LISTOWEL STANDARD.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1879.

TOWN AND COUNTRY.

THE lenten season begins on the 26th inst., which will be Ash Wednesday.

AN adjourned meeting of the town Council will be held on Monday next at the Council chamber.

RE-LEASED.— John C. Henry, of the Queen's hotel, Gowanstown, has re-leased the same for another year.

LICENSES.—The Stratford town Council have resolved to increase the hotel licences in that town from $125 to $150.

T. C. PATTESON, late proprietor of the *Mail*, has been appointed to the postmastership of the Toronto post office.

BEAR in mind the temperance entertainment that is to take place on Monday evening next in the new temperance hall in the Masonic block.

MR. JACOB LARGE was the purchaser of the grocery and provision stock of Mr. Donald Brown, insolvent. The stock realised 80 cts. on the dollar.

SPRING ASSIZES.—The Spring Assize Court is appointed to be held at Stratford, on Monday, 10th prox., before the Chief Justice of Common Pleas.

SPRING EXHIBITION.—The spring exhibition of seed grain and potatoes, of the North Perth Agr'l Society, will take place at Stratford on Thursday next, 27th inst.

ARM BROKEN.—On Friday of last week, while Mr. George Holmes, who resides in Wallace, was engaged in chopping in the woods, a limb fell from a tree breaking his arm.

Go to Winter's new grocery, two doors east of the Grand Central Hotel, for fresh oysters, at Baltimore prices. XXX oysters 15 cts.; Tower's 20cts.; Prime 25 cts., and N. B. 30 cts. Tub oysters only 35 cts. per quart.

COMING AGAIN.—The celebrated Sheppard Jubilee Singers will give an entertainment in Osborne's Hall under the auspices of the C. M. Church on Friday evening, 28th Feb. Doors open at 7.30, to commence at 8 o'clock.

EXCHANGED PULPITS— Last Sunday Rev. Mr. Cooper of Christ Church exchanged pulpits with Rev. Mr. Caswell of Millbank. The latter gentleman conducted both morning and evening service here, preaching an excellent sermon on each occasion.

JOSEPH HARRIS, seedsman, "Moreton Farm," Rochester, N. Y., has issued a descriptive catalogue of field, garden and flower seeds, a copy of which has reached us. It contains the usual information to be found in such publications, and is illustrated with numerous cuts of vegetables, flowers, etc.

New patent medicines, King's new Discovery and Strong's Lung Syrup, for colds and consumption; Hamburg Root Oil and Carboline, for the hair; Indian Blood Syrup, Allan's Anti-fat, St. Jacob's Oil, Sandford's Sage and Constitutional Catarrh remedies, at hard pan prices, at Hacking's drug store.

PROFESSOR HILLYER.—This celebrated magician is billed to give one of his marvellous exhibitions in the Osborne Hall on Thursday evening next, 27th inst. From the flattering opinions of the press, a magical and mirthful entertainment of a high order may be expected. The price of admission is only 15 cents.

AUCTION SALES.—On Wednesday next, 26th inst., the farm stock and implements of Mr. Robt. Mills, lot 29, 8th con. of Elma, will be disposed of by auction. T. E. Hay, Auctioneer.

On Friday, 28th inst., the farm property of Mrs Jacob Reech, lot 8, 14th con. of Elma, will be sold by public auction. R. L. Alexander, Auctioneer.

THE property on Main street in this town belonging to Messrs. Watt of Brantford, was put up at auction on Tuesday last, but was bid in at $45 per foot. Just at the present time there is a feeling in town, which may be partially wa rantable, against speculating in property of high values, and this no doubt had something to do with the scarcity of bidders at the sale.

TEACHERS' CONVENTION.—The teachers of North Perth meet in the Listowel Central School to-day and to morrow to discuss educational matters. An entertainment in connection with the teachers' association will take place this evening in the Osborne Hall, which will partake of a literary and musical nature. We understand that a Glee club is to be present. The public are invited to attend.

I. O. G. T.—A musical and literary entertainment, under the auspices of the above order, will be given in the Caledonian Society's room, on Monday evening, 24th inst., the templars having secured the above rooms for their meetings. An efficient staff of singers are in preparation; readings and recitations are also expected. A cordial invitation is extended to all. No admission fee will be charged.

