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GUELPH, ONT., CANADA, THURSDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 27, 1873.

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Business Cards.

MEDICAL CO-PARTNERSHIP.
The undersigned, have entered into partnership for the practice of the Medical profession under the style and firm of Keating & McDonald.

THOS. AUGUSTHE KRATING,
A. A. MACDONALD, M. D., R. C. S., Edin.
M. B., L.R.C.P., Edin., and L.R.C.S., Edin.
Guelph, July 1st, 1873. dim wdm

REMOVAL OF SURGERY.

DR. HEROD
Has removed his Surgery to the recently opened Guelph Drug Store, where he may be found daily from 12 to 1 P.M. at the entrance of Cork Street. After 6 p.m. at his residence at home. dw

DUNBAR, MERRITT & BISCOE,
Barristers and Attorneys at Law
Solicitors in Chancery, etc.
Office—Over Harvey's Drug Store.
A. DUNBAR, W. MERRITT, F. BISCOE.
Guelph, Oct. 7, 1873. dw

LIVE B & MACDONALD
Attorneys at Law, Solicitors
Notaries Public, &c. Office—Corner of Wyndham and Quebec Streets, up stairs,
Guelph, Ont. (dw)

GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEREN,
Barristers, Attorneys-at-Law, Solicitors
in Chancery, Guelph, Ontario.

W. GUTHRIE, J. WATT, W. H. CUTTEREN
Guelph, March 1, 1871. dw

LEMON & PETERSON,

Barristers and Attorneys at Law,
Solicitors in Chancery,
Conveyancers and Notaries Public.

Offices—Brownlow's New Buildings, near
the Registry Offices.

A. LEMON, H. W. PETERSON,
CHAS. LEMON, County Crown Attorney

WILLIAM J. PATERSON,
Official Assignee for the County
of Wellington. dw

CASE—Opposite Town Hall, Guelph. dw

STEPHEN BOULT, Architect, Con-
tractor and Builder, Planing Mill, and
of kind of Joiner's Work prepared for
the Trade and the public. The Factory is on
Quebec street, Guelph. dw

F. STURDY,
House, Sign, & Ornamental Painter

GRAINER AND PAPER-HANGER.
Shop next to the Wellington Hotel, Wynd-
ham Street, Guelph. dw

RON CASTINGS
Of all kinds, made to order at

CROWE'S IRON WORKS,
Norfolk Street, Guelph.

JONH CROWE, Proprietor

THORP'S HOTEL, GUELPH, ready
for business. Good accommodation for
commercial travellers. Free omnibus to and from all trains. First-
class Livery in connection. May 14 dwf. JAS. A. THORP, Proprietor

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PRACTICAL
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Gold and Silver Watches, Chains, Brooches,
Rings, &c., Hair Plait and Device Work,
Clocks and Time pieces, Jewelry repaired
and made to order. All good
goods in variety. dw

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DIRECTLY—
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First-class accommodation for travellers
Commodious stabling and an attentive
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He has just fitted up a room where Oysters
will be served up at all hours, in the favorite
style. Pickled Salmon, Lobsters, and Sardines.
Guelph, Feb. 18, 1873. dw

HOTEL CARD.
The Right man in the Right Place.

THOMAS WARD,
(Late of Crown Hotel),
Proprietor.
Guelph Dec. 5th, 1872. dw

J. H. ROMAIN & CO.,
Successors to Nelles, Romain & Co.,
CANADA HOUSE,

General Commission Merchants,
AND SHIPPERS,
26, City National Bank Building,
Chicago, Ill.

References: Sir John Rose, banker,
London, England; F. W. Thomas, Esq., bank-
er, Montreal; The Marine Company, Chicago;
bankers: Hon. J. Galt, London, Ont.;
John Galt, Montreal; Dr. Galt, Montreal; Senator
F. Smith, Frank Smith & Co. To-
ronto; J. M. Miller, Esq., Firth, Ont. (late of
J. M. Miller, and co.); Mr. and Mrs. J. W.
Chapman, Waterford, Eng.; banker, New
York; J. Butters, Esq., Montreal; J. White
head, Esq., M. P. Clinton, Ont.; C. Macmillan,
Esq., M. P. Hamilton, Ont.; T. C. Chisholm,
Esq.; B. B. Foote, Esq., Toronto.

