

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

MY IMMENSE STOCK
DRY GOODS
IS NOW
Open for Inspection.

On account of being delayed in opening
the season is so far advanced, I
find that my stock is much too
large in all kinds of seasons.

WHOLESALE COST.

Call and judge for yourselves.

G. A. SMITH,
McQUILLAN'S BLOCK,
Upper Wyndham Street, Guelph.

Business Cards.

New Advertisements.

WANTED.—By a married couple, one
or two rooms, furnished or unfur-

NEW HOUSE FOR SALE, OR TO
RENT, situated on Ontario Street,

HOT AIR FURNACE.—For sale,
with all the modern improvements.

BONDSMEN WANTED.—Two or
three respectable young men can be

HOUSE TO LET.—On the corner of
Eramosa Road and Mitchell Street,

MONEY TO LOAN.

The undersigned has over
\$50,000 to lend on good farm security

ANDERSON'S
DOMINION SALOON.

The undersigned begs to inform the public
that he has leased the above Saloon,

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership
lately subsisting between John W. A.

Witness: GEO. WORTS.

Dated at Hillsburg, this 1st day of Decem-

CRAWFORD'S Jewellery
Stock is SELLING OFF

QUICK. Parties wishing
Watches, Clocks, or Jewellery,

BOOKBINDING.

MERCHANTS and others requiring first-class
LEATHER BOOKS, of any size, need not send

MAGAZINES and all kinds of books bound
in plain and fancy styles, at

CHAPMAN'S BINDERY,

ANOTHER
New Livery Stable.

JOHN & R. EWING
Beg to notify the public of Guelph that

NEAREST CRESCENT
GROCERY.

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Guelph Evening Mercury

SATURDAY EVEG. DEC. 5, 1874.

Town and County News

Our week has a cartoon on the
Model Farm. Copies for sale at Ander-

The School Museum in Elora has
lately had a number of valuable speci-

THE MILTON NEWS.—We have received
the first copy of this paper, which has

CANADIAN ALMANAC.—Mr. John Anderson
has sent us a copy of this almanac

ANNIVERSARY SERVICES.—The Rev. Mr.
Dewart, editor of the Christian Guardian

WESLEYAN CHURCH.—We have been
requested to state for the benefit of the

FAT CATTLE SHOW.—The Christmas
Fat Cattle Show, under the auspices of

LITERARY CLASS.—The Y. M. C. A. Liter-
ary Class met last night, and the subject

SOUTH WARD TICKET.—The Herald
announces that Messrs. Heffernan, Hall

PIGEON SHOOTING MATCH.

THE TEESWATER NEWS wants to have
the monthly cattle fair started again now

ITALIAN SETTLERS.—A gang of Italians
arrived at Alton recently by the T. G. &

DEER.—The Reporter states that a herd
of deer numbering half a dozen have for

BY TELEGRAPH TO THE MERCURY

Military Arms Seized in Cork.

Small Pox.

The Warden read accounts from the
Mercury, Herald and Orangeville Ad-

Excitement in Berlin.

PARIS, Dec. 4.—The general impres-
sion is that the message of President Mac-

MADRID, Dec. 4.—Thirty arrests have
been made in connection with the recent

LONDON, Dec. 5.—It is reported that
the Deputies of Alsace and Lorraine were

SIR ARTHUR HAMILTON GORDON, formerly
Governor of Trinidad and Mauritius, has

The Warden's Supper.

Mr. James Laidlaw, Warden of the
County, entertained the members of the

POLICE COURT.

Charles Williams was charged by P. C.
Turner with vagrancy. He was sent up

Wellington County Council.

Dec. 4th.

The Council met at 10 a.m. The
Warden in the chair. Thirty-seven

A communication from A. D. Fordyce
was referred to the Committee on Edu-

REPORTS were presented from various
Road Commissioners and referred to their

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Ontario Legislature.

(CONTINUED FROM YESTERDAY.)

THE AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE.

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THE POTATO BUG.

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sessions which have passed away should now be unnecessarily revived, or that the complaints made by or against officers or pupils during those former sessions should now be unnecessarily reopened and made matter of permanent record through the instrumentality of a Committee of this House; that subject to these considerations the condition and management of the said institution are proper subjects of enquiry, and that therefore a Committee for that purpose is hereby appointed, with power to send for papers and papers, and that said Committee be comprised of Messrs. Bethune, Scott (Feterboro), Sinclair, Hodgins, and Boulter, and that at the desire of the late Principal of the College, expressed through an hon. member of this House, the said Committee is further authorized to enquire into the conduct of the said Principal and his management of the said College, and the circumstances which led to his resignation, and to report to this House.

Mr. Cameron said the object of the amendment was to prevent any enquiry into the conduct of the Government. By putting three Government supporters on the Committee, the Government took the power of excluding any evidence they pleased. This was not the enquiry which he had asked for, as no one had desired to investigate the conduct of Professor McCandless, except in connection with the disgraceful conduct of the Provincial Secretary.

Mr. Mowat said the resolution to which this was an amendment had not mentioned the Government or any member of it.

In answer to Mr. Lauder, Mr. Mowat said it was an unheard of thing for the Opposition to have a majority on a Committee affecting a member of the Government in so important a matter.

Mr. Lauder said the Government were afraid of the enquiry. He did not know whether the statements made would be proved or not, but he thought everything connected with the institution ought to be enquired into. He considered that there should be an equal number of members on the Committee from both sides of the House. The only way to make the institution a success now was to discharge the present officials and let the new principals select his own staff. He wished the House to leave politics out of the matter altogether and sustain the Government in making this institution a success.

Mr. Fraser ridiculed the tender of assistance made to the Government by the member from South Grey. In the appointment of Professor McCandless and all the other officials the Government had been actuated by a desire to appoint the fittest men. The charges made so far rested upon the unsupported assertion of Professor McCandless, but when an investigation took place they would find that the Professor was actuated by very considerable bias. The party opposite had long been known as the party of scandals, and now they had descended so low as to bring on the floor of this House the reputation of females. (Hear, hear) He condemned in indignant terms the scandalous course taken in this matter, and reproached the member for East Toronto with betraying his reputation in order to gratify the vindictive purpose of the man who penned the letter which he had read. That man he thought deserving, not of trust, but of contempt. (Cheers.) He showed the absurdity of the proposal that the Opposition should have a majority on the Committee, the insincerity of the suggestion that the numbers should be even, and the necessity of the scope of the enquiry being limited so far as to exclude investigation affecting officials who had left the institution. What the Opposition wanted was not to benefit the institution, but to injure the Government. Professor McCandless had lately informed the public, through the columns of the Mail, that he still held these papers. He charged Mr. McCandless with having stated an untruth over his signature. The Government knew that the Opposition had this correspondence in their hands months before. He contended that the amendment should be passed. He expressed his regret that the member for East Toronto should have seen fit to give the letter of Professor McCandless to the country, and stated that it was so regarded by the Attorney-General that he did not even communicate it all to his colleagues, and this was the first time he (Mr. Fraser) had heard some portions of it.

