

### Business Cards.

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Guelph, March 1, 1871.

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Guelph, Oct. 7, 1873

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Shop opposite the Wellington Hotel, Wynd-  
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having assisted Dr. Clarke in his practice  
during the last twelve months, has now  
commenced practice on his own account at  
the house formerly occupied by Dr. Herod,  
Quebec Street, Guelph.

**IRON CASTINGS**  
Of all kinds, made to order at

**CROWE'S IRON WORKS,**  
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**Carpenters and Builders,**  
South of the Drill Shed, Guelph.

Jobbing a specialty. Lumber and Cedar  
delivered always on hand.

**DOMINION SALOON**  
AND  
**RESTAURANT.**

Opposite the Market, Guelph.  
The saloon is kept by Mr. W. H. Mar-  
ton and the public that is not only a  
place of refreshment, but also a place  
of entertainment. The tables are  
well supplied with the best of  
the above saloon, and hopes by keeping none  
but first-class liquors and cigars to receive a  
share of public patronage.  
Orders in their season. First-class ac-  
commodation for supper parties.  
M. DEADY, Proprietor,  
Guelph, April 7, 1874.

**M. P. DELOUCHE**  
**WIRE WORKER,**

Pearl street, off King street. Every de-  
scription of wire work made to order at  
lowest terms. Any orders left at W. H. Mar-  
ton's saloon, Market Square, or at R. M.  
Curry's fruit depot, Wyndham street, will  
be thankfully received and promptly at-  
tended to. Terms strictly cash.

**RICE'S**  
**BILLIARD HALL,**  
in the Queen's Hotel, Guelph, opposite  
the Market.

The room has just been refitted in splen-  
did style, the tables reduced in size, and  
everything done to make it a first-class  
Billiard Hall.

**W. M. POSTER, D.D.S.,**  
**Surgeon Dentist, Guelph.**

Office over Harvey's Drug Store, Corner of  
Wyndham & Macdonell Street, Guelph.

Extraction of teeth without pain, which is  
perfectly reliable.

References kindly permitted to Dr.  
Herod, McGuire, Keating, Cowan, and Mc-  
Gregor, Guelph.

**R. Campbell, L.D.S.**  
Having recovered from his recent illness, is  
again prepared to attend to the wants of all  
who may require his services.  
Office at the old stand, Wyndham street,  
Guelph.

**PARKER'S HOTEL,**  
—DIRECTLY—  
OPPOSITE THE MARKET, GUELPH.

First-class accommodation for travellers.  
Commodious stabling and an attentive  
hostler.

The best Lighters and Cigars at the bar.  
We have just received from a select  
firm, the most superior and reliable  
in the market.

From Salmon Lobsters and Sardines.

**THORP'S HOTEL, GUELPH**—Re-  
modelled and newly furnished. Good  
accommodation for commercial travellers.  
Free of charge from all trains. First-  
class liquors in connection with the  
above.

**FOR SALE**—A very elegant Build-  
ing for rent on Paisley street and  
running through to Oxford street—about  
half an acre. Apply to R. Euston, book-  
binder, St. George's square, Guelph.

10 acres of land wanted, suitable for  
strawberries, near to town. Apply to the  
above.

### New Advertisements.

**FOR SALE**—A pony, good for saddle  
or harness, smart action and gentle.  
Enquire at this office. Aug 5-df

**STONE SHOP TO RENT**—In the  
Town of Guelph, well adapted for any  
kind of manufacturing business. Apply  
at the Mercury office.

**MISS WIGHTMAN'S**  
Boarding and Day School for Young Ladies  
will (D.V.) reopen on MONDAY, Aug. 17th,  
Guelph, Aug. 4th, 1874.

**STONE HOUSE TO LET**—On Nor-  
wich street, Guelph, known as the  
Traitor House, containing 8 rooms, soft  
and hard water, woodshed and stable. Ap-  
ply to D. O'Connor, near the premises.  
Guelph, July 30, 1874.

**LOST**—On Tuesday, between Guelph  
and the Model Farm, a book of Desin  
Book of Monuments and Herods. The  
finder will be rewarded by returning it to  
Wm. Hearns, Wellington at the Works,  
Guelph, July 30, 1874.

**JOHN McCREA,**  
**Produce Commission Merchant,**  
and Insurance Agency.

Office—Bank of Commerce Buildings,  
Guelph, July 28th, 1874.

**FARM FOR SALE IN GLENELG**—  
Lot 12 in the 14th, and lot 12 in the 15th  
Conns., Glenelg Co., Gray, 134 acres, 43  
clear. All well fenced.

**ROBERT MITCHELL,**  
Solicitor, Guelph, July 28th, 1874.

**D. R. W. H. LOWRY,**  
Graduate of University of Trinity College,  
Member of College of Physicians and  
Surgeons, Ontario, Licentiate in Med.  
Jas. Hazleton, Upper Wyndham Street,  
Guelph, August 3rd, 1874.

**SCHOOL FLY!**  
**The Magnet Fly Catcher**  
Is the Cleanest, Cheapest, Neatest, Best,  
and Most Efficient Fly Exterminator extant.  
Price reduced to \$1.25. See it. Try it.

For sale in Guelph at Howard's Tin Shop,  
J. M. Bond & Co's Hardware Store, Stanley  
and Mills & Goodfellow's Tin Shops.  
D. B. DAVIDSON, Agent, box 208,  
Guelph, Aug. 1, 1874.

**SABBATH SCHOOL OPENING.**  
The St. Andrew's Church School  
House being completed.

**A NOIRE**  
Will be held therein on TUESDAY Evening,  
the 11th inst. Tea will be served at six  
o'clock, after which addresses are expected  
to be delivered by Rev. J. D. Macdonnell,  
of Toronto, Rev. Mr. Mallen, of Fergus; and  
Messrs. Ward, pp, Ball and Torrance,  
of Guelph.

An invitation is extended to all friends  
of the cause.  
Music will be furnished by the choir.  
Tickets of admission 25 cents, to be had at  
the Bookstore, and at the doors.  
The Rev. J. D. Macdonnell will preach (D.  
V.) in St. Andrew's Church, on Sabbath 9th  
inst., to-morrow evening, when a  
collection will be taken up in aid of Furnish-  
ing Fund.

**NOTICE.**  
The Miniature Steamer  
Will, on and after Wednesday, July 29th,  
leave the wharf at 7 p.m., Mondays, Wed-  
nesdays, and Fridays. Fare 25c for the  
round trip. Other days, may be chartered for  
picnic parties. Boats for hire as usual.

**WALBRON'S**  
**CONFECTIONERY STORE,**  
Next to Petrie's Drug Store.

**Choice Confectionery,**  
Ice Cream and Soda Water.

CAKES of all kinds constantly on hand.  
Weddings supplied on short notice.

**JOHN KIRKHAM,**  
**GUNSMITH,**  
Quebec street, Guelph, opposite the  
Churches.

Guns, Pistols, and Sporting Materials al-  
ways on hand. Repairing as usual.

**NOTICE.**—All parties having left guns  
at my place for repairs are requested  
to call for the same at once, or they will be  
sold to pay expenses.

**NO BORROWERS.**  
Having invested the \$25,000 recently  
advertised, we again have the following  
sums, besides others, to lend on farm secu-  
rity:

\$500	\$1000
\$800	\$1000
\$600	\$1200
\$600	\$1250
\$800	\$2000
\$800	\$2500

**3-CYLINDER ENGINE.**  
Low-priced, servicable, quality  
unsurpassed.

Machinery, Iron and Wood-work-  
ing, of leading Canadian and U. S. manu-  
facture, Cold-rolled Shafting, Gearing,  
Belting, Diamond Emery Wheels, and  
Grinders, &c.

