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In the matter of Partition between John Carroll and Martin Dooley, and Ellen McDonald and others.  
In pursuance of an order made by the County Court of the County of Wellington in this matter, the Real Representative for the County of Wellington will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, to the highest bidder, at his Chambers, at the Court House, in the Town of Guelph, on FRIDAY, the 10th APRIL, 1868 at noon, the South-easterly half of the rear or south-west end of Lot Three, in the first concession of Division B, of the Township of Guelph, containing thirty eight acres more or less, together with the right of road used by Green and Palliser. This property will be sold subject to a Lease expiring on 2nd May, 1869, yielding \$60 a year rent.  
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Guelph, 4th December, 1867. d.w.

**Evening Mercury**  
OFFICE: MACDONNELL STREET.  
MONDAY EVENING, JAN 27, 1868.  
**Local News.**  
The annual missionary meeting in connection with the Church Society of the Diocese of Toronto, will be held in St. John's Church, Elora, on the evening of Monday, the 3rd February.  
Two little girls at Kirkton, County of Perth, were run over last week by a lad on horseback, and badly injured. Boys and beggars feel equally elated when they have an opportunity of bestriding horses.  
Kennedy, the Scottish vocalist has suddenly announced his intention of revisiting Sarnia. He will appear there on the 13th and 14th proximo. He is at present in Cincinnati.  
GENEROUS DONATION.—The friends of Knox's College, Toronto, will be glad to learn that William C. McLeod, Esq., of Woodstock, has presented the college with the handsome and generous donation of Four Thousand Dollars.  
HORSE STOLEN.—On Tuesday of last week, a man named Cahill stole a horse from Arthur Village and brought it as far as Alma. Here he failed to sell it, and becoming frightened made off, leaving it to be reclaimed by the owner who arrived two hours after.  
FIRE AND WATER.—Some of the members of the Fire and Water Committee took their departure by the 10 a.m. train this morning to pursue in Toronto their investigations with regard to the best means of supplying the Town with water, and the apparatus best adapted for making the most of the supply.  
AN UGLY PET.—A Mr. Davidson of Mitchell, beguiles his leisure hours in endeavouring to tame a wild cat, which was recently captured in Elma. The animal is said to be as large as a good sized dog, and was extremely ferocious. Although only caged a week, his tamer can stroke him with impunity, and has taught him to extend his paw for a shake.  
ORANGE MEETING.—The Annual District Meeting of the L. O. L. of the District of Victoria, was held in Rockwood, on the 14th inst., when the following brethren were elected officers for the ensuing year: Brother John Wright, re-elected District Master; Bro. D. Moore, elected Deputy Master; Bro. A. Hill, District Treasurer; Bro. P. Campbell, District Chaplain; Bro. Robt. Allen, re-elected District Director of Ceremonies, and Bro. C. A. Jones, District Secretary.  
DISLOYAL.—At a reunion held at the Mechanic's Hall, in Hamilton, on Friday evening, while the National Anthem was being sung, somebody in the body of the hall threw a small piece of iron, which struck the chimney of a lamp standing upon the piano, scattering fragments of glass through the instrument. The Times says the individual was not recognized, but considers that by his action he has no great love for the person of Her Majesty.  
A BAD STATE OF THINGS.—At the annual meeting of the County of Perth Agricultural Society a deputation urged the necessity of keeping the hall open during the evening of the first-day for the convenience of many in Stratford who were unable to attend during the day. The reply does not say much for the morality of that thriving town. It dare not be done lest the articles, or at least a number of them should be stolen. They are mean thieves up in Perth. The Guelph pilferers may make free with such an article as a gold snuff-box at an Arts Exhibition, but we never heard here of any man's cabbages or turnips counting one less when he went to remove them from the hall.  
A SHOCKING AFFAIR.—A young man, named Thomas Peacock, left Durham last April for the States, and now lies a corpse beneath the American soil, having been brought there by foul play. It appears that he lately made a journey from Colborne to Oswego, taking with him a large sum of money and the deed of his Canadian farm, intending to purchase land in the United States. He had not been there long when his sister was telegraphed that her brother was dead. On her reaching the city she found he had been robbed both of money and deed. It is supposed the deceased had been

**Police Court.**  
Before T. W. Saunders, Esq., Police Magistrate.  
MONDAY, 27th.—Nothing in court this morning only a case of vagrancy—Nancy Dolan. The "usual fine" was imposed, or 21 days. Nancy was as usual quite willing to take the "days."

**Death of Charles Keen.**  
Charles Keen, the eminent English Tragedian, died in London on Thursday at the age of fifty seven. He was the only son of Edmund Keen, whose name is well known to fame. He was born in Waterford, Ireland, in January 1811, and was educated at Eton, where he greatly distinguished himself. His entrance on a theatrical career was caused by domestic misfortunes. He had many natural impediments to overcome, and it was only by persistent perseverance and assiduous study that he became at length successful. We do not know that he was a first class actor, but he certainly held a first place in the second rank. He visited America several times, and was well received. His death must have been unexpected as the cable announced his final retirement from the stage.  
The Montreal Presbytery of the Canada Presbyterian Church decided by a vote of 17 to 12 not to permit the use of the organ in Divine service.  
CHANCERY SITTINGS.—The Court of Chancery will hold a sitting in Guelph, to commence on Tuesday April 7th, Vice Chancellor Mowat to preside.  
SAFE ROBBED AT LONDON.—London, Ont. must surely have some Fagans resident in its back alley, in order to train up burglars and robbers. At all events it is gaining an unenviable notoriety for the number of depredations for the sake of plunder that are committed within its limits. The last we hear of is the forcible entry of an office, the breaking open of a safe, and the extracting of the sum of \$50.