Mr. Bykerk opposed the amendment. Mr. Hodgins suggested to the member for Lincoln that neither his past career nor his present position entitled him to lecture the House on public morality. After some further remarks by Messrs. McCall and Boulton, The House divided, and the amendment was carried, Yeas, 31; Nays, 21.

YEAS—Messrs. Baxter, Bishop, Chisholm, Christie, Clarke (North), Clements, Cook, Crooks, Curtis, Dawson, Fitzsimmons, Fraser, Gibson, Graham, Grange, Harby, Harrington, Hodgins, McKellar, Mowat, O'Donohue, Oliver, Pardon, Patterson, Sinclair, South Spring, Waterhouse, Williams (Harrington), Wilson, Wood—21.

NAYS—Messrs. Ardagh, Baxter, Boulter, Boulton, Cameron, Clarke (Wellington), Code, Dawson, Fitzsimmons, Gifford, Giles, Lauder, McCall, McTavish, McTavish, Mook, Reid, Rykert, Scott (Grey), Scott (Peterborough), Tooley—21.

Mr. Meredith against, paired with Mr. Bethune on the amendment. The House then adjourned at 2:20 a.m.

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SATURDAY EVENING, DEC. 5, 1874.

**The Southern Extension.**  
We notice that a special meeting of the Hamilton City Council was held on Friday, when the by-law was passed authorizing the sale of the stock held by the City in the Wellington, Grey, and Bruce Railway to the Great Western, on the condition that the Southern Extension of the Wellington, Grey, and Bruce shall be opened on or before the first of February next. The stock held with the road amounts to \$100,000, and is to be sold on the conditions of the by-law at sixty cents on the dollar.

**Ontario Legislature.**  
The only business of any interest before the Legislature on Friday was the second reading of the Bill to amend the Ontario Election Act.

Mr. Mowat explained that the first clause in the Bill was an adaptation of a very good clause in the Dominion Act of last session on the same subject. By the Ontario law, as it stood, unless the seat was sought by the opposite party no investigation took place into corrupt practices on that side. The Dominion Act, which would apply to future elections, put both on the same footing in this respect, so that it might be seen whether the wrong-doing was confined to one party or not. This

provision he proposed to adopt. Then he had also inserted a clause providing that before a member took his seat he should be required to make oath that he had not paid money, except through his election agent, and would not do so. That, he regarded as of very great importance. He also proposed that where a village had been enlarged, the additional territory should belong to the village for electoral as well as municipal purposes.

The Committee appointed to inquire into the management of the Agricultural College, met on Friday morning, and after appointing Mr. Bethune chairman, adjourned to Thursday next, when witnesses will be examined.

**COURT OF CHANCERY.**  
Dec. 4th.

JAMIESON VS. M'ROBY.  
This case, of which we gave the particulars yesterday, is reserved.

OLIVER VS. KINGSLEY.  
The plaintiff in this case owns a flax mill and the defendant was his agent. The owner wanted an explicit statement of agent's flax account, &c. Damages for plaintiff, but will refer to Master of Court.

CARTEL VS. CARTER.  
The contestants in this case are brothers and were in partnership. A difficulty arose about a promissory note, and consequently this action. Consent decreed.

PETERSON VS. PETERSON.  
The Chancellor took his seat at twelve o'clock, and preparatory to giving his decision in this case reviewed the testimony, beginning with the evidence of Mrs. Koat and continuing to the end. He placed considerable weight on the medical testimony, also on the letters between plaintiff and Dr. Tuck. His decision is as follows:—That adultery between plaintiff and Dr. Tuck at Berlin, as alleged by defendant in his answer, was proved. The Bill was therefore dismissed.

This closed the business of the Court.

**THE MASS MEETING.**—We have received a couple of letters, referring to the late temperance mass meeting, which will appear on Monday.

**CONTRACTS.**—In giving a synopsis of the County Treasurer's financial statement for the year, which was presented to the County Council on Wednesday, an error inadvertently crept in. Instead of saying that the County debt had "decreased \$85,250," it should have been "decreased to \$85,250."

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**FOR CHRISTMAS**  
Electro plated Cruet Stands, elegant patterns.  
Ivory handled Table, Dessert and Pocket Knives.  
Nickel Silver and Electro plated Forks to suit.  
Table, Dessert and Tea Spoons.  
Electro plated Butter Coolers.  
Table and Coffee Pans.  
Table Napkin Rings.  
Bread Platters and Bread Knives.  
Toast Racks, Call Bells.  
Tea Trays and Waiters.  
Coal Scuttles.

Also a large assortment of Lamps, new patterns, very cheap; Lamp Glasses, Globes, Shades, Wicks, Burners, etc., etc., at

**JOHN HORSMAN'S,**  
HARDWARE MERCHANT,  
GUELPH.

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**CHRISTMAS**

**YOU WILL FIND**  
A BEAUTIFUL STOCK OF  
Watches, Clocks and Jewelry

Suitable for Christmas Presents, all warranted of good quality

**AT SAVAGE'S**  
JEWELRY ESTABLISHMENT.

A splendid stock of Electro-plate expected in a few days.

Wyndham-st., Guelph.  
Guelph, Dec. 2, 1874

**FOR SALE.**—Lot 17, corner of Woolwich and McTague streets, West Ward, Guelph. The house containing six rooms, is now and coming to be a good brick shop, hard and soft water, stables and wood shed complete. THOMPSON & JACKSON.

**FOR SALE.**—Several valuable and well improved FARMS, varying in size from 20 to 200 acres, all in the neighborhood of Guelph, where there is a market not surpassed in Canada. These lands will be offered at moderate prices, and on easy terms of payment. THOMPSON & JACKSON.

**MONEY** always on hand for investment.  
Money safely invested for Capitalists.  
THOMPSON & JACKSON,  
Land and Loan Agents, Guelph,  
Nov. 18, 1874

**RENAULT & Co.**  
**COGNAC**  
CELEBRATED BRANDIES  
(The oldest Bottlers in France.)

Hear what Dr. Sheridan Muspratt, F.R.S.E.; M.B.L.A., F.G.S., says: "Fine Pale Cognac—Renault's or Hennessy's—is often prescribed for invalids with great success."

To be had of all grocers and Italian Warehousemen.

