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CASH FOR WOOL, HIDES, SHEEPSKINS, CALF SKINS, and WOOL. PICKINGS. The highest market price paid for the above. No. 4, Gore on Street, Day's Old Block, Guelph.

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GUELPH PUMP FACTORY. The undersigned begs to inform the public that he has now fitted up his new shop in the most complete manner, and has on hand a large stock of Pump timber. He is prepared to make to order, and furnish on the shortest notice, pumps of superior quality of all kinds. Having had long experience in the trade he feels sure that he can turn out work to the satisfaction of the public. All orders for new pumps or repairs promptly attended to, on the banks of the Speed, near the Erasmus Bridge, and directly opposite the new English Church. STEWELL, Guelph, 1st Sept. 1872. dwim

New Advertisements.

TO LET—Two rooms and kitchen, being part of a cottage already occupied. Apply at Day's Bookstore. ad dtf

WANTED—A first-class servant girl. Wages \$7 per month. Apply at this office. 9-65 54M

SALESMAN WANTED.—First-class salesman wanted at the Fashionable West End. Good salary. Personal application to be made to A. O. BUCHANAN. 10dtf

CARPENTERS and JOINERS WANTED.—Five Carpenters and Joiners Wanted. High wages for good men. Apply at STEWART'S Planing Mill. 9-64-w1

CARVER & HATHERLY, Contractors, Excavators of all kinds undertaken by day or job.

ITALIAN BEES. For sale, a few stocks of Italian Bees with pure queens. Apply to H. Gibbs, near the Dundas Bridge, Guelph, Sept. 4, 1872. dim

STOREHOUSE TO LET.—On Switch connecting Grand Trunk and Great Western R.R. Capacity 18000 bushels, with horse-power Elevator. Apply to John McCrea. an3dtf

TO STONE MASONS and LIMESTONE BURNERS.—The undersigned offers for sale his valuable limestone quarry in one or more parcels to suit purchasers. Apply to HENRY HATCH, Guelph, 13th September, 1872. dwim

HOUSE WANTED.—A moderately sized house wanted to rent by Dr. STEWART. Call on Dr. STEWART, at St. James' rooms, Royal Hotel, up till Mon. day next. dtf

COW STOLEN OR STRAYED.—Strayed from the subscriber's premises on the 1st inst., a Red and White Cow, with white face. Any one returning the same, or giving such information as will lead to her recovery will be suitably rewarded. JOHN COUGHLIN, Sept. 5. dtf Union Hotel, Guelph.

DESIRABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.—The Cottage on Yarmouth Street, adjoining Mr. Murray's residence, with Raymond's Sewing Machine Factory, with five-hp. of an acre of land, 60 feet frontage. Room for another building. For terms, apply on the premises to G. C. Ward, or to Messrs. HARRIS & SPEIR, Land Agents, Guelph, Aug. 30, 1872. dtf

MUSIC TEACHER WANTED.—For the Senior Girls School, a Teacher of Music on the Piano, to enter upon her duties in the beginning of October. Salary, a monthly fee of one dollar per pupil, collected and retained by the Teacher. Applications to be lodged with the undersigned by the first Sept. ROBT. FORBES, Guelph, Sept. 10, 1872. dtw1 See Daily Herald and Advertiser to copy 1 week.

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SATURDAY EVENING, SEPT. 14, 1872

Town and County News. The crops in Luther are even better than those in Garafrara or the adjoining townships.

Both Peel and Maryborough have amalgamated their annual exhibitions with the North Riding show.

YOUNG LADIES JOURNAL.—Mr. T. J. Day has sent us the September number of the Young Ladies Journal. Copies for sale at his store.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.—The Rev. Wm. Inglis, of Toronto, will preach in the Rev. Mr. Torrance's church tomorrow, morning and evening. The services are in connection with the Sabbath School, and collections in his aid will be taken up at both diets of worship.

Wm. Rae, Lot 15, Con. 14, Garafrara, had all his out buildings, barn, stable, sheds, and all his hay and grain, farming implements and some pigs destroyed by fire, in the early part of the week. Cause of the fire unknown. Though covered by insurance for \$800 his loss is very great.

The Rev. W. S. Ball, of Guelph, delivered a lecture under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., Berlin, in the Wesleyan Church there last Tuesday evening. The Rev. says that the subject was "Consecration in Early Life," and that the lecture throughout was interesting, and received the close attention of the audience.

The Hamilton Times sometimes gets things slightly mixed. On Friday it said the Mercury gave currency to the report that the Guelph and Dundas Base Ball Clubs were to play on a bet, when it should have credited this to the Herald.

On Tuesday afternoon some young lads left Ferguson on a shooting expedition. One of them, John Porter, was dragging his gun along when something caught the hammer and set the gun off. The charge injured one of Porter's fingers, and just skimmed past some of the other boys, a few grains striking a son of Widow Hughes, but fortunately doing him little injury.

MILITARY FUNERAL.—On Friday afternoon, James Connors, gunner in the Wellington Field Battery, was buried with military honors. Deceased, who was formerly in the 90th regiment, and in the Crimea, had lived in Guelph for two years. The battery turned out under the command of Capt. Macdonald, and a firing party of the Rifles under command of Color Sergeant McKenzie. The body of deceased was conveyed to the cemetery on one of the gun carriages, drawn by horses, and the coffin was draped with the Union Jack.