W. M. FOSTER, L.D.S.,
SURGEON DENTIST, GUELPH.

McGover E. Hay-
ward, Druggist, Guelph.
Dr. Clarke, Tuck, McGuire
and Macdonell, Guelph.
Mr. Boult's Factory
of Nitro Oxide, Guelph.
Dr. Galt, Guelph.
Dr. McGregor, Guelph; W. K. Graham, Dentist
Buxton.

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Operations, the
perfectly safe and reliable.
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Boxing a child's ear is dangerous. The
udden blow, by compressing the air in
the ear, may rupture the tympanum, the
thin membrane of which acts like a
drum-head and upon which the sense of
hearing depends.

The Board also publishes the
Presbyterian Monthly Record,
which tells what the Presbyterian Church
is doing through its various Boards for
the spread of the gospel at home and abroad.

Price, 50 cents per annum.

Samples of any of these periodicals sent
free.

When ordering them, remit by registered
letter, or post office order, or postage stamp.

J. ANDERSON, Bookseller, Guelph,
Guelph, Nov. 26, 1873. dw

New Advertisements.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY—At the
Cash Store, a few first-class Tailor-
esses. Apply to B. Clayton, 18th St.

NOTICE.—Pork cuttings for sale at
the Guelph Packing House, opposite
the Grand Trunk Passenger Station,
Guelph, Nov. 7, 1873. dw

TOWN RESIDENCE FOR SALE.

The subscribers offer for sale a desirable
residence, within ten minutes walk of the
market. The house is a substantial stone
cottage, with ample out houses, pump, and
soft water cistern attached. Terms made
known on application to

MACMILLAN & O'CONNOR,
Solicitors, Guelph. dw

Nov. 26, 1873.

MEMPHIS.

Y. M. C. A.—The Regular Meeting
of the Ladies Committee for the
Bazaar, for the Building Fund of the Young
Men's Christian Association, will be held in
this room, the Association to-morrow
(Thursday) afternoon at 3 o'clock. A full
meeting is requested.

M. J. HIGGINBOTHAM, Secretary

Nov. 26, 1873. dw

HOLIDAY GOODS

7 PACKAGES

BY EXPRESS

JOHN MACDONALD & CO., TORONTO.

ST. ANDREW'S DAY IN GUELPH.

IN THE TOWN HALL,

On Monday Ev'g, 1st of Dec'r.

The Sons of St. Andrew

Will celebrate the anniversary of their pa-
tron Saint by a

CONCERT and BALL

IN THE TOWN HALL,

On Monday Ev'g, 1st of Dec'r.

Local and Other Items

A fatal accident occurred at Mr. H.
Beckles' Centre Mills, Whiby, on Sunday.

Thomas Cooper, was assisting to
load a cider barrel containing seventy
gallons; the barrel slipped and fell on
his chest, killing him instantly. He
leaves a wife and six children.

The U. P. Congregation of Galt, have
agreed by a unanimous vote to call the
Rev. J. D. Matthews of New York. Mr.
Matthews is to be received in Galt last summer
and has many admirers in this section
rejoiced with that body if he accepts the
call now tendered.

ROBBERS.—On Thursday night last, a
man whose name is not learned, was
robbed of \$40 at the Globe Saloon, St.
Catherines. No clue to the robbers.

On the same night at Blabtown, near
Merriton, Mr. Wm. J. Brown, of
Thorold, was robbed of \$80 in money and
\$140 in notes. The detectives are at
work on the case.

WORK IN TORONTO.—A good number
of stone-cutters have left the city this
week for Scotland. Among them are
some who have for years past made a
practice of coming to Canada on the
United States in the early spring and
returning to the old country after building
operations cease here. Building
operations are being rapidly pushed to
close at the several contracts, and
amongst them, those having the new
Custom House are still running up walls
as if Jack Frost had no existence.

Y. M. C. A.

The Ladies' Committee for the Building
Fund of the Young Men's Christian
Association, will be holding a Bazaar
on Tuesday and Wednesday, the 23rd and
24th of December, the two days before
Christmas. Contributions will be gladly
received, and can be left with the under-
signed.

M. J. HIGGINBOTHAM, Secretary

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FOR SALE—

In the Town of Guelph,
That valuable property known as Victoria
Place, comprising six acres of land, well
fenced; one acre containing 6 rooms; a good
garage, fruit trees, also a great variety
of ornamental trees.

The property is situated near the road
leading to the Agricultural College Farm,
and in an elevated position, commanding
a view of the large portion of the town.

