LISTOWEL STANDARD.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 1878.

It is not expected that the Ontario Legislature will assemble "for the dispatch of business" until after New Year's.

The Pall Mall *Gazette* in a bold criticism of Secretary Evarts' letter on the Fisheries question, declares that the American Government are taking advantage of England's present embarrassments to cast their matter before the public in an irritating way, and argues that if the Newfoundland incident be a just pretext for reopening the whole question for the award, it would be proper for Canada to renew its claims for compensation for the injuries inflicted by American citizens in the Fenian raids.

An Ottawa telegram to the *Mail* says: "The circular issued by the Inland Revenue Department with reference to the Weights and Measures Act which some of the Opposition papers have used as a basis of attack upon the new government was dated Oct. 1st and was therefore prepared before the late government had resigned. The department has now issued a circular, dated Nov. 2nd, cancelling the former one. The government will, it is understood, take the whole subject of the inspection of Weights and Measures into consideration at an early day with a view toremoving some of the objectionable features of the present act."

The election courts are likely to have their hands full for some time, judging from the number of protests which are being fyled against the return of members of the new House. No less than nine petitions were entered at Osgoode Hall on Monday last. The following are the gentlemen whose return is protested: John White, East Hastings; Alexander Gunn, Kingston; F. W. Glen, South Ontario; Dr. Bergin, Cornwall; J.C. Rykert, Lincoln; Alex. Shaw, South Bruce; Thos. Arkell, East Elgin; Jas. McCuaig, Prince Edward Co., and Rufus Stephenson, Kent. Protests have also been fyled against the return of James Brown, for West Hastings; John Rochester, for Carleton; Messrs. Burpee and Weldon, for St. John city and county; Hon. S. L. Tilley for St. John city, and Mr. Domville for Kings Co., N. B.

By the death of Chief Justice Harrison, which occurred at his residence in Toronto on Friday last, Canada has lost one of her ablest sons. Robert A. Harrison was born in Montreal in 1803; received his education at Upper Canada College and at the University of Trinity College, Toronto; called to the Bar in 1855, an alderman of Toronto for several years; a Queen's Counsel in 1867; a member of Parliament for West Toronto from 1867 until 1872, and appointed Chief Justice of Ontario in 1875. He was an able writer, contributing largely to the political and legal press. For a number of years he edited the Canada Law Journal; also author of "Harrison's Common Law Procedure Act," the "Municipal Manual," and many other works of great value to the legal profession. He was an indefatigable toiler, never ceasing exertion throughout the various stages of his successful career, and although cut off at the early age of forty-five years, he has left a record of industry which merits for him a niche in the temple of fame.

MINISTERIAL ELECTIONS.

The elections on Monday resulted in the return by acclamation of Hon S. L. Tilley, Minister of Finance; Hon. Dr. Tupper, Minister of Public Works; Hon Jas Macdonald, Minister of Justice; Hon John O'Connor, President of the Council, and Hon. J Pope, of Compton, Minister of Agriculture. At St John Mr. Tilley made a brief speech, saying he favored the policy that would lessen the imports from the United States. He loved the Mother Country, but his first duty was to consider the interests of Canada, and the new tariff would be framed with that end in view after his return from England. It is not at all probable that opposition will be offered to the return of the remaining ministers. Verily the *Globe* has lost its *prestige* with the "pairty," or else its mandates had been better obeyed.

News has since reached us of the return of Hon. Mackenzie Bowell, minister of Customs, and Hon. L. F. R. Masson, minister of Militia, both by acclamation.

CENTRE HURON.

No one having any acquaintance with the political aspect of Centre Huron was taken by surprise upon learning that Hon. R. J. Cartwright had been returned by a considerable majority. The riding is one of the few remaining Reform strongholds, and it was not expected that it could be redeemed in spite of the great odds the Conservative candidate had to fight against. In 1872 Mr. Horton was elected by a large majority; in 1874 he had 780; in the September election his majority was reduced to 371; but we were then informed that there still remained an immense latent Grit vote in the riding which would be available in the recent contest. Mr. Cartwright has been returned by a majority of 417 after a most desperate struggle, in which he was aided by great guns of the "pairty," even to the ex-Premier himself. Political life or death was the issue with Mr. Cartwright, and he and his friends left no stone unturned to secure his election. Notwithstanding their extraordinary exertions, Mr. Cartwright has gained just 46 majority more than his predecessor. Where that "latent Reform vote" appears, will not be readily indicated by a comparison of figures. To talk about a "reaction" under the circumstances is but the veriest nonsense. After such an infinitesimal gain in a strongly pronounced Grit constituency, and which was worked up to the last man, the laurels of victory should rest exceedingly light upon the shoulders of the "pairty," and were discretion a virtue with them, the result would be accepted in silence. The following are the complete returns: Goderich, Platt, 66; Seaforth, Cartwright, 33; Brussels, Cartwright, 18; McKillop, Platt, 35; Colborne, Platt, 15; Tuckersmith, Cartwright, 173; Hullett, Cartwright, 148; Grey, Cartwright, 161. Total—Platt, 116; Cartwright, 533. Majority for Cartwright, 417.