POLICE COURT. Before T. W. Saunders, Esq., P. M. Saturday, Sept. 14. The case of the Bank of Commerce vs. John Armstrong was to-day withdrawn, no evidence having been adduced against the defendant.

The Geneva Arbitration. New York, Sept. 13.—The World's Washington Dispatch says that from intimations thrown out from official quarters it seems pretty well established that the sum in gross awarded by the Geneva Conference to the United States, is in round numbers \$16,000,000. The award is to be signed at Geneva, on Saturday night, and handed to the agents of the respective Governments for transmission to London and Washington. At the banquet given to the members of the Tribunal at Berne, in the speeches exchanged on the occasion, there was a marked tone of satisfaction, and the most remarkable case of resuscitation that has ever occurred in this neighborhood, over an hour and a half having elapsed from the time pulsation ceased until it was restored by the exertions of the physician.—London Advertiser.

Russian Peasant Farmers. An Odessa correspondent of the Chicago Tribune writes: As a general rule the peasant in South Russia owns seldom over twenty-five or thirty acres, and his seaters in one and two acre parcels. No fence or other sign marks the dividing line; still, every one knows the exact limits of his land. The community holds the title of all the land, and gives to every inhabitant a certain parcel to cultivate, so that there is no proprietorship. Every three years the land is changed, so that all may have an equal share in both the good and poor lands. The instruments, with a few exceptions, which the Russian tiller uses, are of the most primitive style. The peasant harnesses his oxen for his own use; he has to clothe himself with sunflowers and linseed to make therefrom the oil he may need during Lent; wheat and other cereals he sells. Like all shiftless farmers he never manures; but seldom ploughs deeper than a hen would scratch, and still more seldom does he use the harrow. If the crop fails he paves everything to the Jew, in order to live. Often he will wander away, during a bad harvest, to seek elsewhere the work he cannot find at home. But during prosperous harvests he will demand one day's wages and, even at that rate, laborers are scarce, and thousands of Servians and Montenegrins come every year from their mountain homes here to assist the cutting of the grain. All grain is cut with the sickle. The use of scythes is exceptional. A peasant would consider it a mortal sin against his religion to employ a reaper or any other machine in his field. Machinery is being used only on the large estates of the noblemen. The harvest with the sickle being of course slow, it generally lasts over six weeks. The grain is left on the field for about a day or two to dry, as they say, then bound into sheaves of about 49 inches in circumference at the band; and 60 of these sheaves are put into a cross which they call a "copp." All figuring is being done on the basis of the coppers, and not on that of measures.

Local and Other Items.

HENRY CAPRON, an old, wealthy and influential resident of Paris, died on Tuesday.

The foundation stone for a home for destitute girls was laid in Toronto the other day, by Archbishop Lynch, on Jarvis Street, near Duchesne Street.

Two young Germans named Meier and Rittinger had each a hand shot off at Formosa, Co. Brene, on Tuesday. They were firing off a cannon in honor of the elevation of a new Church bell.

The Duluth Daily Herald says that a vein of silver has been lately discovered in the Porcupine mountains, some sixty miles down the shore of the lake, which it is supposed to be extremely rich.

Congress up to that Baptist brother who, on going into the water to be baptized, replied to the suggestion that he had better take his pocket-book out of his pocket during the ordinance: "No, I want my pocket-book baptized with me."

When the ships now in process of construction by Germany are completed, that nation will have a war fleet of 62 vessels, with an armament of 5,000 guns. Bismarck, like all great conquerors is anxious to shine in the field in which he has not won his victories.

A new cable, 500 miles in length, has just been laid between Sydney, C.B., and Placentia, Newfoundland, via St. Pierre, Cap. Halpin, formerly of the Great Eastern, accomplished the task most successfully and without a single mishap. The cable weighs three tons to the mile. The object of laying down this line is to maintain communication with the French cable at St. Pierre, and obviate the effects of any damage to the land line to Cape Ray.

The Berlin Telegraph records the death of Mr. Geo. Loggie, one of the oldest of the Scotch settlers in the Township of Woolwich. He was born in the Township of Tarris, Aberdeenshire, Scotland, in 1804, emigrated to Canada in 1835, and settled in the township of Woolwich, then a wilderness, living ever since in the community, and enjoying the confidence and respect of all who knew him. Connected with the Presbyterian Church at Winterbourne from the time of its formation, he was made an Elder about the year 1851, has continued in the office for twenty-one years, since that time, and though a man of few words, was yet one of sound judgment and good common sense. He died at the age of 68, and his funeral on Tuesday last, was attended by a large assemblage of the people of the neighborhood.

The Hamilton Spectator says:—We learn that His Excellency, Lord Dufferin, Governor General, Hon. W. P. Howland, C. B., Lieut. Governor Ontario, Hon. Sir John A. Macdonald, K. C. B., Premier of Canada; Hon. P. J. O. Chauveau, Premier of Quebec; Hon. Edward Blake, Q. C., Premier of Ontario, and a large number of other distinguished gentlemen, are invited to attend the Provincial Exhibition to be held in Hamilton this month. We understand that nearly all the invitations sent have been accepted. The Governor General will be the guest of Donald McInnes, Esq., during his stay in this city. We believe that a number of addresses will be presented to his excellency while here by the Corporation, Board of Trade, Council of the Board of Agriculture and Arts, &c.