**TARGET MATCH IN NASSAGAWEYA.**—We take the following from the Milton Champion.—The second target match of the Nassagaweya Volunteer Company, was held at Haltonville, on Friday the 17th inst. There were eight prizes competed for by the Company, at two ranges of 300 and 400 yards, five shots at each range, the firing off hand with the Snider-Enfield Breech-Loader. The first prize was won by George Cooper, the second by private James Boyce, the third by Thomas Carly, fourth by Parker Allison, fifth and sixth by P. McKay and D. Hutchison, seventh C. Cusio, eighth William Gallagher.  
MAGISTRATES' COURT AT ELORA.—The Elora Overseer has the following case:—A court was held in Dalby's Hotel, Elora, on Wednesday last, before G. Barron and J. M. Shaw, J. P.'s. David Davis, of Nichol, was charged by Andrew Grant, of the same Township, with having feloniously stolen from his house, in December last, a feather bed, pillow, and pair of blankets. The constable produced a bed, pillow, and pair of blankets in Court, which he found in the house of prisoner. Mr. Grant swore to the pillow and blankets as being his property, but he did not swear to the ownership of the bed. James Grant, son of the plaintiff, stated on oath that his mother told him, the day after New Year's, that "his" bed it not been for David Davis, her son-in-law, she could not have carried away the articles from her husband's house. Mr. Davis said that the articles had been given his wife, at or since her marriage, by Mr. or Mrs. Grant. Bail was accepted for Mr. Davis's appearance at the ensuing Quarter Sessions.

**FIRE IN STREETSVILLE.**—On the morning of Saturday last a very destructive fire broke out in Streetsville, entirely consuming in three hours the extensive linen mills of Gooderham & Worts. Nothing in the mills was saved, and a large quantity of flax stacked outside were also burnt up. As the main portion of the works have been closed for two months, the fire was evidently the work of incendiary. The destruction of the mills is felt as a great local calamity, as they were to be opened in a few weeks and gave employment, when in full operation, to about 150 hands. The loss is estimated at \$200,000, which is partially covered by insurance.  
TORY BRANRY.—At the time of the Fenian raid, Mr. Thomas Ferguson, as colonel and volunteer, was ordered to the front with his regiment. The "gallant" colonel, it is said, accompanied the men some distance, and then he returned home with the excuse that his "feet were sore." In this manner he is said to have saved the risk of meeting the enemy, and securing the safety of his own carcass. This act is equal to the rumored "quarry hole" dodge of his father-in-law, Colonel Gowan. How fiercely loyal some Tories are till the hour of trial comes, and then where are they?—Rockville Recorder.  
It gives S. satisfaction, does that excellent Tea sold for \$21c. per lb. by JAS. MURPHY, No. 1, Upper Wyndham-st. Guelph.  
Mr. Brydgos has offered to convey 300 barrels bulk, free of charge, over the

**The last Duel in Europe.**  
There is, says the Court Journal, a mixed railway train daily going through to Aix-la-Chapelle by the northern line. A few days ago some three or four gentlemen were seated in a first-class carriage on the train. One was the Count—a Paris nobleman, going to Berlin. He was conversing in a loud voice with a gentleman next to him, and giving a full account of some of the political and social events of last year, and in that arrogantly offensive tone which is very characteristic of the Prussian of the modern Bismarck school; he swaggered overmuch at the expense of Austria. Another gentleman in the opposite corner of the carriage could not help overhearing this language, and he was naturally much disgusted, being the Baron—an Austrian Colonel. Indeed, at last, the Baron, to get out of earshot, or to cool his rage, opened the window and kept his head out. The Prussian complained of the cold, and at last peremptorily requested that the window be shut. "You fear the cold," said the Baron, more enraged than ever. "We shall see by-and-by whether you fear the fire." The Count understood him. "Whenever you like," said he. It so happens that this train stops an hour at Lille. The Baron ran to the barrack and introduced himself, told his story, and found two officers who consented to act as his seconds. The Count found two of his countrymen travelling on the train, who did honorable service for him. They found the nearest retired place, but the whole of the passenger train, who somehow got intelligence of the matter, followed them, and were present. Pistols had been brought from the barracks. The combatants were arranged at twenty-five paces from each other. One of the seconds, standing out clapped his hands three times. At the third stroke—bang! bang!—both men fired together. The Baron falls, his knee broken. The Prussian is not touched, but with continued arrogance he says, moving off, "Gentlemen, excuse me, but I am in a hurry to get home, and I must not miss the train." "Not yet, not yet, if you please," said the Austrian Colonel, lifting himself from the ground, and pale and ghastly, standing on one leg, "one more round, one more round, if you please." The Prussian became livid; but took his place again. They fired, and the Austrian shot his man through the brain. The Count sprang a foot from the ground, and fell dead.  
No man will ever be able to build a house by carrying bricks in his hat.  
Lord Monck subscribed \$125 towards the Nova Scotia relief fund.  
The M. D.'s of Oxford have formed a co-operative county Medical Association.  
New York is in weekly receipt of batches of English pugilists, fresh from the old s.d.  
A movement is on foot for a narrow gauge railway from Belleville to the gold regions.  
The latest thing in earrings consists of globes of rock crystal filled with water and miniature sea fishes.  
It is rumored that Harriet Beecher Stowe is thinking of editing a weekly, devoted to woman suffrage in Boston.  
Another of those outrages upon nature is about to be committed. The dwarf Commodore Nutt and Minnie Warren are about to be married.  
A colored man in Charleston wants \$1,800 damages against a railroad company for compelling his wife to travel in a second-class car.  
A French restaurant in New York announces "horseflesh cooked in every style," among the delicacies provided for its patrons.  
Portland boasts of being, in the way of city architecture, a hundred years ahead of what it would have been but for the great fire.  
One hundred and forty dollars worth of cigars were smoked at Council Bluffs, Iowa, by the Rocky Mountain Editorial party. There is no mention made of the liquor.  
The present Grand Master of the Masonic Fraternity in Great Britain is the Earl of Dalhousie. He is the sixth of his family installed in the position. Just a hundred years ago his grandfather was "made" Grand Master.  
The Mayor of Three Rivers, who was recently commissioned to sell, in England \$40,000 of Grand Trunk bonds, held by the city of Three Rivers, has obtained \$3,795 for them.  
A movement is on foot among leading business men of Montreal to abate the silver nuisance by exporting half a million of the American coin out of the country.  
The City Fathers of the Town of Fremont, Ohio, are exemplary "dead heads." The City Council of that flourishing place determined by a recent vote, that "no show will be licensed until all the Councilmen have been supplied with family tickets."