THOMPSON & JACKSON.

FOR SALE—

The east half of Lot 8, 12th concession
Maryboro, 100 acres, one mile from
the village of Rothsay, three miles from a
railway station and one from the gravel road
to Guelph. There are 60 acres cleared, and
one acre of fallow ground. The farm is well watered.
Will be sold on reasonable terms. Possession in a few weeks
if required.

THOMPSON & JACKSON.

FOR SALE—A few first-class well im-
proved Farms, varying in size from 25
to 150 acres.

Also, a number of Town and Park Lots in
and near the Town of Guelph.

THOMPSON & JACKSON.

FOR SALE—

A farm comprising 67 acres of excellent
land, well improved, 4 miles from Guelph.
The buildings and fences are all in good
repair. An orchard of 3 acres, fruit trees,
also a great variety of ornamental trees.

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was very largely attended, and was a most successful event. Speeches were made by Hon. Messrs. Pardee, McKellar, Bodwell and Ross (West Middlesex), the American Consul, J. M. Williams, Esq., M. F. P., and the honored guest of the occasion, Hon. Alexander Mackenzie. About 500 were present, embracing the leading men of the counties of Lambton, Middlesex, Kent, &c.

NEW LOT

FLOOR OIL CLOTH

NEW PATTERNS

Just received from England via Portland

Also an Excellent Variety of English and French

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JOHN HORSMAN,
HARDWARE MERCHANT,
GUELPH.

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THURSDAY EVENING, NOV. 27, 1873.

We publish to day a fuller report of Mr. Mackenzie's speech than we were able to give yesterday. On an occasion of this kind, it was not to be expected that the Premier would make any detailed or elaborate exposition of the policy of the first Reform Government of the Dominion; but so far as he has gone, he speaks with no uncertain sound. A wide field is covered by the reiterated declaration of the Premier that the Reform policy in opposition would be the Reform policy in office. On two leading questions—the independence of representatives in Parliament and the construction of the Pacific Railway—the Premier's utterances are eminently satisfactory. The whole speech is characterized by the straightforwardness and manliness which are such marked features of Mr. Mackenzie's individuality; and it possesses especial interest as being the first public speech delivered by Mr. Mackenzie in his official character. Our summary will be found convenient to those who have not the time to peruse the four and a half columns which the speech occupies in the great Toronto daily.

Another Minister has been elected by acclamation. At Alexandria, on Wednesday, the Hon. D. A. Macdonald, Postmaster General, was nominated as M. P. for Glengarry, and no opposition was forthcoming. Among those on the platform were Messrs. B. Delvin, James Stewart, Montreal; Cyril Archibald, M. P., H. Sandfield Macdonald and W. Brislow. The Postmaster-General delivered a capital speech on the public questions of the day.

The New York *Herald* has another warlike despatch from Madrid, exceedingly important if true. On the other hand, there is information from Washington of an exceedingly peaceful tendency. Our readers must make the best they can of the contradictory information. We can scarcely believe the two nations will be so foolish as to go to war over this business.

Captain Speedy, a British officer who distinguished himself in the Abyssinian campaign, has entered the service of the Rujah of Larut, and is receive a salary of £1,000 per month. Until lately Captain Speedy was the tutor of Prince Almaya, son of the late King Theodore of Abyssinia.

The Max Maretz Opera Company has been disbanded, Lucca and Di Murska refusing to submit to a reduction of salary, which the present hard times, in the opinion of the manager, made imperative.

The Newfoundland Legislature meets in January. It is now stated that the result of the elections gives the Government fourteen and the Opposition thirteen.

Ten clerks have been dismissed from the Department of Public Works at Ottawa, and the Civil Service is perturbed last the dismissals may extend to other departments.

A dinner is to be given to Mr. Huntington, "Montreal, about the 23rd prox."

Fordwich.

PROFESSIONAL.—Dr. McDermid has commenced the practice of his profession in Fordwich. The doctor is a graduate of McGill University, Montréal. As he is highly recommended, it is likely succeed in building up a good practice. His office is at Parker's Hotel. See his card in to-day's *Mercury*.

Snow.—There is good sleighing in the vicinity of Fordwich. Snow fell on Monday night to the depth of five inches.

Tweed had deeded to his lawyers, bondsmen, and son's wife a large amount real estate. It was said that his sentence involved hard labor. A speedy trial of Coman, Genet, and Norton is promised. Judge Davis commented upon the action of Tweed's counsel in protest against his riding and threatening to make an example of them.