REMARKABLE CASE OF RESUSCITATION.—A little child, daughter of Mr. John McDougall, Clarence Street, near North, while playing this morning with an egg cup, and leaning over the edge of a tub containing about six inches of hot water, and fell in head first. When found her feet were sticking out over the tub, and her head covered with water. She was to all appearances dead. Dr. Morden was called in and he at once applied Marshall Hall's ready method of resuscitation, consisting of rubbing the body briskly and dousing with cold water, repeating the operation for some time. Signs of life began to appear in about half an hour, and the child is now in a fair way of recovering its former health and activity. This is the most remarkable case of resuscitation that has ever occurred in this neighborhood, over an hour and a half having elapsed from the time pulsation ceased until it was restored by the exertions of the physician.—London Advertiser.

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THIS MORNING'S DESPATCHES

Borrowing Trouble.

The Prince of Wales not well treated by Thiers.

London, Sept. 13.—A Paris letter says, that Thiers' death would result in civil war in France, and that a little dispute is caused by the chances of the occurrence of such a contingency.

When the Prince of Wales visited France, Thiers did not treat him cordially or invite him to his house. The Prince is an aristocrat, and Thiers hates aristocracy. Great comment has been made on this action of the President.

Base Ball Match.

The match on Friday between the First Nine of the Maple Leaf Club and the Clippers of Lion, N. Y., attracted no small share of attention, and drew to the grounds—which were in splendid order—a very large crowd of spectators. It was evident from the previous match, played at Lion between the two clubs, that they were pretty equally matched, and this of course enhanced the interest in the match. The Clippers opened the game by going to the bat, and scoring seven in their first innings. Up to the close of the fifth innings, they kept steadily increasing their score, and it was beginning to be pretty generally felt that they were going to win the day, as at that time they were nine ahead of their opponents. The playing on both was in general first-class, but owing to a change in the disposition of the players, the fielding of the Guelph men in several cases was defective, so good catches were lost, and in two or three instances there was wild throwing. In the seventh innings Guelph made their highest score, having run up eight, while in the same innings the Clippers made only five. This left the Maple Leaf only six behind, and their spirits began to rise at the prospect of winning more possible. In the eighth innings they scored five to their opponents, which left them only two behind. The excitement then became intense, as the fate of the day rested on the last innings. Skill and good luck however, favored the Guelph men, and they ran up a score of 7 to their opponents 5, which left the Guelph Club victors by 3 runs. This, we think, was the most keenly contested match of the season, the players are about equally matched, and both sides deserve great credit for the way they played. The following is

MAPLE LEAF SCORE

Colson, r. f. 1 0 5  
Smith, l. b. 2 2 0  
Sullivan, p. 4 4 0  
Cross, 1st b. 4 2 14  
Nichols, c. 3 1 0  
Jackson, 2nd b. 2 2 4  
Maddock, 2nd b. 2 2 1  
McLean, c. f. 4 5 0  
Cameron, 1st b. 1 0 0

CLIPPERS SCORE

Twiss, r. f. 2 2 1  
Naylor, l. b. 2 1 1  
Cousar, c. 4 2 1  
Craig, c. 3 2 6  
Jackson, 1st b. 2 2 3  
Kelly, 2nd b. 1 2 0  
Nase, c. f. 4 0 0  
Naylor, p. 4 1 2  
French, 1st b. 1 0 0

RUNS EACH INNINGS

Maple Leaf, 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9  
Clippers, 7 1 3 5 4 0 5 1 2-27  
Time, 2 hours, 50 minutes.  
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The Fire Limits in Town.

We see by the Globe that a case has just been decided in the law courts in Toronto in which the Town of Guelph is greatly interested. More than once this year, cases have been brought up before the Police Magistrate, in which parties were charged with infringement of the By-law, which defines the limits within which frame or rough-cast houses may not be put up, and as it was clearly shown that the provision of the by-law had been broken, the parties were fined, but went on with their buildings nevertheless. In this Toronto case in which the Attorney General was plaintiff, and a man named Campbell defendant, he was called upon to remove a wooden building which had been put up in contravention of the city by-law. It was decided against the prosecutor, on the ground that the by-law in question is ultra vires. It seems that the municipal law authorizes cities and towns to pass by-laws to prevent the erection of dangerous buildings, but the Toronto regulations based on this take a far wider scope, and forbid the erection of any buildings except those formed of stone, brick, or other incombustible material. The Court held that this was so vague that it could not be enforced so as to apply to the building in question. Now, the Guelph by-law is, we believe, almost an exact transcript of the Toronto one, which has just been set aside, and if any ratepayer in town was to go to the trouble and expense of testing the validity of our one, it would, of course, share the same fate as the Toronto one, from which it was taken. As the matter now stands, therefore, Guelph, as well as Toronto, has no valid regulation for preventing the erection of any kind of building whatever. So long as things are in their present condition, any one can build wooden houses of any degree of combustibility in any part, even the most crowded, of the town. That some proper regulation is necessary all must admit, and we trust the Town Council, at its first meeting, will inquire into the matter, and so alter and amend the by-law as will bring it into conformity with the statute, without, at the same time, making it too harsh in its provisions.

The Proposed Reform Demonstration in Mount Forest.

