LISTOWEL STANDARD.

FRIDAY, JULY 11, 1879.

TOWN AND COUNTRY.

LISTOWEL has expended $1,700 in street improvements already this season.

PERTH Autumn Assizes open at Stratford on Tuesday 28th October, Hon. Justice Galt presiding.

MR. Vanasse, the Conservative member, has been elected in Yamaska county by 193 majority.

A FACT.—Best value in town in machine oils at J. H. Smith's, Wallace street. Farmers, call and see for yourselves. 24

A BIBLE-CLASS has been instituted in connection with the Church of England. It is conducted by Rev. H. Cooper, and meets on Wednesday evenings.

CHANCERY COURT.—The autumn sitting of the Court of Chancery for the Stratford division will be held before the Hon. Chancellor Spragge on Wednesday, 8th October.

MILLBANK.—The Presbyterian Sabbath school held a very enjoyable garden party and strawberry festival on the grounds of Dr. Johnson last Friday evening.

COUNTY CROWN ATTORNEY.—Mr. John Idington, Q. C., has been appointed to the County Crown Attorneyship, rendered vacant by the death of the late Mr. Hayes.

THE Stratford *Herald* office was burglarized the other night, and $53 were actually taken from the safe. Where in the world did the editor ever get so much money, any now?

This is the season, says the Boston *Courier*, when a whole family will carry their dinner for miles into the woods, and sit down among the bugs and ants and snakes to eat it. They call it a picnic.

THE bricks for the new High School are to be supplied from Mr. Smith's kilns, north of this town. The samples which have met the approval of the Board have an excellent "ring," and are well shaped and of good color.

THE WIARTON ECHO is the name of a neat quarto weekly which has just made its appearance at the prospective terminus of the Stratford & Huron Railway. It sets out very creditably. We wish our new confrere success.

REV. DR. FOWLER began his ministrations as pastor of the C. M. Church in this town on Sunday last, when he conducted morning and evening services. The reverend doctor is an able preacher, and no doubt will fill his new charge with much success.

ICE CREAM FESTIVAL.—Next Thursday evening, 17th inst., an ice cream festival, interspersed with readings, recitations and music, will be held at the residence of Mr. N. G. Denyes, east end, commencing at 8 o'clock. A cordial invitation is given to all. Collection in aid of furnishing C. M. parsonage.

WE shall be thankful at all times to receive items of local news, accidents, or any incidents which may be interesting, either in the locality in which they occur, or in the country generally. Matter of this kind may be sent as "Printer's Copy," at the rate of one cent per oz., if so marked, and not sealed.

HAVING.—Work in the hayfield has commenced this week with the majority of the farmers in the neighborhood, and the crop, we are happy to state, is giving a very good yield generally. The past fortnight has made a wonderful improvement in both clover and timothy, a full average crop being now almost certain.

VACATION.—The High School closed for summer vacation on Monday last, and the Public School will dissolve *pro tem* today. No doubt both pupils and teachers will appreciate their deliverance from the confinement of the school room during the broiling heat of the "dog days."

THE TWELFTH IN NEW YORK.—The Orangemen of New York and Brooklyn will observe the 12th of July this year with even less pomp than on previous occasions. Since their right to parade was vindicated on the bloody 12th in 1871, the members of the Order have waived their right to a public procession, and substituted excursions and picnics.

PROMOTION EXAMINATIONS.—The examinations for promotion in the several departments of the Listowel Public School took place last week, under charge of Mr. Alexander, County Inspector. As the lists are not yet ready for publication, the little folks will have to exercise a degree of patience until they can be made acquainted of their success, or otherwise, according to merit.

BUSH MEETING.—The bush meeting held on Sunday last in Mr. George Jackson's grove on the banks of the Maitland, a mile or two west of Listowel, was attended by a large concourse of people, both from this town and from the rural sections surrounding. Rev. J. M. Simpson, Presiding Elder of the district, conduct the meetings throughout, preaching both morning and afternoon.

COUNCILLOR PAGE never does things by halves, even to the matter of growing strawberries. Some specimens of this excellent fruit which he has raised in his garden this season have measured between 4¼ and 5 inches around. And we never, well hardly ever, tasted richer flavored berries than the "whoppers" grown by our friend in the West Ward. May their shadows never grow less.

OWING to a slight mistake in the number of papers printed last week, we were unable to furnish a portion of our town subscribers with more than a half-sheet. An apology is therefore due those of our readers who were disappointed in not receiving a complete copy. We cannot help recognizing the hearty reception the STANDARD meets with each week, and any disappointment of its readers is reciprocated by us. We shall endeavor to prevent a recurrence of such an over sight.