**AT MARSHALL'S**

**\$500 PER MONTH TO LIVE**  
MEN. SEND \$3 for Agent's outfit, which will sell for \$10, or money refunded.

A. D. CABLE, 708, Craig Street, Montreal, Que. P. Q.

**NEW KID GLOVES.**  
**A. O. BUCHAM**  
Begs to intimate to the Ladies of Guelph that he has just opened a large and fashionable stock of NEW KID GLOVES imported direct for our own trade, and invites attention to the following list:

- Ladies' White Kids, Single Button, in every size, at 50 cents per pair.
- Ladies' White Kids, Double Button, in every size, 75 cents per pair.
- Ladies' White Kids, Four Buttons, in every size, \$1 per pair.
- Ladies' Lavender Kids, Single Button, in every size, 50 cents per pair.
- Ladies' Lavender Kids, Double Button, in every size, 75 cents per pair.
- Ladies' Lavender Kids, Three Buttons, in every size, \$1 per pair.
- Ladies' Light Evening Shades, Double Button, in every size, \$1 per pair.
- Ladies' Black, Mid and Dark Shades, Best Rouillon Kids, warranted first quality, in every size, \$1.10 per pair.
- Misses' White Kids, Single Button, in Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6.
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- Misses' Light Evening Shades, Single Button, in Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, manufactured in Paris expressly for the Fashionable West End.
- Misses' Mid and Dark Shades and Black, in every size.
- Gents' White Kids, in the following sizes, \$1 per pair:—7½, 7¾, 8, 8¼, 8½ and 9.
- Gents' Lavender Kids, in the same sizes.
- Gents' Mid and Dark Shades and Black, in every size, first qualities.

We also invite attention to our stock of Evening Flowers, Lace Handkerchiefs, Lace Sashes, Lace Vests, Lace Peterines, Lace Ties, Sash Ribbons, Promenade Scarfs, Shetland and German Wool Shawls and Squares for evening wear, White and Colored Tartans, Grenadines, Silks, etc.

**A. O. BUCHAM,**  
Fashionable West End Dress, Mantle and Millinery Establishment.

**WILLIAM STEWART**  
Is now Selling at Greatly Reduced Prices, Dress Goods, Millinery, Shawls and Mantles; Blankets, Sheetings, Counterpanes and Furs

**WILLIAM STEWART.**

**CHEAP SALE.**  
FOR THE NEXT TEN DAYS  
**J. HUNTER**  
Will dispose of his large stock of Fancy Woolen Goods at cost, in order to make room for his

**Immense Stock of Toys**  
and General Fancy Goods of every kind suitable for the coming season.

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**TOWN HALL,**  
Three Nights Only, commencing Monday Evening, Dec. 7th.

**Agnes Wallace**  
AND  
**Sam Villa,**  
Sensation Comedy Troupe.

Magnificent Uniformed Band! Superb Orchestra!  
Grand Bill for Monday night!  
In which Sam Villa will appear in one of his great Female Characters.  
Performance to commence with a roving Farce in which Charles Webster and Fauce Company will appear.  
Change of programme each night.  
Prices as usual.  
Reservations for sale at Day's bookstore, 415  
T. E. LITCHFIELD, Agent.

**THE NEW WOOLS FOR CLOUDS**  
New Winter Fashions;  
Kid Gloves and Feathers cleaned or dyed.

**J. HUNTER,**  
Berlin Wool, Fancy Goods and Bookstore,  
Wyndham street, Guelph,  
Dec. 2, 1874

**R. MacGREGOR & Co.**  
SIGN OF THE "BIG BOOT."  
**RUBBERS**  
AND  
**OVERSHOES**  
Keep your Feet Warm!  
Keep your Feet Dry!  
and Reduce your Doctor's bill.

**RUBBERS**  
AND  
**OVERSHOES**  
Take good care of yourselves, good people are scarce.

**R. MacGregor & Co.**  
Successors to W. D. Hepburn & Co.  
GUELPH, Nov. 29, 1874.

**GROCERIES and PROVISIONS**  
**KEABLES & KING**  
Would announce that they have on hand and are receiving fresh supplies of Groceries and Provisions for the Winter Trade.

**CHOICE LOT OF TEAS**  
Moynne, Hyson, Gunpowder, Uncolored Japan, Congou and Souchong, in great variety.

Sugars, Syrups, Spices—all kinds; Pickles, Canned Fruit, Raisins, Candied Lemons, Orange and Citron Peels, Sugar for iced, Cakes, Choice Confectionary in great variety—some new kinds.

**Pastry baked daily, good and fresh. Try it.**  
PARTIES supplied to order, on reasonable terms.

**COAL OIL ON HAND**  
Goods delivered in any part of the Town.

**KEABLES & KING,**  
Central Grocery and Confectionery Store,  
Corner Wyndham and Quebec Streets, Guelph.

**THE ITALIAN WAREHOUSE.**

The following NEW GOODS have just been received:—  
CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S CELEBRATED PICKLES.  
LEA & PERRIN'S WORCESTER SAUCE. HARVEY'S SAUCE.  
BEEFSTEAK SAUCE. READING SAUCE.  
ESSENCE OF ANCHOVIES.  
MUSHROOM CATSUP.  
CALF'S FOOT JELLY.  
CROSSE & BLACKWELL'S JAMS AND JELLIES  
POTTED MEATS (all kinds). ANCHOVY PASTE.  
POTTED YARMOUTH BLOATERS.  
DUTCH ANCHOVIES. ENGLISH MALT VINEGAR.

Cranberries, Finnan Haddies, Bloaters, Fresh Oysters, &c.

**EXTRA VALUE IN TEAS AND SUGARS.**  
INSPECTION INVITED.  
**LOCH & WEIR,**  
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LIFE SIZE  
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Of all descriptions  
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CANNED OR IN SHELL  
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Wyndham-st., Guelph.  
Guelph, Nov. 18th, 1874

**LAMPS!**  
Hand Lamps,  
Table Lamps,  
Pendent Lamps,  
Bracket Lamps,  
OF NEAT DESIGNS AND  
**LOW PRICES.**

**John M. Bond & Co.**  
Wyndham Street, Guelph.  
Guelph, Nov. 16, 1874

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The following invoice of Goods has just been received from the Celebrated Establishment of Crosse & Blackwell, of London, and as it comprises goods such as are not brought to Guelph by any other house you are invited to inspect them:—

- Wax Moons for Carriage Lamps, Night-lights, 6 and 8 hours,
- Cadbury's Cocoa Essence,
- Raspberry and Strawberry Jam,
- Raspberry Vinegar,
- Calvesfoot Jelly,
- Lemon, Madeira, and Vanilla Jelly
- China Preserved Ginger,
- Capt. White's West India Pickle, and Curry Paste,
- Mango Relish, Pickled Onions,
- Kipperd Herrings,
- English Yarmouth Bloaters,
- Smoked Cods, Roes,
- Anchovy and Bloaters Paste,
- Strasburg Meats, Potted Ham, Chicken and Game,
- Harvey's Sauce,
- Lea & Perrin's Worcestershire Sauce,
- English Malt Vinegar, and Anchovy Sauce.