LOST IN THE SNOW.—A gentleman handling a snow-ball on Richmond street playfully threw it at a friend. A moment afterward he discovered that he had thrown away a highly valued ring, an old keep-sake, which he very much prized.—*London Advertiser*.

APPROPRIATE ARTICLES FOR ST. ANDREW'S FESTIVAL AT THE FASHIONABLE WEST END

Ball Dresses,
Opera Capes and Mantles,
Promenade Scarfs,
Kid Gloves, every size in White, Mauve, and Light Evening Shades;
Real Lace Handkerchiefs,
Sash Ribbons, in Plain, Watered and Plaid,
Evening Flowers,
Lace Sleeves, Lace Ties, Lace Collars, &c.

Everything appropriate and necessary for the due Celebration of St. Andrew can be had in splendid variety at the Fashionable West End.

Orders for Ball Dresses, Opera Capes, etc., promptly attended to, and executed in first-class style at the Fashionable West End.

Orders for these Goods promptly attended to, and executed in superior styles.

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MARRIED

Coulson—Coyne.—At the residence of the bride's father, on the 23rd inst., by the Rev. W. S. Ball, Mr. George Coulson, son of Robert Coulson, Esq., of Rockwood, to Eliza, daughter of the third daughter of William Croft, Esq., of Elizamoss.

FARM HAND WANTED.—Married man preferred. To a suitable person a good house will be provided. Apply at this office.

NEW GOODS
AT
JNO. A. WOOD'S

5 boxes Lemons,
5 kegs Grapes,
100 boxes New Figs,
100 boxes Table Raisins,
100 dozen Carling's Ale,
100 dozen Sleeman's Ale,
100 dozen Bass',
100 dozen Tenant's,
100 dozen Young's,
100 dozen Guinness' Porter,
100 dozen Bloods',
1 case Real Scotch Ling,
2 cases Keillor's Marmalade,
100 Prime Stilton Cheese

AT
JNO. A. WOOD'S

A NEW STOCK OF

Family Bibles,
Pocket Bibles,
Pew Bibles,
Testaments,
Church Service,
Prayer Books,
Hymn Books,
NOW OPENED

AT DAY'S BOOKSTORE

Day sells cheap.

PAY UP.

All parties indebted to me are expected to pay forthwith.

JOHN HORSMAN,
Hardware Merchant,
GUELPH

EXAMINATION
—OF—
PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS

An examination of candidates for Public School Teachers, Second and Third class certificates, will be held (D.V.) in the GOOD TEMPLAR'S HALL, Guelph, beginning on

Monday, 15th Dec., at 1.30 p.m.

for Second Class; and on TUESDAY, 16th

The examination of Candidates for First Class certificates will be held in the same place, beginning on FRIDAY, DECEMBER

26th, at 1.30 p.m.

Forms of the notice to be previously given by the Inspector, can be obtained, on application, from either of the Inspectors or the County or the Secretary.

All candidates must notify the Secretary soon after the 1st of NOVEMBER, of their intention to present themselves for examination.

ROBERT TORRANCE,
Sec. B. of Examiners.

Guelph, Nov. 12, 1873.

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The Rival Clansmen :

A Scottish Vendetta.

CHAPTER IX.

FLIGHT OF FLORA—A SORROWING MOTHER—OVERTAKEN BY IAN.

A woman came slowly up the gulley in the direction in which our hero was lying. A young woman she was, not much older in appearance than Flora herself; but, oh, how haggard and wan and grief-marked the face, on which yet lingered traces of great beauty.

Flora's attention became riveted on her, and she felt her heart go out towards her in sympathy before yet she knew aught of her, save that she was a woman like herself, and one who had seen affliction. Her dress was scanty, was faded, tattered and torn. In her arms, tightly clasped to her breast, was the appearance of a child, muffled up in the folds of an old shawl.

She seemed to much fatigued—yea, worn out and exhausted—for when within the clump of trees, and not many yards from our heroine, her limbs faltered, and tottering forward, she sank upon the ground. But as she was speaking—unconscious that human was near—and Flora eagerly listened to the words which fell from her lips. She spoke in the Lowland tongue, with a sweet and tender accent—

"And has it come to this," she wailed. "God knows, perhaps it is better that it is so. To die here will not be without its cheerful side. The music of the dashing stream, and the merry, glad-some songs of the joyous birds will fall sweetly upon my waning senses as the everlasting shadow closes over me. Everlasting! may; in the Temple of the Almighty beyond surely the grief and the misery which have been my lot will exist not even in memory. Surely all darkness and dread will then be put away, and this poor soul refreshed with deep draughts of the love of the Great Author of its spirit. If not, why—oh why was I ever born?"