**J. S. R. ANNETT,**  
90 Wellington St., Montreal.

**THE SUBSCRIBERS**  
HAVING BEEN  
**APPOINTED AGENTS**  
—BY—  
**Messrs. Williams Bros.**  
of Buffalo, N.Y.,  
FOR THEIR CELEBRATED AMERICAN  
**SLATE MANTLES**  
Beg to acquaint

Contractors and Builders  
That they will keep constantly on hand a  
stock of their Mantles, and would invite  
inspection of the samples we have on  
hand, and which we are offering at very  
low prices.

**H. CLEARHUE & Co.,**  
GUELPH.

### Guelph Evening Mercury

**Town and County News**

**GRAND ASCENSIONS AT THE FALLS.**—  
Stephen Peer, the popular funambulist,  
will walk his rope across the Niagara  
river gorge below the new Suspension  
Bridge, every day during the present  
week. Mr. Peer bids fair to rival the  
popularity of Blondin before the season  
is over.

**HOME AGAIN.**—Mr. John Hogg returned  
to Guelph on Tuesday from his visit  
to the British markets. The work on  
the new stores on Wyndham street is  
being pushed on with all speed, and as  
soon as they are ready, he will open one  
of them with a splendid stock of dry  
goods.

**CREDIT VALLEY RAILWAY.**—Mr. Wm.  
Grain has resigned the position of sur-  
veying engineer for that part of the  
Credit Valley Railway which is intended  
to run through this County. The  
reason alleged is that the Directors won't  
pay him enough for his services. Mr.  
Lumsden, who has been working on the  
main line, takes his place.

**AGONY MONTHLY FAIR.**—This fair was  
not very well attended, only about one  
hundred head of cattle being on the  
ground, and sales not being very brisk.  
Milk cows range from \$20 to \$30,  
according to quality. Some sales of  
cattle took place at from 3c. to 5c. live  
weight, and two yoke of steers sold at  
\$75 each. There were very few of the  
latter class on the grounds.

**ONTARIO VS. MAPLE LEAF.**—The game  
yesterday between the Ontarios of Bow-  
manville, Ontario, and the second nine of the  
Maple Leaf Club, ended in the defeat of  
the visitors by a score of almost two to  
one. The playing of the Ontario was  
excellent, and they were favored by the  
wind of the clubs which have visited us.  
We have not space for the full  
score, and give the runs by innings:

Maple Leaf 0 0 1 5 0 0 2 0—21  
Ontario 3 0 0 0 4 1 2—11

**THE GREAT SHOW.**—Barnum's great  
show will be in Guelph to-morrow,  
and the street pageant will appear about  
nine o'clock. We notice that Mr. Baker,  
agent for the show, has got up a neat  
advertising sheet, which is being printed  
at this office, and which in addition to  
the programme of the show, contains the  
names of a number of our mer-  
chants. We are printing several thou-  
sands of these sheets, and we believe  
the merchants are well satisfied with the  
publicity which will be given to their  
announcements.

**BOW PARK HERD BOOK.**—We are in  
receipt of the third catalogue of the Hon.  
Geo. Brown's celebrated herd of Short  
Horns at Bow Park. It is a handsome  
volume of over 200 pages, and gives a  
complete history of each separate animal  
in the herd, which numbers over 200  
cows and heifers, and 60 bulls. The Bow  
Park herd, we understand, now ranks  
first in Canada, and is superseded by but  
one or two in the United States. Valua-  
ble additions are constantly being made  
to it from the best blooded stock in  
Britain and the States, and the herd  
promises ere long to become the largest  
and best in the country.

**WONDERFUL ESCAPE FROM DEATH.**—A  
little boy, son of Mr. W. H. Lottridge,  
Barton; had a narrow escape from a  
horrible death a few days ago. The  
little fellow was in the field where the  
men were engaged reaping wheat, and  
having gone in amongst the grain un-  
noticed by any one, the driver of the  
machine did not see the boy until he  
came close up to him, and before he  
could stop his horses the revolving rake  
struck the child on his head, and drew  
the little fellow for several inches of the  
reaper. If the horses had gone one  
step further the little innocent would  
have met with a most horrible death.  
The driver, with great presence of mind,  
did not move from his seat, but held the  
horses steady until the arrival of a fellow  
workman, who was called to his assistance  
and who took the child from his perilous  
position.

**CORRECTIONS IN THE VOTERS' LIST.**—  
As knowledge of the means to be adopted  
to secure a correction of an error in the  
voters' lists is not general, we might  
state that parties who desire corrections  
should give their notices to the clerk  
of the municipality, who will then notify  
the judge, and the latter will appoint a  
time and place for hearing. Complaints  
brought to the notice of the judge in any  
other way will not be noticed. The 6th  
section of the Act respecting the voters'  
list, which is in force, provides that  
complaining of any error in said (voters')  
list shall, within thirty days after the  
clerk has posted the said list in his office  
and transmitted or delivered the said  
copies, give to the clerk of the municipi-  
ality a written notice of his complaint  
and intention to apply to the judge in  
opposition to the list, and the proceeding  
thereafter by the clerk, judge and parties  
respectively, and the respective powers  
and duties of the judge, clerk and other  
persons, shall be the same, or as nearly  
as may be the same, as in the case of an  
appeal from the Court of Revision; but  
no deposit shall be required to be made  
before any such complaint is heard or  
disposed of.

**ATTEMPTED MURDER IN HAMILTON.**—A  
deed which Henry Barton, a store man  
by trade, was made the victim of a ter-  
rible outrage in Hamilton, last Monday  
night. Barton had been employed at  
Repton, and getting out of employment  
there, started off with the intention of  
going to Bramford; but when at Harris-  
burg he failed to obey the usual order  
"change cars for Bramford," and was  
carried to Hamilton. Some time after  
his arrival there he was "spotted" by a  
couple of scoundrels who make their  
living by fleeing the unwary, and under  
pretence of showing him a good lodging-  
house, enticed him down a narrow street.  
When near the Bay, one of the rowdies  
grabbed Barton by the throat, threw him  
upon the ground, and pressed his knee  
against his breast, while the other "went  
through" his pockets, stealing his pocket-  
book containing about \$10, also his watch  
and chain, and a bundle of clothing. The  
scoundrel then threw him into the Bay.  
The unfortunate fellow managed to scramble  
up the side of the dock, and when near  
the top he was struck on the head by  
one of his would-be murderers, and  
again fell back into the water. The  
scoundrels then ran away, and Barton  
had another hard struggle, but finally  
reached terra firma.

### The Wellington Convention and Dr. Sangster.

To the Editor of the Mercury.

DEAR SIR,—I was very sorry to see  
from the report of the Toronto Con-  
vention that our noble County of Wellington  
was represented as being in favor of Dr.  
Sangster. I thought then, and I think  
still, that the great majority of the  
teachers of our County was misrepresented  
at the Convention. I cannot well  
conceive how any person holding the  
honorable and responsible position of an  
instructor of youth, can so far forget  
what is due to himself, to his trustees,  
to his pupils, to their parents, to the  
honor and dignity of his profession, to  
the sacred cause of morality, and to the  
fair fame of our Province, as to disgrace  
himself by supporting the candidature of  
a man of Dr. Sangster's infamous notori-  
ety, to a seat at the Board of Public  
Instruction.

The teachers cannot plead ignorance,  
for they have been faithfully warned in  
regard to this man's character by the  
almost unanimous voice of the public  
press, both religious and secular. Let  
our teachers remember that the Argu-  
ment of an intelligent people is upon  
them, and will hold them to a strict ac-  
count for the way in which they exercise  
the privilege which has now for the first  
time been conferred upon them. Let  
them also remember that the educational  
institutions of the country belong not to  
them alone, but are equally the property  
of every man, woman and child in the  
community, who have a right to watch,  
and will watch jealously, the action of  
our public school teachers on this  
occasion.