We see by the last number of the Mount Forest Evening that the proposed Reform demonstration, which we stated was likely to come off on the 20th of this month has been postponed till some time about the middle of October. This will be a much better arrangement than that first contemplated, and will ensure a larger attendance. We learn from a private source that assurances have been received from the Hon. Messrs. Brown and Mackenzie that either one or both will be present. The exact day when the demonstration will be held has not yet been fixed.

Political Items.

Six of the members elected to the second Parliament are named Ross. Four of them are Gt. Brit. and two are Ministerialists; the former represent Prince Edward, Centre Wellington, West Middlesex and East Durham; the latter represent Victoria (N. R.) and Champlain. Success, thy name is Ross!

The Sarnia Canadian now says that Mr. McKenzie has purchased his seat for the fine County of Lambton! Bosh!

The Walkerton Telescope says of Mr. Broolbank, who is now running against Mr. Wells, in Bruce, that he "was a rebellion radical, a Baldwin Reformer. He made a speech at Hanover for Snider, and came to Walkerton and was put on Mr. Macpherson's Committee. He was a thorough Ministerial Coalitionist in 1867. Since then he has vigorously denounced the Ottawa cabal. He is now put in the field by the identical fellows who did their best to import John A. but who so shamefully and ridiculously failed."

The Hon. E. B. Wood paid a splendid tribute to the ability and integrity of Mr. Blake, at the amonination in South Bruce for the Local House, on Saturday. After defending the Ontario Government from the slanderous attacks of Mr. Wm. McDougall, Mr. Wood said "he had listened to the best public men in the Dominion of Canada, to many of the foremost American orators, and to some of the most prominent English statesmen, and that in intellectual brilliancy and oratorical power Mr. Blake stood facile princeps, undoubtedly the chief of them all. He (Mr. Wood) had been engaged in discussions of all kinds, legal and otherwise, with Mr. Blake, and had always admired his ability. But even that was as nothing compared to Mr. Blake's high sense of honor and integrity in which he stood as high as he did in the brilliancy of his talents and attainments."

The St. Catharines Times says:—"Mr. sore toes Spiltoun Tom Ferguson is in town advising with the prospective leader of the Opposition in the Ontario Legislature on the course to be pursued at the next session. Tom wants to be minister of Public Works in the new Rykert-Ferguson Ministry that is to be when the present government is defeated."

Attorney General Clarke evidently looks upon Riel as an equal, if not a superior, for we learn by telegraph that he has challenged the murderer to fight a duel. Nice Minister of Justice that!

All rumours of a Clerk of the House of Commons having been appointed are premature, no appointment having as yet been made.

The Galt Reformer has made a calculation from the returns made of members in Ontario, by which it claims that the Opposition represent a majority of the population amounting to no less than 27,773. The Opposition members at the time of the calculation represented 901,025, and the Ministerialists 627,246. Five constituencies classed as independent have 94,063 population.

The Thistle Nuisance.

Sometimes the member for South Wellington is good-humoredly referred to in connection with his Thistle Act; and if it was often thought of for the purpose of enforcing its provisions, the honorable gentleman would have conferred as great a favor on Canada as "the good Duke of Argyll" of a past age did on his native land. All around, on all hands, and in the greatest abundance on the poorer farms, we notice that almost universal pest, the Canadian Thistle, which appears to receive little attention from the owners of the land it grows on, and even less from the owners of the lands adjoining, until in some places the weed has possession of a whole field, in some places it smears the rival of the crop sown, and in not a few places it monopolizes more land than that which yields a profit. Why the owners allow such a state of things to continue is beyond our comprehension, how they expect farming to pay when their efforts are subordinate to the thistle, we know not, and why they toil to put in a crop in expectation of a return, and yet try to us unfathomable. Speak to these men and they will tell you what they intend doing next year; how at some future time they purpose eradicating the pest, but that just now they cannot spare the time, or the land, or they have some special reason for that they do not leave undone, it will be all right next year, this field will be in fallow, that have a root crop, and the other be seeded down, when that which is now all wrong will be made all right. But a slight consideration shows procrastination is the great enemy in this as in all other evil cases; the lack of firmness or decision is also, troying the farm, beggaring the owner, and impoverishing the country at large, while the injustice done to neighbors is beyond calculation. Then, why should such a state of things be allowed? There is a law with stringent conditions, which enforced would abate the evil and also protect the thrifty and industrious from injury at the hands of the indolent and bad manager. Some people suffer much rather than complain, some do not wish to quarrel with a good-natured, lazy neighbor, and perhaps some few do not appreciate the damage they are sustaining. Under these circumstances it would be well for each Municipal Council to appoint a Thistle Inspector, whose duties should be defined and enforced by penalties—the Corporation should clear the roads and the owners of land made to cut their own crops, and the advantages in three or four years would be great. Let the thistle advance at the rate it has been doing for the past half-dozen years, and the farmers in many cases will not have land enough to sustain them while clearing off the thistle crop.

AN INTERESTING feature of the proceedings on Friday in the South Grenville controverted election, was the addition to Mr. Fraser of a vote which had been improperly refused by the Returning Officer. This is a new phase of the procedure.

THE NEW YORK detectives claim strong clues connecting their prisoner Forrester with the murderer of Nathan. It is singular that it took them so long to catch their man, and even yet they may be mistaken.