"And my child, my child; my bonnie wee Jeannie, how can I leave you?" As she spoke, she unwrapped the shawl from the babe at her breast—a fair-chubby child, of from one to two years of age. It was asleep, and the fond young mother, after gazing earnestly, with tearful eyes, into its sweet upturned face, impressed a passionate kiss upon the white brow, and sobbed aloud.

"Oh, my darling babe, I would willingly live and toil and suffer for you; but, alas! it is too late now to think of it. What can I do? In the wilds, starving, worn out by fatigue I have come here to die, because I feel it to be easier than continuing the struggle in which I have been engaged. And yet I feel strengthened when I gaze upon your sweet face, and feel that I have you to live for. What am I to do? Inclination says, 'Retire from this weary world, its struggles and its trials'; and Duty answers, 'That would be cowardly. Live for your child; Oh, I cannot live. The world frowns upon me, and desires me out of it.' Ronald Murray, Ronald Murray, Ronald Murray, since we are unlikely again to meet on earth, surely you will recognize me if we meet in heaven! Surely if you knew that, even after all you have caused me to suffer, I love you still, you would search me out, and speak to me kindly words ere I leave this earth. I love him still. I cannot, will not believe that he basely purposed from the beginning to ruin me—nothing more. No, he at one time loved me truly as I loved him. Long have I wandered after him—not to upbraid, but to show how truly I love him—but I have found him not."

"And I shudder, too, as I think of the suffering my conduct, unexplained as it was, must have cost my parents—a kind father and a still kinder mother. I was as the apple of their eye—they looked on me as a priceless pearl. God knows I did nothing which should have caused them sorrow, but they knew it not. It is hard to think that, though they may be yearning for me, and I as eager to see them, we will never meet again. Never, never. Ah, how happy were the days of my youth and of my childhood—my brave noble brother as my companion, and my loving parents ever doing on me."

BREAKFAST.—Epp's 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 cocoas, Mr. Epp's has provided our tables with a delicately flavoured beverage which may save us many heavy doctor's bills."—Civil Service Gazette. Made simply with boiling water for milk. Each packet is labelled—"James Epp & Co., Homeopathic Chemists, London."

FARM FOR SALE, CHEAP FOR CASH. The undersigned offer for sale cheap, Lot 27, in the 17th Concession of Preston, County of Grey, consisting of 99 acres; over 100 feet front on the road, and about 10 miles of the proposed route of the Northern Extension of the Toronto, Guelph & Bruce Railway, now being constructed from Orangeville. The farm is situated in the bush in the "Woods" and has a long dwelling house and barn situated on it. Title indisputable. For particulars address, W. BELL & CO., Organ Manufacturers, Guelph. Guelph, October 5th, 1873.

FARM FOR SALE.—A valuable farm of 100 acres, with 75 acres cleared, balanced well timbered, occupying the half of Lot 19, 10th Con. Puslinch, upon which there is a comfortable log house, with frame kitchen, stone milk house, boiling house, etc., part 35 feet square, 12 feet high, divided into two rooms. The proprietor will sell with the farm about 16,000 feet of good lumber and 40 square of shingles, which he has prepared for building or sale. The soil is good for all kinds of crops. There is a good growth of 100 year old trees, and about 14 acres in with Fall wheat. This is a rare chance for any person in want of a good farm. The farm is well watered by a never failing spring creek. Will be sold cheap. For particulars apply to the proprieator on the premises. HENRY HATCH, Land Agent, Guelph.

FARM FOR SALE.—East half of Lot No. 15, 6th concession Erin, County of Wellington, 100 acres, about 70 cleared, well fenced, and in a good state of cultivation. 12 acres fall with Fall wheat, and an ordinary crop, never failing well; the remainder timbered with hardwood and cedar. Also, on the premises, a saw mill capable of cutting 1000 feet per hour, shingle machine, dry kiln, and other farm buildings, and mill will be sold separate or together to suit purchasers. Price \$5000. For particulars, apply to the proprieator on the premises. D. BURT, Coningsby, Ontario. Also, a large quantity of lumber for sale. Erin, Oct. 28th, 1873.