It is said that we outsiders have no  
right to dictate to the teachers. Quite  
true, Sir; but when I find our teacher  
unblushingly proclaim his own immoral  
sentiments by voting for a man of (to say  
the least) doubtful morality, then, Sir,  
I feel bound to cry out, and consider  
whether such teachers are fit to be per-  
mitted to entrust with the training of  
my children. I was also very glad to see  
that the Mercury, as usual, has taken a  
noble stand in the cause of public  
morals on this question. There is yet  
one thing more that you can do, Mr.  
Editor, for the protection of school  
institutions, parents, and pupils: you can  
obtain, and publish after the 18th inst.,  
a list of the Wellington teachers who  
vote for Sangster.

But apart from the question of mor-  
ality altogether, would it be wise to  
elect Sangster? By no means. It is  
well known that he has been too indis-  
creetly connected with the Educational  
Department in the past (drawing his liv-  
ing therefrom, and receiving many other  
favours for a number of years) to be able  
to take a very independent part in the  
Council. It is also well known that many  
noxious "regulations" were passed by  
the Council while he was a member, and  
gladly see abolished. Let us, then, have  
a thoroughly independent man, full of  
mental force and energy, such as Prof.  
Goldwin Smith, and not a mere toady of  
the Department, as Dr. Sangster is.

Believing, Sir, that the teachers of  
Wellington will rise in their might when  
the proper time comes, and refuse to be  
dragged through the mire after this  
notorious "trafficker in wares," but will  
heartily support Prof. Smith, a man of  
unspotted character, a gentleman and a  
scholar,

I am, &c.,  
A PARENT.  
County Wellington, Aug. 3rd, 1874.

**Erasmus Township Council.**  
This Council met at the Centre Inn on  
the 3rd inst. members all present, the  
Reeve in the chair. The minutes of the  
meeting on the 25th June, and the  
special meeting on the 22nd July, were  
read and confirmed. \$50 were granted  
to supplement the grant of a like sum by  
the Township of Erin, to improve the  
line between the two Townships at the  
22 and 23. \$10 were granted for the  
relief of John Howson, and \$8 to Jeremiah  
Warden, for keeping Elizabeth Cross'  
child. A By-law for the purchase of two  
pieces of land, on lot 26, in the 6th con-  
cession, from William Ching, to improve the  
road there, was passed after the usual  
number of readings, and refused to be  
passed. \$41.50 granted as the purchase  
money thereof. J. H. Hacking's account  
of \$40, for printing voters' Lists, &c., was  
ordered to be paid. A statement of the  
numbers of the resident population in  
the several School Sections compiled  
from the Assessment Rolls of 1874, with  
an affidavit of its correctness, was pre-  
sented by the Clerk, in terms of the  
resolution passed at the special meeting of  
the Council. A By-law to assess the  
Township two mills on the dollar for the  
Municipal expenses of the current year  
was passed after the usual number of  
readings and numbers 28. \$3.63 were  
ordered to be paid to Wm. Hodgkinson  
for gravel. \$5 were refunded to Her-  
man Clark, for his licence, fee his  
tavern not having been open until the  
20th May. \$12 were ordered to be paid  
to William Fansh, for his services as  
Commissioner under By-law No. 26. A  
By-law to assess the several School  
Sections for School purposes was passed  
after the usual number of readings. After  
transacting some other business of minor  
importance the Council adjourned to  
meet again at the Centre Inn, on a call  
from the Reeve.

**J. A. DAVIDSON, Township Clerk.**

**The Grasshoppers in Manitoba.**  
Authentic reports by telegraph from  
Manitoba indicate that in the older settle-  
ments the damage by grasshoppers has  
been very great, but there has been  
great injury done on the recently re-  
claimed lands. This is the substance of  
a despatch from Ottawa. Fuller infor-  
mation is, however, given by the Free  
Press published in that Province. In its  
issue of the 25th ult., it says:—It is but  
little more than a year since the pests  
came within the boundaries of Manitoba,  
but already they have destroyed by far  
the greater portion of the growing  
crops, and still the work goes on. \$3  
far as we can learn at the time of writ-  
ing, many of the settlements are abso-  
lutely cleared out, and nearly all the  
others are undergoing the process.  
Rarely does such a severe calamity fall  
so suddenly upon a community, as we  
have met with in these grasshopper  
visitations. A few days ago, and every  
foot of cultivated land in the Province  
was covered with a luxuriant growth  
of crops; never in the history of the  
country were more promising; and  
never was there so large an area under  
crop. And to-day we find waters as  
indicating. What wonder then that a  
terrible desolation has taken possession of  
the people?

### BY TELEGRAPH TO THE MERCURY

**The Beecher Investigation.**

**Moulton Invited to Testify.**

**Railway through Hoosac Tunnel.**

**Not Kidnapped, but Astray.**

New York, 4th.—Neither Henry Ward  
Beecher nor Mr. Moulton plan an ap-  
pearance at the Committee last evening.  
Letters of invitation have been sent by  
Mr. Beecher and the Committee request-  
ing Moulton's appearance. It is ex-  
pected that either Mr. Moulton or Mr.  
Beecher will appear to-morrow evening.

A Times' special from Boston says a  
league has been organized in Massachu-  
setts to secure the election of men to the  
Legislature this fall who will favor the  
granting of a charter for a railroad through  
Hoosac Tunnel to Lake Ontario and the  
West, with double track of steel rails.

Annie Miller, supposed to have been  
abducted in Brooklyn, was found asleep  
on a door step in Flatbush, having strayed  
from home.

**The Maple Leaf Base Ball Club.**  
A large number of members attended  
the monthly meeting of this club on  
Tuesday evening at the Queen Hotel.  
The President, Mr. George Slocman,  
occupied the chair. Ten new members  
were received. The Secretary read the  
following

**COMMUNICATIONS.**  
From the Essex Club, New Jersey, for  
a series of games at Brooklyn; from the  
Flyways, New York, for a game here;  
from the Royal Oaks, Bowmanville, for a  
championship match on the 12th inst.;  
from Oneida Castle, N. Y., for a tourna-  
ment, the prizes to be \$400, \$200 and  
\$100; from London, for a game there on  
the 14th inst.; from the Stars, Canton,  
N. Y., for a game with them; from the  
Adams Association, for a tournament in  
Adams, N. Y., the prizes to be \$300 and  
\$100; from Staten Island Club, for a  
game during their tour.

It was decided that the Maple Leaf  
Club attend the Adams tournament on  
the 17th, provided the nine can get away;  
that the championship match with the  
Royal Oaks take place on the 12th inst.;  
and that the Club visit London on their  
civic holiday, 14th inst.

After considerable discussion, a motion  
was unanimously carried granting the  
nine who attended the tournament at  
Watertown the sum of \$400, to be divided  
among them.

The following new board of Directors  
was appointed: Messrs. G. Slocman,  
J. Anderson, A. Weir, C. Sharpe, A.  
Robertson, C. Maddock, and W. Sunley.  
The meeting adjourned at a late hour.

**POLICE COURT.**  
(Before the Police Magistrate.) Aug. 5.

Geo. Archer, of Paulinch, was charged  
by Thomas Ingram with assault and  
battery on the 3rd inst., while discharg-  
ing his duty as bailiff in the Division  
Court. Fined \$5 and costs.

Jas. Parker and Mary Carroll were  
charged with allowing liquor to be drunk  
on the premises on Saturday night.  
Each fined \$20 and costs. Mr. McMillan  
appeared for Mrs. Carroll.

Margaret Donovan was charged with  
abusive language to Harriet Tansley.  
Dismissed without costs.

John Place was charged by Constable  
Dooley with breach of market by sell-  
ing butter out of the market before  
4 o'clock. He pleaded ignorance of the  
by-law, and it being his first offence he  
was let off.

**An Erin Man's Experience in Man-  
itoba.**

We take the following extracts from a  
private letter written to a resident in  
Erin by an acquaintance who formerly  
resided there, but is now living in Mani-  
toba:—

Winnipeg, July 21st, 1874.