THE AFGHAN DIFFICULTY.

The British Ultimatum Returnable on November 20.

The *Pioneer* announces, on authority, that England's ultimatum requires that the Ameer's reply shall reach Peshawaur by November 20th; otherwise the English forces will immediately invade Afghanstan. Col. Lindsay, Financial Secretary to the War Department, in a speech at Abingdon yesterday, said England's ultimatum informed the Ameer that the Russian Embassy must withdraw, and that he must not enter into a Russian alliance, but must preserve a neutral attitude.

A special from Paris says that James Gordon Bennett left Paris on Friday night for St Petersburg, en route to Afghanistan, taking with him Ivan Woistyne, who is to become a correspondent for the *Herald* in the event of war. Another special says that 60 per cent. of the Ameer's troops are striken with fever.

FIFTH OF NOVEMBER.

The frustration of the plot which marked the 5th of November, 1605, will be an event ever memorable to Protestant nations, and the return of its anniversary will continue to be observed by loyal Orangemen so long as the Order endures. In this section of her Majesty's domains the day was commemorated with becoming patriotism. The Red Cross Preceptory of Listowel celebrated the event by holding a dinner at Mr. Zilliax's Royal Hotel, to which they extended invitations to a number of their Protestant friends outside of the Royal Black Order. The dinner took place in the evening, when between seventy-five and one hundred persons in all partook of the collation provided by "mine host and hostess" of the Royal. The spread was a most bountiful one, and for excellence it would compare with the best metropolitan tables. Mrs. Zilliax's culinary skill is known of old, but on the present occasion she may be said to have surpassed herself. Remarks of a most complimentary nature were heard upon all sides whilst the repast was being partaken of, which amply testified that the choice viands and seasonable delicacies provided were appreciated to the full. Post prandial addresses were next in order, the Chairman, T. G. Fennell, Esq., opening the intellectual part of the evening's entertainment with an epitomized account of the Gunpowder Plot. He then called upon D.D.Campbell, Esq., B. Rothwell, Esq., Dr. Nichol and Rev. H. Cooper, Chaplain of the Provincial Grand Lodges of the Orange and Black, who severally made addresses appropriate to the occasion. Their remarks were of a highly interesting nature, containing many exceedingly able utterances. The chair having been vacated in favor of R. L. Alexander, Esq., County Master, that gentleman, with the assistance of Mr. Andrew Little in the vice-chair, proceeded with the toasts of the evening. "The Queen," "Governor-General and Lieut.-Governor," "Army and Navy," etc., were proposed and duly honored by speech and song. The Listowel Band, which was present, also contributed most acceptably to the programme. "The Educational interests of Canada" brought Mr. Rothwell again to his feet, when the company was favored with a short but exceedingly brilliant address. Messrs. Geo. Draper and R. Martin also responded to the toast. In response to "The Learned Professions," Dr. Philp created a deal of merriment by making a humorous speech. He was followed by Drs. Nichol and Dingman, and T. G. Fennell, Esq., whose remarks were quite appropriate. The names of Mayor Scott and Mr. Halstead, of Mt. Forest, were coupled with "the Banking interests of Canada," who responded in short addresses which indicated no small degree of knowledge concerning the importance of our banking institutions. "The mercantile interests" received justice at the hands of T.E. Hay, Esq., A. Morrow Esq., John Osborne, Esq. "Our sister Towns" was then proposed, and was heartily responded to by Mr. Halstead and R. L. Alexander, Esq. Mr. D. D. Campbell did "the Ladies" very neatly; while "the Band" and the "Host and Hostess" were duly acknowledged and deservedly complimented. Dr. Nichol sang several appropriate songs during the evening, which added not a little to the general pleasere. To say that the affair was a success throughout sounds almost too conventional to convey an adequate opinion of its merits. While Orange gatherings continue to be conducted in the moral, intellectual and social manner which characterised the assembly on Tuesday evening, the Order has nothing to fear, but much to commend itself to all classes of the community.

LISTOWEL PUBLIC SCHOOL BOARD.