FARM TO RENT.—Being the rear half of Lot 19, and half of Lot 18, in the 8th concession of Erin, County of Wellington, containing 100 acres, about 10 acres cleared. It is well fenced, and the land in a good state of cultivation. There is a hewn log dwelling, and an ordinary crop, never failing well. The farm is well watered by never failing springs. For further particulars, apply by letter postpaid to Mrs. B. Mooney, Aberfoyle P.O., Ontario, Nov. 3, 1873.

FARM FOR SALE IN THE TOWN OF GUELPH.—Being Lot No. 3, Concession Division B; 70 acres of good land, 100 acres of wood, well watered; orchard and garden, 1000 feet front on the Grand Trunk. For terms, apply to James Colman on the farm, or John Gowdy, Waterloo. Terms of payment reliable.

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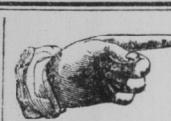
STEAM SAW-MILL FOR SALE.—On the west corner of Lots 40, Con. 3, Minto, Guelph, East of Wright's Store. The mill is in good running order, machinery new. There is a good supply of wood on the premises. The log yard contains 1000 feet of logs, and is well supplied. There is a nursery of choice fruit trees ready for transplanting, and an never failing spring well. The buildings consists of a frame house, stable, granary, and other useful buildings. This property is situated two miles from the village of Rockwood, and 1½ miles from Guelph.

For further particulars apply to the proprieator, or by letter to Rockwood P.O.

November 3, 1873.

ISAAC WRIGHT.

Mtne, Aug. 8th, 1873.



Great Clearing Sale of Fancy and Staple Dry Goods for Thirty Days

AT GEORGE JEFFREY'S, WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH.

George Jeffrey will commence his Great Annual Sale, on THURSDAY, the 27th NOVEMBER, when he will offer the whole of his extensive stock at such prices as will ensure a speedy clearance. Also, a wholesale stock of New and Fashionable Dress Goods at less than manufacturer's prices. Over 8000 yards new Sarges, all new colors, at 20 cents a yard, worth from 45 to 50 cents. French Mariness will be sold equally low, and the balance of our Fancy French Dress Goods at much less than regular prices. FURS, FURS! Just to hand another lot of those Furs which have created so much excitement, equally low. Come at once and get a good choice. Millinery and Mantles! The balance of this department will be cleared out regardless of cost. This great sale is called several weeks earlier in order to give our customers the benefit of New Goods at a reasonable time. The stock of FANCY GOODS is the largest in the Province, so that parties in want of Christmas presents will do well to call at once as the entire stock will be reduced in price. Every Lady in Guelph and surrounding country should visit this Establishment during the sale and judge themselves.

All Goods charged During the Sale will be at the Regular Prices.

GEORGE JEFFREY, GUELPH



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Busy Times! Busy Times

Store crowded from Monday morn till Saturday night.

SECOND ARRIVAL OF NEW GOODS!

50 Cases and Bales New Goods JUST RECEIVED!

150 pieces of that noted Cheap Wincey at 12^c; 200 pieces of Horrock's White Cottons at 10c.

The cheapest Goods and Most Fashionable Goods is to be seen at the Golden Lion.

New Millinery Hats and Bonnets, New Dress Goods, New Stripe Shawls, 250 sets Furs, 5 bales Buffalo Bobes, 20 bales Cotton Bags.

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Guelph Oct. 31, 1873

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100 boxes new Valencia Raisins, first of the season;

75 splendid Ingwersol Cheese,

10 lbs Good Sugar at 13lb. for \$1.

10 sacks best Mocha Coffee,

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18 sacks of the best Rio Coffee at 30c.

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600 Caddies of the Best Dollar Green Tea for 80c., in any quantity.

A few Packages of very fine Black and Japan Tea for 75 cents per lb.

500 Barrels of the Best Salt at \$1.20 per barrel.

It will pay anybody to look in and see the large variety of fine Teas and General Groceries at

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Guelph, Nov. 12, 1873.

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Augst. 1873.

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Guelph, Dec. 14, 1873

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Of New Striped Dress Goods, in Satin, Serge, Baratha, and Lustre

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We have in store Three Hundred and Fifty half chests and chests of

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New Raisins, Fresh Currits, Choice Nancy Biscuits, Choice Smoking Tobaccos, Sugars broken loaf and ground, Rice, Oatmeal, &c.