A lady in Philadelphia took to church by mistake a small music box instead of her prayer book. Imagine her consternation when upon attempting to open it her finger touched the spring and it began to play with great vigour, the "Irish Washerwoman."  
The armies of Europe at the present day are estimated to comprise at least 7,000,000 of men in the prime of life, who are supported entirely by the earnings of the people. Of this immense number, Russia has 1,440,000; Prussia and North Germany 1,360,000; France, under the new law, 1,300,000; Austria, under the new law, 1,300,000; and Italy, 900,000.  
The death of John Jacob Astor divulges facts which seem like a romance. For about half a century the deceased—who has been deranged since his seventeenth year—has lived in a spacious house up town, in New York, where he has had his attendance and physicians. The building was surrounded by a high fence; and the very existence of its unfortunate millionaire inmate was unknown to the present generation.  
A letter from the wilds of Cheslica was received in the London Post office. For Mr. Son, London. It was laid aside carelessly with a smile, and in a few days a simple looking countryman presented himself and enquired, "Has my father a letter from me from my father?" "A letter, a whisper, a significant nod of the head on the part of more than one official, then a grinning answer, the pigeon holes

**BY TELEGRAPH.**  
Despatches to the Evening Mercury

**BY ATLANTIC CABLE.**  
London Jan. 25.—The excitement occasioned by the Fenian movement continues. The authorities are exceedingly watchful, and arrests made every day. A man named Gough was captured last evening in the act of posting seditious handbills on the Mansion House.  
On information that Thomas Simon, Sheriff of the Island of Alderney, was identified with Fenian organizations he was arrested yesterday and sent to prison for trial.  
Considerable feeling is created by the recent resolutions of the United States House of Representatives declaring sympathy of the nation with Fenians. London papers severely criticize the expression of unfriendly feeling towards England.  
Paris, Jan. 25.—Government has issued an official note announcing the new army law, and arguing that instead of being a measure, it is a pledge of continued peace.  
Madrid, Jan. 25.—Information has been received by Government that another insurrection has been planned by the Carlists in Catalonia and Aragon. Active measures have been taken to thwart the movement.  
Vienna, Jan. 25.—Archduke Albrecht has been named Inspector of the Austrian Army.  
London Jan. 25.—A very silly rumour is current in different parts of the continent that the Prussian Government has secured the navy of the United States in case of war.  
Paris, Jan. 25.—Ten of the public newspapers of this city have been fined a thousand francs each for printing illegal reports of the proceedings of the Corps Legislatif.  
London, Jan. 25. Despatches received here give accounts of serious Anti-Ministerial riots without bloodshed.  
It is announced that neither the North German Lloyd, nor the Hamburg American Company will dispatch a steamer to New York next week. The reason is not stated.  
London, Jan. 26.—The latest despatches from Annesley Bay and Senafe show that the British forces had made no advance beyond the latter port. Intelligence of the British captives had been received.—They were at Magdala, alive and well, and were carefully guarded, at was feared by many that they would be massacred as soon as King Theodore's heifer of the approach of the expeditionary force, but no threatening demonstration against their lives had been made, and their treatment as prisoners remained unchanged.  
It is officially stated that orders authorizing the arrest of Mr. Train, were sent from the Home Office, while here the responsibility of the action is thrown entirely upon the authorities of Cork.  
London papers assert that the last despatches between Secretary Seward and Lord Stanley, in the matter of the Alabama claims, the correspondence is finally closed.  
Copenhagen, Jan. 26th.—In the Lower House the special committee appointed to consider the proposition of the treaty and examine details of the negotiations between the Danish and American governments, made a favorable report. The treaty of transfer was ratified without a dissenting voice, and the treaty now goes to the Upper House for final action.

**American Despatches.**  
New York, Jan. 26.—Special telegrams by the Cuba Cable bring news from Hayti to the 8th instant. Salnave was at Cape Haytien with a large force, and was demanding reinforcements. It was announced that a fight had taken place on the frontier and that a large number had been killed on both sides.  
From Grenada we find that the Governor has promised to the Legislature to take immediate action in relation to the Cable that is to connect Florida, Nassau, St. Thomas, Barbados, Trinidad, Demerara and Brazil. An English monitor had arrived at Jamaica.  
New York, Jan. 26.—A list of failures in this city for four weeks past exhibits aggregate liabilities of over eight million dollars, of which the assets cover about one-fourth.  
New York, Jan. 26.—A special telegram dated Paris, 25th, states that ten newspaper editors of that city were sentenced to pay heavy fines and each endure a term of imprisonment for having published illegal reports of debates in the Corps Legislatif, in violation of the constitution. The illegality consists in printing a report of a discussion on the army bill other than that given by the government stenographer.  
Special cable telegrams from St. Petersburg state that all newspapers in that city adverted to the maintenance of peace. One journal recommended Russia to set a good example by a general disarmament.  
FURTHER FRAUDS ON THE REVENUE.—About seven o'clock on Monday morning, 150 barrels and 8 pancheons of spirits in Romayne's Distillery, Montreal, were seized for alleged frauds on the revenue, and the establishment is now in the custody of the officers of the Government. Immediately after the seizure was made, two officers of the Excise and two water-policemen were stationed to guard the premises. During the night a gang of about a dozen men came with sleighs and demanded the surrender of the liquor. This, of course, the watch refused, and sent off for reinforcements. In the meantime, however, the gang left. The fraud had been effected by means of a pipe leading from six fermenting vats in an adjoining building to a still in the building professedly occupied by Romayne & Co. The liquor on hand was worked off by the men in the distillery, under the direction of a Government officer.

