

New Advertisements.

TO LET - Two rooms in a cottage... TWO GENTLEMEN WANTED - As Boarders in a private family... HORSE FOR SALE - A good serviceable horse for sale, cheap... CORN FOR SALE - For sale, 10,000 bushels of corn. Apply to...

TO BE LET - In the Village of Elora, the Blacksmith and Wagon Shops lately occupied by G. & J. Steele... TO LET - The large room over the MERCURY OFFICE, formerly used as a Temperance Hall... ROBE LOST - On Monday evening, between the Great Western Station and Town, a Grey Wolf Cuter Robe...

WANTED - A middle aged woman, to attend an invalid, and do general housework in a small family... COBBERY HAND WANTED - With or from one to two years' experience... NOTICE TO DEBTORS - All parties indebted to the subscriber by Note or Book Account...

TO MASONS - Tenders will be received at the office of the undersigned, where the plans and specifications may be seen... CITY WOOD YARD - The subscriber has opened a Wood Yard, next to the new English Church... TEACHERS WANTED - Wanted - Three Female Teachers, legally qualified...

CARE TAKER - For Steam Fire Engine. Wanted, a steady, competent man, to take charge of and fire up the Steam Fire Engine... TOWN OF GUELPH - Notice About Accounts. All parties having claims against the Corporation are notified to send in the same...

January Cattle Fair. CHANGE OF DAY. In consequence of the January Cattle Fair falling on New Year's Day, the Fair will be held on the day following... Thursday, 2nd Jan. 1873. By order of Council. JOHN HARVEY, Town Clerk.

FINAL NOTICE. The subscribers being about to dissolve partnership, beg to notify all parties indebted to them that the amounts due must be paid to them on or before the 24th inst... CHARLTON'S DIRECTORY. Entered according to Act of Parliament. The publisher would respectfully inform the advertisers that, having been disappointed with his frames, he will return to GUELPH about the 15th of JANUARY, 1873...

CHASH FOR WOL, HIDES, SHEEPY, SKINS, CALF, HINS, and WYOT, PICKINGS. The highest market price paid for the above at No. 4, Gore street, Day's Old Black, Guelph. Masters have constantly on hand for sale, Guelph, and 19, 1872.

RAILWAY TIME TABLE - Winter Arrangement - On after Monday, 18th November.

Grand Trunk Railway. Trains leave Guelph as follows: WEST 2:17 a.m.; 9:45 a.m.; 1:50 p.m.; 6:00 p.m.; 8:45 p.m.; To London, Godrich, and Detroit. To Berlin. EAST 8:05 a.m.; 7:30 a.m.; 11:00 a.m.; 4:12 p.m.; and 8:38 p.m. Great Western - Guelph Branch. Going South - 6:50 a.m.; 12:35 p.m.; 1:45 p.m.; for Hamilton; 4:55 p.m. Going North - 11:45 a.m. for Clifford; 1:15 p.m. for Oxford; 4:55 p.m. for Fergus; 8:05 p.m. for Fergus.

Guelph Evening Mercury

TUESDAY EVENING, DEC. 17, 1872

THE Children's Delight, and Place of Resort for Amusement and Instruction to all - ANDERSON'S, OPPOSITE THE MARKET - has opened up a magnificent assortment of New and Beautiful Cheap Books, Toys, Work Boxes, Writing Desks, Toys for Boys, Dolls for Girls, Mechanical Toys, Hot Air Toys. Lots of Novelties for this season of the year can be had cheap at Anderson's, opposite the Market.

Town and County News.

SHOOTING MATCH. - A shooting match will take place at Langford's Hotel, Erasmus Road, on Monday, 23rd inst., commencing at 1 p.m. A good time may be expected, as there will be plenty of turkeys and geese on hand. PALME OYSTERS. - Mr. J. E. McElderry has sent us a can of his prime oysters, which he is now receiving daily from the finest beds. They will be found first-class.

Mr. T. J. Day has sent us Good Words and Sunday Magazine for December. They are as usual profusely illustrated, and are full of instructive and profitable reading. GOOD CHEER AND NEW YEAR'S NIGHT. - Mr. John Anderson has just received "Good Cheer," being the Christmas number of "Good Words," and "One New Year's Night," &c., being the Christmas number of "Sunday Magazine." For sale at Anderson's.

ACCIDENT. - To-day an elderly woman was crossing Wyndham-street from Byrne's Fur Store corner to that of the Bank of Commerce, she was knocked down by the high horse of a passing team, but fortunately was not seriously injured. They attempted to kill a book agent in Ottawa last week. He was robbed, thrown into the river, knocked off the cars, pitched from a high bridge into the river again, but in two hours after came around with a new illustrated edition of the Bible, and tried to get the subscription of the leader of the attacking party.

WESLEYAN S. S. ANNIVERSARY. - Sermons will be preached in the Wesleyan Church, Guelph, at the usual hour of service, next Sabbath, by the Rev. Alex. Sutherland, of Toronto, in behalf of the above school. The annual celebration will take place on Thursday evening, 26th inst., when there will be singing by the children, dialogues, addresses, recitations, &c. PRESENTATION. - We learn that to-day the pupils attending Miss Wightman's Seminary presented her with a very handsome gold brooch with onyx setting, and pendant, as a mark of their appreciation of her endeavours to promote their educational interests.

CHARLTON'S DIRECTORY. - We have received from the publisher a copy of "Charlton's Sheet Directory" of Guelph. It gives a list of all the business men in the town, arranged according to their calling. It also contains the cards of some of the leading business houses, time tables, &c. The Directory is carefully got up, and neatly printed, and is very creditable to the publisher, who intends to issue it annually in an enlarged and improved form. TEMPERANCE LECTURE. - On Tuesday evening, the 10th inst., Rev. J. Howie delivered a Temperance lecture under the auspices of the Pineshik Advance Division of the sons of temperance at Morrison. The audience was large, and the Rev. gentleman brought out a great many facts and arguments with great power and ability, which were heartily responded to, and which fully sustained and established his reputation as a Temperance lecturer in the minds of the people of this place, who will do doubt hail with pleasure his appearance at any subsequent period in the same capacity. The Sons of this place are quite a strong body, and seem to be determined to do what they can for the suppression of the liquor traffic, as they are fully engaged in canvassing with a view thereto. - Con.

A SERIOUS ACCIDENT. - The Harrison Tribune says: On Friday, at noon, a serious accident occurred at Messrs. Bristol & Stewart's Sawmill. Mr. Cadwell was removing the wedge from a log which was being sawed. Having on a pair of heavy new boots he slipped, and falling slid along the carriage way with such impetuosity that his left foot came in contact with the saw, which stripped off in the boot and threw it several feet in the air, and caused his foot to rebound on his breast, breaking the left leg above the knee. The saw after cutting the boot through the fleshy part of the foot in several directions under the instep, fortunately missing the cords. Dr. Cowan was immediately in attendance, set the broken leg, and dressed the wound in the foot. Mr. Cadwell, we are glad to say, is doing well.

Town Council.

The Council met on Monday. Present - The Mayor, Messrs. Kennedy, Snyder, Stevenson, Bell, Crowe, Massie, Bruce, Coffee, McMillan, Hogg, Robertson, Mitchell, and Howard.

The following petitions were presented: - By Mr. Massie for Mary O'Connor for remission of her taxes. By Mr. Crowe from Mr. Jas. Hazleton for remission of dog tax. By Mr. Mitchell from Dr. Hoffmann asking transfer of his license to Mr. Ward, who has leased his hotel. By Mr. Mitchell from Wm. Brydges for remission of statute labour. By Mr. McMillan from Mrs. Waite, of the Albion Hotel, asking the Council to allow her to erect a wooden stable in place of the one burned down last week, as the present by-law for regulating the erection of certain kinds of buildings within the fire limits prevents her from putting up such a building as she wishes to, viz: a wooden stable, lathed and plastered on the outside. By Mr. McMillan from Mr. John Harris, Chairman of the Separate School Trustees, in reference to their claim for a larger appropriation of public money for the maintenance of the Separate School than they have hitherto received.

All the above, with the exception of Mr. Heffernan's and Mrs. Waite's petitions, were referred to the Finance Committee. On motion of Mr. Mitchell, the petition of Mr. Heffernan was granted on his complying with the provisions of the statute as regards licenses. With reference to Mrs. Waite's petition Mr. McMillan gave notice that he would move to amend the by-law regulating the erection of buildings. He thought it would be a hard case if Mrs. Waite could not be allowed to put up the kind of building she requires. Mr. Robertson thought the petition should be referred to the By-law Committee. The Mayor read a letter from Mr. Barber, resigning his situation as caretaker of the steam fire engine, &c. Mr. Robertson moved, seconded by Mr. Hogg, that his resignation be accepted as soon as a suitable person be found to fill his place, and that the Clerk be instructed to advertise for such a person. Mr. Howard moved that the by-law for amending the Market By-law be read a third time and passed. Carried. Mr. Kennedy reported the mode of extending the Ward appropriation in the South Ward. After paying for all repairs there remains 50 cents to the good. The report was received. Mr. McMillan introduced a by-law for the appointment of Ward constables, which was read a first and second time. Mr. McMillan gave notice that at next meeting he would introduce a by-law to amend the by-law regulating the erection of wooden buildings within certain limits, as far as it affected lots 112 and 113 on which the Albion Hotel is built, and where the stable was burned last week. Mr. Massie moved, seconded by Mr. Howard, that the January Cattle Fair be held on Thursday, the 2nd of January, instead of Wednesday, that being New Year's day. Carried. On motion of Mr. Massie, all the Standing Committees were instructed to bring in full statements of their expenditures during the year at an adjourned meeting to be held on the 30th inst., and that the Clerk advertise for all accounts to be handed in to him by the 20th inst. The Council then adjourned till the 30th inst.