ALSO, OUR OWN IMPORTATIONS

Of Hennessy and Martell Brandies, Otarde's & Pinet's Brandies, Hunt's celebrated Porte, Vergara's Celebrated Sherries, Holland and Tom Gins, Scotch and Irish Whiskies, Domestic Whiskey.

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HARRINGTON—Friday before the Guelph Fair.
BOWORTH—Saturday before Guelph.
DRAYTON—Third Sunday before Guelph.
LORNA—The day before Guelph.
DOUGLAS—Monday before Elora fair.
GUELPH—First Wednesday in each month.
CLIFFORD—Thursday before the Guelph fair.
THORNHILL—Friday before the Guelph fair.
NEW HAMPSHIRE—Second Tuesday in each month.
BERLIN—First Thursday in each month.
ELMIRA—Second Monday in each month.
WATERLOO—Second Tuesday in each month.
MOUNT FOREST—Third Wednesday in each month.

HANOVER—Monday before Dundas.
DURHAM—Tuesday before Mount Forest.
FERNDALE—The day following Mount Forest.
ORANGEVILLE—Second Thursday in January, March, May, July, September and November.

MONO MILLS—Third Wednesday in January, April, July and October.

ERIN—First Monday in January, April, July and October.

MASONVILLE—First Tuesday in February, May, August and November.

BRAMPTON—First Thursday in each month.

LISBONVILLE—First Friday in January.

HILLIER—Second Saturday in January, March, May, July, September and November.

MOORFIELD—Monday before Guelph.

HAMILTON—Crystal Palace Grounds, the day after Guelph.

COMMERCIAL.

GUELPH MARKETS.

MERCURY, OFFICE, November 27, 1873.

Flour per 100 lbs... \$8.00 to \$8.50

Fall Wheat, per bushel, new... 1 lb. 10 to 12

Treadwell... 1 lb. 10 to 12

Spring Wheat... 1 lb. 05 to 10

Oats... 0.38 to 0.36

Peas... 0.38 to 0.36

Barley, new... 1 lb. 05 to 10

Hay, per ton... 10.00 to 16.00

Straw... 3.00 to 4.00

Wood, per cord... 4.50 to 5.00

Eggs, per dozen... 1.00 to 1.20

Butter, dairy... 1 lb. 02 to 0.25

Potatoes, per bag, new... 0.45 to 0.55

Apples, per dozen... 0.08 to 1.00

Wool per lb... 0.08 to 0.10

Dressed Hogs, per cwt... 5.50 to 6.25

Beef per cwt... 5.00 to 7.00

Clover Seeds per bushel... 6.00 to 7.00

Turnip Seeds... 4.00 to 5.00

Hides, per cwt... 4.00 to 5.00

Flax... 1.00 to 1.20

Sheepskins... 0.75 to 1.20

TORONTO MARKETS

TORONTO, NOVEMBER 26, 1873.

Spring Wheat, per bushel... \$1.11 to 1.12

Fall Wheat... 1.17 to 1.18

Barley per bushel... 1.02 to 1.15

Peas... 0.88 to 0.90

Oats... 0.41 to 0.42

HAMILTON MARKETS

HAMILTON, November 26, 1873.

Spring Wheat, per bushel... \$1.10 to \$1.22; Treat-

well \$1.15 to \$1.16; Barley \$1.05 to \$1.10;

Treadwell \$1.05 to \$1.10; Peas \$0.40 to \$0.45;

Potatoes \$0.30 to \$0.35; Butter \$0.20 to \$0.25; Eggs \$0.10 to \$0.12; Hay \$12.00 to \$14.00; Wool \$7.50 to \$8.00; Pork \$0.50 to \$0.55.—Reformer.

(By Telegraph to The Weekly Mercury.)

Rockwood Markets.

November 26.

Fall Wheat from \$1.10 to \$1.15; Spring Wheat

\$1.12 to \$1.15; Spring Wheat \$1.05 to \$1.07;

Barley \$1.05 to \$1.10; Treadwell \$1.05 to \$1.10;

Potatoes \$0.30 to \$0.35; Peas \$0.40 to \$0.45;

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Fergus Markets.

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Clifford Markets.

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Ferndale Markets.

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Hillier Markets.

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Mount Forest Markets.

November 26.

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