draft. E. HARVEY & CO., Chemists and Druggists. Guelph, 1st June.

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1864 AND 1865. In the matter of A. O. BUCHAN, an Insolvent. FIRST-CLASS STOCK OF DRY GOODS For Sale in Guelph, Ont. TENDERS. At so much in the dollar value, will be received by the undersigned, at his office, Merchants' Exchange Building, Montreal, up to, and inclusive of, Wednesday, 9th of June Next, For the entire stock-in-trade, shop furniture, and all the contents of the above named establishment, consisting of a varied and well selected assortment of GENERAL DRY GOODS.

Porter wanted. LUMBER YARD. OLD FACE IN THE OLD PLACE. Opposite the Alma Block, Guelph. Also, Water Lime and Celsine Plaster, and Flour and Feed.

THOMAS GRIFFITH & CO., Wholesale Grocers, Wine and Spirit Merchants, 37 and 39 Front Street, Toronto, Ont. May 31, 1869. F. W. COATE & CO., Auctioneers. PORTER WANTED. LUMBER YARD. OLD FACE IN THE OLD PLACE. Opposite the Alma Block, Guelph. Also, Water Lime and Celsine Plaster, and Flour and Feed.

The great Catarrh, Headache, Neuralgia and Universal Pain Remedy is warranted to surpass any known discovery for the instantaneous relief and rapid cure of any conceivable form of pain. Used internally and externally it never fails. A little of BRIGGS' ALLEVATOR applied to the head will instantly relieve Neuralgia, Headache, if a Sick Headache, Distress to the stomach, and all the ailments of the head in half a glass of water, and take one to four swallow, inhale from the bottle, breathe the vapor of the Allelevator, and a cure immediately follows. One to four swallows relieves Dyspepsia, Heartburn, Painful Swallowing, Stomachic, Flatulency, &c. A small quantity of the Allelevator diluted and snuffed up to the nostril, then gargle the throat, and take one to four swallows of the diluted Remedy will immediately relieve and quickly cure Catarrh, Tickling of the Throat, Cough, Asthma, and all tenderness of the Throat when sore and inflamed is relieved at once by gargling with diluted Allelevator, and taking a swallow twice or thrice daily. Sore Side, Back, Chest, Shoulder or Limbs, cured in a short time by applying Briggs' Allelevator. Applied to a Burn or scald, it immediately allays all pain, and gives rest to the afflicted. A few applications of the ALLEVATOR relieves Stiff Neck, Spinal Affection, Contracted Cords and Muscles, Swellings, Sprains, Strains, Tumors, and all similar affections. Diseases, it affords instant relief to all itching and rapidly restores the skin to a healthy condition. The only advantage is wonderful. Remedy for Chilblains, Frosted Feet, Cold Hands and Feet, used freely according to directions. Its power in restoring is wonderful. Cases of Deafness are cured with the Allelevator. Sore and Weak Eyes are cured, Toothache immediately relieved, Ague in the face rapidly disappears. The wonderful and marvellous virtues of the Allelevator will never be told, they are so varied, and as it is a bona fide remedy for such a variety of diseases, it remains incredulous to name them, yet the proprietor challenges any case of Pain or Inflammation that cannot be at once relieved with Briggs' Allelevator. Price, One Dollar. Sold by E. HARVEY & CO., Guelph, and by all respectable druggists and Livery merchants everywhere. DR. J. BRIGGS & CO., Proprietors, No. 6 King Street, corner of Yonge St., Toronto, and 238 Broadway, New York.

Vanity Fair... \$0 50 Edge Club; or, Italy in 1859... 0 60 Spectator (new edition) edited by Prof. Morley... 1 25 For Her Sake (a novel) by Robinson... 0 65 Fallen Pride, by Mrs. Southworth... 0 50 Thoughts and Notes, by Elihu Burritt... 1 50 Life of Lord Brougham... 0 75 Anecdotes of the Shorter Catechism... 0 25 Self and Cyclopaedia... 2 50 Our Common Primitives... 0 50 Life and Epistles of St. Paul, by Conybere & Howson... 2 50 Tom Hood's Comic Annual... 0 35 Josh Billing's—His Book... 0 25 JUST RECEIVED AT THORNTON'S New Cheap Bookstore, Wyndham-st. Guelph, 31st May.