COURT OF REVISION.—The court met, as adjourned, on Friday evening, 4th inst., and after making some twenty four or twenty-five changes in the roll, the greater number of which were in conformity with alterations of ownership and leases, adjourned until Tuesday evening, 8th inst., when the business of the court was advanced a stage, and a further adjournment was made. The Court will meet again this evening, when it is expected that its labors will be terminated. A report of the proceedings will appear next week.

CHRIST CHURCH.—On Sunday, 20th inst., and until further notice, the services of the Church of England will be held in the Bricker (formerly Osborne's) hall, at the usual hours morning and evening. It is understood that in the event of not disposing of the Church property, the building will undergo considerable improvements previous to being again occupied for service. The congregation have decided to await a more favorable season before going on with the erection of the new edifice which has been under contemplation for some time past.

GARDEN SOCIAL.—A very pleasant garden social and strawberry festival took place on Monday evening at the residence of Mr. J. P. Newman, on Wallace street. The showery weather militated somewhat against the attendance, but not sufficient to prevent a very respectable gathering of ladies and gentlemen, nor to prevent them from engaging in the pleasantries of out-door as well as in-door entertainment. Better than $15 were realized in aid of the M. E. Church.

CATTLE FAIR.—The cattle fair on Wednesday last did not exhibit much improvement on some of its predecessors. With few, if any, exceptions the animals on the market were an inferior class, and as a consequence brought low figures. Mr. Durrant, a buyer from Berlin, secured some twenty odd head, averaging about 2¼ cents per lb. Other transactions were limited. The local agents of the principal agricultural implement manufactories in the Province plied a lively trade among the the farmers, who were in town during the day in large numbers. Several good sales were effected.

TENDING UPWARD.—During the past few days both wheat and flour have made an advance—the latter a considerable bound upward. With the prospect of an excellent harvest before them, and the market on the rise, Canadian farmers should "rejoice and be glad."

A special correspondent, who had made arrangements to write up the beauties of Muskoka, sends the first batch of copy as follows: "Flies, mosquitoes, black flies, sand flies, horse flies, deer flies, house flies—time flies." Correspondent has been discharged.

PARCEL POST.—Persons having small articles to send by mail will be glad to know that the parcel post has been reduced to six cents for four ounces and under, and six cents for each additional four ounces. Parcels must not weigh more than five pounds and must be marked "By Parcel Post."

GRANGER'S EXCURSION.—About thirty members of the Elma Grange Society took advantage of the cheap excursion to the Model Farm at Guelph on Tuesday last. It remains to be told whether the Grangers, the Railway Company, or Mr. Mowat, will profit most by their visit to the Government "potato patch."

FARM PURCHASED.—Mr. Peter Lillico of this town has purchased from Mr. Alex. McCance the farm known as lot No. 10, in the 14th con. of Mornington, for the sum of $3,600, cash. The farm contains 100 acres, is eight miles from Listowel, has very good soil, and may be regarded as cheap.

PERSONAL.—Mr. John L. Forster, late of Bridgman & Forster, artists, Toronto, spent a day or two among his friends in Listowel this week, prior to his departure for Europe, where he expects to remain during the next twelve or eighteen months. We wish our talented friend *bon voyage*, and may he return with the physical vigor which is a primary object of his sojourn abroad.

MR. THOS. FORBES left at the STANDARD office a few days ago several stocks of grain which were grown upon his farm on the southern outskirts of this town. Among them were a stalk of fall wheat measuring about 5ft. 6 in., a stalk of spring wheat nearly 5 ft. in length, and some samples of barley straw almost as long. We trust that Mr. Forbes will be enabled to harvest such crops this season as will keep him in good humor the balance of his life.

The following postal money order regulations are announced in the *Official Gazette*: There shall be regular exchange of money orders between the two countries (the Dominion and the United States) for sums received from remitters in one country for payment in the other. The maximum amount of any money order issued in either country is fixed at $50 in lawful money of the country in which the order originates, but no money order shall include a fractional part of a cent. The provisions of this new article took effect on the 1st July, inst.

MORE RUNAWAYS.—On the same evening that the unfortunate accident befel Mr. Watson's family, a horse driven by Mr. Stewart, of Wallace, ran away while proceeding homeward from Listowel. The buggy attached to it was completely wrecked, but fortunately no one was hurt. The following day witnessed yet another runaway; this time it was a team with a load of lumber, which ran down Wallace and Mill streets, a portion of the lumber trailing in a manner extremely dangerous to citizens who endeavored to stop the animals. They were finally brought to a halt without accident.

EXPENSIVE LIGHTS.—The plate glass windows for the three new stores in the Campbell block were set in their places on Wednesday. It required the muscular power of six men to handle each pane. There are twelve lights in all, costing in the neighborhood of $600. They were imported from the plate glass manufactories of Lancashire, and bear testimony of the perfection to which the art of plate glass manufacture has attained in the mother country. Mr. Campbell's new stores can boast of as fine glass fronts as are to be met with in any provincial town in the west.