THE MARYBORO RIT and the Hollin Volunteers. To the Editor of the Mercury. DEAR SIR, - In a recent issue you stated that, during the Maryboro' embroglio, the Hollin volunteers were called upon and refused to act. I felt sure while reading the paragraph that you had been misinformed, and wrote to Captain Thompson, commanding No. 8 Company, 80th Batt., for the purpose of ascertaining the facts in connection with the matter. He informs me that the Sheriff's officers called upon him, telling him that about 200 men were collected to resist the law, and that they must have the support of the volunteers. The Captain told them to bring a proper requisition from the Warden, Reeve, or two Justices of the Peace, as provided by law, and that then he would be prepared to act. No requisition was presented to him, and the Hollin Company was not called out. In justice to the volunteers of Maryboro', who have been ever ready to obey the call of duty, I hope that you will make the necessary correction in your next issue. I am, yours faithfully, CHARLES CLARKE, Lieut.-Col. Com. 30th Batt. Elora, 16th Dec., 1872.

POLICE COURT. Before T. W. Saunders, Esq., P. M. Tuesday, Dec. 17. James Dickson, for being drunk on the Market Square on Monday, was fined \$1 and costs or ten days' gaol. Committed. FIRE IN HAMILTON. - On Monday afternoon a fire broke out in the large building on King-st., occupied by John Harvey & Co. as wool brokers. The fire spread rapidly. The next building to the left, which was occupied by J. Davis & Co., as wool brokers, was in great danger, and it was thought at one time it would go. The building to the right, which is occupied by McKenzie & McKay, wool brokers, suffered a like danger. These stores were, however, saved. The fire originated in the rear of the premises on the ground floor, from causes unknown, but supposed to have been spontaneous combustion. The firm had a very heavy stock of wool and woolen goods on hand, which is a total loss. John Harvey & Co. are sufferers to the amount of nearly \$100,000; McKenzie & McKay and J. Davis & Co. had their stocks considerably damaged by water; but it was well covered with insurance.

STRICTURE IN HURON. - John Cartin, of the township of Huron, who attempted suicide about two weeks ago by cutting his throat, purchased poison on Saturday last, and put an end to his life with it on Monday morning, leaving a wife and six children. Mr. John Anderson has sent us Good Words and the Sunday Magazine for December. Both contain very interesting reading matter. He has also sent us Wedding Bells for December, richly illustrated. The letter of "A Reader" on the question of putting up certain kinds of buildings within the fire limits will appear to-morrow.

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Chalmers' Church Soiree.

The anniversary soiree in connection with this Church came off yesterday (Monday) evening. The attendance was all that could be desired, and embraced representatives of most of the other congregations in town. Tea was served in the basement shortly after 6 o'clock, and it was nearly 8 o'clock ere the services of the ladies and the crowd of young gentlemen and lady waiters could be dispensed with. After the company had abundantly partaken of the varied and tempting refreshments, they adjourned to the Church, where addresses were given by Rev. Dr. Barrie, Rev. Messrs. Torrance, Walter Inglis (Ayr), Grant, Ingersoll, McMillan, and Dr. Hogg, and Mackie. In the interval between the speeches the choir, under the able leadership of Mr. Maitland, sang several pieces of choice music, which merited much applause. In this connection we must omit to pay tribute to a very fine song and melody entitled the "Blind Musician and his Harp," the solo of which was rendered by Mr. McWhirter, and the chorus effectively performed by the choir. Miss Amanda Cossitt presided at the organ with great ability. The customary votes of thanks were cordially passed to the speakers by the choir, and the meeting broke up at a seasonable hour. To-night the children of the Sabbath School will be entertained, and we have no doubt the juveniles will have a right pleasant time of it. Tea will be served at 6 o'clock sharp. Parents and friends are cordially invited to contribute to the occasion with their presence.

General Sessions.

Before Judge Macdonald. QUEEN vs. LOREE. - Upon the prisoner coming up for sentence, His Honor said that he had received petitions numerous in signed, asking that a lenient sentence be passed upon the prisoner. He said it was a case in which the prisoner might have fairly asked for a new trial. - had the law empowering the Court to grant a new trial in criminal cases not been repealed - under the circumstances he would accept bail for the prisoner's appearance at the June Court - meantime the real question in dispute would perhaps be tried in a civil court. Two of the prisoner's friends at once gave the required bail and he was released. SUICIDE IN HURON. - John Cartin, of the township of Huron, who attempted suicide about two weeks ago by cutting his throat, purchased poison on Saturday last, and put an end to his life with it on Monday morning, leaving a wife and six children. Mr. John Anderson has sent us Good Words and the Sunday Magazine for December. Both contain very interesting reading matter. He has also sent us Wedding Bells for December, richly illustrated. The letter of "A Reader" on the question of putting up certain kinds of buildings within the fire limits will appear to-morrow.

Annual Meeting of the Wellington Mutual Insurance Company.

The annual meeting of this Insurance Company took place, pursuant to advertisement, at the Queen's Hotel, on Monday afternoon, the 16th inst., at one o'clock. The attendance, beyond that of Directors, was limited. On motion of Mr. F. W. Stone, Mr. George Murton, senr., was called to the chair. The Secretary read the following Report of the Directors for the past year, also the Financial Statement for the same period. Report of the Directors of the Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Wellington. The Directors in submitting this the 30th Annual Report of the Company regret that they have to announce the death of Richard Jackson, Esq., who had occupied the position of President of the Society for the long period of twenty-three years, who took a deep interest in its affairs, watching over it with a father's care. The Board in consideration of his long services voted a year's salary to his widow, subject however to the approval of this meeting. The Directors have great pleasure in being able to submit such a satisfactory statement of the affairs of the Company as the annexed, showing that the losses during the year have been very light, and for a short assessment of the year, would have required little more than the expenses to have been called for, which must be gratifying to the members of the Company. Losses. The balance of 1871's loss, not paid until this year.....\$8966 08 Loss of Blacksmith's shop, Rothsay..... 300 00 Loss of Mrs. Elizabeth Heller's house..... 700 00 Berlin..... 150 00 Damage to Jacob Boes' brewery, Preston..... 20 00 Damage to Thos. Carbery's house, Berlin..... 5 00 Damage to Christopher Doring's store, Phillipsburg..... 15 00 \$9246 08

Which, with the expenses of the year, after deducting the receipts, will require a call of 4 per cent. (which we have ordered to be made) on all policies in force during the year, and a proportionate amount on all expiring, cancelled, and new policies during the same period, keeping in view the dates of the losses sustained. One hundred and ninety-four new risks, besides renewals were taken during the year, and three hundred and fifty-seven have expired and been cancelled, leaving one thousand three hundred and fifty policies in force, covering property to the amount of \$1,382,650.00 with premium notes on hand to secure the sum of \$185,247.93, which we have the most explicit of the soundness of the Company, and the unexceptional security offered to insurers of ability to pay in case of loss. The Secretary acting under the order of the general meeting last year, viz., to collect by suit all arrears of assessment, has within a given time, did so, and although it caused a considerable feeling, has had the effect of reducing the amount of arrears, there being now only \$152.92 uncollected, of which sum \$119.56 is now in course of collection through the Court, and \$33.26, small sums not sued, will be added in this year's assessment and collected or sued. It is to be hoped that members of the Company will be prompt in paying up the call this year, seeing that it is but small, and not give unnecessary trouble and annoyance which must be both disagreeable and expensive to them. On motion of Mr. Guthrie, seconded by Dr. Herod, the Auditors were in future allowed the sum of \$10 each. Dr. Herod stated that from his experience as an Auditor, it takes two days and a half careful consideration of the books to arrive at a satisfactory audit. The question of an office for the Company next came under consideration, several gentlemen thinking the rent demanded by the Town Council as too high, also that the company being yearly tenants were clearly entitled to six months' notice to quit, and that in the meantime the Directors should look about them with a view of securing a suitable office. Other gentlemen were of opinion that it was injudicious to be frequently changing business premises, and that an attempt should be made to secure a lease from the Town Council. Ultimately it was resolved to leave the matter to the discretion of the Directors, they being fully empowered to deal with the matter as they deemed most advisable. The suggestion of the Directors as to sending a deputation to Toronto to watch over and further the interests of the Company in any Bill introduced in, and Local Legislatures was acted on, and Sheriff Davidson, Messrs James Cattin, Geo. Hespeler and the Secretary were appointed accordingly. - The Secretary stated in connection with this matter that he regarded the present year as one that should seriously engage the attention of Insurance Legislators, as in consequence of the advanced rate now charged by the English Insurance Companies, insurers will largely patronize the Wellington Insurance Companies on account of their cheapness, without stopping to enquire what are the securities they offer the insured. It was then moved by Mr. Jas. Wilson, Esq., seconded by Mr. Joseph Heffernan, that the thanks of the shareholders, and are hereby tendered to the Directors and officers of the Company for their careful and assiduous attention to their duties. Carried. After a vote of thanks to the chairman the meeting then adjourned. Immediately thereafter the new Board of Directors met, and on a ballot being taken, F. W. Stone, Esq., was elected President, and David Allan, Esq., Vice-President of the Board for the following year. The new appointment of Vice-President was made to obviate the inconvenience arising from the possible illness or absence from home of the President.