VINDICATION! TO THE EDITOR OF THE GUELPH MERCURY. Sir—We see from an article headed with that motto the "Truth does not prevail" in your issue of Friday that our opponents in the Exhibition have found a veritable man's nest. By mistaking the meaning of the word "man's nest" we think we submit that Mr. Wood was a rare case at the Exhibition, and then they accuse us of untruthfulness when we call him our workman. Mr. Wood, as arranged, showed a very good specimen of certain parts of the business; a fair instance the sale of pianos, and was never consulted in any transaction of buying or selling. He received merely a percentage on certain parts of the work to counterbalance a reduction in wages of 25 per cent, which certainly did not make him a partner. The price instances cost him nothing, and he cannot therefore claim a share of the prize to the exclusion of two real partners who owned about four-fifths of the articles exhibited. They take no notice of the most important parts of their list, but show a declaration, signed by some workmen, two of whom, E. Pearson and W. Snowden, were never even in the factory up to last December, proving that Mr. Wood was a partner in September's preceding. Said declaration is indignantly worded, being intended to convey the idea that Mr. Wood had authority over them, which was only one of the many things he conscientiously saw so, and Mr. Wood's authority over him was self-assumed, at least so far as we were concerned. Nearly if not quite the number we heard us say that Mr. Wood had no right to interfere with them; and we can find numbers of people who have heard some of the men in question (Mr. John Rudd in particular) say that Mr. Wood had nothing to do with them. We presume the assessor's proof is also convincing, and that we presume is all they need to prove, that Mr. Wood had sole charge of the tuning, which was done solely by himself. These same employees attribute the success of the firm mainly to Mr. Wood's ability and Mr. McCleod's business tact. They and the public well know that it was the work of R. Bell & Co. to keep the accounts, carry on the correspondence and effect sales at a distance, and establish agencies. We suppose we can get Mr. Wood's credit for transacting business over and above what we have mentioned. He may have some unenviable business faculty, which he has not observed, but which has always been invisible to us.

We will say in reference to our challenge, that we have one witness who says he holds no enmity to Mr. McCleod, and can testify on oath that he heard both Mr. McCleod and ourselves say at last Exhibition that we would never again exhibit Mr. Wood's work. We have also other disinterested evidence to the effect that one of his present employees said he heard Mr. McCleod use the same words. One of ourselves can testify that Mr. McCleod admitted in presence of Mr. Jackson that he had said to him, "I will not exhibit Mr. Wood's work, but if he wish to be exhibited at once, I will give him the same words heard by our first witness. We hold out the challenge for three days, and if they wish to be exhibited at once, all evidence taken will be on oath, and left to the decision of arbitrators. Let them choose one and we will choose another, and these two will be of course we accept their challenge on the quality of instruments, but prefer to have it decided by the judges at the Provincial Exhibition, especially as the time is not far distant, and no personal feelings can be brought to bear on the decision. The public will then be satisfied with the result. The sum to be forfeited shall be \$100, which must be deposited at least one week before the exhibition.

W. BELL & CO. Guelph, 31st May. PRIZE DENTISTRY. DR. R. CAMPBELL. OFFICE NO. 4091 to the Advertiser's Office, Wyndham street, Guelph.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP. The business carried on under the title of D. Molton & Co., as Produce Dealers and Commission Merchants, has this day been dissolved by limitation of time. All parties indebted to the said firm, either by note or book account, will please call and settle the same. All accounts not paid within thirty days will be handed into A. Baker, Esq., for collection. Any person having claims against said firm will please present them for adjustment. We further appoint Mr. Watson Day to collect all accounts due us, and he will give receipts for the same. Witness, D. MOLTON, A. ROSS, Guelph, 31st May, 1869.

Wellington County Council. Court House, Guelph, June 1st. The June session of the Wellington County Council commenced to-day at 2 o'clock. Present: the Warden, John Malr, Esq., in the chair; and all the members except Messrs. Dobbin, Fraser and Sutherland.

Mr. F. C. Stewart presented a certificate from the Clerk of Orangeville to the effect that Mr. Jull had been unseated by a writ of quo warranto, and that Mr. Stewart had been elected in his place. Mr. Stewart accordingly took his seat. The Warden read the following address:

WARREN'S ADDRESS. In accordance with your instructions I attended at a meeting of the Sessions of the Peace to audit the County accounts for criminal justice, and I would recommend that in future all extra supplies for the gaol be procured only on the order of the chairman of the County Property Committee, and that no accounts for criminal justice be paid until they have passed the board of auditors—with the exception of such as cannot be delayed—such as the payment of jurors and crown witnesses.