**THE INTERCOLONIAL RAILWAY ROUTE.**—It is understood that the Intercolonial Railway Route was discussed in the Privy Council at Ottawa on Friday. It will probably be some days before a decision is made. The Quebec and Nova Scotia Ministers are supposed to be united for the northern route, though the

Army Organization in France.

The bill which has passed the Corps Legislatif for the organization of the French army, will place at the disposal of the Emperor a force that, in cases of exigency, will consist of one million two hundred thousand men. With one exception, no power in Europe can muster such an army. We observed a few days ago that the bill was on the Prussian model. In Prussia military service is required of every man in the kingdom who is between the ages of 18 and 30, the period having been some time ago considerably reduced. The recruits are obliged to serve three years under the flag—then they pass into the reserve, ready to join the ranks whenever summoned to do so. Four years is the limit of their service in the reserve, and they are then transferred into the Landwehr, and are subject to drill only on certain occasions, these generally being at a considerable interval. The Landstrum is only called upon in cases of extreme necessity—every man being required to do duty in it who has not attained the age, we think, of 42 years. Thus every man in Prussia is a soldier, and serves his country not voluntarily but of necessity. The term of service which the French conscript will have to fulfil will be eight years, five under the flag, and three in the reserve, during which latter period he is allowed to marry. A yearly draft of 110,000 men will be made, and so soon as the system is in active operation, the regular army, including the reserve, will consist of about 800,000. Over and above these will be the National Guard, made up of conscripts who have escaped the draft on account of certain exemptions, together with volunteers who have completed their compulsory service. These will number about 400,000, making the total what we have before stated, 1,200,000 effective soldiers. It will be seen that the chief difference between the military systems of Prussia and France consists in the time for which service is required. The male population of the former country are compelled to serve for twelve years, and Frenchmen only eight. Nevertheless the Emperor has resolved that he shall have well trained soldiers, since it will be imperative on those drafted into the French army to serve five years under the colors, whereas the Prussians serve but three. The organization of such a force is certainly about all that human prudence and foresight could do to maintain, as the preamble to the bill has it, "the legitimate influence and dignity of France." With all this vast preparation for war, unlike the corsair who "calmly talked, and talked of blood," the Emperor speaks only words of peace.—Yet notwithstanding his pacific declarations, endorsed by the more reliable assertions of Count Von Bismarck, the activity in the French arsenals and dockyards has unsettled finances, and created a universal popular distrust of all the peaceful words that have been spoken. Whether there is any real cause for these fears we have no means of ascertaining, but must wait for time to work out the solution of the problem.

Famine in Northern Africa.

A letter from the American Consul in Tunis gives heart-rending details of the famine which, for about a year, has been prevailing in that country, as well as more or less in the whole of Northern Africa. Multitudes were perishing in the city and the surrounding districts from absolute starvation, and from the cold. Supplies of grain were not wanting in the port, but many had no means wherewith to purchase. The Arab women were offering their children to Christians for a few coppers to purchase bread. Children scarcely able to walk were found wandering in the streets, crying for food, their parents having died or forsaken them. The Mohammedan population were suffering most. Among the ten thousand Christian inhabitants of the city the poor were receiving some relief. The Jewish poor were still better provided for, the richer members of the persuasion doing more for their relief than all the other inhabitants combined had done for their distressed ones. The wealthy Mohammedans looked with composure and unconcern on their suffering co-religionists. Being unwavering believers in the doctrines of fatalism they regard it as impious to interfere in what they consider a dispensation of Providence. Thus a Moorish hospital, richly endowed, was receiving the corpses picked up each morning on the street and preparing them for burial, while it refused admission or assistance to the wretches in whose bodies the vital spark still lingered. The history of this famine is another

led to the decay of the whole Mohammedan world. Its foundation was falsehood and it is fast crumbling to atoms. The fatalism which forms part of their creed makes them totally regardless of the principles which form the groundwork of national prosperity, and they, unlike civilized governments, take no means to avert or mitigate calamities. There is, fortunately, a movement in Egypt, in Turkey, in Persia, and to some extent in other Mohammedan countries to shake off Mohammedan fatalism, and to accept frankly the results of modern civilization; but before it can be successful, millions of human beings, we fear, will yet have to pay dearly for the terrible consequences of a false sociology.

THE VACANT SENATORSHIP.