CONSOLIDATING.—The grocery business hitherto conducted by Messrs. Walter, McMillan and Duncan & Co., are about to be amalgamated, these gentlemen having entered into partnership for that purpose. The new firm will be known as McMillan, Duncan & Co. They have leased for a term of years the large store in the McLagan block—without exception the finest store in town, and it is doubtful if there is a better finished store in any town in Ontario. The new premises will be opened in the early part of next week, when something on a scale not hitherto associated with the grocery trade in Listowel may be looked for.

ENTRANCE AND INTERMEDIATE EXAMINATIONS.—There were 61 candidates examined for entrace to the Listowel High School. The examinations, which took place on Tuesday and Wednesday of the present week, were conducted by Mr. Crozier. How many have been successful will be made known in due time. The candidates for Intermediates this term number 26. Should as fair a proportion of these succeed as at previous Intermediate examinations, it will furnish the best argument that could be desired to vindicate the efficiency of the Listowel High School. The examination has been in progress since Tuesday last, Mr. Rothwell having charge. The papers will be finished to-morrow, when they will be forwarded to Toronto.

STRATFORD PRESBYTERY.—At the last meeting of the Stratford Presbytery, held on the 1st inst., it was agreed to appoint the Moderator every six months, Mr. Jas. Boyd receiving the first appointment. Committees were appointed on Sabbath schools, home missions, students evangelistic services, and the proposed hymn book. Mr. Kay of Mornington was by permission of General Assembly received as a minister of the church, and his induction appointed at North Mornington at 11 o'clock a. m., on Thursday, the 17th inst., the Moderator to preside, Mr. Wilson to preach, Mr. Macleod to address the minister, and Mr. Croly the people. Mr. Macleod gave notice, that at next ordinary meeting he would make a motion in regard to the Presbyterial visitation of the congregations. Presbytery adjourned to meet at 9.30 a. m. on the 1st Tuesday of September, in Knox church, Stratford.

CANADIAN MONTHLY.—The July number of this Magazine contains an illustrated paper on "The Northern Lakes of Canada," describing a trip from Toronto to the head of Lake Superior; a poem on "Dominion Day, 1879," by Fidelis; "The Last Days of the Irish Parliament," an historical paper by Rev. S. W. Young; a sonnet by Gowan Lee; a review of Rev. Phillips Brooks ideas of Popular Scepticism; "A few words about iron," by W. H. Merritt; "All a Green Willow," a story, by Charles Gibbon; "Traits and protraits of Irish Beggars," by Louisa Murray; instalments of the serial stories, "The Fallen Leaves," by Wilkie Collins, and "Under one Roof," by James Payn; besides a number of unenumerated papers and poems by talented contributors. The discussions "Round the Table" are continued, and the Book Reviews by the editor familiarizes the reader with current literature. Rose Belford, publishers, Toronto.

IMPORTANT TO SCHOOL TRUSTEES.—The powers of the trustees in rural school sections in Ontario to levy and collect public school rates were abolished by the school act passed this year. Henceforth rural school Trustees must obtain all moneys for public school purposes from the township councils. The law further directs (Revised School Act, s. 102, ch. 12) that trustees must make application to the council, to raise the required amount at or before the August meeting of the council. Trustees, therefore, should before the end of July meet and estimate the amount of the application to the township council. The application should be in writing. In December, or as soon as the taxes are collected, the trustees will give an order on the township in favor of their sec.-trea. for a part of the whole amount raised for them by the township council. The orders for the disbursement of the school money will, as usual, be given on their own sec.-treas.

A BY-LAW granting $2,000 to the Stratford and Huron Railway Company was carried by a unanimous vote in Hanover on Friday last.

PREPARING FOR THE 12TH.—Listowel Orangemen are making great preparations for the demonstation which is to take place here on Saturday. Already several fine arches span Wallace and Main streets, and from present indications these thoroughfares will present a decidedly attractive appearance when the decorations are completed. The hotels are making provision to accommodate a great number of people, and should the weather be propitious, it is more than probable that their efforts will all be called into requisition. It is expected that the neighboring Districts will turn out in large force. The Listowel and Harriston brass bands will be present, and several others are expected; and it is not probable that there will be any deficiency in fife and drum music. The programme for the day will consist of a grand parade, luncheon at the rendezvous of the various lodges, and a general gathering on the agricultural grounds, where addresses will be delivered by a number of clergymen and other able gentlemen. No doubt the proceedings throughout will be both interesting and imposing.