During the time that the prisoners were confined in the gaol of this County who were charged with complicity in the Fenian conspiracy, an expense of \$104 was incurred in complying with instructions from the Dominion Government, and they now refuse to reimburse the County for the same. The Ontario Government also decline all responsibility in the matter.

I have received and will lay before you a copy of the report of the Inspector of Prisons for Ontario, with regard to the County gaol, and also a copy of the presentment of the Grand Jury regarding the same. They both strongly recommend certain alterations connected with it.

The recent disastrous flood did great damage to roads and bridges throughout the County. Although the County roads escaped comparatively, they will yet require a very considerable additional outlay to place them in a proper state of repair.

The County Treasurer has prepared a detailed statement of the receipts and expenditures of the County since the first day of January, and also an estimate so far as can at present be ascertained of the probable expenditure up to 31st Dec., 1870, including the interest and debenture account.

The stoppage of the Royal Canadian Bank has been a serious loss and inconvenience to all the northern part of the County. There is, however, a great probability at present of its resuming specie payments in time to save their charter. The County deposit in it at the time of its suspension was \$809.57.

The County Treasurer has procured new books for the non-resident land taxes, and made considerable progress in entering the rolls in the same. This has devolved on him a very great amount of labour, and the result will no doubt be of great benefit to the County, as that from the system by which the accounts are kept, if proper attention is given by assessors to the description of lands, and the making out of rolls, the doubt and difficulty attending this intricate subject will be removed.

The Treasurer invites inspection of his books and system of keeping accounts by the members of the Council.

I beg to inform you that Mr. Fergusson has accepted the offer made by you for Mr. Guthrie's office, and the deed is now in the hands of your Solicitor. It will be necessary for you to pass a by-law giving effect to the transaction. A by-law for the purpose has been prepared by the County Solicitor.

Dominion Parliament.

OTTAWA, June 1.

Mr. Harrison presented a petition from the inhabitants of Toronto, to authorize the Royal Canadian Bank to amalgamate with any other Bank or Banks. Also one from Toronto against limiting the rate of interest.

Mr. Mackenzie presented the sixth report of the Joint Committee of both Houses on Printing.

Mr. Crawford introduced a Bill to incorporate the Dominion Bank of Canada.

Mr. Mackenzie again asked the leader of the Government for information respecting the salaries of the Intercolonial Railway Commissioners. He had been informed that the office of Commissioner had been offered to another member of that House besides the member for Norfolk, and wished to know if the statement was correct.

Sir John A. Macdonald said as to the last part of the question that offer had not been made to anybody. As to the salaries, the Government thought that the Chairman of the Intercolonial Railway should get \$4,000 a year for the three or four years that it would last, and the others \$3,000 a year.

Hon. Mr. Rose brought down the correspondence relating to the Chantry Island purchase, &c.

Hon. Mr. Langvin moved the third reading of the Bill for the better management of Indian affairs, and stated that a provision had been added to tenth clause by which any infringement of the rights of the present Chiefs was guarded against. Read a third time and passed.

Hon. Mr. Rose moved that the House go into Committee on certain resolutions on the subject of Banking and Currency.

The motion was opposed by Hon. Mr. Holton, Messrs. McKenzie, Cartwright, J. H. Cameron, Morris, and Gibbs, in able and effective speeches. Mr. Holton moved an amendment, seconded by Mr. McKenzie. Hon. J. H. Cameron moved an amendment to the amendment, seconded by Mr. Cartwright.

Sir G. E. Cartier, Hon. Mr. Rose, and Hon. Mr. Tilley supported the measure. Sir John A. Macdonald, in moving an adjournment, gave the assurance that every opportunity would be given for further discussion; but that the Government reserved the right of saying whether it be brought up to-morrow or not.

Hon. Mr. Holton said he would accept the amendment of the member for Peel, which fully met his views. If the discussion was not resumed to-morrow, the inference was plain that it was not intended to press the matter this session.