CONSERVATIVE ASSOCIATION.—Conservatives throughout the Riding will please bear in mind the annual meeting of the North Perth Association which takes place at Gibson's Commercial hall tomorrow (Saturday) at 1 o'clock. A special train will be provided by the Stratford & Huron Railway to convey those who attend from points along the line back again. The train will leave Listowel station at 5 p.m.

WEST WARD TO THE FRONT.—Mr. P. Collison has kindly consented to furnish a want that has been long felt in the West Ward, by building a large hall for the accommodation of ratepayers and the public in general, for the purpose of holding public meetings. The public will have the use of the hall *gratis*. May his shadow never grow less.

A RATEPAYER."

LICENSE COMMISSIONERS AND INSPECTORS.—The following appointments have been made under the provisions of the Crooks License Act: Perth (North Riding.)—Commissioners—William Mowat, Jacob Kollman, William Smith Bolger. Inspector, George S. Climie. South Riding.—Commissioners—Patrick Whelihan, Registrar of the county, Hugh Campbell, William N. Ford. Inspector—John Coppin.

COUNTY L. O. L.—The following officers were elected at the annual meeting of the County Orange Lodge of North Perth recently held at Palmerston: C M, Bro. R L Alexanner; D C M, Bro Wm Little; Chaplain, Bro. Thos. Miller; Treasurer, Bro. S S Rothwell; Secretary, Bro. James W Magwood; D C, Bro. Wm Waugh; L C, Bro. James Carson. Next year the lodge will meet in Listowel, on the first Tuesday in February.

PITCH-HOLES.—The pitch holes in the gravel road to Listowel are being promptly attended to by our Council. That portion within the corporation of the town is in rather a bad state, and unless the vigilant officials look to it at once the consequences may be serious. Some two weeks ago Mr. Edward Brand, farmer of Wallace, was thrown from his sleigh into a pitch hole and seriously injured. He has not yet recovered.

MR. EDITOR.—Has your cotem. of the *Banner* thrown up the sponge, or is he so much engaged in curling lately that he cannot devote a minute space of his paper to the news of the day? Have the politics of the Ontario Parliament become so distasteful thy past week that he ignores its doings entirely? Does *Orange* peel feel better in his mouth, or what is the matter. Hoping that this will resuscitate him and cause the prickles to stand once more, I remain, PASQUIN.

RIGOROUS WEATHER.—Another "cold dip" set in on Thursday of last week. It was accompanied with the usual storm which blocked the railways and retarded travel generally. Trains on the P. D. & L. H. R. were several days in reaching here; the G. W. R. also suffered from the effects of the storm, and caused a disarangement of the mails. The frequency of snow blockades this winter is somewhat remarkable, and the actual loss which they have entailed, especially upon the railways of the Province, must amount in the aggregate to an enormous sum. No one in this latitude will be apt to dispute the "genuineness" of the winter of 1878-79.

GRAVELING.—A considerable section of Main street has received a good coating of gravel within the past ten days. When labor is cheap and pits are accessible, graveling in winter can be done to advantage. The system being adopted in town is to first clear the road bed of snow and ice, then place the gravel in the excavated trench, afterwards covering it with the material removed. We would judge that by the time spring opens the gravel will have become cemented into a hard and well formed road bed.

BRUCE'S SEED CATALOGUE.—Our thanks are due to Messrs. John A. Bruce & Co., of Hamilton, Ont., for a copy of their elegantly illustrated and descriptive Seed Catalogue for 1879. The present number is the 28th annual catalogue that these gentlemen have issued, and we can congratulate them on presenting to the public such an amount of useful information as their latest edition contains. In order to ascertain the variety of seeds which Messrs. Bruce & Co. are dealers in, a copy of their catalogue should be procured. They are mailed free on application.

P. O. REMOVAL.— The Listowel post-office has again been removed. It is now located on the south side of Main street and about a hundred yards east of the Grand Central hotel. Its new position may be a slight improvement on the old one, but it is a matter of regret that a more central location was not available. We are inclined to the belief that were the large community which is served through the Listowel post-office to urge upon the Department the necessity of better postal accommodation that at least an adequate rental allowance would be granted to provide an office commensurate with the requirements and importance of the town.

