

TOWN COUNCIL.

The regular monthly meeting of the Town Council was held in the Council Chamber on the 5th inst. Present—J. W. Scott, Mayor; T. E. Hay, Reeve; J. A. Hacking, Deputy-Reeve; and Councilors, Dr. Nichol, Alex. McDonald, J. Heppler, A. D. Freeman, James Lee, Adam Austin, J. G. Tremain and John Binning. The minutes of previous meeting were read and confirmed. The Mayor read a communication from Mr. R. Steinhart, of Toronto, in reference to establishing a silk factory in Listowel, and proposing to meet the Council in the course of a week. Several accounts were read and referred to Finance Committee. The clerk read the treasurer's statement for the month of April, exhibiting the following expenditure: Board of P. S. Trustees, \$800; band, \$25; Relief, \$2.37; salaries, \$32.25; building account, \$49.82; taxes refunded, \$3.37; street improvement, \$344.41; expense account, \$132.24; gravel road east, \$6.50; fire protection, \$16; total \$1,411.96. Amount over drawn, \$220.07. The committee appointed to examine into the propriety of making changes in the public streets of the town, recommended that certain streets be opened up, and also that the names of several streets be changed. It was moved by J. Heppler, seconded by J. Lee, that a committee, consisting of Jno. Binning, J. G. Tremain, A. D. Freeman, A. McDonald, J. A. Hacking, T. E. Hay, and Dr. Nichol, chairman, be appointed to ascertain the streets, if any, necessary to be opened in the town of Listowel, and that their duty shall be to report: 1st the streets to be opened; 2nd the cost of doing so, and the advantage to be gained by opening them; 3rd the value of the property to be appropriated for such streets and the quantity carried. Public improvements committee reported, recommending a number of improvements. It was moved by J. A. Hacking, seconded by A. McDonald, that the report of committee be received and laid on the table for future consideration—carried. It was moved by J. A. Hacking, seconded by Jas. Lee, that the chairman of the Board of Works be instructed to let the contract, and have the work done on sidewalks on Division street, from Lustig's corner to Bismark street, and complete the sidewalk on Elma street, ordered to be built last season—lost. The Mayor intimated to the Council that \$140 had been received from the township of Wallace on account of gravel roads; also that the Treasurer's duties had been given, Mr. Bolton in the sum of \$8,000, and Messrs. Samuel Davidson and Thomas McEwain in the sum of \$4,000 each. The question of submitting by laws for certain purposes was taken up. It was moved by Adam Austin, seconded by T. E. Hay, that the by laws for public hall and High School be separate by laws—carried. It was moved by J. G. Tremain, seconded by J. Heppler, that leave be granted to introduce by laws Nos. 42 and 43—carried. By law No. 42 was read a first and second time. It was moved by J. A. Hacking, seconded by A. McDonald, that by law No. 42, to issue debentures to the amount of \$7,000, having been now read a second time, be published as required by law and submitted to the ratepayers as therein set forth—carried. By law No. 43 was then read a first and second time, when it was moved by Jas. Lee, seconded by J. Heppler, that by law No. 43, to issue debentures to the amount of \$9,000, having been now read a second time, be published as required by law, and submitted to the ratepayers as therein set forth—carried. It was moved by J. A. Hacking, seconded by A. McDonald, that by law No. 42 be published in the Listowel Banner, and that by law No. 43 be published in the Listowel Standard, each to be inserted three times—carried. On motion Council adjourned.

ELMA.
HEAVY CLIP.—Mr. James Perrin, of Elma, recently clipped two boxes of wool weighing 28 lbs. from a yearling lamb and its mother at the City wool dock. The wool is of excellent quality.

ELICE.
NEW POST OFFICE.—A new post office has been established in this township and is located at Ellice, Ontario, and has a mail twice a week, on Mondays and Saturdays. Mr. Justice Kruter is the postmaster.

MORNINGTON.
THOROUGHLY STOCKED.—Mr. A. Anderson of this place has always been noted as an enterprising and successful farmer, and has also distinguished himself in no small degree as a stock raiser. His attention has been directed chiefly to the rearing of thoroughbred Oxford sheep, of which he has a number of excellent animals. With a view of improving his horned cattle, he purchased at the late sale at Bow Park, the splendid young shorthorn bull, 3rd Ayrshire, whose name will doubtless appear frequently as a prizetaker during the coming fall. This is a move in the right direction, and we hope more of the farmers of Mornington will follow Mr. Anderson's example.

MILBANK. A subscription, under the auspices of Grace church, was given by Rev. P. E. Spencer, of Palmerton, in the schoolhouse, on Tuesday evening of last week.

GARDEN AND FIELD SEEDS.—Gentlemen, if you wish to purchase garden and field seeds that you can rely upon as being fresh and pure, select them from the large stock to be found at Michener's book and drug store, just received from the most reliable seedsmen.

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Have pleasure in informing the many patrons of this old established house, and the general public, that in addition to the valuable stock of Staple Goods purchased from Mr. Campbell, they have received and are opening out an entirely

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The undersigned having commenced business in the stand lately occupied by J. S. Mills, Grocer, and having bought his stock at a discount, we intend selling at

PRICES TO SUIT THE TIMES.
Our Stock is large and well selected, comprising
TEAS, SUGARS, COFFEES, TOBACCS,
RAISINS, CURRANTS, RICE, CANNED
PEACHES, TOMATOES, PINE APPLES,
CORN, LOBSTERS, SALMON, SARDINES,
FLOUR, OATMEAL, CORNMEAL, POT BARLEY,
OATS, PEAS, BARLEY, BACON, HAMS AND LARD;
The Highest Price paid for all kinds of Farm Produce.
FINE RAISINS ONLY \$1.00 PER BOX.
Just received, the LARGEST and BEST assortment of
CROCKERY, CHINA AND GLASSWARE,
ever brought to Listowel.
Remember the place—J. S. MILLS' old stand, MAIN STREET, LISTOWEL.