The Berlin Telegraph, speaking of proposed appointment of Mr James Cowan to the vacant senatorship, says: "We regret that the Globe should feel that it was necessary to speak so hard in opposition to the appointment of Mr Cowan. The ground of the Globe's opposition to Mr Cowan's appointment is that he was lately rejected by the electors of the South Riding of this county, and that therefore he should not be made a Senator. This objection would have some force in it if the Globe always had been a warm supporter of an elective senate. But when it is a fact that that journal went the whole figure in favor of the members of that body being nominated by the crown, it is exceedingly inconsistent when it insists that no man should be made a Senator who is not able to receive a majority of the votes of the division which he represents. We think we are warranted in saying that Mr Cowan, altho' defeated at the last general election, polled more votes than half of the members of the present senate, could if each were sent back for the sanction of the electors. We have no desire to conceal the fact that Mr. Cowan was rejected by a considerable majority of the South Riding of this county. But it was entirely on the question of coalition or no coalition that this majority was obtained. The electors did not reject Mr Cowan on the ground of any past want of faithfulness to his party or his principles, but, as we said before, in an evil hour he agreed to support the present coalition government, and this alone secured his defeat. We did not then, nor do we now pretend for a moment to justify Mr Cowan's course; on the contrary, we condemned it at the time and aided to the best of our humble ability to secure his defeat; but we have now no hesitation in saying that the punishment was equal to the political sin of which he was guilty. Surely it is not held as a doctrine of the Reform party that every leading man who takes a false step or fails in one instance to come up to the political standard of his party on questions upon which there is room for an honest difference of opinion, is to be branded for all time to come as being unworthy of public confidence and unfit to fill any honorable position of trust in the state. We hope not. If this were the case few men of talent or independence would be found willing to enter public life with such a fate before them, should they deviate from the exact line laid down by their party. Let the Globe or any other journal prove that Mr. Cowan was actuated by corrupt motives in supporting coalition, and we shall never say another word in his behalf."

COAL OIL.

Another supply of No. 1 Coal Oil at 15 cents per gallon, and Tin Cans of any size with patent tops and spouts; also another supply of the new Burners, at John Horsman's.

Note, for the future I shall keep none but the Genuine No. 1 Coal Oil JOHN HORSMAN.

"Umbrella and parasol hospital," is the title given to a small shop in Hanley, England, where those articles have their broken ribs re-set or replaced by new ones.

THE TRUTH LEAKING OUT.—The New York Tribune says that Train's arrest was nothing but an advertising dodge, that eccentric individual having induced one of the passengers to lay an information against him.

MARRIAGES.

FARRIES—BEAGLE—On the 21st inst., in the 1st Presbyterian Church, Ottawa, by the Rev. H. B. Beagle, of Bricksburg, N.J., assisted by the Rev. L. Little, of Mount Hope, N.Y., the Rev. F. W. Farrar, Pastor of the church, late of Rockville, Ont., to Miss Sophia Antoinette, eldest daughter of the officiating clergyman.

ONE—ROYCE—On the 14th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, by Elder James Black, Mr. Henry Orr, of Esquesing, to Mary, third daughter of R. Royce, Esq., of Pleasant Hill, Etanosa.

DIED.

ROYCE—In Etanosa, on the 12th inst., William, infant son of Mr. Josiah Royce, aged 4 months and a week.

New Advertisements.

W. B. COWAN, M. D. HOMOEOPATHIC Physician, Surgeon and Acupuncturist. Graduate of New York Homoeopathic College, and Licentiate of Canada. Office over Mr. Masie's new store—entrance Macdonnell Street. Guelph, 27th Jan, 1868. dtwf

H. G. VonHOXAR, Teacher of Languages, THIRD door west of Barclay's buildings, corner of Norfolk and Norwich Streets. Guelph, Jan 17, 1868. d

MRS. HUNTER'S FANCY STORE, West Market Square. JUST received, a large lot of FANCY GOODS, all kinds, suitable for PRESENTS for

Christmas & New Year's She has the LARGEST and BEST ASSORTMENT in town of

Berlin & Fancy Wools Stamping for Braiding and Embroidery. MRS. HUNTER.

Medical Dispensary

Hair Brushes, Tooth Brushes, Nail Brushes.

Soaps & Perfumery, Of every description.

No. 1 WHITE COAL OIL Only 15 cts. per Gallon.

H. HARVEY Chemist and Druggist, Opposite the English Church, Wyndham-st, Guelph, Ontario.

No. 1 Oyster can be had at HUGH WALKER'S Fruit and Oyster Depot by the Pint, Quart, Gallon, Tub, &c. by the

HUNDRED PERSONS Will do well to call and examine those solid meat Oysters which I sell by measure. Bring your bowls and pails, and thus save the price of cans and canning. My Oysters are not

KILLED By frost or starvation before they are opened.—My arrangements are such, that the Oysters I receive are taken from the beds, opened, packed and shipped to me the same day. I can assure those who purchase from me, that they need have no fear of

EATING OYSTERS IN GUELPH. Solid Meat Oysters by the keg, can, or measure. Also, Finnan Haddies and fresh and salt Fish of every description, wholesale and retail.

HUGH WALKER. Wyndham Street, Guelph, nearly opposite the English Church. Guelph, 18th January 1868. dw

WILLIAM BROWNLOW Carpenter and Undertaker, In rear of the Wellington Hotel, DOUGLAS STREET, GUELPH

THE Subscriber begs to return thanks for past favors, and hopes by prompt attention to business and moderate charges, to merit a continuance of public confidence. Coffins on hand or made to order, and funerals attended. All orders will receive prompt attention. A Horse for hire. Guelph, 6th June, 1867.

JOHN TOVELL. COFFIN MAKER, Douglas Street, Guelph. Guelph, Sept. 29, 1867.

THE RED MILL. THE subscriber having put a steam engine in his Mill, farmers bringing in their Grists can rely on having them ground the same day. Chopping done every day.

FLOUR AND FEED FOR SALE AT THE MILL. GROUND PLASTER for sale at the Mill, and also at his Old Stand, near the Railway Crossing. GEORGE BALKWILL. Guelph, 18th December, 1867. dw2a

STEPHEN BOULT, ARCHITECT AND BUILDER, Office, Woolwich Street, nearly opposite Douglas Street.