ANOTHER Railway deputation. This time it is the Toronto, Grey & Bruce that is applying for Government pap. The Company want $250,000 from the Provincial chest to aid them in widening the gauge of their line from 3 feet, 8 inches, to 4 feet, 8½ inches, the standard gauge of the country. The Attorney-General gave the deputation to understand that he was favorably disposed towards aiding that road, but—election day is too near at hand to do anything just now, you know. Reinstate me and my Government, and then we will see what can be done for you. And the deputation withdrew.

ROBIN'S POLITICAL CHART.—Mr. Wm. Clayton of this town has been appointed agent for the sale of Robin's political chart in this neighborhood. This chart presents the political complexion of the Dominion after the general election in 1874, and again after the memorable 17th of September, 1878. The constituencies are colored—blue designating the Conservative, and red the Reform. By a glance at the chart the wondrous change of political sentiment in the short space of five years may be comprehended. To those desirous of preserving a memento of that which must form an important chapter in the country's history, we would recommend the procuring of a chart. Price $1.

LAST CHANCE.—As Mr. L. S. Zoeger is compelled to leave town in a few days, he finds it necessary to bring his business to a close almost immediately. He therefore is offering the balance of his stock, which contains a fine assortment of watches, clocks, jewellery, musical instruments, etc., at greatly reduced prices. If any one wishes to invest in a first-class chronometer or in jewellery of any quality and description, now is the time to do so while these articles can be obtained at about one-half the usual prices asked for such goods. Mr. Zoeger is also anxious to dispose of his fine residence and grounds, on Main street. Persons contemplating purchasing should call on him at once.

DEATH OF REV. S. R. MAGAHY.—We regret to record the death of the Rev. Samuel R. Magahy, late incumbent of the Episcopal Church in Hanover and Chesley, which took place at the residence of his brother, Rev. T. W. Magahy, in Lucan, on Sunday night last. His brother is well known in this town, having labored here for some time. Deceased was a native of the county of Monaghan, Ireland, and was born August 15th, 1852, thus passing away before he was twenty-seven years old. He studied in Hollmuth College, London, and by too close application to his studies impaired his health to such an extent that last summer a bleeding of the lungs set in, from which he never rallied.

BAND CONCERT.—We understand that it is the intention of the town Band to give a promenade concert for the benefit of the poor of the town sometime next month. Our excellent band has always been generous in providing musical entertainment for all in town, without distinction. The forthcoming charity concert will be conducted on the same principle, only with a slight difference—the band volunteers its services, the townspeople will have the privilege of contributing a small entrance fee, and the poor will receive the benefit. As the object is praiseworthy and the method decidedly pleasing, there should be no difficulty in obtaining a very large audience. Further particulars will be given in a future issue.

LISTOWEL PUBLIC SCHOOL.—Result of an examination on History held in the senior department of Listowel Public School on last Friday evening; maximum 100:

Richard Lillico,	83	P Brown,	58
W A Rothwell,	83	A Wilcott,	58
Wm Kay,	79	R Climie,	53
W Osborne,	75	M Tolman,	51
A Vellie,	75	H Whitfield,	48
E Martin,	73	L Hay,	47
R Robertson,	73	Clara Kells,	45
F Ferguson,	72	W Hay,	45
J Cartmell,	71	W Climie,	43
E Hess,	71	R Bird,	40
M McPherson,	71	L Dodd,	40
J Robertson,	71	E Tilt,	40
E Poole,	69	W Culbert,	39
T Watson,	69	B Armstrong,	38
Jno Nichol,	69	P Watson,	31
Geo Morsolf,	68	L Bognes,	28
C Sarvis,	67	A Forbes,	28
A Dewar,	65	F Michener,	25
S Reid,	65	Jos Large,	23
Jos Robinson,	65	Jno Green,	19
Wm Freir,	63		

RECOVERED.— Mr. B. Faulkner, who had his horses stolen from the shed at Carthage two weeks ago, succeeded in the latter part of last week in recovering his property after much trouble and expense. It appears that the thief, who gave his name as Wilson, had on the same evening taken a horse from a widow woman near Dorking, and coming to Carthage, also appropriated Mr. F.'s horses, and then drove as fast as possible to Fullarton, where he traded off two of the animals. He then made for London, where he sold the balance of his booty. Here Mr. F.'s telegrams had preceded him, and the property was taken in charge by the Police, who allowed the criminal to escape. After more than a week's hunt, Mr. F. succeeded in recovering all his lost property, except his overcoat. The whole affair cost him over seventy dollars.