NEW GROCERY!
J. J. MOORE

Having commenced business on Wallace street, is prepared to supply the public with

FRESH GROCERIES, CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE.
Superior quality of TEAS, of all grades, COFFEES, SUGARS and SYRUPS—pure and low priced, on hand; also a large quantity of good MAPLE SYRUP at \$1.10 per gallon.
Berries, Spices, Pickles, Tobacco, etc., etc.
FRUITS—Fresh, Canned and Dried—all varieties and in any quantity.
Family Flour, Oatmeal, Cornmeal, etc., etc.
Remember the place and give him a call. Opposite Scott's Bank, Wallace Street.
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Rock Crystal Spectacles.—Dr. Michener, Druggist, Stationer and Optician, is agent in Listowel for the celebrated Rock Crystal Spectacles. Persons with defective eyesight may find it worth many times the price of a pair of spectacles to take proper care of that sensitive organ, and in resorting to artificial help, nothing but what is perfectly reliable should be used. The Rock Crystal Spectacle is pronounced a genuine article, and is highly recommended by leading opticians. The assortment at Dr. Michener's includes different styles of mountings and finish, and any age can be suited.

LAWN MOWERS, the best made, for sale at the cheap hardware store of S. Bricker & Co.

WAR! WAR! WAR!
Come to JOHN A. TREMAIN
For Good Building Lots,
and save fifty per cent.
CLOSE TO THE P. D. STATION!
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GREEN HOUSE.
HENRY THRIFT having opened a Green House and Gardens at his residence, Albert street, near the G.W.R. station, is prepared to supply the public with all kinds of PLANTS, Cabbage and Tomato Plants now ready for setting out. Celery and other plants in season. Call and inspect.
229 Buildings contracted for.

CONSECRATION OF THE BISHOP OF TORONTO.

Yesterday, (May 1st) in the cathedral church of St. James, the Ven. Archdeacon Sweetman was consecrated Bishop of the Anglican See of Toronto. The scene had that quiet impressiveness which characterizes the "functions" of the Anglican Church. Five bishops in black and scarlet, with lawn sleeves, over a hundred clergy in surplices, and over three thousand spectators—the somewhat monotonous reading of the service relieved by the deep volume of the responses from so many throats, the stirring congregational hymns and an occasional anthem from the choir, the impressive sermon by the Bishop of Huron arguing for the Scriptures as the supreme court of appeal of the Church, the questions of the Bishop elect, the recommending him to the people's prayers, and the after Communion with its hundreds of participants—all these made up a service severely simple but soberly impressive, and very significant of the distinctively Protestant character of the Church. As one looked at the mass of laity in the building, one doubted if any other church could draw together so thoroughly representative a congregation, whilst the body of clergy represented all the races, even to the dusky Indian, which inhabit our broad Dominion. We congratulate our Anglican brethren on this most pleasing final scene in the sharp contest of parties, and we trust that, as the Bishop of Huron said in his sermon, it is the inauguration of an era of peace.—Mail.

STILL MORE PROOFS.—Attention has already been called to the fact that the printing paper has not gone up in price in Canada in consequence of the National Policy. It has also been shown that the largest importers of type, Messrs. Miller & Richards, intend to sell at their "old prices." And now we have a circular letter from J. J. Smith & Co., ink manufacturers, Toronto, announcing a reduction in the prices of printer's ink to six cents per pound. So that in the articles of paper, type and ink, printer's are not worse off, but something better than before.

Therley's food increases the flow of milk in cows. Try it; at Hacking's.
At Clinie, Hay & Co., you will find their stock of gent's furnishings complete.

GLASS, GLASS!—I have just received spring stock of window glass, all sizes, which will be offered at very low prices. Call and see. J. A. Hacking.—21
Dress Goods! Dress Goods! In endless variety, and at the very lowest price, at Clinie, Hay & Co.
Coal oil, 20 cts.; 5 gallons 90 cts.; medium sized crimp top chimneys, 5 cents; good burners, 10 cts., at Hacking's drug store.

Every Moment's Wonderful Work.
Every moment that we have the work of destruction never ceases among what is scientifically called the "tissues" of which our bodies are composed. Every moment, if we are in health, the work of repairing this destructive process goes on with equal pace. When the vital force is great, more vigor is given to the blood and muscular tissue than the ordinary wear and tear of existence uses up. When the vital force falls from any cause, there ensues a wasting away, which, if not arrested, leads to decay and death. Physicians all declare that when these symptoms of debility set in, the only certain remedy is God Liver Oil. But their patients, with almost equal unanimity, say that God Liver Oil is "so nasty" they cannot take it. The only reason left to be given is **Scott's Emulsion of the Oil with the Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda.** This is altogether free from disagreeable taste and odor, and is an unequalled tonic for the nerves and brain.

NEW JEWELRY STORE.
C. J. GUNDRY, having purchased Messrs. Diggins & Sells' stock, would invite the inhabitants of Listowel and surrounding country to call and inspect his stock of

Gold and Silver Watches,
Gold, Silver and Plated Chains,
Gold and Plated Brooches and Ear Rings and Sets,
Plain and Fancy Gold and Silver Finger Rings,
Gold and Plated Studs,
Plain and Ornamental Clocks,
Fancy Goods and Toys,
Spectacles a Speciality.

All will be sold much cheaper than ever offered in Listowel before.

C. J. G. pays particular attention to repairing, and warrants his work.

Remember the Stand—East of Grand Central Hotel, and next to Maynard's Millinery Rooms, Main Street.

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Listowel, March 28th, 1878.