Plans, Specifications & Estimates, Supplied, and work superintended in all its branches.

STEPHEN BOULT having succeeded to the old established Lumber Yard of The McCrae, Esq., begs a continuation of public patronage. All kinds of Lumber on hand.—Prompt attention given to all orders.

Planning Done to Order, AND ALL KINDS OF Mouldings, Sashes, Doors, Blinds, and Machine Joiners Work, Executed with dispatch and kept always on hand. Cash paid for all kinds of Lumber at the yard. S. Boult thanks the public for eleven years kind favors, and hopes for a continuance of the same.

Thomas McCrae thanks the public for past favors, and recommends Mr Boult to their favourable consideration. THOMAS McCRAE. Guelph, Jan 31, 1867. 698-1f

BRICK FOR SALE. 200,000 WHITE BRICK FOR SALE AT WHOLESALE. JAMES MORISON. Guelph, 17th Jan, 1868. ds2

NOTICE. THE business of Messrs. BLAIR & GUTHRIE will be continued at the same office by the surviving partner, Mr. GUTHRIE. Guelph, 6th January, 1868. dw2a

EMPLOYMENT WANTED BY two men willing to act in any capacity as laborers or general servants. Character excellent. Apply at this office, or to N. Higgins, both at Druggist.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

CANADIAN National Series of Reading Books. Authorized by the Council of Public Instruction for Ontario, NOW READY FOR DELIVERY. PRICES: First Book, with 31 illustrations, strongly bound in limp cloth—five cents. Fairy Book, 2nd Part, 54 illustrations, strongly bound in limp cloth—ten cents. Second Book, 56 illustrations, strongly bound in cloth boards—twenty cents. Third Book, 41 illustrations, strongly bound in cloth boards—twenty cents. Fourth Book, 45 illustrations, strongly bound in cloth boards—twenty cents. Fifth Book, 50 illustrations, strongly bound in cloth boards—twenty cents. Storekeepers supplied at the lowest Toronto wholesale price for cash only. T. J. DAY, Opposite the Market, Guelph. Guelph, 6th January, 1868. dw

JOHN A. WOOD WILL SELL INCEROLL FACTORY CHEESE!

Goderich SALT AT THE LOWEST RATES, Wholesale and Retail WYNDHAM-ST., GUELPH. Guelph, Jan. 20th, 1868. dw

APOTHECARIES' HALL! MARKET SQUARE, GUELPH.

A. B. PETRIE Has just received a large lot of Coal Oil Lamps!

which he will sell cheaper than ever before offered to the public in Guelph. Also, another lot of

The Improved Burner! which is thus recommended. "This Burner is so made that it will not become heated, so as to generate explosive gas from oil, and the danger of explosion from this cause so common to all burners heretofore in use, is thus entirely obviated."

No. 1 Coal Oil Fifteen cts. per Gallon ALEX. B. PETRIE, Chemist and Druggist, Guelph, 22nd Jan, 1868.

THE BARCLAY SEWING MACHINE. WITHOUT any exception, the Barclay Sewing Machine, manufactured by the British American Sewing Machine Company, AT PARIS, ONTARIO, is the best in the Dominion of Canada for general purposes. An examination is merely requested, which will be to the advantage of those intending to purchase. All machines warranted. Also, agent for the DALTON KNITTING MACHINES, one of the best machines in the market. Apply to MOSES BECHTEL, General Agent for the County of Wellington, Blair Post Office.

Agent for Guelph: MRS. HUNTER, Fancy Store, Market Square. dw

SPECIAL NOTICE I.

DURING the year 1867 I have determined to sell Goods lower than ever, but my terms will be strictly CASH, and on no condition will Goods be charged.

T. J. DAY, Bookseller, opposite the Market. Guelph, 11th January, 1868. dw

Men Wanted.

WANTED, a few more GOOD CHOPPERS to cut wood by the Cord. Good wages can be made: from \$1.25 to \$1.50 a day being paid weekly.

Constant Employment till next June. Apply to ALEX. NAIRN Rockwood Station, Ont. Rockwood Jan. 2nd 1868. 741-w-41

NOTICE.

MR. CHAS. GRUNDY who has been my Bookkeeper for several years in Guelph, is authorized to collect all debts due to me, and to grant receipts in my name for all payments that may be paid to him on my account. Also, to adjust and pay any accounts due by me. OFFICE: In the store of Messrs. John M. Bond & Co., Corner of Wyndham and Cork-Sts. HENRY MULHOLLAND. Guelph, 22nd January, 1868.

BOARDERS.

TWO or three gentlemen can be accommodated with good rooms in a first-class private house. A gentleman and his lady not objected to. For information apply at the Post Office, or at this office. Guelph, 22nd January, 1868. dw

New Advertisements.



A choice lot of Clouds just opened—selling Cheap. Also, best RIBBONS, in Black and Fancy. Guelph, Jan. 25, 1868. A. O. BUCHAN.

CLOCKS!

Clocks direct from the Factory, VERY CHEAP! A Written Guarantee given with each Clock. D. SAVAGE. Guelph, January 25, 1868. dw

MANILLA CHEROOTS

JUST RECEIVED, A Lot of Fine Manilla Cheroots! H. BERRY. Guelph, 8th January, 1868.

ENGLISH AND AMERICAN MAGAZINES.

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Table listing various English and American magazines with their respective prices per year and per copy.

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ENGLISH PAPERS.

Table listing various English newspapers and papers with their respective prices per year and per copy.

AMERICAN MAGAZINES.

Table listing various American magazines with their respective prices per year and per copy.