DONNYBROOK REDIVIVUS.—Friday last was fair day in Listowel, but many a son of that "swate isle in the ocean" might have mistaken it for fair day in his native Donnybrook, the boys were so frisky and the "claret" flowed so freely. Briefly, a number of professional horse traders were in town that day, and it would appear that victims were not wanting. In the course of a "transaction" which it is unnecessary to explain, a dispute arose, which finally came to blows, and not very light ones either. Whipstocks, fists, clubs almost as large as handspikes, and other "gentle persuaders" were brought into play, and the result was transmogrified physiognomies, craniums battered into almost broken heads, and a half dozen arrests. The grand *finale* of these highly interesting proceedings was enacted at the town hall before the Chief Magistrate. The awards were dirtributed as follows: Herbert Rolls, fine and costs, $16; Albert Rolls, ditto, $7.75; Geo. Ebery, ditto, $16; Hugh Berry, ditto, $7.75; Thos. Keon, ditto, $8; total, $55.50, which may be considered as the difference in the price of broken heads at the res ective fairs of Listowel and Donnybrook. The moral is self evident.

FALL EXHIBITION.—A meeting of the directors of the Elma and Wallace Agricultural Society was held on Saturday last for the revision of the prize list and for making other preparations for the forthcoming exhibition. A better classification, especially of the fruit department, will be one of the improved features of the exhibition this year. Another feature, and one which the discerning board of directors no doubt recognize as being of great importance to agriculture, will be the incorporation of a considerable number of extra prizes in the list. For instance, premiums are to be offered for the best looking babies; best dressed infants; best looking young ladies; ditto gentlemen; best lady equestrienne; best gentleman equestrian; also for sheep dogs, hounds, Maltese cats, etc. The exhibition is to be open for two days, 2nd and 3rd October. On the 1st Oct. the hall will be open to receive exhibits and allow opportunity for their arrangement. A provision of the rules stipulates that all entries for the hall must be made before 10 o'clock on the 2nd inst. The matter of erecting stalls for the cattle was discussed by the board, but nothing in that direction was resolved upon. The "special prize" system having been abolished, a Committee was appointed to canvass for subscriptions and the sale of membership tickets.

SERIOUS RUNAWAY ACCIDENT.—On Monday evening last as our respected townsman, Mr. James Watson, was out driving with Mrs. Watson and their youngest child, a very unfortunate accident happened them. While driving down Mill street, in the vicinity of the firemen's hall, the horse, which is a very spirited animal, took fright and ran away. In the endeavor to control him, the buggy was completely overturned and its three occupants hurled to the ground with great force. Mr. Watson, who was thrown out upon his head, was so stunned as to remain unconscious for a considerable length of time afterwards. His wife was also badly stunned by the fall, and had the additional misfortune to fracture her arm. In trying to save the little one, which she was holding at the time, her arm got beneath her as she fell, the weight and force of the fall breaking one of the bones at the wrist. The child escaped with comparatively slight injury by being dropped by Mrs. Watson when close to the ground. The vehicle was badly wrecked and the harness damaged considerably, the horse breaking away from it entirely. The injured people were conveyed home, and the services of Dr. Nichol procured. Mr. Watson was severely cut about the head, and did not recover from a state of stupor for many hours after the accident. Yesterday he was still very low, and not having a robust constitution, a hasty recovery can scarcely be hoped for. We are glad to learn that Mrs. Watson is getting along as well as could be expected under the painful circumstances.

TOWN COUNCIL.—Council met in regular session on Monday evening, 7th inst. Present, the Mayor, Reeve, Deputy Reeve, and Councillors McDonald, Heppler, Freeman, Lee, Tremain, Page and Binning. Several accounts were presented and after being read were referred to Finance Committee. The Treasurer's statement for the month of June was read, showing a balance on hand of $24.08. Finance Committee reported, recommending payment of the following accounts: A. Hemphill, services as constable, $1.50; T. E. Hay, paid men at fire, $4; J. P. Newman, cedar for engine, $1; W. Hamilton, 3 mos. salary, $37.50; A. Morrow, Returning Officer, $4; G. S. Climie, money advanced indigent, $2; J. G. Tremain, teaming coal, $2.25; Freeman & Carson, goods for indigent, $1; D. D. Campbell, goods for hall, $1.23; Dominion Telegraph Co., $3.34; Hart & Rawlinson, blanks, $4.35; J. A. Hacking, supplies to hall, $5.75; J. M. & A. Climie, lumber, etc., $135.12; R. Woods, qr. salary, $91.25; John Mann, for damage to garden at late fire, $2; *Mail* Publishing Co. for advertising Debentures, $3.05; *Globe* Publishing Co., for do., $4.90; Wm. Smith, for building sidewalks, etc., $4.53; J. Hampton, do., $10.60; J. Rockola, do., $6.55; Thos. Woods, do., $13.75; John Poole, do., $7.28; John Laird, do., $8.84; M. Farncomb, poles, $6; Somerville & Bender, repairs, etc., $1.55. Committee also reported, recommending that the Deputy returning officers for holding polls on By-laws 42 and 43, be paid $2 each. On motion the report was adopted. The Chairman of Board of Works reported that about $325 has been expended in June, making total amount expended to date on street improvements about $1,700. The clerk was instructed to ask the G. W. R. Co. to open water course through their grounds to take away water from Victoria st. The chairman of Board of Works was instructed to finish repairing gravel road where necessary, amount not to exceed $50; also instructed to see to the removal of the old lock-up. Petition of J. Thomlinson and others, asking for sidewalk and drain on Havelock street, referred to Board of Works. The Board of Health reported that the constable had been instructed to see that all places which might endanger the health of the community were thoroughly cleansed. A verbal report was received from committee appointed anent Mr. Brook's fire. On motion Council adjourned until 14th inst.