By Bills payable (loan).....\$2,750.00 Cash due Treasurer..... 747.34 \$3,497.34 On motion of Mr. F. J. Chadwick, seconded by Mr. John Harris, the Directors Report and Financial Statement were adopted, and ordered to be printed. The next business was the election of Directors for 1873. Dr. Herod and Mr. F. W. Chadwick were appointed scrutineers, and handed in the following names as the result of the ballot: Messrs. F. W. Stone, David Allan, John Harris, James Goldie, Geo. Hespeler, Geo. Davidson, Geo. Randall, J. M. Fraser, C. Doring, Jas. Cattin and C. McMillan. On motion of Dr. Herod, seconded by Mr. D. Allan, Messrs. T. W. Saunders and F. J. Chadwick were appointed Auditors for the ensuing year. On motion of Mr. Guthrie, seconded by Dr. Herod, the Auditors were in future allowed the sum of \$10 each. Dr. Herod stated that from his experience as an Auditor, it takes two days and a half careful consideration of the books to arrive at a satisfactory audit. The question of an office for the Company next came under consideration, several gentlemen thinking the rent demanded by the Town Council as too high, also that the company being yearly tenants were clearly entitled to six months' notice to quit, and that in the meantime the Directors should look about them with a view of securing a suitable office. Other gentlemen were of opinion that it was injudicious to be frequently changing business premises, and that an attempt should be made to secure a lease from the Town Council. Ultimately it was resolved to leave the matter to the discretion of the Directors, they being fully empowered to deal with the matter as they deemed most advisable. The suggestion of the Directors as to sending a deputation to Toronto to watch over and further the interests of the Company in any Bill introduced in, and Local Legislatures was acted on, and Sheriff Davidson, Messrs James Cattin, Geo. Hespeler and the Secretary were appointed accordingly. - The Secretary stated in connection with this matter that he regarded the present year as one that should seriously engage the attention of Insurance Legislators, as in consequence of the advanced rate now charged by the English Insurance Companies, insurers will largely patronize the Wellington Insurance Companies on account of their cheapness, without stopping to enquire what are the securities they offer the insured. It was then moved by Mr. Jas. Wilson, Esq., seconded by Mr. Joseph Heffernan, that the thanks of the shareholders, and are hereby tendered to the Directors and officers of the Company for their careful and assiduous attention to their duties. Carried. After a vote of thanks to the chairman the meeting then adjourned. Immediately thereafter the new Board of Directors met, and on a ballot being taken, F. W. Stone, Esq., was elected President, and David Allan, Esq., Vice-President of the Board for the following year. The new appointment of Vice-President was made to obviate the inconvenience arising from the possible illness or absence from home of the President.

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It was then moved by Mr. Jas. Wilson, Esq., seconded by Mr. Joseph Heffernan, that the thanks of the shareholders, and are hereby tendered to the Directors and officers of the Company for their careful and assiduous attention to their duties. Carried. After a vote of thanks to the chairman the meeting then adjourned.

Immediately thereafter the new Board of Directors met, and on a ballot being taken, F. W. Stone, Esq., was elected President, and David Allan, Esq., Vice-President of the Board for the following year. The new appointment of Vice-President was made to obviate the inconvenience arising from the possible illness or absence from home of the President.

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any deficiency that may arise from heavy fires; and should their premium notes be insufficient, then the Company goes into liquidation, and then the cash insurers, as well as the premium note men, would be equally assessed to the extent of one per cent. on the amount insured to make up the deficiency required. The premium notes taken by such companies are becoming smaller by degrees every year, and soon there will be no security beyond the cash paid in advance, which will also rapidly decrease under the present competition; that is now made by insurance men, when nearly every available risk is insured. From and after this date the 5 per cent. charged on all premium notes will be continued to be collected, but at the end of the year the insured will receive credit for the amount on their assessment. - The Directors feel it is necessary to adopt this course, as other companies are doing it for the sake of popularity. The following table will show the rates charged this year:

Table with 2 columns: Description and Rate. Includes items like 'On first-class lighted Private Dwellings, etc.', 'On second-class stone', 'On third-class frame isolated', 'On first-class stores isolated', 'On second-class stores in stone blocks', 'On first proof roofing'.

The general run of stone mills will be about 60c per \$100; these rates will they trust suffice to show the advantage to those insured in this Company. The Financial Statement will now be submitted; many of the outlays are much the same as in former years. A good deal has been paid in the case of McMillan vs. the Company, which will, it is expected, be partly refunded; the stationery account is large, a new set of books being required, and stationery, which will not require to be renewed for some time; also the printing account, those of last year and this year being included. In resigning the trust reposed in us we do so under the very agreeable feeling that the Company is steadily progressing, and steadily but surely maintaining its position as one of the cheapest and most reliable Companies in the Province.

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The Grand Trunk Railway.

A very important adjourned meeting of the shareholders of the Grand Trunk Railway was held in London, on the 28th ult., when the President of the Company, Mr. Potter, who made a careful tour of inspection over the road last summer, gave full explanations as to the real state of the line.

The President refers to some very injurious contracts made by the Company for the supply of rolling stock from car companies, one of which was so ridiculously high that he cancelled the contract, and thereby effected a saving to the Company of \$180,000 per annum.

Mr. Allport, General Manager of the Midland Railway, in England, who accompanied Mr. Potter in his tour of inspection over the Grand Trunk, stated at the meeting that he had never gone over a line in worse condition than was this road.

The meeting adopted the report of the Directors, authorised the Board to dispose of the Atlantic and St. Lawrence railway securities, authorised them to apply to the Parliament of Canada for an act to postpone the payment of the first and second preference bondholders for three years, and also to issue further bonds of the company, to be termed second equipment bonds, for one and a half million dollars—all which money is to be spent improving the road, and putting it in a better position than it has ever occupied.

Editorial Items.

A rumour prevails in Quebec that Hon. Joseph Cauchon, of all men in the world, is to be appointed the next Lieut. Governor of the Province.

All the farm utensils, horses, cattle, and household goods, belonging to the late Horace Greeley, at Chappiqua, were sold by public auction on Saturday, bringing extremely low prices.

The reported destruction of a light-house on Anticosti Island, with the keeper and his family, is contradicted. It appears to have been a wild fabrication.

The Globe has received private, but positive information that Mr. Brydges' engagement as Managing Director of the Grand Trunk, which terminates on the 31st Dec., will not be renewed.

EAGLE CAPTURED AT KINGSDALE.—On Monday afternoon, near Point Clark light-house, Mr. A. Johnson, of Kingsdale, succeeded in capturing a black eagle alive, which measured 7 feet 8 inches from tip to tip of wings.

EXAMINATION OF TEACHERS.—The winter examination of teachers for first, second and third class certificates commenced yesterday (Monday) afternoon at 2 o'clock, in the Good Templars Hall, adjoining Thorp's Hotel.

BIRTHS. McCRACK—At Guelph, on the 30th November, the wife of Mr. David McCrack, of a son.

BOYS AND GIRLS SLEIGHS, SKATES, latest styles, BRASS AND TODDY KETTLES, TEA AND COFFEE POTS, LANTERNS, STOVE VARNISH, HARNESS VARNISH, PICTURE VARNISH, FURNITURE VARNISH, CINDER SIFTERS, CRUET STANDS, a large variety, MEAT CUTTERS, MINCING MACHINES, CLOTHES WRINGERS, CASH BOXES, At John Horsman's.

CHRISTMAS SALE In Quarter and Half Barrels. SLEEMAN'S CELEBRATED, IN PRIME CONDITION. A SPECIAL BREWING for Walk's customers.

HUGH WALKER, Sole Agent, Wyndham Street, Guelph, Dec. 12, 1872.

J. MARRIOTT, Veterinary Surgeon, M.B.C.V.S., L., M.F.V.M.A. Having lately arrived in Guelph from England, and taken up his residence here, intends continuing the practice of his profession.

DR. ROBERT CAMPBELL, Licentiate of Dental Surgery. Established 1864. Office next door to the "Advertiser" Office, Wyndham-st., Guelph.

W. M. FOSTER, L. D. S., SURGEON DENTIST, GUELPH. Office over E. Harvey & Co's Drug Store, Corner of Wyndham and Macdonell-sts., Guelph.