Mr. C. J. Burton, son of the late Mr. Burton, M. P. for East Durham, has been appointed collector of Customs at Port Hope.

NEW GOODS, NEW BARGAINS. BARGAINS

Still another lot of extraordinary CHEAPER THAN EVER AT P. C. ALLAN'S

Silver Breakfast set worth \$30 for... \$10  
Glass... 1.25 for 70c  
Goblets, worth 20c... for 10c  
Glass Fruit Dishes at 10c, 15c, and 20c each  
Butter Coolers, worth 25c... for 10c  
Silver Butter Coolers at \$1, 1.25, and 1.50,  
worth twice the money... for \$1.75  
Plated Crystal Stands worth \$1.50... for \$1.00  
Plated Butter Knives... 1.00... for 40c  
50... for 20c

Also, a new stock of Combs, Brushes, Braces, Rubber Bracelets, Neck Ties, Scarfs, Pocket Books, Plated Spoon and Forks, Dinner and Breakfast Knives, Table Mats, Glass Goblets, Salt Cellars, Preserves, Dishes, Butter Dishes, Rubber Chains and Crosse, Pipes (a splendid assortment).

These Goods will all be sold at half the price usually charged. Also received another Lot of Splendid Oil Churns, elegantly framed. Purchasers would oblige by bringing along Baskets or Cases to carry away their goods, as we find it impossible to supply boxes and wrapping paper for all.

Remember the English Church, opposite the English Church, Guelph, Sept. 14, 1872.

FALL RACES

Will take place over the Guelph Course, On Thursday and Friday, 26th and 27th September.

Premiums - \$1,900.00

ADMISSION - Entrance to the course, each person 50 cents; Saddle, 10c; Buggy, 25c extra; Double carriages 25 cents extra; Grand Stand, 25 cents extra.

FIRST DAY.  
Race No. 1, \$300, Dominion Handicap, open to all Dominion bred horses, mile heats, 1st horse \$120, 2nd horse \$80.  
Race No. 2, \$300, open running race, mile heats, 1st horse \$225, 2nd horse \$75.  
Race No. 3, \$300, trotting race, open to horses that have never trotted better than 2m. 28s, mile heats, 2 in 3, 1st horse \$225, 2nd \$75.  
Race No. 4, \$100 trotting, mile heats, 2 in 3, horses owned and in the County of Wellington at the date of the Bill, mile heats, 2 in 3, 1st horse \$75, 2nd horse \$50.

SECOND DAY.  
Race No. 5, \$300, Grand Steeple Chase, open to all, handicaps, weights, half forest, over about two miles good ground, eight jumps, mile heats, 1st horse \$225, 2nd \$75.  
Race No. 6, \$300, open running race, mile heats, 1st horse \$225, 2nd \$75.  
Race No. 7, \$300, open trotting race, mile heats 2 in 3, 225 for 1st horse, \$75 2nd.  
Race No. 8, \$100, running race, open to all horses owned and in the County of Wellington at the date of this bill, mile heats, 1st horse \$75, 2nd \$50.

W. A. BOOKLESS, Sec. Treasurer, Guelph, Sept. 14, 1872.

BRACELET LOST - \$4 REWARD.  
Lost on Tuesday, the 3rd inst., between Mr. Forbes' residence, Dundas Hill, and the Dundas Bridge, a gold bracelet. The finder will receive the above reward by leaving it at the store of Messrs. Geo. & Alex. Hadden. \$10-dw1

Coal Oil—fresh lot, Clear, Bright Colour, Free from Offensive Odour, does not Smoke the Glass. At JOHN HORSMAN'S.

Lamps, now opening, Of Chaste Designs and Low in Price. At JOHN HORSMAN'S.

New Lamp Glasses, From the best Manufacturers. At JOHN HORSMAN'S.

Best Lamp Wicks, Of very fine texture and quality. At JOHN HORSMAN'S.

Superior Burners, Of all the new and improved patterns. At JOHN HORSMAN'S.

Lamp Globes and Shades, In Crystal, Porcelain and Ornamental Paper. At JOHN HORSMAN'S.

Lamp Shears, At JOHN HORSMAN'S.

Lanterns, The latest and best styles. At JOHN HORSMAN'S.

All these Goods are from the various renowned manufacturers in Britain, Germany, France, United States and Canada, and cannot be surpassed for Quality, Quantity and Cheapness. dw



FALL and WINTER

New Dry Goods!

Wm. Stewart

Is now opening a large, varied, and most complete stock of New Dry Goods. Many lines were bought much under present values:

4000 yds Plain and Fancy Winceys,

a job lot, from 10c to 25c;

6400 yds Factory Cotton,

slightly damaged by fresh water, price 8c to 10c, value 10c to 12c.

DRESS GOODS

A SPECIALITY Now in stock over 10,000 yards Rich and Rare Dress Goods, embracing all the latest productions of the Looms of Britain and the Continent for the coming season.

See windows this day.

Wm. Stewart.

Guelph, Sept. 13, 1872 dw



SODEN'S PUBLIC CAB.

The subscriber having purchased Mr. D. Coffin's splendid Cab, begs to inform the public that it will be at their service at all times, either by the hour, the day, or any other way, at the most moderate charges. It will attend all the regular trains, also Concert and Balls, and can be engaged for Marriages or Funerals on the shortest notice. Order plates kindly permitted at Mr. Harvey's Drug Store, Parker's Hotel, and Hever's Western Hotel. A careful and steady driver always with the Cab. A share of public patronage respectfully solicited. Orders may also be left at the Owner's Grocery Store, Upper Wyndham Street. Oct. 13, 1871. dw R. SODEN.