A GREAT variety of forks—pitch, manure, and barley—at astonishing low prices. S. BRICKER & Co.

He Rather Liked it.

One of our well known citizens was sitting in his parlor the other evening surrounded by his wife and children when the conversation turned upon likes and dislikes, and taste and flavor of various condiments. One person preferred this, another that, when a little blue-eyed, four year old spoke up and said she rather liked Castor Oil! This seemed singular; but it is not surprising, when we know that she, that very morning, had been taking some of **Scott & Bowne's Palatable Castor Oil.**

BIRTHS.

BARTON—In Elma, on the 8th inst., the wife of Robert Barton, of a son.

KELSEY—In Elma, on the 30th ult., the wife of Paul Kelsey, of a daughter.

STODDARD—In Listowel, on the 6th inst., the wife of John Stoddard, of a son.

ARNOLD—In Wallace, on the 10th inst., the wife of Adam Arnold of a daughter.

HARRISON—In Wallace, on the 8th inst., the wife of Wm. Harrison of a daughter.

FRITCHLEY—In Listowel, on the 3rd inst., the wife of David Fritchley, of a son.

CAMPBELL.—At the Manse, Harriston, on the 28th ult., the wife of Rev. John Campbell, of a daughter.

VIRTUE.—In Newbridge, on the 27th ult., the wife of Robert Virtue, merchant, of a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

BOND—BAYNE—At the residence of the bride's mother, Wingham, on the 24th ult., by the Rev. A. Thibadeau, brother-in-law to the bride, Mr. Asahel Bond, of Maryboro', to Miss Nellie Bayne, of Wingham.

DEATHS.

FOREMAN.—Near Tilsonburg, on the 26th ult., Mrs. Foreman, aged 75 years.

The aged pilgrim sinks to rest;
Her weary march is done;
No more may early friends forsake
The lonely widowed one.

Alone, without the friends she loved
To soothe her dying bed,
The strangers placed her lifeless form
To slumber with the dead.

Her race is done, she rests in Hope;
In Faith she lived and died;
For her the grave no terrors had,
For death her King defied.

In Christ she sleeps; her friends have hope,
That when this age is o'er,
In Eden's happy State, restored,
They'll meet to part no more.

BONES WANTED!

Good wages can be made by collecting and shipping bones and horns to us.

Bags loaned. Prompt remittance. For further prticulars address

Peter R. Lamb & Co.,
Manufacturers,
TORONTO.

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Tenders for Steel Rails.

TENDERS addressed to the Honorable the Minister of Railways and Canals will be received at the Canadian Emigration Office, 31 Queen Victoria street, E. C. London, England, until JULY 15th, next, for Steel Rails and Fastenings, to be delivered at MONTREAL, as follows:

5,000 tons by October 1st, 1879.
5,000 tons by June 1st, 1880.
5,000 tons by October 1st, 1880.

Specifications, Conditions, Forms of Tender, and all other information will be furnished on application at this office, or at the Canadian Emigration Office, 31 Queen Victoria street, E. C., London, England.

By order,
F. BRAUN,
Secretary.

Department of Railways and Canals,
OTTAWA, 13th June, 1879. 22-c

PACIFIC RAILWAY TENDERS.

TENDERS for the construction of about one hundred miles of Railway, West of Red River, in the Province of Manitoba, will be received by the undersigned until noon on

FRIDAY, 1st August next.

The Railway will commence at Winnipeg, and run North-westerly to connect with the main line in the neighborhood of the 4th base line, and thence Westerly between Prairie la Portage and Lake Manitoba.

Tenders must be on the printed form, which, with all other information, may be had at the Pacific Railway Engineer's Offices, in Ottawa and Winnipeg.