WANTED, and must be had by the 1st of January, Fifty Tons of Waste Paper, old Newspapers, old Pamphlets, or Waste Paper of any kind - for which the highest price is given in the Dominion.

H. D. MOREHOUSE, Exchange Broker, Market Square, Guelph, AGENT FOR Inman Steamship Company, Between New York and Liverpool, leaving New York Thursday and Saturday.

2 IMPROVED Berkshire Boars WITH PEDIGREES, For the service of sows this season, on the premises of the undersigned. Terms—Cash at time of service. ALLAN SIMPSON, Guelph, Dec. 9th, 1872.

NEW Books and Fancy Goods FOR XMAS

DAY'S BOOKSTORE. WYNDHAM ST., GUELPH.

Noah's Ark, 6 kinds; Ladies Companions, 50 varieties; Card Cases, Ladies and Gents Dressing Cases, Building Blocks, Boxes of Games, A B O Blocks, China Toys, Vases, Toilet Sets, Fine Photograph Albums, Fancy Ink Stands, Work Boxes, 40 kinds; Writing Desks, 25 kinds

Paper Machie Goods Writing Desks, Work Boxes, Glove and Jewel Boxes, Card Cases, &c. &c.

CHRISTMAS STATIONERY A Large New Stock of Books, suitable for Christmas Presents AT DAY'S BOOKSTORE.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS! NEW YEAR'S PRESENTS! SANTA CLAUS' HEADQUARTERS! The Largest and Best Assortment of FANCY GOODS, Jewellery, Toys, and Dolls ever shown in Guelph.

FOR Work Boxes, Writing Desks, Sewing Machines, Trunk Trunks, Trunks, and Dressing Cases, and everything in that line go to J. HUNTER'S.

BOY'S SLEIGHS, Rocking Horses, Drums, Mechanical and Spring Toys. EVERY kind and price of Toys, Toys, Toys, AT J. HUNTER'S.

DOLLS: Crying Dolls, Speaking Dolls, Wax Dolls, China Dolls, Rubber Dolls, Leather Dolls, Dressed Dolls, Walking Dolls, cheaper than ever at J. HUNTER'S.

FANCY WOOLLEN GOODS, Shippers, Ottomans, Cushions, Brackets, Screens, Shawls, Scarfs, B-skets, Satchels, Wallets, Purse, cheap at J. HUNTER'S.

A FULL assortment of the most reliable and Fashionable Patterns for Ladies', Misses' and Children's Dress, always on hand AT J. HUNTER'S

JEWELLERY FOR XMAS. Our stock is now complete in every line, having received a large stock of New Goods during the past few days, consisting in part of

Cruet Stands, Cake Baskets, Butter Coolers, Sugar Bowls, Cream Jugs, Fruit Stands, Pickle Frames, Cups, Goblets, Spoons, Forks, Napkin Rings, &c. Watches, Clocks, Brooches, Ear-rings, Bracelets, Chains, Rings, Pins, Studs, Cuff Buttons, &c. &c.

ONLY ONE PRICE. D. SAVAGE, Dec. 10—dwdw Wyndham Street, Guelph

GUELPH Pianoforte Factory IN FULL OPERATION affording an opportunity to intending purchasers of inspecting the construction of these celebrated instruments.

Warranted for Six Years: Tuned (if in town) free for one year. Second hand taken in exchange or repaired.

TUNING ATTENDED TO PROMPTLY Prices lower than any Imported, and quality and finish unsurpassed. Show Rooms and Office, WEST MARKET SQUARE, GUELPH, ONT.

JOSEPH F. RAINER, Proprietor, Guelph, Dec. 14, 1872

NEW BUTOHER SHOP. The Right Man in the Right Place. The undersigned recognizing the felt want of a butcher's shop in Upper Wyndham Street, which will be open at all hours during the business part of the day, has started a branch establishment in that shop next to Bradley's Grocery Store and opposite the new Baptist Church, where he bespeaks a fair share of public patronage.

GILBERT AMOS, Butcher, No. 3, Market St., Guelph, Nov. 15, 1872.

New Advertisements. Co-Operative Store.

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS. Just the Article for a Present.

We have just received about 1000 yards of Beautiful Designs in DRESS GOODS!

ASSORTED IN Plain, Striped and Figured English Repps. The above will be sold at a little over half their value.

J. C. MACKLIN & Co. GUELPH, Dec. 16

GUELPH TEA DEPOT

E. O'DONNELL & Co. Have just received for the Holidays

350 boxes New Valencia Raisins, 230 boxes New Layer Raisins, 25 boxes Sultana Seedless Raisins, 150 boxes Lemon, Orange and Citron Peel, 25 kegs Good Prunes to be Rushed off at 4 cents per lb.

Another small lot of 300 caddies of that splendid Young Hyson \$1 Tea to be sold for 80 cents. Fruits are a little higher this year, but we are going to sell at the smallest margin of profit.

E. O'DONNELL & CO. Guelph, Dec. 12, 1872 Wyndham Street, Guelph

Call and See the Goods that ANDERSON'S MERRIE MON ADDUM V BOOKSTORE CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S GIFTS before buying elsewhere. Anderson has suitable for

DOMINION BOOT AND SHOE STORE

Opposite the Market House, Guelph. A FACT WHICH THE PUBLIC WELL KNOW: "That we sell Cheaper and Better Goods than any other Shoe Store in Guelph."

We have on hand a large and varied assortment of Ladies', Gentlemen's, Misses' and Children's

FELT GOODS Suitable for the present season, which we will sell at prices that defy all competition. Please call and examine our Stock, which will be found complete in every line required for the present season.

All kinds of Boots and Shoes made to order REPAIRING DONE ON THE SHORTEST NOTICE. WM TAWSE, Opposite the Market House, Guelph.

The Guelph Cloth Hall

Is the Oldest Establishment in Town for READY-MADE CLOTHING

EVERY ARTICLE OF WHICH IS MANUFACTURED ON THE PREMISES.

Cloths and Woollen Goods of all Kinds. ARMSTRONG, McCRAE & CO'S FIRST PRIZE UNDERCLOTHING.

HATS AND CAPS

And a general assortment of Goods for Men's Wear. SHAW & MURTON, Wyndham St., Guelph.

OPPOSITE THE MARKET, GUELPH. PARKERS HOTEL, DIRECTLY—OPPOSITE THE MARKET, GUELPH. O'CONNOR'S BILLIARD HALL, IN THE QUEEN'S HOTEL, GUELPH, OPPOSITE THE MARKET. Refitted in the latest fashion. Five latest style Phelan Tables. Market St. Guelph

New Dry Goods!

W.M. STEWART

Has much pleasure in stating to the public that he has secured many lots of desirable New Dry Goods under current prices, and they will be offered

At Decided Bargains!

Piles of Scarlet Flannel at 25c Piles of Grey Flannel at 55c Piles of Winsey from 10c Piles of Clouds in white, grey, and colors, from 50c

BLANKETS ALL PRICES

All Wool TWEEDS from 50 cents.

Dress Goods, The Cheapest and Newest. Prices to suit everyone.

W.M. STEWART. Guelph, Dec. 12, 1872

HART & SPEIRS, Conveyancers, Land, Loan, Insurance and General Agents, 4 Day's Block, Guelph

In reference to the above, Wm. Hart begs to inform his friends and the public that he has entered into partnership with Mr. Jas. S. Speirs in the above business, and while expressing his grateful acknowledgments for the liberal share of patronage bestowed upon him for the past three years, would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same to the new firm.

Agents for the Commercial Union Assurance Company of London, England. HART & SPEIRS, 4 Day's Block Guelph, Ont

GAS FITTING AND STEAM FITTING

Done in the best style and most workman-like manner AT HOWARD'S

All Kinds of Fixtures made to order on the Shortest Notice. Changing Pipes, &c. or Repairs Done on the shortest notice.

BOUND Volumes for 1872

SUNDAY AT HOME LEISURE HOUR GOOD WORDS for the YOUNG BRITISH WORKMAN BRITISH WORKWOMAN BAND OF HOPE CHILDREN'S FRIEND INFANTS MAGAZINE FAMILY FRIEND INFANT'S DELIGHT CHILD'S COMPANION NOW ON HAND

At Day's Bookstore. Guelph, Dec. 13, 1872.

NEW MUSIC STORE, Quebec St., Guelph.

F. C. Whiting, Importer of all kinds of Musical Instruments, Fittings Strings, English Music, V. Novello's Music Instruction Books, &c., wholesale and retail.

Malodons, Flutinas, Concertinas, Accordions, &c., tuned and repaired. Tuning done for the Trade. Agents for Nordheimer & Co's Pianos and Organs. Also, Agent for Virtue & Yorston, publishers.

The Foster Brother;

The Orphan of the Wreck.

CHAPTER XXX.
THE SNOWSTORM.

The inn being placed at the very end of the village, they were out upon the open road at once, and speedily began to taste the severity of the blast. But it was not till after they had gone two or three hundred yards, and had quitted the broad level highway and entered the narrower cross road, which for miles they had to traverse, that they began to realize the full difficulties of their task. The road being of a secondary character was ill kept and uneven; the wind was now directly in their face, and sweeping towards them from the bare, bleak country in front. Dismal and dreary was the scene. The short twilight was fast fading into a darkness which threatened to be dense; the howling of the angry wind increased every moment, and the snow-flakes beat on their cheeks with cutting keenness.