Orders for any of the above Magazines received, and will be supplied regular. AT DAY'S BOOKSTORE, Opposite the Market, Guelph. Guelph, 18th January, 1868. dw

# TAKE NOTICE. - GOING OUT OF BUSINESS!

FRANK SMITH & CO.  
77 Front Street, Toronto.

## GEORGE JEFFREY,

Being about to retire from the Dry Goods business, has determined to offer his **WHOLE STOCK AT COST PRICES.** The Store will be closed on **MONDAY, the 6th of JANUARY,** for the purpose of marking down the whole Stock to Cost Prices.

### The Great Sale will Commence on Tuesday, 7th January.

And will continue for **ONE MONTH.** All Sales for Cash, and **NO SECOND PRICE.** THE STOCK BEING ALL NEW, and of the **VERY BEST DESCRIPTION** parties can rely on getting **EXTRAORDINARY BARGAINS.**

**GEORGE JEFFREY.**

**P. S.**—All parties indebted to me must settle their accounts before the **FIRST OF FEBRUARY NEXT.** All accounts unsettled after that date will be handed to Mr. Baker, Clerk of the Court for collection.

#### PHOTOGRAPHS!

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#### AT MARSHALL'S,

Day's Block, opposite the Market.  
Guelph, 13th January, 1868.

#### MAGAZINES for JAN., 1868.

#### DAY'S BOOKSTORE.

RECEIVED AT  
**Sunday Magazines**  
**Good Words**  
**Bow Bells**  
**English Mechanic**  
**Sunday at Home**  
**Leisure Hour**  
**Cornhill**  
**Temple Bar**  
**Belgravia**

**London Society**  
**Family Herald**  
**Argosy**  
**Boys' Monthly**  
**Boys' Own**  
**Saint Paul's**  
**London Journal**

**All the Year Round**  
**Cassell's Magazine**  
**The Quiver**  
**Chambers' Journal** for Dec., 1867.  
**Blackwood** for December, 1867.

#### AT DAY'S BOOKSTORE,

Opposite the Market.  
Guelph, 21st January, 1868.

#### JOHN HARRIS,

CONFECTIONER, and  
BISCUIT Manufacturer.

#### Wholesale and Retail!

My Goods are all made of the best material, and under my own supervision, and having no rent to pay, am prepared to offer to

#### Wholesale Purchasers

Goods as cheap, if not cheaper, than any other house in the trade.  
**JOHN HARRIS,**  
Market Square, Guelph.  
Guelph, 7th Dec., 1867.

#### Dairy Farm & Mill Site FOR SALE IN PUSLINC.

FOR SALE by private contract, the rear halves of Lots 3 and 4, in the 19th concession, and broken lots 3 and 4, in the 11th Concession of the Township of Puslinch, containing 299 acres more or less.  
This desirable property will be sold in one or more lots, to suit purchasers.  
The soil is a good loam, and the land is magnificently watered both by the river Speed and by a creek, on which there is a GOOD MILL SITE.  
There is a DAIRY FARM on this property offering unequalled advantages. 150 acres are cleared and under cultivation, the greater part free from stumps.— There are two Log Houses on the property, with Log Barns, Stable, Cattle Sheds, Garden, &c., attached to each house. The property is about five miles from Guelph, and a good road leads to it.  
Terms of Sale, Liberal. Apply to  
**PALMER & LILLIE,**  
Solicitors, &c., Day's Block, Guelph.  
Guelph, Jan. 2nd, 1868.

#### To Contractor and Builders.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned Trustees of School Section No. 1, Framaosa, on the York Road, until

#### SATURDAY, 1st of FEBRUARY

for the erection and completion of a **STONE SCHOOL HOUSE** in said School Section, or separate tenders will be received for the Building—Carpentry, Plastering, Painting and Glazing.  
Plans and specifications may be seen at the residence of Isaac Laight on and after Saturday the 25th instant. The Trustees do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

**JOHN MOORE,**  
**ISAAC LAIGHT,**  
**WM. DUFFIELD.**  
Guelph, Jan 15, 1868.

#### Boarding and Day-School for Young Ladies.

**MRS WIGHTMAN** begs to announce that her school will re-open (D.V.) on the 6th of January. Vacancies for two or three boarders.  
Guelph, 20th December, 1867.

#### GREAT AUCTION SALE.

#### ROBT. CUTHBERT'S

#### ATTRACTIVE SALES

WILL BE RESUMED

#### On Saturday Evening, 25th Inst.

Commencing at the usual hour.  
Guelph, 24th January, 1868.

#### RUTHERFORD HOUSE!

JUST RECEIVED, A SUPPLY OF

#### GODERICH SALT.

#### Salmon Trout and Herring!

Also, 70 half Barrels Salmon Trout,  
70 half Barrels Lake Huron Herring,  
50 Barrels Prime Labrador Herring.  
Two cases of Finnan Haddies just arrived.  
Guelph 15th January, 1868.

**R. RUTHERFORD.**

#### D. KRIBB'S HONEY SYRUP

For the various affections of the **LUNGS & THROAT**  
Such as Colds, Coughs, Hoarseness, Bronchitis, Asthma, Influenza, Consumption,  
And for the relief of Consumptive Patients in advanced stages of the disease.  
Prepared only by **DANIEL KRIBB,** Guelph, On., and for sale at his residence, and by **Alex B. Peirce,** Market Square.  
Price per bottle 37 1/2c., or three bottles for \$1.  
Guelph, 8th January, 1868.

#### HAY IN TRUSSES

Constantly on hand. Also Straw for beds  
**TERMS CASH.**  
**JOHN WEST.**  
Guelph, July 22.

#### PLATT & CO'S



#### OYSTERS

Received daily by Express. Wholesale and Retail.  
**GEORGE WILKINSON.**  
Next door to Telegraph and Express Office.  
Guelph, Jan. 7, 1868.