LISTOWEL FIRE BRIGADE.—The annual meeting of the Listowed Fire Brigade was held on Friday evening last in the new firemen's hall on Mill street, when the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Chief, B. F. Brook; assistant chief, Henry Goddard; Treasurer, Thos. E. Hay; Secretary, Albert Robinson; Captain, W. T. Stewart; 1st Lieut., W. H. Dunham; 2nd Lieut., H. Steele; 3rd Lieut., John McConnell; Engineer, A. Austin; 1st assistant Engineer, J. M. Climie, sr.; 2nd assistant Engineer, J. M. Climie, jr. A vote of thanks was tendered to the retiring Chief, Mr. T. E. Hay, for his valuable assistance to the brigade. The following gentlemen were appointed Branchmen: W Bond, H. T. Thrift, J. W. Gray, F. Wolfe, R. Climie, jr.; T. E. Pethrick. In answer to a communication from Mr. A. Block, of Orillia, the Secretary was instructed to inform that gentleman of the strength of the Listowel Brigade, also that the Brigade is favorable to the formation of a Firemen's Mutual Benefit Association for Ontario. It was resolved to adjourn aud call a special meeting for this (Friday) evening, when the advisability of forming a hook and ladder company in connection with the Brigade, and other important business will be discussed. A full attendance of members is desired.

P. D. & L. H. RY. MEETING.—The annual meeting of the P. D. & L. H. Ry. Co. was held at Woodstock on Tuesday last, and attended by over three hundred share and londholders. The Treasurer's report for 1878 showed an increase in revenue of $28,056.58 over 1877. The General Manager's report stated, amongst other things, that the road-bed had been put in a good condition during the last year, and that the equipment of the road had been satisfactorily completed. Hopes were also expressed that a much larger and lucrative business would be done during the present year. The following gentlemen were nominated and elected Directors for the ensuing year, viz:—Col. Tisdale and John Jackson, of Simcoe; Gilbert Moore and Dr. Cook, of Norwich; Henry Parker and T. J. Clarke, of Woodstock, and S. S. Fuller, of Stratford. At a subsequent meeting of the newly-elected Directors, Col. Tisdale was re-elected President, and H. Parker Vice-President.

AN OBLIGING RAILWAY.—On Thursday morning of last week the regular down train from Kincardine had to be cancelled on account of the storm. There were five passengers waiting at the Listowel station to be conveyed eastward. They were very anxious to proceed, but as their train had been cancelled, they considered their prospects slim indeed, and so they would have been had not the always obliging station agent, Mr. Little, been even more accommodating on the present occasion than the most obliging agent is wont to be. Reporting the state of affairs to the officials at Palmerston, a special train was obtained, and in a very short time the five passengers from Listowel were going on their way, rejoicing at their good fortune and calling down benisons on the head of the worthy agent of this great railway corporation. Actions like the above speak for themselves. The Great Western Railway Company are not likely to lose anything by thus generously accommodating even such a small portion of the public.

SLEIGHING PARTY.—On Wednesday evening last a number of ladies and gentlemen, consisting of about twelve couples of the elite of the town, left here in three large handsome pleasure sleighs for Harriston. Starting from the residence of D. D. Campbell, Esq., about 7 p.m., with bright, happy faces, they seemed on pleasure bent and determined to enjoy themselves, in spite of the stormy weather. They reached Harriston about 10 p.m., where they were met by a number of ladies and gentlemen of Harriston, and after exchanging greetings, all repaired to the ball room, and at once commenced to "tip the light fantastic." At one o'clook mine host, John Collison, seated over twenty couples before tables groaning with the weight of the splendid supper that he had prepared for his guests. Full justice having been done to the ample viands by the merry gathering, dancing was resumed and kept up until the "sma' hours of the morn," after which the sleighs formed line, and one after another bore off their freight of youth and beauty homeward bound. We are creditbly informed that no damage was sustained except such as was incurred from flashes of bright eyes and gentle pressures from delicate hands. All enjoyed themselves thoroughly and speak very highly of Mr. Collison and the welcome they received from the Harristonians.