Nothing daunted, however, the two youths addressed themselves with resolute hearts to the solitary road, which was utterly deserted save by themselves. It was a night on which no one would stir abroad except through dire necessity, but though this absence of all human presence caused them to feel their situation the more eerie, it had no deterring effect upon their spirits.

The consuming impatience which had agitated them all through the journey would not allow them to be delayed by the storm, dreadful though it was and terrible as it threatened to become. Their ignorance of what might have occurred to Lillian since the despatch of her wild appeal to Harry for help would allow them no rest. The journey from Glasgow had seemed to take an age to accomplish, and now that little more than five miles lay between them and the termination of their fearful suspense, the wildest snow-storm that ever raged would not have kept them back.

Neither the one nor the other had any idea of the nature of snow-drift in an open and exposed country road, or, tortured with impatience though they were, they might have hesitated before committing themselves to its power. Having been resident in a large city for many winters, their knowledge of a snow-storm was confined to its comparatively mild effect among the streets and houses, where—"cabined, cribbed, confined"—it was shorn of its great strength and wild ferocity. It had been to them a pleasure rather than otherwise to traverse the streets in the face of the slanting snow, and a source of positive delight to watch it from the window and hear it come hissing against the panes, to see it whirl and eddy round the corners, and streak with white all surfaces exposed to its descent. Ah, but what a very different thing is a snow-storm in the city from the same phenomenon in the country, where clear space is given for its revelling. It is all the difference between a wild beast caged in a menagerie and roaming through its native jungle, and this truth George and Harry were destined fully to experience this night.

The snow already lay pretty deep upon the ground, for, as we have stated, it had been steadily falling all the afternoon, and what little traffic there had been on that partially frequented road had utterly failed to preserve a track, so that now the path along which they went presented an unbroken surface, through which they had to wade with difficult motion.

On they went courageous, ardent, resolute, never allowing themselves for one moment to imagine that they would be unable to cope with the fury and bitterness of the storm. Nor might their hope and confidence have in the end been belied, had its force remained what it was when they set forth, though even then the walk of five miles along that shrouded road, with heads bent to escape as far as they could the heaving flakes, would have taxed their youthful energy and severely exhausted them. But the power of the storm did not by any means remain stationary; on the contrary, it seemed to increase every minute with the deepening of the darkness. The wind, which at first had manifested surly gusts and an occasional howl, was now rising into a roar, bearing the snow along at race-horse speed from the black sky; and as if this was not enough to satisfy the rage into which it was lashing itself, it began to catch up the snow, which had hitherto lain quiet on the ground, and send it in clouds through the air, whirling it under the lee side of hedge and embankment in a way that must soon create deep drifted wreaths.

The youths, whitened now from head to foot with a stiff coating of snow, toiled slowly forward like two sheeted ghosts. Conversation being impossible they had not for some time attempted it, but staggered along, each silently battling with the storm, till a shrieking gust bringing a drifting cloud in their faces, they had to stand still and turn their backs to escape suffocation.

Human strength could not hold out long at this rate, and, despite the motive which they had to animate them, they were fast becoming exhausted, bitterly made to feel, with dismay, how terrible was the power of Nature's elements when unchained, and how feeble man was in their hands.

The road suddenly dipped down into a hollow, where a thick fir plantation grew on either side, and here for the first time they found a little shelter, and paused for breath and rest.

THE NEW BISHOP OF ALGONA.—We stated yesterday that the Rev. J. P. DuMoulin, formerly of Galt, and at present rector of St. Thomas Church, Hamilton, has been elected Bishop of Algona. The Hamilton Times, speaking of the appointment says: "We are certain that no one could have been selected who would discharge the high and responsible duties of the office with greater fidelity, and few with greater, if equal ability. The Rev. Mr. DuMoulin has been here little over a twelve months. In that time he has done service which not only redounds to the honor of his Master's name, but has brought peace and comfort to many a weary and sin-laden heart. Whether this work begun is sufficiently advanced to permit of its safe transference, and whether the good to be accomplished, even by a Bishop, in the thinly peopled District of Algona, is equal in importance to that which has been begun in one of the centres of our nation, will doubtless receive the fullest consideration by the reverend gentleman before he decides to accept the proffered honor."

CANADA SOUTHERN.—The last rail on the section of the Canada Southern Railway between St. Thomas and Amherstburg was laid on Friday morning about eight o'clock, and at 4:15 p.m. the first train through from St. Thomas arrived at Amherstburg.

New Fruits, New Fruits,
Jams and Jellies.

- Table Raisins,
- New Layer Figs,
- Jordan Almonds,
- Valencia Raisins,
- Sultana "
- Seedless "
- New Prunes,
- New Currants,
- New Lemons,
- Candied Citron Peel,
- " Lemon Peel,
- " Orange Peel,
- Calves Foot Jelly,
- Black and Red Currant Jelly,
- New Marmalade,
- New Canned Peaches,
- " Tomatoes,
- " Pine Apples.

All Goods Warranted to Please.

JNO. A. WOOD
IMPORTER.

Alma Block and Lower Wyndham-st., Guelph.
Guelph, Dec. 3, 1872 dw

CASH I
STILL TAKING THE LEAD.

Just arrived at the New Store, CASH.
\$12,500 Worth
Of first-class

READY-MADE
CLOTHING

Made up in the best style of the best material.
The whole of the stock must be sold during the Christmas Holidays, so

NOW IS THE TIME FOR BARGAINS

- Overcoats,
- Pea Jackets,
- Sack Coats,
- Frock Coats,
- Black Coats,
- Tweed Coats,
- &c. &c. &c.

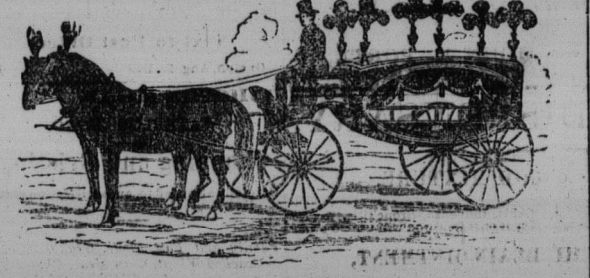
Special Lines of Tweed Suits very low; also, Pants and Vests in great variety.
A large lot of Youths and Boys Clothing cheap and strong.

We can fit any size and suit and price

The New Store "Cash,"

Upper Wyndham Street,
W. H. G. KNOWLES, Agent,
Guelph, Dec. 4, 1872. dw

MITCHELL & TOVELL
GUELPH



(Cut of our new Hearse.)

Undertakers and Furniture Dealers.

Furniture of every description kept on hand, and at reasonable rates.

COFFINS: Metallic, Black Walnut and Cloth covered Coffins, Shrouds, &c. &c. kept on hand.

HEARSE TO HIRE.

NEXT DOOR TO THE POST OFFICE. SIGN OF THE HEARSE.
J. MITCHELL, N. TOVELL
(June 29, 1872.)

Buffalo Robes, Fancy Robes
CO TO BYRNE'S
HATS, CAPS AND FURS

D. BYRNE

HAS just received his Fall Stock of Hats, Caps, Ladies' and Gents' Furs, Buffalo Robes, Fancy Robes, Buck and Kid Gloves, &c. &c.

THE LARGEST & CHEAPEST STOCK
Ever Shown in Guelph.

Corner of Wyndham Street and Market Square.
Ladies' and Gents' Furs Altered and Repaired.

CASH FOR RAW FURS

AUCTION SALE.
BANKRUPT STOCK.

BARGAINS
BARGAINS

Christmas Goods!

No Reserve! Goods must be Sold!

P. C. ALLAN

Will dispose of by Auction Sale, his immense and varied stock of Bankrupt Goods, consisting of

BOOKS

Stationery,

- Bibles,
- Prayers,
- Albums,
- Concertinas,
- Glass and Shell Boxes,
- Writing Desks,
- Work Boxes,
- Wax Dolls,
- Table Cutlery,
- Plated Cruet Stands,
- Breakfast Sets,
- Silver Spoons,
- " Forks,
- Britannia meta Tea & Coffee Sets,
- Pocket Knives,
- Butter Knives,
- Pipes,
- Purses,
- Gents' Scarfs,
- Ties,
- Hammers,
- Hatchets,
- &c., &c., &c.

GLASSWARE

- Goblets,
- Tumblers,
- Tea Sets,
- Peppers,
- Preserve Dishes,
- Fruit Dishes,
- Decanters,
- Large Bowls,
- &c., &c., &c.

Also, Several Complete Dinner Sets, consisting of 90 pieces each.

This will be the Largest and Most Attractive Sale ever seen in Guelph

The Goods must all be sold out between this and Xmas.

Sale to commence on Wednesday, the 11th inst. at 10 o'clock, a.m., and continue each day and evening until all is sold.

SALEROOM

In Thornton's Old Stand,

Next door to Hugh Walker's.

Guelph, Dec. 10, 1872. P. C. ALLAN, dw

Clothing for the Million!