#### NOTICE.

ALL persons are hereby cautioned against purchasing any Notes of Hand drawn by me in favor of **H. W. DIMON,** as I have received no value whatever for said notes.  
**HENRY PATTEN.**  
Erin, 13th January, 1868.

#### Four Corners' Hotel,

**JOHN ANDERSON,** Proprietor. The best of accommodations for travellers. First-class liquors and cigars. Good stone stabling and attentive hostler.  
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#### BARGAINS EXTRAORDINARY

OPPOSITE THE MARKET, GUELPH. OPPOSITE THE MARKET, GUELPH.



#### SMITH & BOTSFORD,

Will sell, during the next six weeks, the balance of  
**THEIR WINTER STOCK AT COST.**  
Call and see their prices, and be convinced that this is no humbug. **ONLY ONE PRICE.**  
Guelph, 4th January, 1868.

#### Insolvent Act of 1864.

In the matter of **Thomas M. Grier,** AN INSOLVENT.  
COUNTY OF WELLINGTON, BY virtue of the authority vested in me as Assignee of the Estate of the above-named Insolvent, under the provisions of the above Act, I shall offer for sale at the Town Hall, in the Village of Merriston, in the said County,  
**Saturday, 11th April, 1868**  
at two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, all the right, title and interest of the said Insolvent, in that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Village of Merriston, Township of Puslinch, County of Wellington, Province of Ontario, composed of Village Lot number Eight, on the East side of Queen Street, in Donald McEdward's Survey, in the Village of Merriston, butted and bounded as is described in a deed from John M. Schlenker and wife to the said Insolvent, made the 2nd February, 1860, with Dwelling House, Barn, Stable and outbuildings thereon, and a good garden, with two-fifths of an acre.  
**TERMS - - - CASH.**  
Further particulars may be had on the premises, or at the office of Messrs. McLennan & O'Connor, Barristers, Guelph, or at the office of the undersigned, with whom all hypothecary creditors are required to file their claims within six days of the day of sale.  
**THOMAS SAUNDERS,** Official Assignee.  
Guelph, 7th January, 1868.

#### PLASTER, PLASTER

THE SUBSCRIBERS HAVE AT PRESENT A FULL SUPPLY OF  
**GROUND PLASTER**  
And while sleighing is good, farmers should get their supplies. By advice from Paris, York and Caledonia, we learn that all that can be produced is already engaged, and that the demand will far exceed the supply. We have been able to secure only  
**300 TONS.**  
Instead of 500, and we would therefore advise those requiring any to purchase early.  
A small lot of very fine Clover Seed on hand  
**JAS. MASSIE & CO.**  
Guelph, 17th January, 1868.

#### FOR THREE WEEKS

#### CLEARING SALE!

THIS GREAT CLEARING SALE AT THE  
**Canada CLOTHING Store**  
WILL CONTINUE FOR THREE WEEKS LONGER, so as to clear out the balance of the Stock of  
**READY-MADE CLOTHING**  
HATS, CAPS, &C.,  
Which will be sold at **COST and UNDER for CASH ONLY.**  
Parties indebted to me must settle up their accounts immediately, or they will be put in Court for collection.  
**N. CROFT,**  
Guelph, January, 6th, 1868.  
No. 40, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

#### REMOVAL!

#### GRAND CLEARING SALE!

#### JAMES CORMACK,

HAVING leased that large and New Store next to **JOHN HORSBURN'S,** he has determined to dispose of the balance of his large Stock of first-class  
**READY-MADE CLOTHING,**  
CLOTHS AND GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS,  
**At a Tremendous Reduction**  
OF PRICES. As the Goods are all new, the Clothing well cut, well made and well stayed, the public will find this one of the best and cheapest sales ever offered in Guelph.  
Goods booked charged the regular price.  
**JAMES CORMACK**

#### Medical Hall,

**ESSENCE OF**  
**RONDELETIA!**  
AN ELEGANT PERFUME  
for the Handkerchief and Toilet.  
Prepared by **Breidenbach,** Perfumer and Distiller of Flowers to Her Majesty.  
**N. HIGINBOTHAM.**  
Guelph, 24th Dec. 1867.

#### CORDWOOD for SALE

GOOD, cheap Cordwood for sale at  
**BROWN'S WOOD YARD**  
Woolwich Street, nearly opposite the Court House.  
Quantities from half a cord and upwards delivered in any part of the town by leaving the order at the wood house in the yard, at the rate of \$3.75 per cord.  
**ALEX. BROWN,**  
Guelph, 25th November, 1867.

#### DOMINION SALOON,

(LATE GRAND'S SHADES SALOON.)  
OPPOSITE THE MARKET,  
**GUELPH.**  
CHOICE LIQUORS, Cigars, Oysters, &c., &c., always on hand. Meals furnished at all hours.  
**DENIS BUNYAN.**  
Guelph, December 2, 1867.

#### PRIVATE TUITION.

THE undersigned is prepared to give private lessons in English, Latin and Greek, either at his own house or the house of his pupils, two hours of each day.  
**GEORGE GRAFFTEY.**  
Guelph, 3rd January, 1868.

#### Wool, Hide and Leather

**DEPOT,**  
No. 4, Day's Old Block, Gordon Street.  
Guelph, July 31, 1867.

#### Day's Block, . . . Guelph.

#### Finnan Haddies

#### Smoked Salmon

#### Smoked Tommy

#### Mackerel, &c.

#### E. CARROLL & CO.,

No. 2, Wyndham Street.  
Guelph, 17th January, 1868.

**GEORGE PALMER**  
BARRISTER and Attorney-at-Law, Solicitor in Chancery, Notary Public and