A MUSICAL TREAT.—On Tuesday evening next the celebrated Cantata of the "Haymakers" will be rendered in the Osborne Hall. We have already presented our readers with an outline of this magnificent musical production. It only remains to state that all the preliminary arrangements are completed in a manner which portends a most successful rendition of it upon the stage of the Osborne Hall. Professor Tanney and Mr. Holmes have been unremitting in their efforts to prepare a large class of singers and performers to take the numerous parts in the Cantata. They have secured the best local talent available, and now that the class has been in training for several weeks, nothing short of a complete success is to be anticipated. We would advise our friends from the country to come in and enjoy an evening's entertainment such as is their very rare privilege. The title of the Cantata—the Haymakers—suggests rural life. When coupled with the romance of song and mirth and praise, a halo gathers round farm life which makes it altogether enchanting. The rendition of the Cantata will occupy about two hours and a half, during which the toilers of the farm in their varied garbs and employments in the hay field, will be impersonated by the performers, their labors being made a delight with grand choruses and sweet solos. No doubt Mr. Osborne's hall will be filled with an eager throng of spectators, such as it has not contained before. In order to secure immunity from crowding, reserve seats, numbered on diagram of the hall, can be secured any time previous at the bookstores in town.

HIGH SCHOOL BOARD.—A meeting of the Listowel High School Board was held at the Grand Central Hotel on Saturday last, at which all the members were present with the exception of Mr. Watson. The meeting had been convened in order to confer with Mr. M. Sheard, architect, Toronto, whose plans for the proposed High School board were conditionally accepted at the last meeting of the Board. The Trustees in company with Mr. Sheard, visited the site recently donated by Peter Lillico, Esq., after which a conference of considerable duration was held with the architect in reference to modifications suggested by the Board. Mr Sheard agreed to furnish plans and specifications for the school building for the sum of $100; he also agreed to come to Listowel and spend a day at any time required by the Board. After an adjournment at noon, the Board again assembled at 2 p.m. The chairman of the Public School Board and Mr. Fennell, P. S. trustee, were present to confer with the High School Board about the transfer of the High and Public School grounds on Elma street to the Town Council for a public park. It was moved by R. Ferguson, seconded by A. D. Freeman, that the Council be requested to submit a By-law for the sum of $6,000, for High School buildings, and that the Board, on condition of such grant being made by the town, hand over to the Council the old High School property. It was moved in amendment by D. D. Campbell, seconded by A. Hemsworth, that the Council be requested to raise the sum of $6,000 for High School buildings without any condition being attached. The amendment was carried on the casting vote of the Chairman. The Board then adjourned.

BIRTHS.

MCPHERSON—In Stratford, on the 16th inst., the wife of George G. McPherson, Esq., (of Woods, Fisher & McPherson, barristers,) of twin daughters.

MOYER—In Listowel, on the 20th inst., the wife of Mr. Abraham Moyer, of a daughter.

KIRKWOOD.—In Listowel, on the 15th inst., the wife of Mr. Kirkwood, of a son.

TWAMLEY—In Elma, on the 15th inst., the wife of Mr. Peter Twamley, of a daughter.

FAWCETT—On the Minto boundry, Jan. 29th, the wife of Robert Fawcett, of twin-daughters.

PELTON—In Listowel, on the 11th inst., the wife of Wm. Pelton, of a daughter.

BINNING—On the 10th February, at No. 220 East Ninth-street, St. Paul, Minn., U. S., the wife of W. J. Binning, of a daughter.

GEIZLE—In Elma, on the 19th inst., the wife of Mr. Geizle, of a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

STEEL—MCARTHUR—On the 14th inst., at the residence of John King, Esq., brother-in-law of the bride, 12th con. Maryboro', by Rev Daniel W. Cameron, Mr. James F. A. Steel, Teacher Central School, Guelph, to Miss Annie McArthur of Beckwith, Ont.