"I promised to write to you to let you  
know how I am getting along, and how  
I like the country. Well, in the first  
place, the country is not what it is said  
to be. There is no one that comes here  
who is satisfied with it, or very few.  
They are leaving every day as fast as  
they can get away, and hundreds can  
not get away for want of money. Hun-  
dreds are laying idle, for there is hardly  
any work to be had, and there are twenty  
men for every one that is wanted, and  
laboring wages is very low, from \$1 to  
\$2 per day, and board from \$5 to \$10 per  
week, and everything very high. Flour  
is \$4 to \$4.50 per cwt., butter 30 cts.  
per pound; potatoes \$3 per bushel; beef  
16 cts. to 25 cts. per lb., and poor at that.  
I can't see how the people are to live  
this winter, for the grasshoppers are  
eating all the grain this year. Hundreds  
have been two years in this country, and  
this is their first crop, and looking well,  
but grasshoppers have cleaned them  
right out. The new settlements are  
the worst yet; but there is every appear-  
ance of them going at the old settle-  
ments, where they have had no crop for  
two years. If they do that, I see nothing  
but starvation next year, and hundreds  
of people ruined, for most of Minnesota  
is eaten out from there to here; so if they  
eat out down the River, Manitoba is done  
for. The last few days, property has  
decreased in value a hundred and fifty  
per cent. Building lots this week you  
can buy for less than half that you  
could last week, and they are still getting  
lower. Every one is anxious to sell, and  
some are offering lots free to anyone who  
will settle on them and buy another for  
\$20. That is outside of the corporation.  
I don't know hardly what to do, as I  
have taken up land and have done a  
good deal of work on it. It is a very  
good claim, and it has cost me a good  
deal of money, and I have not earned a  
dollar for work from any one since I  
came, so I think I will try and stick it  
out; but I would not by any means ad-  
vise any one coming here to remain, as  
everything will be very high next year."

"Peter Benney, who used to live in  
Erin, is here working as a stone mason."

The Hamilton Times says:—

Political Meetings.

Mr. Rykert, naturally feeling sore after the terrible scathing he received from Mr. McKellar at Wallace-town, called a meeting at St. Thomas in the expectation that he would be able to break down some of the damning testimony brought against his political character by the Provincial Secretary. He had challenged Dr. Wilson, Mr. Hodgins and Mr. McKellar to be present. The meeting came off on Monday, and after a three hours' speech, in which he renewed all the stale charges of extravagance, coercion, violation of the Constitution, &c., on the part of the present Government, Mr. McKellar took the stand, and repeated the charges he had specifically made at Wallace-town. He said that Mr. Rykert had made merchandize of his representative position in the Legislature; that after having for two weeks opposed the first Bill to incorporate the Canada Southern Railway, he turned round and became one of its warmest supporters on receiving an offer of four thousand dollars; and that in a subsequent session, when application was made for an amendment to the charter, he accepted an offer made on behalf of the Great Western Railway of a bribe of five thousand dollars if he succeeded in defeating the important amendments sought for by the Canada Southern Company. He was prepared to prove this in a court of law. He further declared that Mr. Rykert, having undertaken to get a Bill through the Legislature to incorporate a new Street Railway Company in Toronto, sold himself to the old company for a bribe of not less than one hundred dollars, and actually turned round and defeated his own Bill. This he was also prepared to prove. During his speech Mr. McKellar was repeatedly interrupted by a lot of Tories, and the uproar was so great that the Reformers had to leave the building, and organize another meeting, when Mr. McKellar concluded his speech. The respectable portion of the community strongly condemn the rowdy conduct of Mr. Rykert's friends.

A Reform demonstration of the coloured people in and about Chatham was held on Tuesday. There was a procession and picnic, after which speeches were made by Messrs. McKellar, G. W. Ross, M. P., Rev. Horrocks Cocks and others. Mr. McKellar in the course of his speech referred to the treatment of the coloured people received at the hands of the Reform Government as compared with the studied neglect of the Tory party towards people who though coloured had all the rights of citizens. Several of them had been appointed by the Reform Government to places of trust, but the Tories, while they were in power, never dreamt of such a thing as appointing coloured men to office, or taking the first step towards breaking the barrier of prejudice which had so long existed in this country. At the close of the proceedings, a resolution was carried by a unanimous vote, acknowledging the efforts of the Reform party to secure for the coloured people their rights, and pledging a united support to that party at the coming election.

It is said that Kiel is at Suncock, New Hampshire, the guest of Rev. Mr. Fisher.

The Manitoba Free Press has reliable information from Ottawa that the Pembina Branch Railway, to connect the Province line with Fort Garry, will be commenced in September next.

Notice to Teachers.—The voting for the Teachers' representative in the Council of Public Instruction begins on Tuesday next, the 11th. The papers must not be sent before that date, and they must reach the Education Department, Toronto, before the 18th, else they are lost, and will not count in the vote. Respecting these papers, it would be well for all interested to know that the first papers distributed were informal, and that new papers have been issued by the Education Department direct to the teachers, addressed to the post-offices of the sections taught in during the first half of the present year. The candidates are Goldwin Smith and Dr. Sangster. Enough has surely been said already respecting these two candidates to leave no doubt in the minds of teachers for whom they should vote. To those teachers in their County who are still wavering in their decision, and are inclined—spite of all the exposures respecting Dr. Sangster—to vote for him, we commend to their serious consideration a letter on the subject in another column from a Parent residing in this County.

Flora Correspondence.—The fair on Tuesday was not very largely attended, as the farmers are busy at work harvesting. A number of local buyers were present, but were not very keen, and many of the farmers drove their cattle home again. Sixty yokes of oxen were on the ground, for which their owners asked from \$100 to \$130 per yoke. There was some horse trading. By noon everything was quiet again, as usual at this season of the year. Five cents per pound was offered for beef.

There was quite a frost on the mornings of Monday and Tuesday in Flora and Ferguson, the sidewalks being white. We did not hear of any injury being done.

There is quite a quantity of lumber coming into the market, for which from 7c. to 18c. per lb. was paid. Mr. Robert Carter has a large stock packed up in tubs in the basement story of the Market house, the floor of which has been laid with lime.

In last week's correspondence the money raised at the opening of Knox Church should have been as follows:—\$45 collected on Sabbath and proceeds of soiree instead of \$55; from a friend \$0 instead of \$20. On Friday afternoon last, a party hailed from Garafaxa, and laboring under heavy dose of forty-rod, went to the ally House, in front of which Mr. Mair's wagon was standing, and commenced to hitch his horses to the hitch, imagining, doubtless, that it was his own. When Mr. Mair came out and asked the stranger what he meant, the party told him "he was (hic) going home." His little game was spoiled by

A. O. BUCHAM

Mr. Mair, however; and at last reports the Garafaxian was looking for his wagon, which had evidently strayed. Mr. W. B. Telfer, of Pilkington, effectually destroys potatoe bugs by sprinkling the vines with a decoction made by putting a tablespoonful of Paris Green in a pailful of water. A watering can is used for sprinkling. It is evident the plan of mixing the poison with water is more effectual than administering it dry, as shown by a comparison between the fields of Mr. Telfer and those of his neighbors. Mr. Telfer is raising a crop of potatoe oats, which look well. Midlothian Gem spring wheat, which he has sown this season for a second time, is bearded and earlier than the other kinds. Mr. Francis Murdoch, of Pilkington, has a sow of the Berkshire breed which has given birth to 31 pigs within one year. Out of the number only three have died. Next!

BIRTHS. SNOWDON—In Guelph, on the 1st inst., the wife of Mr. William Snowdon, of a daughter. FULTON—In Minto, on the 1st inst., the wife of Geo. Fulton of a daughter—still born.

DEATHS. LONDON—In Woolwich, on the 29th ult., Mary, youngest daughter of the late Mr. Langdon of Guelph, aged 4 years and 4 months. FISHER—In Waterloo, on the 25th ult., Susannah, relict of the late Michael Fisher, aged 84 years and 4 months. FULTON—In Minto, on the 1st inst., after a few hours' illness, the wife of George Fulton.