ALSO,  
White Clover Honey, in Combs,  
Cranberries from Lake Superior,

AT JOHN A. WOODS,  
Alma Block and Lower Wyndham Street, Guelph. O'ld do.

**FARMERS' DIARIES.**—If our farmers knew how little trouble it is to keep a diary, and with what satisfaction they would look over it in a few years, we feel sure they would, many of them, be induced to begin one. A simple record of the weather and the operations of the farm, the writing of which would not occupy two minutes a day, will, in after years, be not only a source of pleasure, but also of great practical benefit; by reference back to the record of former years, one can see how late he planted certain crops, and at what time they matured, also items of interest to the family prices, &c. At Day's Bookstore will be found a large stock of Diaries and Farm Account Books. Day will sell you a large foolscap Diary for 35 cents, and Pocket Diaries from 15 cents upwards. Begin now, and it will pay you well for the few minutes lost in entering your day's work.

**GREAT SALE**  
or  
**WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELRY, &c.**  
**AT R. CRAWFORD'S**  
Jewelry Store, next the Post Office, you can get great bargains in Watches, Clocks and Jewelry, such as

Gold Watches formerly \$150 now \$115	do do \$100 .. \$80
do do \$75 .. \$60	do do \$40 .. \$34
do do \$35 .. \$30	do do \$20 .. \$18
do do \$10 .. \$8	do do \$5 .. \$4
Silver Watches, formerly \$20, now \$15	do do \$10 .. \$8
do do \$8 .. \$6	do do \$5 .. \$4
do do \$3 .. \$2	do do \$2 .. \$1
do do \$1 .. \$0.75	do do \$0.50 .. \$0.40

R. C. Crawford's time is too much divided between his Factory and Store, and he has resolved to go out of the store by the new year. He has determined to sell his valuable stock at such prices as will effect an entire clearance.  
Call and examine for yourselves. Money saved is money gained.  
Clocks at lower prices than ever offered in Guelph.  
Store next the Post Office, Guelph.  
Oct. 31, 1874.

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The Venerable Archdeacon Palmer has placed in my hands for sale the Lots in his new survey, immediately in rear of his residence and lying on the north side of Grand street. The situation cannot be surpassed in the town—convenient to Market, Post Office, Church and Schools, commanding a magnificent view of the town and surrounding country. The lots are of different sizes, and well suited for private dwellings, with a first-class soil for gardening.  
Those lots on Tyrathlen Terrace are well adapted for genteel residences, (and will only be sold to those who will bargain to put up good buildings).  
Plans of the Lots can be seen at my office and particulars learned.  
Terms very liberal. Purchases made this Fall, interest on balance of purchase money will not commence until 1st April next.  
If desired, the lots will be pointed out on the ground.  
Also, if other lots lying to the north of Palmer street, in Macdonald's survey, and on Queen and Arthur streets.  
An early call is solicited.  
**CHARLES DAVIDSON,**  
Land and General Agent, Town Hall Building, Guelph.  
Guelph, Dec. 21, 1874.

**CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.**  
OTTAWA, October 3, 1874.  
Authorized Discount on American Invoices until further notice, 3 per cent.  
**R. S. M. HOTCHETT,**  
Commissioner of Customs



REPLY TO "YOU KNOW YOU DO!"

By Mrs. O. L. Sprague, Lawrence, Mass., U.S.  
I cannot help the tall-tale blood  
From stealing to my cheek,  
Whenever I hear his well-known step  
My heart will give a leap.  
I know it does!  
I cannot help but read the glance,  
When eyes with tender love seek mine,  
I answer back the mute appeal,  
Though you don't comprehend the sign.  
I know he does!  
If he "ignores" my pa for me,  
I do not think it "very wrong."  
When love inspires my happy soul,  
I sing my happiest song.  
I know I do!  
Though he may speak of "Kate and Jennie,"  
The "hateful" things I do not care;  
I only flirt and tease the more,  
A woman knows if she is fair.  
I know I do!  
What if I give a "smother'd" scream,  
Whenever his arm is "round my chair?"  
It gives me such a sudden thrill,  
Because I like to have it there.  
I know I do!  
I nestle closer to his side,  
For love attracts me there,  
And then it is my rightful place,  
Because he wants me there.  
I know he does!  
He presses kisses on my cheek,  
My lips meet his half-way,  
And then most manfully he speaks,  
The words he's longest to say.  
I know he has!  
I need not tell you what he said,  
For that is private what he said,  
Thought't made my heart beat just as fast,  
As any, any trip hammer.  
I know it did!  
I am the happiest girl alive,  
I wonder what papa will say:  
"Will he," "Oh, take her Jim,  
The mix would always have her way."  
(I know she did!)  
My dear papa, I love him best  
Of all the world save Jim,  
Oh, dear! I wish that all the girls  
Could such a treasure win as Jim.  
I do!

HELENA GRAHAM,  
—OR—  
THE BRIDE'S SACRIFICE.

CHAPTER IX.  
Captain Malcolm Graham sat in the  
parlor of the Craig's End Hotel, as the  
flaming gilt sign-board announced, his  
heels elevated on the window-sill, his  
chair tipped sublimely back, a cigar in  
his mouth, and a newspaper in his hand.  
Many people were passing in and out,  
some of whom he greeted with a nod,  
others with a brief salutation, while he  
still went on with his reading and smok-  
ing. There seemed to be nothing very  
exciting in the paper, judging by Captain  
Graham's suppressed yawns; and he was  
about to throw it aside as worthless,  
when a paragraph caught his eye, that  
brought him to his feet as suddenly as  
though those members were furnished  
with steel springs.  
The paragraph was brief, and ran  
thus:—  
"If Oscar Graham, Esq., of Graham  
Isle, be still alive, he is earnestly re-  
quested to call immediately at the office of H.  
Preston, Writer to the Signet, No. 12,  
Fore-street, Craig's End. In case of his  
death his heirs should apply. H. PRESTON."  
"Now, what in the name of Neptune  
and all his scaly court, can this mean?"  
 ejaculated the amazed Captain Graham.  
"Should be happy to inform you," said  
a voice behind him, "only I don't happen  
to know what you're talking about."  
Captain Graham turned round, and  
saw a fashionably-dressed young man  
who had just entered standing beside  
him.  
"Ah, Murray, how are you?" he said,  
extending his hand; "happy to see you.  
What in the world brought you here?  
The very last person ever expected to  
see in this quarter of the globe."  
"Well," said Murray, leisurely seating  
himself, "I came down here, nominally, to  
transact some business for the governor;  
but the fact is, I heard the Summer  
Breeze had arrived, and I wanted to pay  
my devours to your lovely sister. How  
is pretty lady Helena?"  
"Very well, and at present on a visit  
at the Rev. Mr. McAlmont's. But look  
at this advertisement, here, in the *Craig's  
End Chronicle*. What the deuce do you  
make of it?"  
Murray took the paper and carelessly  
glanced over the lines.  
"Faith, I don't know. Somebody's left  
you a legacy, perhaps."  
"Pooh! what a notion! Who under  
the sun is there to leave a legacy to me?  
The Grahams are all as poor as Job's  
turkey."  
"Well, there's your mother's relations  
—the Dundases. Old Edward Dundas,  
the City banker, is a millionaire, worth  
more hundred thousand pounds than I  
would undertake to count. He might  
have died and left you his money."  
"And leave his own family without.  
A likely story," said Captain Graham.  
"My dear fellow, he had no family, ex-  
cept a wife, and she has been dead for  
many years. You may be certain he has  
left you his heir."  
"By Jove! if that should prove to be  
true, that would be a slice of good luck.  
But it cannot be. Dame Fortune would  
never bestow on a Graham any such  
friendly smile. They always were an  
impoorished race, and always will be, I  
believe."  
"Don't be too confident. Strange  
things happen sometimes. For instance,  
I saw something strange a night or two  
ago."  
"Yes? What is it?"