WILLIAM BROWNLOW, UNDERTAKER

Respectfully solicits the attention to those bereaved of their friends, his Undertaking Establishment, in rear of the Wellington Hotel, where all things necessary for the proper observance of the last rites due the departed can be furnished on the shortest notice.

Metallic, Walnut and other Coffins kept in stock. Shrouds supplied, and Funerary conducted with all the most becoming Charges moderate. Wm. Brownlow, Guelph, Feb. 3, 1872 dw

SOMETHING WORTH KNOWING. The undersigned has on hand an assortment of home-made French Calf, French Kip, and coarse boots, which he is now prepared to sell at 2 per cent cheaper than any house in Guelph or in the surrounding townships.

Also, an assortment of first-class Ladies and Gents' Shoes, Children's and Boys' Boots and Shoes, bought in one of the best factories in Canada, which I am prepared to furnish to all at 5 per cent less than they can be bought in any house for the same class of goods.

Also on hand an assortment of the best leathers, with which I am prepared to fill all orders promptly and on more reasonable prices than any other house. Light French Kip from \$3.95 to \$4 per pair; best Common Kip from \$3.75 to \$4. All repairing done neatly and promptly, and on most reasonable terms. Terms cash. JOHN WILLIAMS, Rockwood, Sept. 11, 1872 dw

New Advertisements. GOLDEN LION! GUELPH 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 Trousersings,
  - 10 cases of Black Cassimeres,
  - 10 cases of West of England Broadcloaths,
  - 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, Merinoes, 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 dw

FRUITS OF THE SEASON WHOLESALE

- GRAPES, PEACHES, PEARS, APPLES, PLUMS.

Sole Agent for Ludington's BALTIMORE OYSTERS

Dealers supplied at lowest market price.

HUGH WALKER, WYNDHAM STREET, GUELPH.

Guelph, Sept. 12, 1872 dw

GUELPH TEA DEPOT

E. O'DONNELL & Co. ARE SELLING

- THE BEST YOUNG HYSON DOLLAR TEA.....for 80c per lb
- A BEAUTIFUL GUNPOWDER TEA.....for 70c per lb
- A FIRST RATE YOUNG HYSON TEA.....for 60c per lb
- A VERY GOOD GREEN TEA.....for 40c per lb
- A NICE SWEET DRAWING BLACK TEA.....for 50c per lb
- THE BEST BLACK TEA IMPORTED.....for 75c per lb

SUGARS, SUGARS!

Sugars will be higher very soon, but we will sell Eleven pounds for \$1.00 for a few days, so lay in your stock for preserving while you can get it cheap.

Raisins, Currants, Cheese, Tobaccos, Syrups, Brandies, Wines, Whiskies, Cigars, And everything in the Grocery Line cheap, and will be delivered free of charge to any part of the Town, or to the Stations.

E. O'DONNELL & Co. Guelph, Sept. 11, 1872 dw Wyndham Street, Guelph.

G. B. FRASER, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

OPENED OUT - AT - G. B. FRASER'S, MOURNING GOODS, FOR FALL AND WINTER WEAR, SUITABLE

- Black Cape Cloths,
- Black Reppes, wrap Lustres,
- Black Hosiery Cloths,
- Black Cobourgs,
- Black French Merinoes.

The new style Black Paramatta equal to French Merinoes in wear, and at half the price.

Courtland's Black Crapes, on which rain or damp has no effect. Samples sent free of charge throughout Ontario. G. B. FRASER, Direct Importer, Guelph.

Just opened and for sale at G. B. FRASER'S, Direct Importer, Guelph.

and Family Groceries, Wyndham Street, Guelph. Guelph, September 2, 1872 dw

EDUCATIONAL. MRS. BUDD. Begs to announce that her school and music classes will be open on Monday, Aug. 26th. Guelph, Aug. 13th, 1872. dw-wlm

THE MEDICAL HALL GUELPH



DYE STUFFS

The subscribers desire to call special attention to their large and well selected stock of DYE STUFFS which they have opened out, and being determined to keep none but the best quality of DYE, have devoted more than usual care and time to the selection of the best articles from the most reliable markets.

Parties purchasing from us can depend on getting a good color and the shade required. Also, all the ANILINE DYES in quantities to suit purchasers. Call at THE MEDICAL HALL, and get your Dye Stuffs. Printed directions given with each purchase.

E. HARVEY & Co. Family and Dispensing Chemists. Guelph, Sept. 5 1872. dw

SEPTEMBER MAGAZINES

AT DAY'S BOOKSTORE.

- BOW BELLS
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- Young Ladies Journal
- Young Ladies Journal
- Young Ladies Journal
- GENTLEMEN'S JOURNAL
- QUIVER
- ARGOSY
- WEDDING BELLS
- SUNDAY MAGAZINE
- BOYS OF ENGLAND
- EVERY MONTH
- LEISURE HOUR
- SUNDAY AT HOME

SEPTEMBER MAGAZINES

AT ANDERSON'S, Opposite the Market.