NEURALGIA.—If your nerves seem to snap and crack, jerk and jump, and play all sorts of pranks, from the top of your head to the tips of your toes, now shooting forth like lightning along one unfortunate nerve, and now trying to tie another into a thousand knots, then attempting to make a bowstring of another, sometimes in the region of the heart, again in the face, head, neck, &c.: in short if you have neuralgia in its worst form, with all the agony distilled to its most excruciating degree, use Dr. J. Briggs' Alleviator, and in a trice, your neuralgia, with all his demons has departed, and once again you will know how to live without it. Sold by druggists and country merchants. Dr. J. Briggs & Co., 208 Broadway, N. Y., and No. 6 King Street, West, Toronto. For sale by E. Harvey & Co., Guelph.

BRAMBLE COUNCIL.—This Council met at the Centre Inn, 31st May 1869, pursuant to adjournment, all the members present. The Reeve in the chair. The minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed. Pathmasters' schedules were examined, viewed and ordered to be issued. The several Road Committees appointed at last meeting gave in their reports and on the motion of Mr. Bea, seconded by Mr. Farris, the Council went into Committee of the whole on the several reports, the Reeve in the chair. After some deliberation the committee rose and the chairman presented the report which on motion of Mr. Bea, seconded by Mr. Farris, was adopted. After transacting some other business of minor importance the Council on motion adjourned to meet at the Centre Inn on Monday the second day of August next. J. A. DAVISON, Clerk.

The St. George's Society of Belleville, purposed an excursion to England this summer, but have deferred it for a year.

LADIES' GARDEN TOOLS, BOYS' GARDEN TOOLS, CHILDREN'S GARDEN TOOLS,

J. HORSMAN'S

Guelph, 20th May. dw
A HEAD OF ALL COMPETITORS,
Richardson's New Method for the Pianoforte.

This is the only book the Teacher requires, and the book every Pupil is attracted to. 150,000 copies already sold, and the demand greater than ever before. 50,000 copies now selling every year. Its lessons are adapted to pupils of all ages, and its exercises attractive and useful in every stage of advancement. This book has on account of its actual merit become the standard work of Piano instruction, and the only one which every well-informed teacher and scholar uses. Price \$3.75. Sent post-paid. O. Ditson & Co., Publishers, 277 Washington-st. Boston. C. H. Ditson & Co., 711 Broadway, New York.

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1000 Half Chests

NEW CROP TEAS

The subscribers are now receiving a large and well selected stock of NEW CROP TEAS (to which they beg to call the attention of the trade), comprising

- Young Hysons and Hysons
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- Imperials
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- Congous
- Colored Japans
- Natural Leaf Japans
- Oologs

REFORD & DILLON.

Toronto, 31st March. dw
MONEY TO LEND.

The undersigned are requested to obtain Farm Securities for several thousand dollars, to be lent at moderate interest.

LEMON & PETERSON,
Barristers, Solicitors, &c.
Guelph Dec. 6th, 1868. dw

Silver Creek Brewery Agency
No. 2 Day's Block, Wyndham-st. Guelph.
FARMERS will constantly find on hand a supply of
Ale or Beer in any Size Casks
Also, Bottled Ale and Porter.
E. CARROLL & CO.

Undertakers!

MITCHELL & TOVELL
SIGN OF THE HEARSE.
Having bought out Mr. Nathan Tovell's Hearse, &c., we hope by strict attention to business to gain a share of public patronage. We will have

A FULL ASSORTMENT OF COFFINS always on hand.
Funeral services if required. Carpenter work done as usual. Premises, a few yards north of Post Office, and next D. Guthrie's Law Office, Douglas Street, Sign of the Hearse.

JOHN MITCHELL, NATHAN TOVELL, Jr.
Guelph, December 1. dw

CUNARD OCEAN STEAMERS.

LEAVING New York every Thursday for Queenstown or Liverpool.
FARE FROM HAMILTON
First Cabin, \$57, gold value
Steerage, \$29.
Berths not cured until paid for. For further particulars apply to

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)

CO-PARTNERSHIP.
The undersigned beg to inform the public that they have entered into partnership for carrying on the business of contractors and builders, and are prepared to execute all orders for building in stone or brick.

Any Quantity of Stone on Hand and Cut to Order.
To suit purchasers. All orders left at the store of Hirsch & Kennedy, Produce Merchants, West Market Square, Guelph, will receive prompt attention.