FURS, FURS, FURS!!!

GEORGE JEFFREY'S

Sales in this Department exceed his most sanguine expectations. See Price List below:

MUFFS

ALASKA MINK	from \$1 25	MINIVER	from \$2 00
CONY	2 25	GREBE	3 75
ARCTIC	2 50	KOLINSKI	5 00
COLUMBIA SEAL	3 00	REAL MINK	5 00
BRITISH SABLE	2 25	RUSSIAN SQUIRREL (the set)	9 00
ERMINE	2 25	REAL ERMINE	6 00

FUR HATS, FUR HATS.

The Nellie Grant in Grebe, Mink, and South Sea Seal.

Those Dress Goods, at 25 cents per yard, are the very best Value ever offered in Guelph.

GEORGE JEFFREY.

Great Attraction! Special Bargains!

THE PRINCIPAL HOUSE  
THE GOLDEN LION

DOING THE TRADE.  
THE GOLDEN LION

No complaint of dull times. Always busy at the Lion, with a big increase, the last two months; for which we tender our thanks to a generous hearted Public, who have so nobly seconded the effort of the Proprietor in their behalf. We now offer this week NEW GOODS, CHEAP GOODS; yes, the best value yet offered. The Lion is determined no inferior animal shall cross his path, in dispensing the best class of Goods at the lowest possible prices. The Public are now fully aware who their friends are, and who are not. You may Barnum-like hoodwink the people once, but you will not repeat it. They have discovered who is working in their behalf, and who for an agrandisement of self.

Six Car loads opening this Week to supply the Great Demand!

- 300 Pieces of those heavy home-made Flannels, yard wide, 25 cents, worth 40 cents.
- 500 Pieces, all wool, extra heavy millers' grey cloth, 50 cents, worth 75 cents. See this lot.
- 260 Pieces fine scoured Wincey, at 10 cents. We give 15 yards checked ditto, for one dollar.
- 769 Pieces lovely Dress Goods, a special bargain, 18 cts, worth 37½ cts.
- Another large arrival of those Grey Wool Shawls 11s. York, worth \$2.50.
- 202 Pieces heavy Satinet, for Mens' and Boys' wear, dark and light, at 37½ cents.
- Heavy shirts and drawers, from 50 cents and upwards.
- 10 Bales Hudson Bay Buffalo Robes; good value.
- 15 Cases New Furs, in all the latest styles.

Attention is directed to a superior class of Damask Table Linen which my agent in Glasgow bought at much under the ordinary prices. See those Bargains. MILLINERY, MANTLES—in our Show Room above in beautiful variety. READY-MADE CLOTHING—in Dread Nought Coats, Pea Jackets, Pants and Vests in endless variety. Keep your money till you reach the Leading House—the Great Golden Lion, the far famed House for Cheap Goods, and where you will get a hearty reception.

J. D. WILLIAMSON.

Golden Lion, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

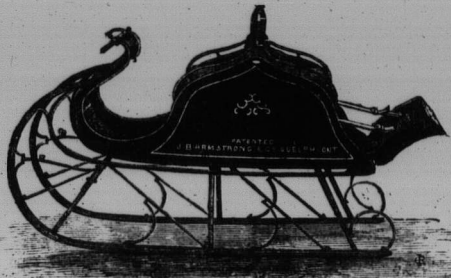
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Guelph, Oct. 21, 1874

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GENTLEMEN,—  
Having heard your Pianos at the  
World's Peace Jubilee, and also used them  
during my stay in Boston, I am free to say  
that I have never before seen pianos pos-  
sessing such a combination of truly wonder-  
ful quality and quantity of tone, meeting at  
once the wants of the largest Concert Hall  
and the drawing room.

I consider them superior to any pianos  
that have come under my observation.  
JOHANN STRAUSS.

The following Musicians

Of world wide reputation give these Pi-  
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FRANZ LISZT,  
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In sums to suit borrowers. No solicitor's  
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Apply direct to the undersigned.

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NEW  
Machine Shop.

The subscriber having opened a mach-  
ine shop in town, is prepared to do

ALL KINDS OF JOBBING

In a first-class manner.

Shafting, Pulleys, Hangers, Saw Arbours,  
etc., made to order.

Milwrighting & repairing engines, factory  
machinery, sewing machines, etc., prompt-  
ly attended to and a good job guaranteed.

Shop near the Eramosa Bridge, oppo-  
site the Wheel Factory.

Carpenters, Cabinet Makers and others  
can have the wood turning well done on  
short notice.

N. STOVEL,  
Guelph, Nov. 17, 1874. do

"MONEY TO BE MADE."

The subscriber is authorized to let the  
store and premises, in the village of Eden  
Mills, lately occupied by Samuel Meadows.

These premises are of stone, large and  
well suited for a general store. The village  
is situated in the centre of a flourishing  
farming district. Terms moderate. Apply  
to Lemon, Peterson & McLean, Solicitors  
Guelph, and to J. A. DAVIDSON,  
Township Clerk,  
Eden Mills, d

May 27, 1874

JOHN HOGG  
HIS NEW STORE.

The Great Rush of Old Friends and  
Customers is daily increasing.

Sound Business Principles ad-  
hered to in my Store.

ONE PRICE ONLY!

THE BEST GOODS AT THE LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES!

1000 Pieces New Dress Goods  
Just Arrived at Tremendously  
Cheap Prices!

Beautiful lot of Black Dress Silks, and at fully 25 per cent.  
under any Establishment in Guelph. A delightful assortment of  
Plain Colored Glace and Brocaded Dress Silks, Wedding Silks, &c.,  
and at wonderfully cheap prices. The finest and largest stock of  
Black Lustras and Black Alpaca in the Province, and at marvell-  
ously cheap prices. Call and see them, and every variety and  
price of every kind of dress goods made. PRICES CHEAP, AND  
QUALITY GOOD.