A meeting of the Board of Trustees was convened at the call of the Chairman on Friday evening last, at which the following gentlemen were present: George Draper, Chairman; Robt. Martin, Wm. Bradley, T. G. Fennell and A. McIlwraith, members of the Board. Wm. Alexander, Esq., Inspector of Public Schools; Rev. J. W. Bell, D. D. Campbell, Esq., and A. D. Freeman, Esq., members of the High School Board, were also present. Application having been made by the High School Board for the use of the unoccupied rooms in the Public School building, a lease was drawn up and duly signed granting the use of said rooms for the term of 14 months at a rental of $100.

Mr. Alexander, Inspector P. S., presented a report of his recent inspection of the different departments of the Public School. As the report contains information of general interest, a synopsis is here given. He found 336 pupils present; 31 in the 1st dept., 42 in the 2nd, 54 in the 3rd, 45 in the 4th, 40th in the 5th, 62 in in the 6th, and 62 in the 7th. The general average attendance is about 400; the inclement weather of the week no doubt was accountable for the smaller number present during the visit of the Inspector. The rooms were found all properly classified, and a proper limitable in each department setting forth the exact amount of work in each subject required to be done by each teacher for the term. Of the principal departments the Inspector reports as follows: "With regard to the management of the 1st Dept., I can only repeat what I have said on previous occasions, that Mr. Rothwell is discharging his duties as Principal and teacher with rare ability and faithfulness, and that in my opinion, for such a position he has but few equals and no superior. I was also exceedingly well pleased with Miss Beith's management of the 2nd Dept. She has undoubted teaching ability, and I am convinced that she is doing her best with her class; her work is worthy of the highest commendation." The progress in the lower departments was also reported, and a paragraph was added to the report complimenting Mr. Lowe for the excellent care he had taken of the school premises during the year, under whose charge the Inspector was sure that in a year or two the school grounds would be an ornament to the town.

Miss Climie, Miss Ellis and Miss Dunham, teachers in the primary departments of the school, having tendered their resignations to the Board, the same were accepted, and the following resolution was passed, appointing their successors: Moved by A. McIlwraith, and seconded by R. Martin, that Miss Agnes Stewart, Molesworth, Miss Matilda Draper, Listowel, and Miss Mary Marty, Mitchell, be engaged for the year 1879, on the recommendation of Mr. Alexander, Inspector of Public Schools, each at a salary of $300 per annum, and that they be appointed respectively to the following departments: Miss Stewart to 3rd Dept., Miss Draper to 4th Dept., and Miss Marty to 5th Dept.—Carried. Mr. Benjamin Rothwell, Principal and teacher in the 1st Dept., was re-engaged for the year 1879 at a salary of $800. Miss Beith was also re-engaged for the 2nd Dept. at $400 per annum. This finished the business of the meeting.

STRATFORD.

Steps are being taken for the formation of a Protestant Alliance in Stratford, and a number of names have already been subscribed to the project.—Rev Josiah Henson, "Uncle Tom," preached to a large audience in the Town Hall on Sunday.—Five hundred feet of hose has recently been purchased for the Fire brigade at a cost of $650. This hose is made on straight cotton and will stand a pressure of 500 lbs. to the square inch. The New York Gutta Percha and rubber Co., are the manufacturers.

Consolation Meeting.—Mr. Cartwright, of the two-faced shield, arrived in Stratford yesterday and addressed the defeated faithful in the evening at the Liberal Club, but his eye glass and eloquence failed to lift the deepened gloom from the mind of the twice-defeated of North Perth.—*Herald.*

The *Times* says that preliminary steps have been taken towards a full investigation into the recent scandalous transactions connected with the appointment of Mr. Blair to the Startford Postmastership.

Evening Classes.—The Stratford Mechanics' Institute will re-open the night school on the 8th inst., for the benefit of the young men and women of the town.

WALLACE.

The 5th.—The 273rd anniversary of the Gunpowder Plot was observed in a fitting manner by the Orange lodges of the township. Maple leaf Lodge No. 656, James Beatty, Master, assembled at their headquarters, 8th con., on Tuesday morning and drove to Listowel, where they had dinner at the Great Western Railway hotel, kept by brother Thos. Gibson, formerly of Wallace. Trecastle lodge went to Palmerston, where we believe they were very hospitably entertained by the Palmerston brethren.

MITCHELL.

The sum of $80 was realized by the sacred concert on Friday evening last for the benefit of the yellow fever sufferers.—Mr. Joliffe has been re-engaged as head teacher of the High School at the old salary of $900.—Rev. Josiah Henson, the original of Mrs. Stowe's "Uncle Tom," delivered a lecture on Saturday evening to a moderate sized audience.—A large deputation waited upon Mr. J. W. Cull, druggist, and at present Reeve of the town, with the object of inducing him to run for the Mayoralty of Mitchell, for 1879. Having been taken by surprise, that gentleman requested a short time to consider the matter. If he should accept, no doubt he would poll a large vote.

MILLBANK.