PIKE & DAVIDSON,
Guelph, April 1. dw

KAUFFMAN & COOPER,
Architects and Civil Engineers.

OFFICE—Over Bank of Commerce,
Golden Lion Block, Wyndham-st.
Guelph, 4th May. dw

SERVANT WANTED.
A servant wanted. Apply at this office.
Guelph, 20th May. dw

GUELPH.

FRESH TURNIP SEED, SALT AND PLASTER.

Skirving's Swede
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To be had at no other place in Guelph.

FINE TEAS!

Fifty Half Chests of Fine Teas have just arrived ex Steamship DACIA, from London direct. They were bought expressly for the ALMA BLOCK RETAIL TEA TRADE, and both in price and quality are strongly recommended.

JOHN A. WOOD

Is the only Retailer in Guelph who is his own importer, thus saving a profit to those who purchase from him of at least TEN PER CENT.

Guelph, 27th May. dw **JOHN A. WOOD.**

ROYAL CANADIAN

BANK BILLS

TAKEN AT PAR

FOR GOODS,

AT

E. CARROLL & CO'S.

Guelph, May 25th. dw

INCREASE OF BUSINESS

From his GREAT SUCCESS SINCE COMMENCING BUSINESS, the subscriber has been induced to import a very

Large Stock of Teas!

WINES AND LIQUORS,

which he is prepared to sell at as low prices as any respectable store can do.

A LARGE STOCK OF NEW TURNIP SEEDS

JUST ARRIVED.
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BRITANNIA HOUSE

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BANK BILLS

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AND GOODS SOLD

25 per Cent. Less

Than any Horse in Guelph.

HEFFERNAN BROTHERS

Britannia House, Wyndham-St., Guelph, and corner Dundas and Talbot-sts. London.
Guelph, 31st May. dw

Golden Lion!



ROYAL CANADIAN BANK

BILLS TAKEN AT PAR

HOGG & CHANCE'S,

Wyndham Street, Guelph.

Guelph, May 27, 1869. dw

FRESH ORANGES AND LEMONS

AT THE FRUIT DEPOT.

FRESH PINEAPPLES

AT THE FRUIT DEPOT.

FRESH DATES AND PRUNES

AT THE FRUIT DEPOT.

FRESH FIGS, only 25c. per lb.

AT THE FRUIT DEPOT.

FRESH WALNUTS AND ALMONDS

AT THE FRUIT DEPOT.

Fresh PEACHES in Cans

AT THE FRUIT DEPOT.

Fresh Tomatoes, Green Peas and Corn

AT THE FRUIT DEPOT.

HUGH WALKER,

Wyndham-st., Guelph, May 25. dw
Opposite the English Church.

FACTORY FOR SALE OR LEASE.
A good Factory for sale or to let. Apply to S. ROULT, Quebec-st., Guelph.
Guelph, November 19, 1868. dw

WAGON FOR SALE.
A fine Democrat Wagon (nearly new), for sale. Apply to CUTLER'S.
Guelph, 11th May. dw

is reported that James O'Reilly, Q. C., who conducted the prosecution of Whelan, has received \$10,000 from the Dominion Government for his services in that capacity.

COMMERCIAL.

Guelph Markets.
MERCURY OFFICE, GUELPH.
June 3, 1869.
The only symptoms of reviving briskness that we observe in any of the markets is in Montreal, where the demand appears to be growing more active. Spring wheat is about \$1.08. In Toronto the highest figure paid is 90 cents for spring, and \$1 for fall wheat. In the latter city there are also in store considerable stocks of all kinds of grain with the exception of barley, of which there is but little. From the principal markets of the United States every article of produce is reported dull, and all things considered farmers who are holding their grain, cannot, with good reason, flatter themselves with the prospect of a rise to any great extent. Since last week the tendency of the Guelph market has been downward, and prices for almost everything range lower than they did eight days ago. Wheat has suffered a slight decline, and oats a very decided one. Barley is merely nominal, as there is none offered, peas ditto, and hay is one price to-day and perhaps two or three dollars different to-morrow—owing to the state of the lots of the hotel stables. Butter is easier; eggs firmer, and there is a decrease in the value of hides. There are few potatoes except those which are imported, and they sell at 75 to 80 cents per bag. Wool is beginning to come in slowly, and has slightly advanced within the last few days. It is impossible to guess anything about its future, but one thing is certain, that a large number of the produce dealers are on the look out for it. The following extract is from the MONEY MARKET, which should be read with attention, as our quotations show that 25 is paid in Guelph, and as gold shows symptoms of declining the gloomy anticipations may not be realized. "The wool season is just opening, but the late advance in gold operates against business, so that buyers do not offer more than 25c for washed fleece. Unless the gold premium declines from the present quotations we shall have a much duller season than was otherwise anticipated."
[On Wednesday forenoon, since the above report was written, wheat, both spring and fall, has taken a sudden leap of 10 cents upwards and wool is selling for 32 cents per lb.]