MANTLE DEPARTMENT

IS IN FULL OPERATION

With a most complete Stock of Mantles, Jackets, Polonaises,  
and Cloth- of all kinds to make up from.

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT

Is in full operation, and is creating quite a sensation. The  
fine taste and stylish appearance of the Hats and Bonnets, together  
with the cheap prices asked, is commanding the attention of the  
Ladies of Town and County.

MY STOCK OF WOOLEN GOODS

Is immensely large, and my prices extremely cheap. I ask,  
with confidence, my old friends and customers, to come and in-  
spect, and judge for themselves, when I feel assured that they will  
be more than satisfied, not only with the good and sound quality  
of the goods, but especially with the cheapness of the prices asked.

READY-MADE CLOTHING

In this Department I hold an immense stock of

- Over Coats, Pea Jackets,
- Nor' West Over Coats.
- Frock and Dress Coats,} Business and Shooting Coats.
- Pants and Vests,
- Suits to match,
- Boys' Clothing all sizes,

and at prices fully one-third under the usual high prices  
charged by other stores in town.

I ask an inspection and comparison of my Goods with any establish-  
ment in Ontario. I know that nothing that can be brought forward in  
Guelph can touch my Goods either in quality, price, or style, as every class  
of Goods in my store is new and fresh, and bought for READY MONEY,  
and in the best markets in the world.  
Call and see not only the new store and new goods, but the wonderful

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AT THE  
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Guelph, Oct. 22, 1874. dwtj, ist.

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ter, Eramosa Bridge, Guelph. The  
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References kindly permitted to Dr  
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Having recovered from his recent illness, is  
again prepared to attend to the wants of all  
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Office at the Stand, Wyndham street,  
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**ALLEN'S LUNG BALSAM**—Is warranted to break up the most troublesome cough in an incredible short time. There is no remedy that can show more evidence of real merit than this Balsam for curing Consumption, Croup, Colds, Asthma, Croup, etc.

Mr. Jas. Colecluch, who has for a long time carried on the drug business in Mount Forest, has sold out to his brother, and taking his family with him goes to the Pacific Coast for the benefit of his health.

**Breakfast**—Epps' Cocoa—**Grateful and Comforting**—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 flavoured beverage which may save up many heavy doctor's bills. —*Civil Service Gazette*. Made simply with boiling water or milk. Each packet is labelled — "James Epps & Co.", Homoeopathic Chemists, London." 1y6-9m

**RAILWAY TIME TABLE.**  
**GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.**  
 Trains leave Guelph as follows:  
 —WEST—  
 1:45 a.m.; 9:45 a.m.; 1:35 p.m.; 6:00 p.m.; 8:30 p.m.  
 To London, Goderich and Detroit. To Berlin and Galt.  
 —EAST—  
 8:05 a.m.; 8:30 a.m.; 11 a.m.; 4:30 p.m. and 7:25 p.m.  
**GREAT WESTERN—GUELPH BRANCH.**  
 On and after Monday, 10th November, going south—8:30 a.m.; 5:30 a.m.; 2:40 p.m., and mixed 3:15 p.m.  
 Going north—12 noon; 5:40 p.m. 8:35 p.m.  
 The 3:15 a.m. south will run through to Hamilton, reaching there about 11 a.m., and returning will leave Hamilton about 3:15 p.m., reaching Guelph 5:30 p.m.  
 NOTE.—Extra accommodation to public. Two trains from Southampton and Paisley, and back daily.

**Commercial.**  
**Guelph Markets.**

Mercury Office, Dec. 5.  
 Flour, per 100 lbs. \$2.75 to \$3.00  
 Fall Wheat, per bushel. 1.00 to 1.10  
 Roadwell. do. 1.00 to 1.10  
 Spring Wheat (Glasgow). 0.85 to 0.86  
 Spring Wheat (red chaff) 0.80 to 0.85  
 Oats, do. 0.40 to 0.42  
 Peas, do. 0.70 to 0.75  
 Parley, do. 1.00 to 1.05  
 Rye, per ton. 14.00 to 15.00  
 Straw, do. 4.00 to 4.50  
 Wood, per cord. 4.00 to 5.00  
 Eggs, per dozen. 17 to 17  
 Butter, dairy packed. 20 to 23  
 Butter, rolls. 22 to 25  
 Potatoes, per bag. 0.60 to 0.60  
 Apples, per bush. 0.50 to 1.00  
 Beef, per cwt. 4.00 to 7.00  
 Wool. 36 to 60  
 Dressed Hogs. 7.25 to 8.00  
 Sheepskins. 10 to 1.30  
 Hides, per cwt. 0.40 to 7.00

**Toronto Markets.**  
 TORONTO, Dec. 5.  
 Fall Wheat, per bushel. 80 to 81.00  
 Spring Wheat, do. 82 to 83.00  
 Parley, do. 1.00 to 1.11  
 Oats, do. 42 to 44  
 Peas, do. 70 to 72  
 Prossed Hops per 100 lbs. 8.00 to 8.25  
 Butter, lb rolls. 27 to 30  
 Butter, tub dairy. 27 to 28  
 Eggs, fresh, per doz. 26 to 27  
 Apples, per barrel. 1.75 to 2.35  
 Potatoes, per bush. 0.50 to 0.60  
 Rye, per ton. 16.00 to 21.00  
 Straw. 11.00 to 13.00  
 Wool. 00.00 to 00.00

**Hamilton Markets.**  
 Hamilton, Dec. 5.  
 White wheat, per bushel. 81.00 to 81.00  
 Roadwell. do. 0.85 to 0.86  
 Red wheat. do. 0.80 to 0.80  
 Spring wheat. do. 0.83 to 0.85  
 Oats. do. 42 to 44  
 Peas. do. 70 to 72  
 Parley. do. 1.00 to 1.07  
 Rye. do. 70 to 75  
 Corn. do. 72 to 76  
 Buckwheat. do. 65 to 60  
 Clover. do. 0.60 to 0.60  
 Timothy. do. 2.75 to 3.00  
 Butter, fresh, per lb. 25 to 32  
 Butter, tub. do. 28 to 28  
 Apples, per bush. 40 to 40  
 Potatoes. do. 1.00 to 1.12  
 Wool. 00 to 06

**Special Notices.**  
**\$5 to \$20 PER DAY.**—AGENTS wanted! All classes of working people, of either sex, young or old, make more money at work for us in their spare moments, or all the time, than at anything else. Particulars free. Post card to STINSON & Co., Portland, Maine, U.S.A. daily