COATS—FARREL—By the Rev. J. G. Scott, on the 13th inst., at the Methodist Parsonge, Listowel, Peter Coats, Esq., to Ellen Farrel, all of Huron County.

COULTER—BRYERS—On the 12th inst., at the C. M. Parsonage, Wingham, by the Rev. Wm. Bryers, uncle of the bride, Mr. James Coulter, of Newry, to Miss Hester A Bryers, Wingham.

ANDERSON—STOKES—At the residence of the brides father, Paris, on Feb. 13, by the Rev. W. H. Allworth, Mr. J. M. K. Anderson, of the Paris *Transcript*, to Miss Annie E., daughter of J. H. Stokes, Esq., of Paris.

LAWRENCE—ZUBER.—On the 15th inst., at the residence of the officiating clergyman, by the same, Henry Lawrence, 2nd con. Minto, to Mary Ann Zuber, of Woolwich, Waterloo Co.

MCDONALD—INGRAM.—At the manse, Listowel, on the 19th inst., by Rev. J. W. Bell, M. A., Mr. Robert McDonald, to Miss Mary Ingram, all of Morris, county of Huron.

DEATHS.

KIDD—In Listowel, on the 13th inst., the infant son of W. C. Kidd, aged three weeks.

O'HANLEY—In Galt, on Friday evening, Feb. 7th, at ten o'clock, John O'Hanley, aged 100 years.

NOYCE—At Fordwich, on the 18th inst., Mr. Thomas Noyce, aged 61 years.

HARRIS—In Elma, on the 18th inst., Fanny J. Harris, wife of Mr. Thomas Harris, aged 65 years.

HOUSE TO LET.

Good frame dwelling on Inkerman street west, one and a-half stories, with large and comfortable rooms, hard and soft water and other conveniences. Within three minutes walk of the centre of the town. Will be rented cheap. Apply to

C. H. ROBINSON.

Listowel, Feb'y 19, 1879. 4

RED CROSS Temple Royal Black Preceptory, Royal Black Knights of Ireland, encamped at Listowel. Regular night of meeting—last Monday in each month.

T. G. FENNELL, Registrar. 4

NOTICE.—The public will take notice that I have not received consideration for a Promissory Note, covering $21, made by me in favor of W. C. KIDD, or bearer, dated 1st January, 1879, payable three months after date; and that I will not be responsible for the payment of the same.

WILLIAM OPPER.

Listowel, 12th Feb, 1879. 3

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. 2-3

J. VANSTONE

Is prepared to give the very best bargains in

Gold and Silver Watches, AND JEWELLERY,

Consisting of Brooches, Earrings and Finger Rings.

WEDDING RINGS A SPECIALTY.

Also plated Jewelry in great variety.

He would also invite public attention to the fact that his shop is the place to buy SPECTACLES of every description. Lazarus & Morris' Spectacles always on hand.

PRICES TO SUIT THE HARD TIMES.

☞ Special attention given to repairing.

DRY GOODS STORE IN CONNECTION.

Remember the place—Corner Main and Dodd streets, Listowel.

2-3 J. VANSTONE.

ORDER IN COUNCIL.

WHEREAS, a contagious disease affecting cattle prevails in certain parts of the United States of America, and it is expedient in order to prevent the introduction of the same into Canada, that the importation of cattle from that country into Canada be for the present prohibited.

His Excellency, on the recommendation of the Honorable the Minister of Agriculture, and under the provisions of the Act passed in the 32nd and 33rd years of Her Majesty's reign and entitled:—"An Act respecting contagious diseases affecting animals," has been pleased to order, and it is hereby ordered, that from and after the sixth day of February instant the importation or introduction into the Provinces of—

Ontario,
Quebec,
New Brunswick,
Nova Scotia, and
Prince Edward Island,

of cattle from the United States of America, be and the same is hereby prohibited for a period of three months.

W. A. HIMSWORTH,
Clerk Privy Council, Canada.

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NOTICE TO DEBTORS.