F. BRAUN,
Secretary.

Department of Railways and Canals,
OTTAWA, 16th June, 1879. 22-c

OUT OF THE FIRE!

LISTOWEL WOOLEN MILLS.

MR. BROOK desires to inform his customers that the wool in his charge at the time of the fire has been saved, and that all orders will be filled with the least possible delay. He has effected arrangements whereby he will be able to continue the business as formerly, and all orders left at his office on Wallace Street, for

Roll Carding, Carding & Spinning

will receive prompt attention.

He also desires to inform his customers and the farming community generally that his stock of

CLOTHS, FLANNELS, ETC.,

was saved, and will be exchanged for wool as formerly. Orders are solicited.

B. BROOK.

Listowel, June 12, 1879. 20

FARM AND BRICK YARD

FOR SALE OR TO LET.

The Farm being lot No. 34, in the 1st con. of Wallace, contains 96 acres, 75 cleared and in good state of cultivation; balance good hardwood timber. There is a good frame house and frame barn on the premises; good fence; young orchard of choice fruit; well watered; convenient to schools, churches and markets; situated on the gravel road one mile west of the flourishing town of Listowel. Will be sold on reasonable terms.

Also a first-class Brick Yard, with steam engine and brick machine of Woodstock make, capable of making from 10,000 to 12,000 bricks per day. The brick yard adjoins the above farm, and contains 4 acres, with frame dwelling house and stable, and all necessary apparatus for brick making; the strata of clay is of excellent quality and about 30 feet in depth—a rare chance—will be sold cheap. For full particulars, call and inspect the premises, or address

DANIEL HAMILTON,
21 Listowel P. O.

ADMINISTRATOR'S

Notice to Creditors.

The Creditors of

Thomas Sellens,

(the younger) late of the Town of Listowel, in the County of Perth, Jeweller, deceased, who died on or about the thirtieth of July, 1878, are requested, on or before the 1st Day of August, (next) 1879, to send, by letter, post paid, to E. W. SCATCHERD, of the town of Strathroy, in the County of Middlesex, Administrator of the Personal Estate, Rights and Credits of the said Thomas Sellens, deceased, their names and surnames, addresses and description in full, particulars of their claims, statements of their amounts, and the nature of the security (if any) held by them; and immediately after the 1st day of August next, the assets of the Estate of the said Thos. Sellens, (the younger) deceased, will be distributed among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall have been given, and the said Administrator shall not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claims notice shall not have been received by the said Administrator.

This notice is given in pursuance of Chap. 107, Sec. 31, Revised Statutes.

E. W. SCATCHERD,
Administrator.

Dated at Strathroy, this 29th day of May, A. D. 1879. 19n

T. W. MORAN,

ARTIST!

(Late of Toronto,)

Begs to inform the people of Listowel and vicinity that he has opened a

STUDIO!

in the Campbell Block, Main Street, and is prepared to execute

Portraits in Oil, Watercolors, and Crayon,

at prices to suit the times.

Instructions in any of the above branches will be given at moderate rates.

Please call at his Studio—first floor, west room, front, in the above block. 19

DUNCAN & GILBERT.

CHEAP—CASH—STORE—!

Our reputation we are bound to sustain. We advertised Cheap Goods, and still we will adhere to it. Try our

TEAS, SUGARS, and TOBACCO!

They will be found

FAR AHEAD OF ANYTHING IN TOWN!

GIVE US A TRIAL! ALL WE WANT IS A CHANCE!

CROCKERY A SPECIALTY

DUNCAN & GILBERT.

LISTOWEL, June 9th, 1879.

The Cheapest Spot in Town

—IS—

BEAN & GEE'S.

They are still to the front with good goods at lowest prices. Just to hand a

SPLENDID LINE OF GREY COTTONS,

purchased at

OLD TARIFF PRICES.

Don't forget to call and secure some of them before they are all gone.

ALL OTHER GOODS MARKED AWAY DOWN.

REMEMBER THE PLACE.

BEAN & GEE'S.

Listovel, June 24th, 1879. 22.

NEW FIRM!

R. McMILLAN & CO.,

(Successors to D. D. Campbell)

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

NEW STOCK OF SPRING GOODS,

consisting of

DRESS GOODS:

Prints, White and Grey Cottons, Ducks and Demins, Cottonade Tickings, Fancy Goods, &c.

SCOTCH AND CANADIAN TWEEDS.

Ready-made Clothing, Gent's Furnishings, &c., &c.

Also a large Stock of

BOOTS AND SHOES, CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES,

And all other commodities to be found in a well stocked general store.

A CALL IS RESPECTFULLY SOLICITED.

R. McMILLAN & Co.

WALLACE STREET, LISTOWEL, Ont. 7

NEW GROCERY!

J. J. MOORE

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

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. Biscuits, Spices, Pickles, Tobaccos, 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.