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 by strychnine poisoning from taking SYRUP OF HYPOPHOSPHITES, noticed in the Montreal Daily Witness, of August 1st, sends great caution necessary not to confound Dr. Wheeler's Compound Elixir of PHOSPHATES and Calisaya, with COMPOUND SYRUP OF HYPOPHOSPHITES. Observe well the difference in orthography, and bear in mind that medicinally there is a similarity in action or effect.  
**PHOSPHATES ARE ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY** to sustain life, being a constituent of every solid and fluid of the body, and they are incapable of injurious results at any period from infancy to old age, or under any possible condition of the system, and no more harm can result from taking more than the prescribed dose than from eating too hearty a dinner. d&w

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 Is the great modern remedy for Croup, Colds, Consumption, Asthma, Croup and BRONCHITIS. It is recommended by Physicians everywhere, who are acquainted with its great usefulness.  
 Dr. A. L. Scovill, of Cincinnati, Ohio, says:—  
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 Sold by all Druggists. Price \$1 per bottle.  
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 Cures LEUCORRHOEA (or Whites), PAINFUL MENSTRUATION, CLORRHOEA of the UTERUS, GYANIAN diseases, ABSENT MENSTRUATION, and all diseases known as Female Weakness. They are prepared with the greatest care, under the personal supervision of a physician who has made female diseases a special study for many years, and they are a Medicine on which  
**MARRIED LADIES** can depend "to the hour and time of need" as an unfailing  
**FEMALE REGULATOR.**  
 Sold by all druggists everywhere.  
 Price, one box, \$1; six boxes, \$5; sent by mail free of postage securely sealed from observation. For full particulars write for our pamphlet, which we will send in a sealed envelope to any address on receipt of post stamp to pre-pay return postage. Address all letters for pamphlets or pills to  
**WILLIAM GRAY & CO.,**  
 Windsor, Ont.  
 Sold in Guelph by E. Harvey, and all druggists everywhere. Northon & Lyman Toronto, and J. Winer, Hamilton, Wholesale Agents.  
 Guelph, July 18, 1874

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**REASONABLE GOODS CHEAP CASH**

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| MUFFS,<br>BOAS,<br>TIPPETS,<br>FUR CAPS,<br>BOYS' OVERCOATS,<br>MENS' DO<br>MENS' FELT OVERSHOES<br>WOMENS' DO<br>MISSSES' DO<br>BOYS' DO<br>RUBBER SHOES (all sizes),<br>FELT BOOTS do<br>LEATHER BOOTS | WOOL SHAWLS,<br>WOOL CLODS,<br>WOOL HOODS,<br>WOOL SCARFS,<br>WOOL DRAWERS,<br>WOOL GLOVES,<br>WOOL MITTS,<br>WOOL HOSIERY,<br>WOOL TWEEDS,<br>WOOL FLANNELS,<br>WOOL BLANKETS,<br>WOOL YARNS,<br>WOOL DRESS GOODS. |
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**CLOTHING MADE TO ORDER**  
**The GROCERY DEPARTMENT is fully**  
 assorted with New Goods.  
**J. C. MACKLIN & Co.**  
 GUELPH, Nov. 7, 1874 dw

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**SHAW & MURTON**  
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 all sizes for Men and Boys' Wear of the celebrated

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 Shaw & Murton,  
 GUELPH, Oct. 7, 1874 MERCHANT TAILORS

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 GOOD AS THE BEST.  
 Cheap as the Cheapest.

The Subscriber has on hand a large assortment of Ploughs, Cooking, Parlour, and Heating Stoves, For COAL and WOOD; also a fresh lot of the  
**Radiant Home Base Burner**  
 That took the first prize at the Central Exhibition.  
 Also a large stock of  
**SUPERIOR TINWARE**  
 The whole of which will be sold at the lowest wholesale prices.  
 Remember the stand—Corner of Woolwich st. and Eramosa Road.  
**GIVE US A TRIAL. WILLIAM HEATHER.**

**SUGARS! TEAS! SUGARS!**  
**G. & A. HADDEN**  
 HAVE JUST RECEIVED A SPLENDID LOT OF  
 New Sugars for Preserving.  
 A Large Lot of A. 1 New Season Teas, fresh and fragrant.  
 Genuine French Brandies (choicest brands.)  
 Very fine Old Port and Sherry Wines.  
 Pure Jamaica Rum, Holland Gin, &c., &c.  
 Extra Quality in French Pickling Vinegars, in demijohns, and on draft; and a General assortment of first-class Family Groceries.

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 We are offering some Special Lines very low:  
 Fancy Dress Goods 10c. yd.; Hoyle's Prints 12c. per yd.; Horrocks' Cottons 12c. per yard.  
 A large stock of Cotton Yarn, White and Coloured Carpet Warps, Grain Bags, &c.  
**G. & A. HADDEN.**  
 Guelph, 1874. d&w-w

**FALL IMPORTATIONS.**  
**IMMENSE STOCK**  
**NEW GOODS**  
 In Every Department.  
**JAMES CORMACK,**  
 No. 1, Wyndham Street

**OIL, OIL, OIL.**  
**Guelph Oil Works**  
 Just received at the warehouse of the above another lot of that superior water white Export Oil—the burning qualities of which cannot be excelled. Orders promptly filled.  
**O. CLARK,**  
 Guelph Oil Works, d&wif  
 Guelph, Oct. 15, 1874.

**TO BORROWERS.**  
 Having invested the 28,000 recently advanced, we again have the following sums, besides others, to lend on farm security:  
 \$500 \$1000  
 \$600 \$1000  
 \$800 \$1200  
 \$600 \$1250  
 \$800 \$2000  
 \$800 \$2500  
 LEESON, PATTERSON & MACLEAN,  
 Guelph, July 18, 1874

**PARKER'S HOTEL,**  
 DIRECTLY—  
 OPPOSITE THE MARKET, GUELPH.  
 First-class accommodation for travellers. Commodious stabling and an attentive hostler.  
 The best Liqueurs and Cigars at the bar. He has just fitted up a room where Oysters will be served up at all hours, in the most stylish.  
 Fresh Salmon, Lobsters and Sardines.  
**CASH FOR OL, HIDES, SHEEP PICKINGS**  
 The highest market price paid for the above at No. 100-102 Street Day's old Block, Guelph.  
 Plasterers' hair constantly on hand for sale.  
**MOULTON & BISH,**  
 Guelph, January 1, 1874. dw  
**FOR SALE**—A splendid chance for a Market Garden. Brick house and five acres land, 5 miles from town. Apply to R. W. Robertson, Flour and Feed Store, Guelph

**Hurrah for the Elephant!**

A Large Lot of Clothing Just Received at the  
**Elephant Clothing Store**  
 For Men and Boy's Wear to be sold Cheap:  
 Men's Heavy Pants, selling from \$2 up.  
 Men's Heavy Vests, selling from \$1.50 up.  
 Men's Heavy Coats, selling from \$3.75 up.  
 Men's Heavy Beaver Overcoats selling from \$6.50 up.  
 Boy's Tweed Suits selling from \$5.  
 Boy's Beaver and Hudson Bay Overcoats selling at all prices and for cheapness cannot be equalled anywhere.