Clothing for Men,
Clothing for Boys,
Clothing for Children,

With an immense stock of

FURNISHING GOODS,

SCARFS, TIES,
SHIRTS, DRAWERS,
SOX, GLOVES,
MUFFLERS, &c.,

Just received in view of the Large Sale before the New Year, at the Great Clothing Store,

LARGE NO. 1,

Next door to J. M. Bond's Hardware Store. When you want Clothing, just walk in and see our immense stock.

W. GALLOP, AY
Guelph, Dec. 2, 1872 dw

JOSEPH RODGERS & SONS
CELEBRATED

CUTLERY

- TABLE KNIVES
- DESSERT KNIVES
- CARVERS
- STEELS
- BREAD KNIVES
- POCKET KNIVES
- PEN KNIVES
- BRASERS
- BUTCHER'S KNIVES
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THE GUELPH "M. P. C."

Cigar Factory.

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Having recently enlarged his cigar factory, having in his employment the best workmen in the Province, and being constantly in receipt of fresh supplies of the finest Havana Tobacco, it is now prepared to receive orders for his Famous Cigars in any quantity.

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Left at the store of Messrs. Massie, Paterson & Co., will be promptly and satisfactorily filled.

Ask for the "M. P. C.," the best Cigar in the Dominion.

S. MYERS,
Proprietor
Guelph, Dec. 4, 1872.

THE GARDNER SEWING MACHINE



After passing through all the tests applied during the recent Exhibitions was awarded

26 prizes for 1872, and 13 prizes for 1871!

Including prizes at the PROVINCIAL EXHIBITION; also, FIRST PRIZE at Toronto, London, St. Catharines, Chatham and the Great Central Fair

HELD IN THE TOWN OF GUELPH
1871

The GARDNER is an easy, light running machine, made especially for Family Work of all kinds, and has a full set of attachments which are Simple and Complete. Parties wanting Sewing Machines, apply to Mr. Hunter, Wyndham-st., or to Wm. S. Lungair, Agent, Wellington Hotel, Guelph Guelph, Nov. 4th 3mdaw

GEORGE S. POWELL

Bege to announce that he has purchased the

Bankrupt Stock of BOOTS and SHOES

Of John McNeill's Estate, and will continue the

Boot and Shoe Business in all its Branches

IN THE SAME PREMISES.

Having been with Mr. McNeill for a number of years, and having an experience of over twenty years in the business, he feels confident of giving the public entire satisfaction.

A N W STOCK

Will be produced in a few days, and in the meantime the goods now on hand will be sold at remarkably low prices.

REPAIRING DONE AS FORMERLY

And satisfaction guaranteed. A trial solicited.

Guelph, May 17 1872

GEO. S. POWELL.

"PER EXPRESS"

THIS MORNING:

- 6 boxes "pure white" Clouds,
- 10 pieces black and colored Velveteens,
- 12 dozen New Hat and Bonnet Shapes,
- 10 pieces of our celebrated Black Lustres, cheap;
- 20 boxes Linens and Sewed Muslin sets,
- 75 Striped Shawls, new styles;
- 3 dozen Breakfast Shawls,
- 6 dozen Sontags and Vests.

A. O. BUCHAM,

Fashionable West End Dress, Millinery and Mantle Establishment,
Guelph, Dec. 14, 1872 dw

FIRST PRIZE BISCUITS

JAMES MASSIE,

Manufacturer of

CHOICE CONFECTIONERY AND BISCUITS,

Alma Block, Guelph,

Invites the attention of the Trade to the Superior Quality of Goods now produced at his Manufactory. Having introduced many new improvements, and employing only first-class workmen, and possessing every facility, he is prepared to supply the trade with a class of goods unsurpassed by any manufacturer, in

LOZENGES, all flavors;

DROPS, assorted flavors and shapes;

GUM and LICORICE DROPS,

CONVERSATION LOZENGES,

MOULDED SWEETS, new patterns:

SODA, SWEET and FRUIT BISCUITS,

FRUIT BISCUITS,

GINGER NUTS,

CHEWING GUM,

ROCK CANDY,

LICORICE.

A Large Stock of Choice and Favorite Brand Cigars.

His Biscuits took the first prize over all others at the London Western Fair this year the only place where they were entered for competition.

All Goods carefully packed and shipped with despatch.

BRITISH AND FOREIGN

IMPORTING HOUSE,

48 and 50 Yonge Street,

TORONTO;

AND

196 and 198 McGill Street,

MONTREAL.

Full lines of the following goods of this season's importation or manufacture offered to the jobbing trade by the package, or to general merchants in any part of the Dominion:

Table Cutlery, Celebrated Periscope Spectacles, Musical and Patent Albums, Violins and Accordions, Watches, Walrom and Suetta Clocks, Connecticut and French Ole Bull Violin Strings, Bohemian Glass Ware, German Morocco Pocket Books, Toys in wood, tin and iron, Baskets, Fancy and Market.

Fancy Goods generally, the largest stock in the Dominion.

Sept. 24, 1872. dw

ROBT. WILKES

FARM FOR SALE IN GUELPH

TOWNSHIP.—For sale the Farm formerly owned by the late Thomas Kench, containing 20 Acres, with good Buildings and Orchard. The above property must be sold within two months. Terms, half cash, balance to suit purchasers. Apply by letter post-paid, to JAMES H. KEE, New Hamilton P.O., Ont.

DART of Lot Number 2, 1st and 2nd Division, West side of the Owen Sound Road, in the Township of Arthur, 40 acres of rich arable land, nearly all cleared, and under cultivation. The property is known as the "Roman Catholic Church Lot." This good, and unencumbered, is now for sale. Apply to MACMILLAN & O'CONNOR, 8-Hellers, &c., No 8, Taylor Street, Guelph.

RAILWAY BY-LAW CARRIED.—The rate-payers of Godwin township have voted a by-law, to-day, granting \$15,000 to aid the London, Elgin and Huron Railway, carrying it to the end of the line.

SUDDEN DEATH AT HOLLIS.—On Saturday last, about 10 p. m., Mrs. Hodge, wife of James Hodge, hotel-keeper at Hollis, was found dead at her residence. An inquest was held on Monday afternoon by Dr. Mandley, coroner. The jury found a verdict of death caused by apoplexy. She leaves two small children.

SOME LITHOGRAPHIC STAMPS, brought from Antiochi Island last summer, have been tested in Montreal, and found to be as good as much of that imported from Germany, which costs \$55. per pound here.

The late Edwin Forrest, the tragedian, has willed all his property for the purpose of establishing an actors' home in Philadelphia.

"Ain't it wicked to rob his here, Jim?" "Dat's a great moral question, Gumbo; but ain't got time to argue it now—hand down another pullet."

Mr. Forster, in his "Life of Dickens," relates the following: "Nothing is ever so good as it is thought," said Lord Melbourne. "And nothing so bad," interposed Dickens.

A simple Highland girl, on her way home for the North, called, as she passed by Criff, upon an old master with whom she had formerly served. Being kindly invited by him to share in the family dinner, and the usual ceremony of asking a blessing having been gone through, as she conceived, her ancient host, exclaimed, "Ah, maister, ye manna has a grand memory for that is the grace ye bed when I was wi' you seven years syne."

At a late wedding in New York a calcium light was thrown on the bride as soon as she left the church, and was so managed as to flood the carriage with light, and thus exhibit the beauty and toilet of the blushing bride and groom to an admiring multitude.

Breakfast—Epps's Cocoa.—GRAZELU and Co. Toronto.—By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavored beverage which may save us many heavy doctors' bills. It is the most healthful, economical and delicious of all the beverages. Made simply with boiling water or milk. Each packet is labelled "James Epps & Co., Homeopathic Chemists, London." Also, makers of Epps's Milky Cocoa (Cocoa and Condensed Milk).

It is an established fact, that consumption can be cured; but it is far better to prevent the cruel disease from fastening itself on the system, by the timely use of a remedy like Dr. Wistar's Balsam of Wild Cherry. This standard preparation will speedily cure a cough or cold, and consumption often yields to its great power.

North Haven, Knox County, Me., 12th June, 1871.—Mr. James I. Fellows, Chemist, St. John, N. B.—Dear Sir: Having used your chemical preparation of Hypophosphites, which was recommended to me by Mr. Blagdon, Apothecary, Rockland, I am truly surprised with its wonderful effects, because for several years my health has been declining, notwithstanding every means possible, which offered encouragement, was used by me. Several alarming symptoms appeared, amongst which dyspepsia, palpitation of the heart, impoverished blood, and great prostration. Since January, when I began the use of your Syrup, my health has steadily and amazingly improved, so that now it gives me great pleasure to recommend it to others, and in this way to show my gratitude for return of health. To all who require a remedy for debility, I would say they will find your Compound Syrup of Hypophosphites just what you say it is. I believe it is the best preparation in use. I am, sir, &c.,

ELIASH CRAWFORD, J. P.

COMMERCIAL. GUELPH MARKETS. GUELPH, Dec. 17th, 1872.