HARVEST. LARGE STOCK OF Harvest GLOVES AND Harvest Implements, WHOLESALE AND RETAIL, AT JOHN HORSMAN'S HARVEST ESTABLISHMENT GUELPH.

Base Ball Clubs. The Ryan - \$1.25 (Red Dead Ball) Peck & Snyder - 1.25 (Red Dead Ball) Mailed to any address, post-paid, FOR \$1.35.

A LARGE STOCK OF BASE BALL GOODS ON HAND CHEAP. ANDERSON'S BOOKSTORE.

NEW FALL PRINTS VERY CHOICE STYLES. JOHN MACDONALD & Co., TORONTO THE GUELPH ECONOMICAL COOKING RANGE

A combined close or open fire cooking apparatus, with or without hot air chambers, or hot water boilers, for Bath and Culinary purposes. This range is fitted with one oven and side boiler, or with two or more ovens, grilling stove, hot closets, &c. The ovens are convertible into roasters, and properly ventilated to carry off steam and odor while cooking. When not cooking, it can be used as an open grate, making a cheerful fire, while the consumption of fuel is materially lessened. In offering the Guelph Range to the public, we are confident that we are giving them an article that cannot fail to recommend itself to all, both as regards general utility and saving in fuel. The sizes range from 3 to 10 feet, and larger sizes if required. They can be seen at the store of Mr. Geo. Howard, Quebec Street, Guelph. GLOOM BROTHERS, Manufacturers and Patentees, Guelph, Guelph, August 5th, 1874.

New Advertisements. SUGARS! TEAS! SUGARS!

G. & A. HADDEN HAVE JUST RECEIVED A SPLENDID LOT OF New Sugars for Preserving. A Large Lot of A. I. 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.

IN DRY GOODS 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 Sags, &c. G. & A. HADDEN. Guelph, July 29, 1874.

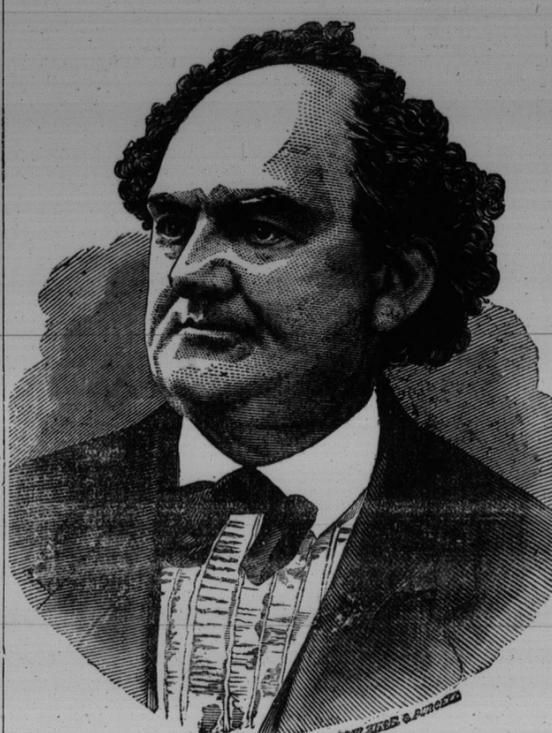
CLEARING SALE OF CLOTHING AT THE Elephant Clothing Store. Previous to receiving Fall Stock we have concluded upon a Clearing Sale DURING THIS MONTH Of our entire stock, consisting of MEN & BOYS' CLOTHING! Which we will offer at prices never before equalled in Guelph.

A BEAUTIFUL STOCK OF OXFORD AND REGATTA SHIRTS JUST RECEIVED, TO BE SOLD VERY CHEAP, AND EVERYTHING IN THE WAY OF GENTS FURNISHING GOODS AT COMPARATIVELY LOW PRICES. HATS AND CAPS In all the latest English and American styles. C. E. PEIRCE & CO., Guelph, Aug. 3rd, 1874.

To the Public. I take this opportunity to let my old friends and customers know that early this Fall I intend opening up one of the most extensive and varied stocks of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods to be seen in Ontario. I have had erected for my own special retail business a most complete arranged store, and from my long experience in the mercantile business, I feel and know that I will present for the inspection of my old patrons and others not only the most choice selection of Fancy Goods, but goods that will in reality be of such a character as to give to the purchaser the most entire satisfaction. The value will form one of the most important features of my establishment, the fact of going direct to the fountain head for my whole stock, and buying all for the ready money, and in addition having no old stock to palm off, is of itself a positive guarantee that my establishment will present inducements to the purchaser that none other in Guelph can approach. I earnestly request my old friends and customers to pay a visit to my establishment, when the old motto that I used for so many years to their advantage will again be adopted, viz: the best goods in the trade at the smallest possible profit. Good goods and cheap goods. One price and no abatement. No misrepresentations, and the interests of the public doing business with me strenuously watched. Yours truly, JOHN HOGG.

SUGAR, SUGAR, SUGAR! 13lbs of Good Bright Sugar for \$1. TEAS, TEAS! Try a pound of Fraser's Young Hyson Tea at 50c., usual price 80c. Japan Tea, finest quality, 65c. Assam Tea, 80c., recommended by the Medical Profession for Nervousness. Lovers of Excellent Black Tea can get their Supply at G. B. FRASER'S.

P. T. BARNUM'S GREAT TRAVELLING Museum, Menagerie, Circus, AND WORLD'S FAIR



In Canvas Colleges, canopied acres, comprehending 20 GREAT SHOWS IN ONE AND Over 1,000 Men and Horses, WILL EXHIBIT

In GUELPH, on THURSDAY, August 6th

The Press pronounces it The World's Show, whose increasing vastness cannot be portrayed on paper, or even fully realized when seen. 100,000 Cardinal Curiosities! 1,500 magnificent representative animals, Beasts, Birds, Reptiles, Amphibious Marine Monsters, Steam Engine Operated Automatic and POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE, And Stupendous Inter-Continental Amphitheatre, with seats for 14,000 spectators, and 2 Separate Rival Rings, in both of which will appear, at one and the same time, DAN CASTELLO'S International Hippodrome, James Melville's Great Australian Circus, Jas Cooke's Royal Circus, HERR LIPPARD'S ARENA Of Pony Performers, Canine Fugestrians and Apo Actors, expressly forwarded by Mr. Barnum from Hamburg, for this season's Great Travelling World's Fair. To every Wonder-world Department of which A Single 50c Ticket

MARVELLOUS TALKING MACHINE ADMIRAL DOT

The Cupid of the Dwarf, and smallest man that ever lived. 30 years old, 25 inches high, weighs 15 pounds. Only Living Giraffes in America, each one of which cost more than 15 cages of animals usually presented as "features" in travelling Menageries. The Only School of Captive Living Sea Lions! North Pacific Monsters, weighing 1000 lbs each, and transported in huge tanks of Water.

The Famous and Ferocious Fiji Cannibals!

A WORLD OF AUTOMATIC TRIUMPHS!

MIGHTIEST PAGEANT

Earth has ever seen; exceeding in magnitude and massive splendor a dozen Roman Triumphs. The only Exhibition in America to receive an endorsement by the Rollins Press, and daily visited by eminent Clergymen and Divines; and the only one in the world returning ten-fold the price of admission. Doors open at 1 and 7 p.m. Arena Grand Entree 1 hour later. Will also Exhibit at Brampton, - Wednesday, August 5th Berlin, - - Friday, 7th Stratford, - Saturday, 8th

**NOTICE OF REMOVAL!**

**GEORGE JEFFREY**

Having to give up possession of his store by the FIRST OF JANUARY, has decided to clear out the whole of his valuable stock at greatly reduced prices. Great Bargains will be given as the stock must be sold without reserve.