Money Market.
JACKSON'S EXCHANGE OFFICE
Guelph, June 2, 1869

Gold, 128 1/2	100	100
Greenbacks at 71 to 71 1/2, sold at 72 to 72 1/2	100	100
Silver bought at 5 to 6 1/2, sold at 4 to 5	100	100
Upper Canada Bank Bills bought at 90c, to 90	100	100
Royal Canadian Bank Bills bought at 90c to 90	100	100

MONTREAL MARKET.
Kirkwood, Livingstone & Co's report by special Telegram to Evening Mercury
MONTREAL, June 2 1869.
Flour—Extra, \$4 45 to \$4 70; Fancy, \$4 30 to \$4 55; Welland Canal Superior, \$4 35 to \$4 40; Superior No. 1 Canada wheat, \$4 35 to \$4 50; Superior No. 1 Western wheat, \$5 35 to \$4 40; No. 2 do., \$3 25 to \$4 00; Best flour, \$2 10 to \$2 15; Wheat—Canada Fall, \$1 05 to \$1 04; Spring, \$1 01 to \$1 02; Western, \$0 92 to \$0 98; Oats, per 32 lbs, \$0 64 to \$0 65; Barley, per 32 lbs, \$0 70 to \$0 75; Butter—dairy, 1 1/2 to 2 1/2; packed 1 1/2 to 1 3/4; Ashes—Pots \$5 45 to \$5 50; Peas, \$2 55 to \$3 40; Pork—Mess, \$20 00 to \$20 50; Prime, \$20 00 to \$20 00. Peas, 70c to 80c.

TORONTO MARKETS.
Toronto, June 1.
Fall wheat, \$0 97 to \$1 00; spring wheat \$0 95 to \$0 95; Hour, No. 1 super \$4 00; extra \$4 40; barley \$0 80; peas, 70c to 75c; oats, 70c to 80c.

HAMILTON MARKETS.
Hamilton, June 1.
Barley, 0 80 to 0 85; peas, 0 70 to 0 75; oats, 55c to 58c; spring wheat, 0 80 to 85; white wheat, 1 00 to 1 00; red winter, 0 90 to 0 92.

BACHELOR'S HAIR DYE.
This splendid Hair Dye is the best in the world. The only true and perfect dye—Harmless, Reliable, Instantaneous. No disappointment. No tedious time. No general itching of the scalp. Dyes, invigorates and leaves the hair soft and beautiful brown or black. Sold by all Druggists and Perfumers, and is prepared and bottled at Bachelor's Wig Factory No. 16, Bond St. N.Y. dwly

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In the whole history of medical discoveries no remedy has performed so many or such remarkable cures of the numerous affections of the throat, lungs and chest, as this long-tried and justly celebrated Balsam. So generally acknowledged the superior excellence of this remedy, that few of the many who have tested its virtues by experience fail to keep it at hand as a speedy and certain cure for sudden attacks of cold—fully believing that its remedial powers are comprehensive enough to embrace every form of disease, from the slightest cold to the most dangerous symptom of pulmonary complaint.
UNSOLICITED TESTIMONY.
From the Rev. Francis Lobdell, Pastor of the South Congregational Church, Bridgeport, Connecticut:
"I consider it a duty which I owe to suffering humanity to bear testimony to the virtues of Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry. I have used it when I have had occasion for any remedy for coughs, colds, or sore throat—for many years, and never in a single instance has it failed to relieve and cure me. I have frequently been very hoarse on Saturday and looked forward to the delivery of two sermons on the following day with sad misgivings. But by a liberal use of the Balsam my hoarseness has invariably been removed, and I have preached without difficulty. I commend it to my brethren in the ministry, and to public speakers generally, as a certain remedy for the bronchial troubles to which we are peculiarly exposed." Prepared by J. W. FOWLE & SONS, 78 Tremont Street, Boston, and for sale by druggists generally.