Flour per 100 lbs. \$3 50 to \$3 70
Fall Wheat, per bushel 1 10 to 1 20
Treadmill Wheat " 1 10 to 1 20
Spring Wheat " 1 10 to 1 17
Oats " 0 50 to 0 60
Peas " 0 50 to 0 57
Barley " 0 50 to 0 53
Hay, per ton 15 00 to 18 00
Straw, " 4 00 to 6 00
Wood, per cord 4 00 to 4 50
Eggs, per dozen 0 18 to 0 20
Butter, dairy packed, " rolls 0 15 to 0 18
P. Wines, per bag 0 50 to 0 75
Apples, " 0 75 to 1 00
Wool, per lb. 0 75 to 1 00
Dressed Hogs, per cwt. 4 75 to 5 00
Beef per cwt. 5 00 to 5 50
Clover Seed per bushel 5 00 to 5 25
Timothy Seed 3 00 to 3 00
Hides, per cwt. 1 25 to 1 50
Flax 1 25 to 1 50
Lambskins, each 0 75 to 1 50
Sheepskins 0 75 to 1 25

HAMILTON MARKETS. HAMILTON, Dec. 16, 1871.

Spring Wheat, per bushel... \$1 18 to 1 19
Deer Wheat, " 1 28 to 1 30
Treadmill Wheat " 1 28 to 1 29
Red White Wheat " 1 18 to 1 19
Barley per bushel... 0 58 to 0 60
Peas " 0 50 to 0 57
Oats, " 0 35 to 0 38
Butter, per lb roll... 0 20 to 0 25
" tub, " 0 10 to 0 12
Potatoes, per bag... 0 55 to 0 60
Apples, " 0 50 to 0 60
Dressed Hogs, per cwt. 4 75 to 5 25
Wool, per lb. 0 75 to 0 85

TORONTO MARKETS. TORONTO, Dec. 16, 1872.

Spring Wheat, per bushel... \$1 18 to 1 21
Treadmill Wheat " 1 28 to 1 30
Barley, per bushel... 0 55 to 0 60
Peas, " 0 55 to 0 78
Oats, " 0 40 to 0 45
Wool per lb. 0 51 to 0 52

POSITIVELY A FACT. Mustard's Catarrh Specific

Cures Catarrh, Cold in the Head, Neuralgia, Toothache, Nerveous and Sick Headache, Weak and Sore Eyes. The Specific is a new remedy, prepared from Medicinal Bark, Roots, Gums and Flowers. Free from poisonous Drugs, it is harmless, and its philosophy in its operation. Try it if you are afflicted with the above diseases. It is also one of the best Cough and Croup Remedies extant.

Mustard's Vegetable Pills should also be used in connection with the Specific for Sick Headache and Catarrh; and those who are afflicted with Rheumatism should try Mustard's King of Oils.

Sold in Guelph by McCullough & Moore Druggists. Manufactured at Ingersoll by N. J. Mustard, Proprietor.

If You Have Been an Invalid for years with some Chronic Wasting Diseases of the Lungs, Heart, Liver, or Kidneys, you need not despair yourself that medicine is going to cure you immediately. Repair goes on slowly, and time is necessary to build up a broken down constitution. Do not take every nostrum you read about, nor follow the advice of every friend who has a specific to offer you. Procure a remedy scientifically prepared, that is the result of experience, that has a large amount of evidence of sensible people in favor of its reliability, and persevere in its use until the whole system undergoes a radical improvement, and health is restored. DR. WHEELER'S COMPOUND ELIXIR OF PHOSPHATES AND CALCIUM, a Chemical Food and Nutritive Food, will meet your most sanguine expectations, as it combines everything necessary to perfect digestion, Nutrition and the Formation of Healthy Blood, and to vitalize all the organs and tissues of the body. Sold at \$1.00 per bottle.

OSBORN SEWING MACHINE Prize List for 1872 VICTORIOUS EVERYWHERE Gold Medal at Lyons, France, for Complete Perfection. Osborn First Prizes.

Guelph, Prescott, Hamilton, Ottawa, Crosshill, Fort Garry, Estabrook, Woodville, Toronto, St. Catharines, Coolestown, Kene, Orangeville, Almonte, Pakenham, Welland, Norwichville, Ramsey, Naponee, Clairville, Mulmur, New Hamburg, Rosemont, Mono Mills.

Family Sewing—First Prizes. Hamilton, Guelph, Almonte, Berlin, Crosshill, Clairville, New Hamburg.

Osborn Second Prizes, Hamilton, Woodstock, Parkhill, Markham, Port Hope, Perth.

OSBORN 25 First Prizes, 3 Second Prizes and two Diplomas, for 1871. At each competition the contests were keen, the leading Machines of Canada and the States being represented.

FIRST PRIZE THE OSBORN is warranted for three years, will do every variety of sewing, and the fact that it has carried off the highest awards at the Provincial, Central, Western, and other leading Exhibitions, which no other Machine has ever done, attests its superiority over all competitors.

SEWING MACHINE! Give "THE OSBORN" a trial before purchasing any other; you are certain to be pleased with its work. Beware of cheap, flashy machines claiming to have received first prizes, and leading you to believe they have been awarded any. Competent judges have declared them unworthy, both as regards principle of construction, material employed, and work performed.

AGENTS and others in want of employment during the winter will do well to give us a call. Chances to make money unprecedented.

Guelph Sewing Machine Co's. GUELPH, CANADA. DONALD MCKINNON, agent for Erin and Eramosa. Guelph, Nov. 5th 1872. 1vw-3md

ANCHOR LINE Transatlantic, Peninsular and Mediterranean STEAM PACKET SHIPS The well-known, favorite Clyde built Iron Steamships

America, Caledonia, Scandinavia, Australia, Columbia, Iowa, Britannia, Europa, Ismailia, India.

Sailing regularly every Saturday between New York and Glasgow. Booking passengers to and from Great Britain and Ireland, Germany, Denmark, Norway and Sweden, Portugal, Spain, Italy, Sicily, Egypt, and the Adriatic, in connection with the Anchor Line of Peninsular and Mediterranean Steam Packets, sailing regularly between Glasgow and Mediterranean ports. Fares as low as by any other first-class Line.

For rates of passage, prepaid certificates, and all information, apply to JAMES BYCE, Agent American Express Company, Guelph, Guelph, April 13, 1872.

RAYMOND'S SEWING MACHINES Family Sewing Machine (single thread), Hand Lock Stitch (double thread), " No. 1, Foot Power, " " No. 2, for heavy work, or Cabinet Cases, as required.

CHARLES RAYMOND, GUELPH, ONT. July 12, 1871. dwj

JAMES CORMACK, No. 1, Wyndham Street, Has just received and opened out a large and superior STOCK OF CLOTHS Which he will make to order in the most fashionable styles.

ALSO: READY-MADE CLOTHING, With youths and boys suits in great variety at very low prices.

Underclothing, Dress Shirts, Collars, Oxford Shirts with Collars, Scarfs, Ties, Gloves, &c.

A Lot of Tweeds bought very low, will be sold by the piece or yard, considerably under the present value. Call and examine, before purchasing elsewhere.

At James Cormack's, No. 1, Wyndham St.

MONTREAL OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY CANADIAN LINE FOR LIVERPOOL The first-class, full-powered, clipper-built ships of this line will be despatched every Saturday as follows (carrying the Canadian and United States mails):

QUEBEC TO LIVERPOOL. Through Passage Tickets, Return Tickets and European Frequent Passages (certificates issued lowest rates).

GAZIN—Guelph to Liverpool \$25 and \$35. STERAGE—Guelph to Liverpool \$12.75.

For every information apply to GEO. A. O'NEILL, Agent G. T. H. Guelph. Passengers booked through to London, Manchester, Birmingham, &c., also to Paris, Hamburg, Havre and Bremen.

New Goods for Christmas NEW LONDON LAYERS, NEW VALENTIA RAISINS, NEW SEEDLESS RAISINS, FINE NEW CURRANTS, Choice New Figs, New Lemon Peel, New Orange Peel, New Citron Peel.

New Almonds and Filberts And a Choice assortment of FRESH FANCY BISCUITS.

J. E. McELDERRY, No. 2, Day's Block.

GOLDEN LION 1872 NEW FALL & WINTER GOODS 500 Cases and Bales Just Received!

COMPRISING: 100 bales of Carpets, 100 bales of White Cottons, 100 bales of Factories, 12 cases of Black Silks, 13 cases of Black Lustres, 13 cases of Black Cobourgs, 12 cases of Black Sarmattas, 15 cases of Ready-made Clothing, 12 cases of Yorkshire Fancy Trousers, 10 cases of Black Cassimeres, 10 cases of West of England Broadcloths, 10 cases of Gents Shirts, Collars, Ties and Braces, 93 cases of Fancy Stuffs and Haberdashery.

500 cases and bales expected next week, comprising Fancy Dresses, Silks, Merinos, Hats, Mantles, Bonnets, Shawls, Blankets, Flannels, Gloves, Hosiery, &c., the Largest and Best Assorted Stock of Dry Goods ever imported to Guelph.

CHANCE & WILLIAMSON, GOLDEN LION, THE ONLY DIRECT DRY GOODS IMPORTERS IN GUELPH. Wyndham Street, Guelph, September 12, 1872.