**GREAT BARGAINS IN DRESS GOODS!**

The quantity of Goods sold in this Department is immense.

Over \$10,000 worth in Stock of the Latest Fabrics, at 25c per yard, town price 50.  
 Over \$5,000 worth in Stock of the Latest Fabrics, at 12c. per yard, town price 25c.

**MILLINERY AND MANTLES:**

**GRENADES AND MUSLINS ALMOST GIVEN AWAY**

**PARASOLS:**

The balance in this Department will be cleared out regardless of cost.

About 200 lined Parasols to be cleared at 37½c, worth 75 cents.

The stock is too large to enumerate every article, but will issue a circular every week, giving due notice of the articles to be brought prominently forward at the reduced prices. Don't forget to call early as the whole stock will be sold.

**GEORGE JEFFREY, GUELPH**

**PREPARING FOR THE FALL TRADE**

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 AT THE LION  
 TO-DAY**



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**Direct from Britain several Cases and Bales of NEW GOODS!**

Shipped by our Agent with the last ALLAN STEAMSHIP.

100 pes Horrocks' best Brand Cotton at 12½c a yard;  
 1000 pes Dark Prints for Fall Wear, 8c, 9c, 10c and 12c., the very Best Quality.

500 pes Lovely Dress Goods, and will be sold at less than Montreal Wholesale Prices.  
 25 Bales of CARPETS, splendid designs and colors.

The CARPET ROOM is the 3rd flat of THE LION—the largest Carpet Hall in the Dominion, where a grand display will be seen. 460 pieces new make double finished BLACK LUSTRES—an extra Bargain for 25c., worth 40c.

New Tweeds, New Hats, New Flannels, New Shirts, New Blankets, New Ticks.

BY ALL MEANS SEE THOSE NEW GOODS AT THE LION.

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Golden Lion, Wyndham Street, Guelph.

**THE NOTED TEA HOUSE  
 SUGARS, SUGARS!**

A Large Lot now arriving, and will be sold Cheap during the Preserving Season.

**J. E. McELDERRY  
 2 DAY'S BLOCK,  
 THE NOTED TEA HOUSE**

bush. There are situated on the premises, a good frame barn with stone stable underneath, and log dwelling house. The farm is well watered by a never failing creek running through it. For particulars apply to THOMAS LONGFORD, JAMES REA, Trustees, Mimosa P.O. June 8th, 1874.

**FARM FOR SALE**—Lot 19, Con. 10, Township of Puslinch, 100 acres, 75 cleared, 25 in hard wood bush, log barn 52x22, stone driving shed 52x56, stone stable, log house, root cellar, hard and soft water, good orchard of grafted fruit: apple, pear, plum and cherry, also a fine flower garden living stream crossing the lot; 14 acres of fall wheat. The farm is in first-class condition, well fenced in square ten acre holds free from stumps and stones. There is also a milk house and cooling house. Would exchange the above for 200 acres, paying the difference. For terms apply, postpaid, to John Laing, Aberfoyle P.O., or to Henry Hatch, land agent, Guelph.

**A SPLENDID INVESTMENT**—The undersigned offers for sale a first-class Farm, situated within two miles of Arthur, on the 2nd Con. Garafraxa, being lot No. 27, containing 200 acres, 90 of which are cleared and free from stumps. The remainder is covered with timber, principally hard wood. Terms liberal. Apply to the proprietor in Arthur. K. MURPHY, Guelph, June 24, 1874.

**FARM FOR SALE**—The westerly half of Lot 30, 2nd Concession, Township of Nassagaweya, 100 acres, more or less, 80 acres cleared, the rest hard wood bush. It is well fenced and in a good state of cultivation, stone house, frame barn, log stable, plenty of water, orchard bearing 2½ miles from Guelph, 1½ miles from Eden Mills. For terms and particulars address HENRY ROBERTS, Eden Mills, July 28th, 1874.

**FARM FOR SALE**—Lot 7, 3rd concession, Division C, Guelph Township, containing 100 acres, more or less, about 80 cleared and in a good state of cultivation, balance well timbered. On the farm is a good comfortable frame dwelling house, large frame barn, and outbuildings, all in good repair; small orchard of grafted fruit; good well and cistern; also a spring all in good repair. Apply to John Laird, creek. Terms easy. Apply to John Laird, on the premises, or Guelph P.O.

**FARM FOR SALE**—Lot 25, 3rd concession, Township of Nassagaweya, containing 100 acres, about 85 cleared and in a good state of cultivation. There is a large stone house, frame barn and outbuildings, orchard of grafted fruit, good well and two cisterns. The farm is three miles from Eden, and ten from Guelph. Apply on the premises, or to James Napper, Executors of the late Wm Napper, Kn. at hbuill P.O.

**FARM FOR SALE**  
**EASY TERMS OF PAYMENT**  
 100 acres, near Freelon Post Office, North Wentworth, good soil, good buildings 10 miles from Dundas and 12 from Hamilton. This direct from the Crown. Immediate possession. Apply to the proprietor ARCH STEWART, Freelon P.O.

**VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE**  
 The farm occupied by the late James Forster, being the southeast half of lot No. 7, in the 3rd concession of Eden Mills, 100 acres, 60 cleared, the remainder good hard wood, chiefly beech and maple. There is a nursery of choice fruit trees ready for transplanting, and a never-failing spring well. The buildings consist of a frame house, a large frame barn, shed and stables, with other useful buildings. This property is situated two miles from the village of Rockwood, and six miles from Guelph. For further particulars apply on the premises, or if by letter to Rockwood P.O. JUNE 3, 1874. MRS. JAMES FORSTER.

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All orders promptly attended to.

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LINEN COATS, \$1.	REDUCED FROM \$1.25 and \$1.50
STRAW HATS 50c	65c, 80c and \$1
FELT HATS, 75c	\$1.25, 1.75 and \$2.25
TWEEDS, 75c	87½c, and \$1
PRINTS, 12½c	14c, 15c and 16c
BROWN HOLLANDS, 20c	25c per yard

WILL SELL THE HOLLANDS BY THE PIECE FOR 15½c.

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Come and get samples and quotations.

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Guelph June 26, 1874

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**COUNTRY MERCHANTS**

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**JOHN HOGG.**

June 24-d aw-w8t

**BREAKFAST.—Epps'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 cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavoured beverage which may save us many heavy doctors' bills."—Civil Service Gazette. Made simply with boiling water or milk. Each packet is labelled—"James Epps & Co.", Homeopathic Chemists, London." j56-9m

Six men who went on Monday from Port Dalhousie to Niagara in a boat, saw a corpse dressed in yachting costume, floating out two miles from the latter place. It was blowing a gale at the time, so they could not secure the body, which is believed to be that of one of the crew of the yacht Foam.

**SCROFULA.**—For the cure of Scrofula and other skin diseases there has never yet been found a remedy to equal, in completely eradicating the disease, Fowle's Pile and Humor Cure. Every bottle is warranted to give satisfaction; give it a trial; it has cured hundreds, it might cure you.

**RAILWAY TIME TABLE.**

**GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.**  
Trains leave Guelph as follows:

WEST—  
1:45 a.m.; 9:45 a.m.; 1:55 p.m.; 6:00 p.m.; 8:10 p.m.  
To London, Goderich and Detroit. To Berlin and Galt.

EAST—  
3:05 a.m.; 8:0 a.m.; 11 a.m.; 4:10 p.m. and 7:45 p.m.  
GREAT WESTERN—GUELPH BRANCH  
Going south—6:40 a.m.; 2:55 p.m.; 2:00 p.m. and 4:15 p.m.  
Going north—11:45 a.m. for Southampton mixed 1:45 p.m. for Palmerston; 6:15 p.m. for Harrisburg; 9:45 p.m. for Ferris.