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From Mr E Tucker, Deput Master at Salisbury, Mass.: "I have been troubled for years with a bad humor; sometimes outwardly and sometimes inwardly. During the past summer it manifested itself more than usual outwardly, and I used your Salve. All signs of it have since disappeared, without affecting my health, indicating, I think, the curative nature of the Salve."
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PERRY DAVIS & SON, Agents,
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Feb 25—dw lin

1869. SPRING. 1869.
NEW & FASHIONABLE GOODS.

JOHN R. PORTE,
Practical Watchmaker, late of the Sheffield House, Toronto—the largest and most fashionable House in the Dominion, begs to intimate to the people of Guelph and the vicinity that he has received and opened at his store,
WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH,
A large and choice assortment of the following Goods, adapted for the present season:
GOLD & SILVER WATCHES,
CHAINS, GUARDS, &c. FINE COLOURED AND BRIGHT GOLD BROOCHES AND EAR-RINGS, FINE COLOURED AND BRIGHT GOLD COLLAR BUTTONS, STUDS, AND SOLITAIRES.

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Spectacles—A large assortment of Periscope, Rock Crystals &c. common Spectacles.
Electro-Plated Ware—Spoons, Forks, Butter Coolers, Butter Knives, Castors, Cake Baskets, Salvers, Toast Racks, all of the very best plate and newest patterns. JOSEPH RODGER'S & SONS TABLE CUTLERY. PAPER MACHS—steel and iron. TRAYS—best quality. YASSES—Levure and Bohemian Glass and other wares. CLOCKS—in great variety and at all prices. Croquet Sets, Lacrosse and Balls.

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Guelph, April 26. dw Next door to Berry's Confectionery Store, Wyndham-St.

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CABINET AND
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Mason & Hamlin Improved Vox Humana, or Fan Tremolo which produces a variety of very brilliant orchestral effects, including remarkable imitation of string instruments; also the Least approach to the peculiarly sympathetic, rich and attractive quality a cultivated human voice yet attained in any instrument. The facilities and resources of the Mason & Hamlin Company are now so great that they can afford to undertake to furnish not only the best but also the Lowest Priced Organs made. Every instrument is fully warranted for 2 years, and furnished at prices ranging from \$50 to \$1000 and upwards.
W. WARNER CLARK, Guelph.
Guelph, 15th April. dw

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C. & A. SHARPE
Call attention to their stock of SEEDS, the growth of 1868, consisting of
MANGEL WURTZEL SEED!
LONG RED, very large Solid variety suitable for deep soils.
LONG YELLOW, for deep soils, grows very large and keeps well.
YELLOW GLOBE, very large and early for shallow soils.
RED GLOBE, for shallow soils, keeps well and very solid.
SHARPE'S INTERMEDIATE, recently introduced by H. & F. Sharpe, and proved to be the best variety. Mangel grown both as regards crop, solidity and keeping; is of oval shape, and grows well in either deep or shallow soil.

CARROT SEED.

EARLY SCARLET HORN, short, for shallow soil, when sown thick is very prolific.
LONG RED METROPOLITAN, very large and solid, good for deep soil.
LONG ORANGE, for table use, and superior for field culture where the soil is deep.
SCARLET INTERMEDIATE, grows very thick and is one of the heaviest croppers; does well on shallow soil.
WHITE BELGIAN, a large variety for field culture, grows very abundant on deep soil.

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Plain Biscuits, Lemon Biscuits, Oyster Crackers, Captain Biscuits, Fancy Biscuits. All warranted fresh made by a splendid machine. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.
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The subscriber intimates that he has prepared to attend
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As usual in Town and Country. Coffins always on hand and made to order on the shortest notice. Terms very moderate. W.M. BROWNLOW dwv
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Guelph December 12. dw

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CHEAP FARES
To Travellers Going South South or West in the United States.