- Old Country Magazines
- Young Ladies Journal
- AND
- BOW BELLS,
- Young Ladies Journal

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FALL EXHIBITIONS.
FRANCOA—At Rockwood, 17th September.
WILMOT—At New Hamburg, 18th September.

The Foster Brother;

The Orphan of the Wreck.

CHAPTER XVII.

GEORGE FALLS IN LOVE, AND UNEXPECTEDLY ENCOUNTERS FRIENDS.
" Ay, myny a time. It was about two years after they went to live in Edinburgh, afore Mrs. Bruce died, and baith summers they came to stay for several weeks at the house up by."

" Weary me!" repeated George, with a peculiar smile; " what will you say when I tell you that I greedily listen to every word that I hear, or every syllable that you utter—that my whole being thrills responsive to every tone of your voice?"

Matthew raised himself from the bush over which he had again bent, and gazed at the speaker in astonishment. The youth's face had an expression corresponding to the force of his words, and in which they were uttered, and his aspect was so strangely excited that the old man could only stare at him in mute wonder.

But how was his amazement increased and deepened into a vague foreboding terror when the speaker came close up to him, laid his hand on a shoulder, gazed meaningly into his face, and said—" I am Georgey."

Matthew Greigson was stricken dumb, but his silent look testified to his inward thought, and that thought was that the youth before him was insane.

" You are incredulous," added George. " You think me mad, so absurd, so extraordinary is my statement. Yet it is true—perfectly true. I am Georgey. I am the child whom you prattled with and made happy. I can tell you much you wish to know, much that will make you sad, and much that will give you comfort about Kenneth Bruce and Carry."

" Guid Lord! am I dreamin'?" ejaculated Matthew.
" No, it is only a wonderful meeting that has taken place—a meeting unexpected and unthought of by both of us. When first I saw you I knew not that I beheld one who had known me in infancy, or who had loved and mourned for my more than father. But when I heard what you have told me I saw I had found a friend—one whom I can trust, and I resolved to declare myself."

Matthew Greigson was by this time trembling with agitation. It was dawning upon him now that it was the truth to which he listened—that the tall manly youth before him was the child Georgey, of former days; and the more this realization grew upon him the more powerful became his emotion, till he dropped his pruning knife and caught George's arm convulsively, gazing as he did so with quivering lips and fast-coming breath, into the other's eyes with a long, fixed searching look. Then with something like a gasp and a sudden outbreak he exclaimed—" It's a God's truth you are tellin' me. I ken ye by the blue een, only they are darker. Oh my gracious me, what a state I am in; come away to the house, sir, for I canna thole this cozyness. This way, sir, this way. And ye are Georgey. Oh, but this is maist wonderfu'—maist wonderfu'!"

Thus exclaiming and ejaculating, Matthew pulled the youth by the arm along the path to the door of the cottage, and there led him into an inner room, observing as he did so that he would not tell Ailie yet, though, he added, " She'll be as muckle delighted as I am myself."

And, oh, surely never did one man listen more eagerly to the words of another than did Matthew Greigson to George as he related these particulars which the reader already knows. Concerning Kenneth Bruce and the latter years of his sad, secluded life, concerning the recent opening of the packet, and the revelations which only then had come to light, George unbosomed himself fully and unreservedly, and brought the recital, complete in every particular, down to that very day, so that when he had ceased Matthew was in full and perfect possession of everything, and was, as George had predicted, both saddened and comforted by the information he received.

And the old man was able to tell George much in return, and to enter keenly into his feelings and perplexing conjectures as to his birth, and the strange, inexplicable connection of Nathan Garrett and Captain Gibson with the mania. Matthew was equally puzzled with George to understand the secret of Garrett's interest in Wally's condition; but, from his better knowledge of that worthy's character, he had no hesitation in setting it down to something nefarious and villainous, for Nathan Garrett, he fully believed, was laid enough for anything.

The Coldstream Band was refused permission to accompany the British Volunteers to Belgium.

The great question is, "What shall we do with the North Pole when we find it?" There are now four expeditions hunting for it among the icebergs, and it will scarcely escape all its pursuers.

PRESERVING SUGARS

IN GREAT VARIETY

At Lowest Prices, at

John A. Wood's.

DETOIT

FINE CUT

CHEWING TOBACCO

at John A. Wood's.

JELLY CANS

With Patent Toots

Require no fixing, for sale

at John A. Wood's.

FRUIT JARS,

AIR TIGHT,

Quart Size, \$1.25 pr doz.

At John A. Wood's.

DOMINION

Boot and Shoe Store.

Noted for Cheap Boots and Shoes.

A large stock constantly on hand, selling CHEAP FOR CASH.

The subscriber would call attention to his present stock of Ladies' Frenches, Kid and Morocco's, &c., embracing some of the latest styles of the season.

ALL KINDS OF CUSTOM WORK

Under the superintendence of Mr. ALLEN. All work warranted to give satisfaction in point of material and workmanship. Remember the address—

WM. TAWSE,

Dominion Boot and Shoe Store,

Opposite the Market House.

Guelph, July 10, 1872

7 O'CLOCK.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

On and after Wednesday, the 19th inst., I will keep my place of business open until 7 o'clock in the evening, as formerly.

A. O. BUCHAM,

Fashionable West End.

Guelph, June 18, 1872.

BASE BALL STORE.

Headquarters of the Maple Leaf Base Ball Club.