**Commercial.**

**Guelph Markets.**

MERCURY OFFICE, Aug. 5

Fall Wheat, per 100 lbs.	\$3.00 to \$3.50
Spring Wheat (Glasgow), 100	1.90 to 2.00
Spring Wheat (red), 100	1.75 to 1.85
Oats, do	1.47 to 1.51
Barley, do	1.00 to 1.05
Hay, per ton	9.00 to 10.00
Straw, do	4.00 to 4.50
Wool, per cwt.	4.00 to 4.50
Eggs, per dozen	11 to 13
Butter, dairy packed	19 to 20
Butter, rolls	19 to 20
New Potatoes, per bush.	1.00 to 1.50
Apples, per 100 lb.	0.90 to 0.95
Beef, per cwt.	4.00 to 7.50
Wool	35 to 50
Lamb skins each	40 to 50
Pelts each	30 to 50

**Toronto Markets.**

TORONTO, Aug. 4.

Fall Wheat, per bushel	\$1.21 to \$1.24
Spring Wheat, do	1.18 to 1.19
Barley, do	0.90 to 0.94
Oats, do	0.60 to 0.60
Peas, do	0.70 to 0.70
Dressed Hops per 100 lbs.	3.00 to 6.00
Butter, lb rolls	23 to 27
Butter, tub dairy	20 to 22
Eggs, fresh, per doz.	18 to 18
Apples, per barrel	2.50 to 3.00
Potatoes, per bush.	1.50 to 1.60
Hay, per ton	15.00 to 16.00
Straw do	15.00 to 18.00
Wool	40 to 40

**Hamilton Markets.**

HAMILTON, Aug. 4.

White wheat, per bushel	\$1.21 to \$1.24
Treadwell, do	1.20 to 1.22
Delhi, do	0.90 to 0.90
Red wheat, do	1.15 to 1.18
Spring wheat, do	1.15 to 1.18
Oats, do	0.65 to 0.68
Barley, do	1.30 to 1.45
Peas, do	0.70 to 0.70
Corn, do	0.70 to 0.70
Buckwheat, do	0.70 to 0.70
Clover, do	0.90 to 0.90
Timothy, do	3.25 to 3.75
Butter, fresh, per lb.	22 to 25
Butter, tub, do	19 to 20
Apples, per bag	1.75 to 2.00
Potatoes, do	1.40 to 1.10
Wool	35 to 35

**Special Notices.**

St. Ann's, Hotel de Ville.

**"I WAS FOR SEVERAL YEARS SUFFERING FROM COUGH, EXPECTORATION AND NIGHT SWEATS, attended with extreme nervous and physical prostration. My body was greatly emaciated, and the general impression was that I had not long to live. I began taking DR. FOWLE'S COMPOUND ELIXIR OF PHOSPHATES AND CALISAYA, and improvement took place immediately. I gained in weight and strength. My Cough and Night Sweats disappeared, and I am now in the enjoyment of excellent health. Many of my friends to whom I have recommended the Elixir have experienced equally remarkable results."**

W. W. SIMONSON,  
Agent, G. T. R.

**FOWLE'S Pile and Humor Cure**

For Internal and External Use,  
WARRANTED THE ONLY SURE AND PERFECT CURE

For all kinds of Piles, Scrofula, Tetter, or Ring Worm, Salt Ring, and all diseases of the skin.

One Bottle warranted to cure all cases of Piles. From 1 to 3 Bottles in all cases of Humors.

This Remedy has been used in some of the worst forms of Scrofula, Salt Rheum, and Diseases of the skin, with entire success. Many cases have been cured by an outward application only. Hundreds of letters and certificates are now in the proprietor's possession, which can be seen on application.

N.B.—The medicine is entirely vegetable in its composition. In all cases of failure, dealers are requested to refund the money. Buy of none who do not warrant it, as all dealers receive back their money from the proprietor.

Price, \$1 per bottle; Six bottles, \$5.

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Jn 18-dwt13

**THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY.**

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Before Taking. After Taking.

**Specific Medicine**

Cures all Nervous Diseases, such as Tremors, Debility, Prostration, etc., which, in many cases, are produced by over indulgence in the use of tobacco and alcoholic spirits; but the Specific Medicine is more especially recommended as an unfailing cure for Senile Weakness, Spasmodic, Impotence, and all diseases that follow as a consequence of Self Abuse, as Loss of Memory, Universal Lassitude, Pain in the Back, Dimness of Vision, Premature Old Age, and many other diseases that lead to insanity or consumption, and a Premature Grave, all of which, as a rule, are first caused by deviating from the path of nature and over indulgence.

The Specific Medicine is the result of a life study and many years of experience in treating these special diseases. Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one.

The Specific Medicine is sold by all Druggists at 50¢ per package, or six packages for \$3.00, and will be sent by mail on receipt of the money, by addressing—

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Sold in Guelph by E. Harvey, and by all Dealers. None to be had in Toronto.  
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**JOHN M. BOND & CO.**  
Direct Hardware Importers,  
Wyndham street, Guelph.

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

All business entrusted to us will receive prompt and careful attention.  
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 extra charges.  
Our list of Town and Farm Property is large and varied, and parties in want of real estate of any kind should call on us before purchasing elsewhere.  
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**MONEY TO LEND.**  
In sums to suit borrowers. No solicitor fees or commission charged.  
Apply direct to the undersigned.  
GUTHRIE, WATT & CUTTEN,  
April 16, 1874. dwtf Guelph

**NEW GOODS**

**NOW SHOWING**

—AT—

**William Stewart's**

**SPECIAL LINES**

OF

**White Shirtings,**

**New Sheetings,**

72, 80, 90 and 100 inches wide.

A SPECIAL LOT OF

**Nottingham LACE CURTAINS**

From 90c to \$1.00.

**New Black Silk Laces**

CHEAP;

**New "Cluny Laces";**

OFFERING

**SPECIAL BARGAINS**

—IN—

**Black Lace Shawls and Capes**

From 90c and up.

**New Prints,**

**New Hosiery,**

**A lot of Ladies Belts cheap**

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**KENNEDY'S**

**Marble Works,**

Opposite side from Mills & Good-fellow'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.S.—A. Kennedy is a practical marble cutter.

**JUST RECEIVED,**

**A VERY FINE LOT OF**

**Brass Preserving Kettles**

**Enamelled " "**

These are of better quality and cheaper than any brought to Guelph before.

**CALL AND SEE THEM.**

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**NOW OPEN!**

**WM. TAWSE & SON'S**

**NEW STORE,**

East side of Wyndham Street.

Where they are now showing a complete assortment of

**BOOTS AND SHOES**

Including all the latest American styles, particular attention being called to the following lines:

LADIES GOAT, KID AND PRUNELLA BUTTON BOOTS, MISSES AND CHILDRENS FANCY WEAR, MENS' ALEXIS TIE, LACED OR BUCKLED (new style), MENS' GUSSET TONGUE BALMORAL (new style).

We would also inform our customers and the general public that our Custom Department will be found at this store, where ordered work and repairing will be done as usual.

**WM. TAWSE & SON.**

"The Only Shoe Store on that side of the Street,"  
Guelph, July 25th, 1874. dw

**GUELPH TEA DEPOT**

**E. O'DONNELL & Co.**

Have just received in their New Grocery Store

20 hds of Good Sugar that they are going to rush off at 13lbs. for \$1—this beats everything.

350 caddies of extra quality of Young Hyson Tea, they are selling for 80c. per lb. by the caddy.

100 boxes Soap, 2 1/2 lb bars, to be sold at 15c per bar; the other stores sell the same soap for 20c.

A big lot of Smoking and Chewing Tobacco at 50c per lb.

The finest stock, the largest stock, the cheapest stock, of Glassware and Crockery in Guelph at E. O'Donnell's big new Grocery Store.

**E. O'DONNELL & CO**

Wyndham Street, next door to their old store.

**GOOD BOOTS AND SHOES**

**R. MacGREGOR & Co.**

(Successors to W. D. Hepburn & Co.)