The undersigned is authorized to sell TICKETS to any point South or West by the popular and safe line
MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILROAD.
FARES CHEAP, and Tickets good for any reasonable time.
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Of Hartford Conn
INCORPORATED IN 1810. - CAPITAL, \$2,000,000
Special Rates for Dwellings and contents of terms of one to three years. E. MORRIS, Agent
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GENERAL AGENTS,
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Agent for investing Money for the

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

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The Trust and Loan Company have funds for investment on the security of first-class town and farm property, and are also prepared to purchase good mortgages. The rate of interest is 8 per cent. No commission charged. The loans are usually for five years, but can be made for shorter or longer terms, and repayable by annual instalments if desired by borrowers. The rate of interest is 6 per cent. For further information apply at the Company's office in Kingston, or to DAVIDSON & CHADWICK, Guelph.

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Established in 1825.

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Have number of FARMS for sale in the Coj of Wellington and adjoining Counties.
Also, Town Lots and Houses

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AMARANTH
- Lot 22, in the 10th Concession, 200 ac
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 a good stone house and log stable.

ERIN.
Part of 3, in 1st Con., 29 acres, 70 cleared, good building

ERIN.
West-half of Lot 8, in the 1st Con., 100 acres, 50 cleared, good frame barn and shed, and part log and frame dwelling house; well watered & fenced. East-half of Lot 8, in con., 100 acres, 75 are cleared; a new frame house and barn; spring creek.

ERIN.
West-half of Lot 22, 8th Con., 100 acres; 70 are cleared; 25 excellent bush.

ERIN.
Valuable Town Stand for sale in the Village of Elora, at present leased to Robert Cook being lots 2 and 3, corner of Victoria and Walnut Streets, with stabling for 40 horses.

CARAFRAXA.
West-half of Lot 1, in 15th Con., with 50 acres of Lot 2—a splendid farm, with good outbuildings—100 acres of it are cleared, and adjoins another 100 acres, 80 of which are cleared, in Erin, making it a desirable block of 250 acres.

ERIN.
Lot 11, in 13th Con., 100 acres; 60 are cleared, all day land; barn buildings.

GUELPH TOWNSHIP.
Valuable Farm on the Eramosa Road, containing 50 acres, 60 cleared, well watered, an orchard. Two story stone house, with cellar basement—frame barn 50 x 80, and other outbuildings. Within a mile of the market house.

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Lot 4 and part 65, 2nd Con. Div. E. 104 acres in the county of Wellington, a large stone cottage and farm buildings, all complete.

TOWN OF GUELPH.
Private Residence—Consisting of 24 acres, on which there is a two-story brick house 40 x 40, in thorough repair, stone and frame stabling, an excellent garden and orchard well stocked with choicest fruit trees in full bearing, watered by spring creek.

River Lots on Queen Street, well adapted for Private Residences, valuable quarries being on the lots.
Water Privilege and Mill Site, containing 15 acres, composed of the north parts of Lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, and Lots 5 and 6, in Oliver's Survey, on the Waterloo Road.

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Lots 4, 15, 16, 22, 23, 25, 30, 31, 35, 36, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100. Also, lot 18, five acres, a beautiful lot, well fenced, and in a high state of cultivation.

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These lots are admirably adapted for Market Gardens, and the terms of credit are extremely liberal.
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North-half Lot 18, in the 4th Con. 100 acres
South-half Lot 19, 4th " 100 "
Lot 2, 5th " 200 "
Lot 15, 5th " 200 "
Lot 25, 5th " 200 "
Lot 14, 11th " 200 "
Lot 15, 11th " 200 "
N 1/2 Lot 19, 11th " 200 "
Lot 16, 12th " 174 "
N 1/2 Lot 15, 12th " 100 "
Lot 18, 12th " 200 "
Lot 19, 12th " 200 "
Lot 21, 12th " 200 "
Lot 19, 19th " 200 "
Lot 4, 6th " 200 "
Lot 5, 6th " 200 "
N 1/2 Lot 19, 9th " 100 "
Lot 11, 12th " 200 "

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Unprecedented Success in the

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The subscriber takes this early opportunity of thanking the ladies of Guelph and vicinity for the very

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Even MORE STYLISH GOODS

Another Lot of New STRAW GOODS just opened, including all the latest English Styles. Pattern Bonnets and Hats supplied to the Trade at Wholesale Prices.

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Old Port Wine, Pale and Dark Sherries, Canadian Grape Wine
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Trotter & Graham
Agents for Guelph
Guelph, Feb. 6 1869.