**A Big Stock of Underclothing!**  
 Men Double breasted Undershirts for \$1; Men's Flannel and Winey Shirts from 65 cents up.  
 HATS and CAPS and Gent's Furnishing Goods, the largest and cheapest stock in town.  
**WM. RUTHERFORD & Co.**  
 Guelph Nov 19, 1874.

**GUELPH TEA DEPOT**  
**E. O'DONNELL & Co.**  
 Have Coming in To-day  
 400 caddies of the Best Young Hyson Dollar Tea to be sold at 80 cents per lb. by the caddy.  
 10 caddies of Good Japan 7c. cent Tea for 65 cents by the caddy.  
 75 caddies of Good Black Tea at 40 cents per lb. by the caddy.  
 87 caddies of Extra Good Black Tea at 75 cents per lb. by the caddy.  
 315 caddies of Good Green Tea containing 5lbs each, for \$2.50.

**1 car load of Lake, Trout and White Fish,**  
**AND**  
**2 car loads of Lake Herring expected every day.**  
**E. O'DONNELL & CO**  
 GUELPH, Oct. 28, 1874 IMPORTERS.

**G. B. FRASER**  
 Being the only merchant in Guelph who attended the Great Auction Sale in Montreal, can state with confidence that he can show goods at prices much below their regular value.  
**Parties buying at FRASER'S will save more money than they would elsewhere.**  
 Strangers to his store should try the experiment. FRASER keeps a general store where all can get suited without having the trouble of going all over town.  
**CALL and SEE THEM.**  
 GUELPH, Nov. 4, 1874.  
 In consequence of the late great fire in Montreal, Messrs. Ketchum, French & Co. have sold the balance of their stock saved from the fire \$200,000 at auction, of which G. B. FRASER bought largely, at such low prices as will enable him to sell  
**Dry Goods this Winter much Cheaper than any other Store in Guelph!**  
 FRASER'S store is crammed from cellar to attic with cheap goods. The run of customers to FRASER'S for the cheap smoked goods is enormous, which causes other merchants to grumble and growl. Still FRASER'S is determined to look after the wants of his customers, no matter what others may think.

**CHEAP FURNITURE!**  
**BURR & SKINNER,**  
 Alma Block, Guelph.  
 We are now employing more help, and turning out much better quantities of good work than at any time since we commenced manufacturing, and we are glad to find the people of Guelph appreciate our efforts to give them the best of Furniture.

**FURNITURE VERY LOWEST PRICES**  
 and see the advantages of having large Factories in town; by the way, we are unusually and from this Christmas we shall give better bargains than ever in all our history of Furniture.

**UPHOLSTERED GOODS,**  
 Spring Beds, Mattresses, Geese Feathers,  
 &c. &c., all at remarkably low prices.  
 Call at once and you will find us wide awake and honourable dealers, guaranteeing satisfaction every time.  
**BURR & SKINNER,**  
 Manufacturers and Wholesale and Retail Dealers in Furniture  
 nov19dw

**IRON CASTINGS**  
 Of all kinds made to order at  
**CROWE'S IRON WORKS,**  
 Norfolk Street, Guelph.  
**JOHN CROWE, Proprietor**  
**F. STURDY,**  
 House, Sign, & Ornamental Painter  
 Grainier and Paper Hanger.  
 Shop next to the Wellington Hotel, Wyndham Street, Guelph. dw

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**STEAMERS**  
 BETWEEN  
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Consisting of Sixteen of the Best Equipped and fastest steamships in the world, Sailing from New York every Thursday and Saturday.  
 Return tickets from Guelph to Liverpool Cork, or Glasgow, and back to Guelph, For \$50.  
 Single tickets only \$27.  
 First-class passage given to New York by rail. Apply to  
**H. D. MOREHOUSE,**  
 Exchange Office.

**ALSO, Agent for the**  
**Michigan Central and Erie Railroad.**  
 Passengers booked to all points in the United States.  
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**Speed, Safety, Comfort,**  
**GREAT REDUCTIONS**  
**Steerage Rates from Guelph**  
 to Liverpool, Londonderry, and Glasgow.  
 Average passages nine and a half days from Quebec; three in smooth water.  
 Patronise the Canadian Route.  
 Cabin, state rooms, tickets, and all information furnished by  
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 Agent Grand Trunk Railway.

**KENNEDY'S**  
**Marble Works,**  
 Opposite side from Mills & Goddell's Foundry, and  
 Near Eramosa Bridge, Guelph.  
 ALL KINDS OF  
**MONUMENTS!**  
 Tomb Stones, Mantel Pieces, &c., made to any size or design, and put up in any part of the country.  
 Scotch Granite Monuments imported to order.  
 P. B. A. Kennedy is a practical marble cutter.

**POWELL'S**  
**Boot and Shoe Store**  
 Men's English and American styles  
 Gaiters and Shoes;  
 Ladies and Children

**GOAT, KID AND PRUNELLA**  
 Which for style, finish and durability, will be found superior to any in Guelph.  
 Particular attention paid to  
**Custom Work and Repairing.**  
 Remember the Noted Sho Store,  
**G. S. POWELL,**  
 West side Wyndham Street, Guelph, Guelph, Mar. 29th, 1874. dw

**THOS. WORSWICK**  
 MANUFACTURER OF  
**MACHINISTS' TOOLS**  
 Complete, with best modern attachments.  
**STEAM ENGINES**  
 Of a superior class, with variable cut off. Also cheap Portable and Stationary Engines, the smaller sizes of which are designed for Printing Offices, and other requiring small power.  
**Jobbing will Receive Careful Attention.**  
**THOS WORSWICK**  
 Guelph, Ont  
 Dec. 17 1873 d&wiv

**RAYMOND'S**  
**SEWING MACHINES**  
 Family Sewing Machine (single thread)  
 " Hand Lock Stitch (double thread)  
 " No. 1, Foot power,  
 " No. 2, for heavy work,  
 Furnished with plain tables, half, or Cabinet Cases, as required.  
**CHARLES RAYMOND,**  
 GUELPH, ONTARIO.

**ROYAL HOTEL**  
**LIVERY STABLES.**  
 The undersigned having purchased this Livery begs to inform the people of Guelph and the travelling public that he has a fine stock of first-class horses and rigs, comprising single and double buggies, carriages, etc., which he will let by the hour or day on the most favourable terms.  
**CABS.**—He has also on hire his splendid New Cab and will promptly attend to all orders with which parties may favor him whether by or from the stations, pleasure drives, &c. Orders left at the Royal Hotel, or at the Livery stable will receive careful attention.  
**JAMES EWING,**  
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 Deeds, Mortgages, Wills, Leases, etc. etc. neatly and correctly prepared.  
 Money always on hand in sums to suit borrowers, on mortgages or good personal security. No delay or extravagant charges.  
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