The quality of the Goods we sell is our best advertisement. We have the largest stock in town! Keep the best goods and sell at the lowest paying prices.

GUELPH, May 19, 1874.

**R. MacGregor & Co.**  
dw

**THOS. WORSWICK**

MANUFACTURER OF

**MACHINISTS' TOOLS**

Complete, with best modern attachments.

**STEAM ENGINES**

Of a superior class, with variable cut off. Also open Portability Stationary Engines, the smaller sizes of which are designed for Printing Offices, and other acquiring small power.

Jobbing will receive careful Attention.

THOS WORSWICK  
Guelph, Ont.  
dwtf

**FARMERS, ATTENTION.**

The subscribers are prepared to do all kinds of

**REPAIRS TO**

**Farming Implements.**

Mowers, Reapers, Threshing Machines, etc. etc., on short notice, and on reasonable terms.

**PLUGS kept on hand, PLOUGH CASTINGS made to order, also**

**BRASS CASTINGS.**

**HARLEY & HEATHER,**  
UNION FOUNDRY,  
Near J. C. Prensall's Mill, Guelph, July 7th, 1874. dlm-w3m

**AMERICAN HOTEL CAB.**

The subscriber begs to intimate to the public that his new cab attends all trains at Guelph, and will convey passengers to any part of the town.

Pleasure or other parties hiring the Cab by the hour can have it at very reasonable terms by applying at the hotel.

THOMAS ELLIS,  
Proprietor.  
Guelph, July 2, 1874. dwtf

**JUST RECEIVED**

A NEW SUPPLY OF

**THE CELEBRATED**

**Ryan Dead Ball**

(PROFESSIONAL)

Price \$1.25

The Young America at 30c.

The O K Ball - - - 15c.

—AT—

**DAY'S BOOKSTORE.**

**DAY SELLS CHEAP.**

**PAINTERS AND GLAZIERS.**

**HUMPHRIES & REYNOLDS**

Begs to announce to the people of Guelph and surrounding country that they have entered into partnership, and intend to carry on the Painting Business in all its branches in their shop a few doors west of the Guelph Sewing Machine Factory. Being practical painters, they are confident that they can give entire satisfaction to all who may favor them with a call. House and sign painting, graining, paper hanging, etc. done on short notice. Callings calculated in the best manner.

HUMPHRIES & REYNOLDS,  
Guelph, June 9, 1874. dwtm

**A LARGE SUPPLY**

—OF—

**PARIS GREEN**

FOR

**Poisoning Potato Bugs,**

AND

**HELLEBORE**

FOR WORMS ON GOOSEBERRY OR OTHER BUSHES AT

**G. H. McIntyre's**

(LATE McCULLOUGH'S)

**NEW DRUG STORE,**

No. 3, Day's Block,  
Next door to J. E. McElderry's and directly opposite John Horsman's.

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**BASE BALLS**

The Largest and Cheapest Assortment

**AT J. HUNTER'S**

**EMPORIUM**

Of Wall Paper, School Books, Jewellery, Woollen Toys, and

**Fancy Goods!**

Dead White - - - \$1.25, worth \$2.00  
Bouncing Rock, - - - 1.15, " 1.75  
Atlantic - - - 1.15, " 1.75  
Cock of the Walk, - - - 1.15, " 1.75  
Dumplings, - - - 1.15, " 1.75  
Dominion Regulation, 75, " 1.25  
Star, - - - 75, " 1.25  
Practice, - - - 65, " 1.00  
Junior, - - - 50, " 0.75  
Boys, from - - - 12 cents.

**LACROSSE AND RUBBER BALLS**

Of all kinds cheaper than ever.

Full lines of Fancy Goods, Woollen, Jewellery and Toys.  
Hair Goods, Combs and Small Wares

**AT J. HUNTER'S**  
Berlin Wool, Fancy Goods and Toy Store  
Wyndham Street Guelph.

**FOR SALE OR TO RENT,**

**A Blacksmith Shop.**

Situated on the Gray Road, Minto Township from Palmerston, half acre of land, good shop, having two acres, an excellent dwelling house and good stabling. This is a good chance for an industrious man, as there has always been a good country trade done on the premises. The above will be sold on easy terms, or rented for any number of years. Possession given on the first of January, 1874. Apply to the undersigned on the premises, or by letter to

WELLINGTON WILSON,  
3dwtf Cotswold P.O., Minto

**VALUABLE FARM for Sale.**

100 acres, more or less, of good land, being southwest half of Lot No. 11, 3rd con. Township of Eramosa, is in a good state of cultivation, 75 acres cleared, the remainder covered with timber, well watered, a never-failing spring creek running through the lower part of it, well fenced, and a good bearing orchard of very select fruit trees, etc. etc., an excellent frame barn 54x36 with good stone foundation, with stables attached, hayloft above, 30 feet square. A comfortable dwelling house, with well and pump at the door. Is convenient to church and school, 1 1/2 miles from post office and blacksmith shop, a mile from gravel road, and about 1/2 miles from the town of Guelph. Title indisputable.

For particulars apply to George B. Loren, on the premises, or by letter address Eramosa P.O.

Eramosa, June 12th, 1874. wtf

**POWELL'S**

**Boot and Shoe Store**

**NEW SPRING GOODS**

Men's English and American style of

**Gaiters and Shoes;**

Ladies and Children's

**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 Shoe Store,  
G. S. POWELL,  
West side Wyndham Street, Guelph.  
Guelph, Mar. 20th, 1874. dw

**NEW COAL YARD.**

The undersigned having opened a Coal Yard in Guelph is prepared to furnish all kinds of

**Hard and Soft Coal**

at moderate prices. Orders left at the corner of John A. Wood, Upper Wyndham street will be promptly attended to.

GEORGE MURTON,  
LONDON AND CANADIAN

**LOAN**

—AND—

**AGENCY COMPANY**

(LIMITED)

This Company have opened a Branch Office

**IN GUELPH**

Under the management of H. D. Morehouse, and are prepared to loan money on the security of Improved Farms and Productive City or Town Property, on easy terms of payment and low rates of interest.

For full information apply to

**H. D. MOREHOUSE,**  
Exchange Broker,  
Market Square, Guelph,  
Guelph, May 5, 1874. dwtm

**1 MAN LINE**

—OF—

**STEAMERS**

BETWEEN

**New York and Liverpool**

Consist of the "States" 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.

**WEST-MARKET SQUARE, GUELPH,**

Will offer them at a considerable reduction on cost on reasonable

**TERMS OF CREDIT**

The stock consists of about

**40**

**First-class Instruments!**

Similar to those shown at the last Central Exhibition, and for which he was awarded the first prize.

They are equal in compass of tone, finish and durability to the best instruments of any of the celebrated manufacturers, and as such an opportunity seldom occurs, particularly in want of pianos would do well to avail themselves of it.

An inspection invited.

A competent person will be on the premises near Mr. John Harris's, who will show the instruments.

Guelph, March 18, 1874. dwtf

**NEW Confectionery Establishment.**

The subscriber having rented the store lately occupied by G. B. McCullough as a Drug Store,

**Corner of Wyndham and Quebec-sts,**

Has fitted it up for Confectionery, with a commodious

**Ice Cream Parlor in the Rear,**

Where he intends carrying on the above line in all its branches, and hopes by strict attention to business, and keeping a good stock always on hand, to merit a due portion of the public patronage.

A supply of Ice Cream and Soda Water, and a variety of

**BISCUITS, BUNS, CAKES, CANDIES,**  
etc. always on hand.

Bride and other Cakes made to order.

Guelph, June 20, 1874. dw

**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.

**CASH FOR WOOL, HIDES, SHEEP SKINS, CALF SKINS, AND WOOL PICKINGS.**

The highest market price paid for the above at No. 4, Gordon Street Day's old Block, Guelph.

Finesters' hair constantly on hand for sale.

**MOULTON & BISH,**  
Guelph January 1st, 1874.