All parties indebted to the undersigned, either by open account or overdue note, are hereby warned that immediate settlement must be made, or expenses will be incurred. As our term of partnership has expired, settlements are absolutely required towards settlement of partnership affairs.

McILWRAITH & AUSTIN.

N. B.—Parties who have been hauling in wood to the Foundry are requested to take up receipts for delivery, so as to avoid future complications.

Listowel, Feb. 6, 1879. 2-2c

NORTH PERTH

Conservative Association!

The annual meeting of the NORTH RIDING OF PERTH CONSERVATIVE ASSOCIATION will be held in the TOWN OF LISTOWEL,

—on—

Saturday, 22nd day of February, 1879,

—at—

GIBSON'S HALL,

AT 1 O'CLOCK, P.M.

As business of great importance will be transacted, a large attendance of Conservatives from all parts of the Riding is requested. Several prominent members of the Party will be present to address the meeting.

H. T. BUTLER, Sec'y-Treas. JOHN READ, President.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

Stratford, February 5, 1879. 2-2c

REMOVED!

W. McMILLAN

has removed to the

MASONIC BLOCK,

One door east of Bricker's Hardware store, where he has opened out a new and extensive stock of

FINE GROCERIES, WINES & LIQUORS, ETC., ETC.

He is determined to SELL CHEAP.

Call and inspect his new premises and stock.

W. McMILLAN,

Masonic Block, Main Street, Listowel.

TO RENT—CHEAP.

A Comfortable Dwelling House

on Victoria street, in excellent condition, containing six large rooms, kitchen, pantries, closets, wood shed, hard and soft water, and other conveniences. Apply on the premises to

WM. BINNING.

Listowel, Jan. 30, 1879.

FARM FOR SALE. OR TO RENT.

THE undersigned offers for sale his farm, being lot No. 10, in the 4th concession of the Township of Maryborough. The land is of excellent quality, nearly all cleared and in a good state of cultivation. There is on the premises a good frame house and a log barn. For further particulars apply to

SAMUEL DAVIDSON, Listowel.

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The London House Still Ahead.

BEAN & GEE

—ARE STILL TAKING THE LEAD FOR—

CHEAP GOODS.

They are selling the balance of their Winter Stock of Dry Goods VERY CHEAP in order to make room for

SPRING IMPORTATIONS.

They also keep constantly on hand a large and well assorted stock of

GROCERIES!

Selling at prices to suit the hard times. Please note some of their prices:

30 lbs. of good Currants for	$1.00.
12 lbs. Sugar for	1.00.
A good Tea, worth 75 cts., selling at	50c. per lb.

An early call is solicited.

BEAN & GEE.

GO TO THE

New Hardware,

(Osborne's Block,) to buy your

ELECTRO PLATED WARE, TABLE AND POCKET CUTLERY, SKATES (Bamey and Berry.)

Best Canadian and American CHOPPING and BROAD AXES.

SAWS: Cross-Cut and Machine—Best in the Market.

HORSE SHOES AND NAILS.

In fact we have everything in the

HARDWARE, STOVE AND TINWARE

Line required.

We have also a full Stock of

PAINTS AND OILS,

Which we offer at ROCK BOTTOM PRICES.

No blow—Goods will speak for themselves.

S. BRICKER & CO.

LISTOWEL, December 12th, 1878. 43

REMOVAL.

D. D. CAMPBELL

Has great pleasure in notifying his customers and the public that he has removed to his own premises, lately occupied by Mrs. MAYNARD, and next door to Scott's Bank, on

WALLACE STREET.

NEW FALL GOODS!

IN ENDLESS VARIETY AND CHEAP.

GROCERIES

Of the freshest and purest. His stock of TEAS is particularly good.

READY-MADE CLOTHING AND BOOTS & SHOES

are a specialty. Any one in need of a good fitting Coat or Boot should buy them from him If you require a

First-class Suit of Clothes made to order,

Go to D. D. CAMLBELL'S and get the best in town. No matter what you are told, don't buy till you examine my goods and prices.

Wallace Street is Determined to take the Lead

in good goods and cheap goods, and keep it too. Come along with your butter and eggs or with anything else you have worth money and we will give you great bargains. Don't put it off till the roads get better, come right away.

D. D. CAMPBELL.

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