New Goods for the Times AT JOHN R. PORTE'S Fine Gold Sets Brooch and Locketts, Brooches, Earrings, Guards, Alberts, Finger Rings, Studs, Cuff Buttons.

GOLD PLATED JEWELLERY Silver Thimbles, Tea Spoons, Chains, ELECTRO-PLATED WARE Castors, Breakfast and Dinner Butter Coolers, Cake Baskets, Children's Mugs, Salons, Butter Knives, Pickle Forks, Spoons and Forks of all kinds.

RODGER'S TABLE OUTLERY Remember the name and JOHN R. PORTE, Guelph, Dec. 19, 1871. dw

MEDICAL DISPENSARY. McCullough & Moore's COUGH MIXTURE, The only reliable Cough Mixture in use for Coughs, Colds, Influenza, Bronchitis, &c. Thousands have tried it, and never found it to fail. Try it once, and you will use no other.

McCullough & Moore's CHILBLAIN OINTMENT, A safe, speedy, and effectual cure for Chilblains, Frost Bites, and all Tenderness of the Feet.

McCullough & Moore's CONDITION POWDERS, For HORSES and CATTLE, best in use. One pound package for 50 cents. Double the size of any other powder. Farmers try them, and you will use no other.

McCullough & Moore, Chemists and Druggists, GUELPH and ROCKWOOD. We have also just received direct from Europe, a magnificent assortment of Ladies Hair Brushes, Ladies English Hair CHEST PROTECTORS, which cannot be equalled in Ontario.

The Hair Brushes are beautifully stereotyped on backs with a great many of the principal places on the Continent, and are of the most elegant design and finish. Ladies please drop in and see them. McCullough & Moore, Guelph and Rockwood, Guelph, Nov. 5th 1872.

Arrival of New Fruits. Malaga Lemons, Grapes, Crown L. Raisins, London L. Valencia, Figs, Dates, Sweet Potatoes, Finnan Haddies.

HUGH WALKER, WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH. Guelph, Oct. 1, 1872.

THE MEDICAL HALL JUST RECEIVED, a varied assortment of LUBIN'S PERFUMED SOAPS AT THE MEDICAL HALL.

For Toilet Preparations and Proprietary Medicines of the best makers go to E. HARVEY & Co. For the Best Coal Oil Free from smell, and retaining all the illuminating qualities which can be desired, try E. HARVEY & Co. Dispensing Chemists. Guelph, Nov. 26, 1872. dw

NEW Fall Goods, UPPER WYNDHAM STREET. The subscriber begs to inform the ladies of Guelph and surrounding country that she has just received a large and carefully selected stock of Fall Goods, comprising All the Newest Styles and Patterns.

A SPLENDID STOCK OF BERLIN WOOLS ALL COLOURS. Brides, Switches, Obignons, General Fancy Goods, and Toys.

STAMPING DONE. Sewing Machines for sale. MRS. WRIGHT, Next to the Wellington Hotel. Guelph, Oct. 11, 1871. dw

AT R. CRAWFORD'S Jewellery Store, NEXT THE POST OFFICE. YOU CAN GET AT REDUCED PRICES Elgin Watches, Waltham Watches, English Levers, Detached Levers, Clocks in every style.

Gold and Silver Chains, Gold Sets, Brooch and Ear Rings, Finger Rings, Plated Jewellery in every variety, having received to go into the Manufacture of Watches. As soon as the stock is sold out. Special attention given to Fixing Watches, Clocks & Jewellery Which will be carried on to a greater extent than ever, and at the old prices. Gold and Silver Plating done on the premises. Observe the address.

Next to Post Office. Guelph, Aug. 26, 1872. dw

PHENIX MILLS, WATERLOO ROAD. Chopping and Gristing Carefully attended to, and satisfaction promised.

Family and Fall Flour, Graham Flour, Cracked Wheat, Corn Meal, Chopped Corn, Feed and Millers' Offals. Of all sorts for sale at the old Stand, Upper Wyndham Street. Next door to D. Naismith's. Having our own Mill, parties dealing with us can rely that our Flour, Feed, &c., is fresh, good, and as cheap as any place in Town.

Buckwheat Flour for sale. Orders promptly attended to. McWATERS & BUTT Guelph, Oct. 31, 72. dw

NELLES, ROMAIN & CO., CANADA HOUSE, General Commission Merchant AND SHIPPERS, 24 South Clinton St., Chicago, Ill.

Reverences: Sir John Rose, Banker, London, England; J. W. Thomas, Esq., Banker, Montreal; The Marine Company of Chicago, Bankers; Hon. John A. Macdonald, Ontario; Messrs. Gault Bros., Merchants, Montreal; Senator Frank Smith, (Frank Smith & Co.) Toronto; J. Morton Miller, Esq., Barrister, Ont. (late of M. Miller & Co., Commission Merchants, Chicago); Walter Watson, Esq., Banker, New York; D. Butters, Esq., Merchant; Joseph Whitehead, Esq., M. P. Clinton, Ont.; Chas. Magill, Esq., M. P. Hamilton, Ontario; T. O. Chisholm, Esq., Toronto; Samuel N. Brown, Esq., New York.

HEATHERS' Stove and Plough Depot The subscriber would call the attention of the public to Kinney's Patent Improvement in Stove Furniture, by which pots, kettles, frying pans, &c., are so constructed that no smoke, smell and steam from frying tinware or other cooking are communicated to the chimney as perfectly as in the old-fashioned three-place Stoves, give them a trial.

For Sole agents for Guelph. A good assortment of STOVES, TINWARE and FLOURS always on hand, and at the lowest prices. WM. HEATHER, Corner Woodlark-st. and Eramosa Road Guelph, 2nd March, 1871. dw

MICHAEL DUGNEN, Cabinet Maker and Undertaker. Begs to inform the inhabitants of Guelph and surrounding country that he has commenced business in the stand known as M. J. Deane's Grocery Store, opposite the Market. As I have purchased a New and Handsome Hearse I will have on hand a full assortment of every thing in the undertaking business. Metallic Boxes, Walnut, and Chest Cases, Coffins kept in stock. All kinds of Cabinet work made to order. Particular attention paid to the repairing and varnishing of 1000000. As I intend to give my attention to both branches, I beg to merit a share of public patronage. Charges moderate. Wanted—quantity of Seasoned Butternut and Cherry. Wanted—A pair of well-matched black horses. MICHAEL DUGNEN Guelph, June 15, 1872. dw

COAL OIL. Wholesale, Retail. If You Want THE BEST COAL OIL Leave your Orders at Petrie's Drug Store. He will send it home for you. For Coughs, Colds, etc., USE Krib's Honey Syrup. The best thing for Children, they all like it. For sale by A. B. PETRIE. SOMETHING NEW. Hooper's LADIE'S CACHOUS In shape of Lotenges. PETRIE'S Prepared Castor Oil, Free from unpleasant taste, retaining the properties of the Castor Oil. PREPARED BY A. B. PETRIE, CHEMIST, GUELPH. FALL AND WINTER SUPPLIES, 1872. Retail Department W. D. HEPBURN & CO. Are now offering for sale an extensive assortment of Strong and Fancy BOOTS AND SHOES Suitable for Fall and Winter Wear. We invite careful buyers to our system of doing business, viz., Small Profits and but one Price. W. D. Hepburn & Co. manufacture their own goods and feel they can confidently recommend them as CHEAP and DURABLE and all they ask is one trial, which will not fail to prove the genuineness of HOME-MADE BOOTS AND SHOES. As we employ over FORTY HANDS we can supply a large portion of Guelph and surrounding country. All kinds of Boots and Shoes made to order. Repairing done as Usual. TERMS CASH. Store and Factory Eastside Wyndham Street, Guelph, Guelph, Sept. 27, 1872. wd

WHOLESALE Flour and Feed Store. The undersigned begs to notify the inhabitants of Guelph and surrounding country, that they have entered into partnership, and have opened a Flour and Feed Store, in the premises formerly occupied by the late John Stewart, On Macdonnell Street, Where they hope by strict attention to business, and the wants of the public to merit a share of patronage. Flour and Feed of all kinds kept constantly on hand, and delivered to any part of the town free of charge. N.B.—Cash paid for WOOL, SKINS, HIDES & PRODUCE OF ALL KINDS. Goods and produce stored at moderate rates. JAMES HEWER & CO. JAMES HEWER, ISAAC D. SEARTE, Guelph, Sept. 6, 1872. dw

FURNITURE. BURR & SKINNER MANUFACTURERS OF Parlor Suits, Chamber Sets, Extension Tables, Bases, Tees, Lounges, Easy-Chairs, Bedsteads, Bureau, Sideboards, and All Kinds of Furniture, also Sewing Machine Cabinets, Cases and Tops. Employing men of great skill and experience in Cabinet-making, as Joiners, and the best workmen in each department, having a new shop, the most improved machinery, with ample steam power, and using good kiln-dried lumber, we are in a position to turn out as good and cheap goods as any in the market. The attention of the trade and public is invited. BURR & SKINNER, Guelph, Nov. 6, 1872. dw