J. J. MOORE.

NEW SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS

AT THE

ONTARIO HOUSE.

GEO. DRAPER

Thanks his customers for their past support, and invites a continuation of their patronage. He has spared no pains in selecting his stock of spring and summer Goods, consisting of

Millinery, Ribbons, Laces, Mantles, Fancy Dry goods, Staple Dry Goods, Clothing, groceries, Crockery, glassware, Boots and Shoes, &c, &c.,

Which will be sold for CASH, PRODUCE or APPROVED CREDIT. Cheaper than any Bankrupt or other old stock thrown on the market.

HIS MILLINERY

This season will surpass any ever offered in town, and is under the superintendence of a first-class City Millinery.

BEST BRANDS OF LIQUORS—WHOLESALE & RETAIL.

GEORGE DRAPER,

LISTOWEL, April 2nd, 1879. 1

The Thompson & Williams MANUFACTURING CO'Y.

STRATFORD, ONT.

Manufacturers of

REAPERS AND MOWERS.

JOHNSTON WROUGHT IRON HARVESTER (Combined) No. 1. Johnston Improved Wrought Iron Harvester (single). Johnston Improved Wrought Iron Harvester (combined) No. 2. Johnston Improved Wrought Iron Single Mower. Johnston Improved Wrought Iron Continental Reaper, No. 1; and all other patterns of Johnston's celebrated machines.

THE CAYUGA CHIEF

the cheapest mower manufactured in Canada. Price only $70.

From the excellent record which the Johnston Harvester has obtained in Western Ontario, the following may be mentioned:—1st Prize Gold Medal, Kippen match, Huron Co.; 2nd prize Silver medal, ditto; 1st prize Mitchell match, County of Perth; also two 2nd premiums at same show; 1st Prize at Innerkip; 1st Prize at Tavistock; 1st at Welland; 1st at Erie.

A. H. WYNN, Listowel,

is Agent in this section for the above celebrated machines, from whom all castings may be obtained, and repairs attended to.

Buy none other until you have witnessed a trial of these machines.

SHOW ROOM—first door west of Lewis Bolton's office, Main street.

Listowel, May 27th, 1879. 18c

MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS.

MRS. M. A. BULLOCK

Has just opened a fresh stock of French and American

Hats, Bonnets, Feathers, Laces,

&c., &c.

Please call and examine. No old goods.

Hats Cleaned, Dyed, and Made Over.

Listowel May 2, 1879. 14

FARM for SALE.

Being lot No. 2, in the 3rd concession of the township of Proton, and containing 100 acres, 20 of which are cleared, well fenced and under cultivation; the balance, chiefly hardwood timber. This farm is 4½ miles from two saw mills; on a good road, and 9 miles from the market town of Mount Forest; adjacent to schools, post office, &c. Terms favorable. The proprietor also offers to sell or exchange for town property the site and machinery of a saw mill, in a splendid locality. For further particulars apply to ROBERT HASSARD Conn P. O., or to WM. L. KELLS, STANDARD office, Listowel. 13

WANTED IMMEDIATELY!

AT THE CAMPBELL MILLS,

500 Cords Four Feet Wood.

Must be four feet long from point to scarf.

THREE HORSES For Sale. Will exchange for Wood D. D. CAMPBELL.

Listowel, June 4, 1879. 19

250,000 lbs. of Wool Wanted!

S. BRICKER & CO.,

HARDWARE MERCHANTS,

LISTOWEL,

Will buy any quantity of

GOOD CLEAN WASHED WOOL

Delivered at their Hardware Store, Listowel, or at Palmerston.

S. BRICKER & CO.

HAVE ONE OF THE LARGEST STOCKS OF HARDWARE

To be found in any Retail Establishment in Western Canada, which they are prepared to sell at prices that cannot be undersold. Their premises are crowded with all lines of

SHELF and HEAVY HARDWARE, STOVES and TINWARE, PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES, GLASSWARE, Etc.

A very large stock of Nails, Hinges, and Builders Hardware generally. An unlimited supply of Farming, Gardening and Dairy Utensils. Large Orders filled at Reduced Prices.

Contractors, Farmers and others will find S. Bricker & Co.'s the cheapest and best place in this section to purchase their supplies. Just received, a consignment of

PATENT FLY TRAPS!

Just pause for a moment and consider our prices for Harvest Tools:—Rakes, 90 cents per doz.; Grass Scythes, 75 cents; Snaths, 45 cents. Do not forget the place if you wish to save money.

S. BRICKER & CO.
Osborne Block, Main Street, Listowel.

Listowel, June 12, 1879.

HURRAH! HURRAH! HURRAH!

—WE ARE OFF TO THE—

M—A—N—C—H—E—S—T—E—R — H—O—U—S—E—!