THE ONLY STORE PATRONIZED BY THE CHAMPIONS.

The subscriber begs to inform the public that he has opened a store for the sale of every description of

Base Ball Supplies.

SOLE AGENT FOR THE RYAN DEAD BALL

IN THE DOMINION. The only ball used in the United States Championship games.

DEALERS LIBERALLY DEALT WITH

Having played last Season with the Professional Red Stockings, of Boston, feels satisfied that his knowledge of the game and its requirements, he can meet the wants of all purchasers.

The best brands of Cigars and Tobaccos Can be found at his store.

SAMUEL JACKSON, West Market Square Guelph, June 29th, 1872.

CO-OPERATIVE STORE.

NEW CANADIAN GOODS JUST ARRIVED

Canadian Double Warp Alpaca Lustres

Blankets, Flannels, Tweeds, Yarns, Cottons, Hats, Shirts and Drawers

Shirts and Drawers for Ladies.

J. C. MACKLIN & Co.

Guelph, Sept 11, 1872

COMMENCING TO-DAY.

We commence opening up our New Fall Stock to-day, and hope to have it completed by the 20th inst., when we will be prepared to exhibit a Stock of Goods never before excelled in this town.

A. O. BUCHAM,

Fashionable West End Dress, Millinery and Mantle Establishment.

Guelph, Sept. 9, 1872

GUELPH CLOTH HALL

Shaw & Murton

Have just received the Latest Styles in English, American and Canadian

FELT AND FUR HATS

CLOTH CAPS.

SHAW & MURTON, Merchant Tailors, Wyndham Street, Guelph, Aug. 30, 1872.

GEORGE S. POWELL

Begs to announce that he has purchased the

Bankrupt Stock of BOOTS and SHOES

Of John McNeil's Estate, and will continue the

Boot and Shoe Business in all its Branches

IN THE SAME PREMISES.

Having been with Mr. McNeil for a number of years, and having an experience of over 18 years at the business, he feels confident of giving the public entire satisfaction.

A NEW STOCK

Will be introduced 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.

GEO. S. POWELL.

Guelph, May 17 1872

HATS

JUST ARRIVED.

A SPLENDID STOCK OF

HATS AND CAPS

ALL THE NEWEST STYLES

AT JAMES CORMACK'S,

No. 1, Wyndham Street.

CAPS

NEW FANCY STORE.

Mrs. Moyes begs to thank her numerous friends for the patronage conferred on her, and to inform them and the public generally that on account of the success that has already followed her efforts, she has made large purchases of

FANCY GOODS, AND BERLIN WOOLS

and has added Children's Dresses, &c., Ladies' Underclothing, Chignons, Switches, Brushes, Baskets, Jewellery, &c. &c. to her stock, to which she would respectfully solicit inspection. Orders for Sewing promptly attended to.

MRS. MOYES, West Market Square, Guelph, Guelph, June 20, 1872.

Guelph Lumber Yard

Where they attend keeping on hand all kinds

LUMBER

Lath, Shingles, Waterlime,

Flour and Feed as usual

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We hope by strict attention to business to merit a share of public patronage.

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Just the article for the Hot Summer weather. Every household should have one.

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The undersigned be to notify the inhabitant 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,

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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.

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Goods and produce stored at moderate rates.

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We beg to inform our numerous patrons and the public in general, that we have made improvements in our machinery, and by the aid of steam we are prepared to turn out all work on the shortest notice.

All kinds of Ladies or Gents' Clothes Cleaned or Dyed.

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Give us a call, and bring your goods, and you can get any shade of color desired. All work warranted to give satisfaction. No Hauling.

GOLDIE & CO'S Steam Dyeing and Scouring Works, Upper Wyndham St., near the Alma Block, Guelph, July 27, 1872.

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. Doran's Grocery Store, opposite the Market. As I have purchased a new and Handsome Hearse I will keep on hand a full assortment of everything in the undertaking business: Metallic Hearsewood, Walnut, and Cloth Covered Coffins kept in stock.

All kinds of Cabinet work made to order. Particular attention paid to the repairing and varnishing of furniture.

As I intend to vote my attention to both branches, I desire 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.

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No. 120, Broadway, New York.

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Net cash assets, 1st Feb. 1872, \$1,000,000. Annual Income, \$600,000. Total paid policy-holders, 1871, \$2,000,000. Surplus, \$1,500,000. New Business, sum assured 1871, \$41,804,027.00.

The Largest of any Company in the World.

This Society has led the van in the Insurance world for many years; it has introduced more improvements and given greater impetus to the business than any Life Company in the United States, and is deserving in this respect of the praise and gratitude of the community.

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3rd—Perfect organization in every department, which renders official information easily obtainable and secures a complete administration of its affairs.

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The Equitable Life Assurance Society issues every recognized form of policy, and especially the

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The EQUITABLE feels that it has the strongest claims upon public confidence. Under the management that distinguishes it and the principles by which it is guided, perfect security is given for the future, than which no greater inducement can be held out to all who wish to insure their lives.

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Chignons, Hair Braids, Coronets, Switches, Hair Nets,

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In great variety. Balls, Bats, Walking sticks and Canes, Jet, Rubber and Plated Fancy STAMPING, over 1000 designs, for Braiding and Embroidery.

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Done in the best style and most workmanlike manner

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