NEWRY STATION.

J. L. MADDER is rushing off his Stock at FEARFUL PRICES, consisting of Dry Goods, Groceries, Crockery, Glassware, Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps and Ready-Made Clothing, at better Bargains than ever.

Crowded House from morning till night. Everybody satisfied, and say that MADER gives

THE BEST BARGAINS AND THE BEST VALUE!

WEST OF TORONTO.

—NEW GOODS ARRIVING DAILY.—

J. L. MADER.

NEWRY STATION, May 21st, 1879. 17

THOROUGHBRED DURHAM BULL
—FOR SERVICE.—

CARDIFF.

Thoroughbred Durham with Pedigree. Terms $1.50 for the season, payable 1st Jan., 1880.

JOHN LOVE,
17B Lot 10, 10th Con. Elma.

THE CHEAPEST AND BEST

Sewing Machines for Cash,

or in monthly payments,

—AT—

ALEX. MORROW'S.

Sewing machines repaired on shortest notice.

CLOTHES WRINGERS AND WASHING MACHINES AT COST.

The cheapest

TEAS

in quantity and quality west of Toronto for cash. And all kind of GROCERIES, cheap, to suit hard times.

First-class CANADIAN SALT always on hand under cover; also fine LIVERPOOL SALT for dairy purposes.

ALEX. MORROW.
West End Grocery.
Main street, Listowel Ont. 1

BUTCHER STALL!

Wm. McKEEVER'S

MEAT STALL,

in Knapp's building, opposite Climie's Tinware store, Wallace Street.

Is always well supplied with the

CHOICEST FRESH MEATS

of the season.

TERMS STRICTLY CASH.

—Give him a Call.—

WM. McKEEVER.

Listowel, May 12, 1879.

LISTOWEL

PORK PACKING HOUSE.

F. CHAPLIN.

IN STOCK:

SUGAR CURED HAMS,
PALE DRIED HAMS,
BREAKFAST BACON,
SPICED ROLLED BACON,
PURE LEAF FARD,
&C., &C.
Wholesale and Retail.

CASH PAID for GOOD BUTTER & EGGS.

Remember the place—

F. CHAPLIN,
Main street, opposite the Commercial Hotel.
Listowel, Feb. 26, 1879.

NEW JEWELRY STORE.

C. J. GUNDRY, having purchased Messrs. Diggins & Sellin's 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 Broaches 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.

A GOOD CLOCK FOR ONE DOLLAR

C. J. GUNDRY.

Listowel, March 24th, 1878. 9

MARBLE WORKS.

WM. MITCHELL,

Dealer in American and Foreign Marble.

GRANITE MONUMENTS, ENGLISH AND AMERICAN GRAVE STONES.

Table tops, Mantle pieces, Fire Grates, window and door sills, &c.

STAND—opposite town hall, Mill street, Listowel. 18

NOT DEAD YET!

JAMES LEE

Has not succumbed to the late fire, but has taken possession of the building two doors east of the Montreal Telegraph office, where he is ready to meet with his old customers and all comers. He has purchased a new stock of goods, and is now prepared to sell

FIRST-CLASS HARNESS, of all kinds, COLLARS, WHIPS, TRUNKS, SATCHELS, ETC., marvellously CHEAP FOR CASH.

Don't forget the stand, north side of Main street.

JAS. LEE.
Listowel, Feb. 12, 1879. 23

THE

CHEAPEST PLACE IN TOWN

to buy your

BOOTS & SHOES

is at

J. P. NEWMAN'S,

One door east of Grand Central Hotel.

FINE SEWED WORK A SPECIALTY.

Work of all kinds made to order from first-class stock by superior workmen.

A well selected stock of sale work on hand, good and cheap.

Highest price paid for

DRIED MEATS, BUTTER and EGGS.

REPAIRING promptly attended to.

A call solicited.

J. P. NEWMAN.

Listowel, April 2, 1879.

G. S. CLIMIE & SONS

Have received a large stock of

SPRING GOODS,

CHEAP.

MILK CANS and all Dairy Utensils,
CUTLERY, LAMPS and COAL OIL,
SAP BUCKETS, SUGAR KETTLES,

VERY LOW.

Special inducements given to persons joining

MANITOBA,

—IN—

STOVES.

REPAIRING promptly attended to.

STOVE AND TINWARE DEPOT.

WALLACE STREET.

Listowel, Ont. 46

LITTLE BROS. & CO.,

WALLACE ST., LISTOWEL,

MANUFACTURERS OF

First-Class Carriages, Wagons

made from the best material, sold

On Most Reasonable Terms.

ALSO,

HORSE-SHOEING & REPAIRING

Promptly Attended To

Listowel, July 11, 1879. 24.