The annual meeting of the Millbank branch of the Bible Society was held in the Methodist Church on Monday evening last, when several talented speakers delivered addresses.

A very heavy gale passed over here one day last week, turning some things upside down, hanging some on trees, and causing others to disappear entirely. It was on Hallowe'en.

The Orange men of Mornington and Wellesley celebrated the anniversary of the Gunpowder Plot by a shooting match and supper in their several lodges, which is certainly an improvement on the old method of dragging a procession ankle deep through mud for miles.

Mr. R. M. Hamilton, of Stratford, a young man of great promise and highly spoken of by the local heads of educational matters, has succeeded Mr. E. A. Miller as principal of the Public School, the latter having removed to Stratford, amid the general regret and unanimous good wishes of his friends here, whose name is legion.

BURNS.

Editor Standard,—I would ask you to insert the following sad announcement in your widely circulated columns: On the 28th ult., Miss Martha Ann Watson, daughter of John Watson, Esq., Clerk of the township of Mornington, to the extreme sorrow of her friends, departed this life, at the early age of twelve years and seven months, after a very severe illness of about five days. For some time she had been laboring under a complication of diseases, the more important of which were dropsy and disease of the kidneys, which cut her off from further troubles in this world. She was the dearly beloved of her friends and a favorite with all who were acquainted with her. The funeral, which took place on the 30th ult., in spite of the damp weather and bad condition of the roads, was very largely attended. Her remains were deposited in the burying-ground near the North Mornington Church. Immediately after the burial, the Rev. Mr. Boyd, of Wellesley, conducted the funeral service in an able and suitable manner. The bereft and mourning ones have the warm sympathy of all their friends.

Reader.

MORNINGTON.

Mr. Wm. Freeborn has rented his farm and is opening out a store at Burns in company with his brother.—There has been a large area of fall wheat sown in this neighborhood, which on the whole presents a very promising appearance, especially that which was early sown, which is in many cases up over eight inches and completely covering the ground.—The Gotham cheese factory, owned by Mr. Aitcheson, closed on the 26th ult. The patrons are well satisfied with the management of the factory.

Presbytery.—At the meeting of the Stratford Presbytery last week, the clerk reported that the congregations of Milverton and North Monington had, by a majority, expressed their desire to have Mr. Kay in the meantime, as stated supply, according to the proposal of Presbytery, and that he had notified Mr. Kay accordingly. The report was received and approved. Since the close of the meeting the Clerk has received a letter from Mr. Kay intimating his intention to fall in with the arrangement and to be on duty in two or three weeks. He has also requested that application be made for him in the usual form in order to his regular reception as a minister of the church.

Ploughing Match.—The first annual ploughing match of the Mornington Agricultural Society was held on the farm of Mr. C. Griffin on Friday last, and was, considering the circumstances, fairly successful. Owing to the rather unpropitious weather and somewhat inadequate notice, the number of competitors was not so large as might otherwise have been expected, but the prizes were keenly contested for, and the work done was good. The new Oliver chill plough, manufactured by Messrs Kollman & Co., of Millbank took a prominent place, and was highly commended for its particular class of work. Too much praise cannot be bestowed on Mr. and Mrs. Griffin for the liberally handsome style in which they treated the company, numbering about 300. The prize winners were, in order, for the first-class, men:—H. Kelly, R Fleming, John Kilpatrick and F Grey; second class, A. Doering, J Chalmers, A Riddell and W. Wilson.

LORD DUFFERIN.

His Probable Appointment as Viceroy of India.

London, Nov. 5.—Owing to the state of affairs in India and the criticism of the present administration there by Lord Lawrence, Sir Henry Havelock and others, there is a good deal of talk of Lord Lytton's recall. Should the talk take a practical turn, and his lordship be summoned back to England, it is considered more than probable that he will be succeeded by Earl Dufferin, whose name is freely mentioned in connection with the Viceroyship.

The Phoenix Counterfeiting Case.—The trial of Henry Phoenix, charged with counterfeiting coin at 119 York street in 1875, was concluded yesterday (30th ult.,) a verdict of not guilty being brought in, and the charge being accordingly dismissed. The verdict was brought in, it is believed, on the ground taken by the counsel for the defence that the evidence for the defence was insufficient. Strange to say, just as the trial was concluded, Detectives O'Neil, Burrows and Heenan came into possession of information which led them to discover further evidence in the case. Another trial will, therefore, take place—at the next Assizes—when this evidence will be brought forward. It consists of the testimony of women, who allege that they saw Phoenix making coin at 119 York street, which testimony will be supported by the production of the dies, metal and a ladle for handling molten lead, found yesterday buried in the yard of the house in question. Phoenix has gone back to the county jail to await his trial.—*Mail.*

Guelph Shooting Case.—Hornbostel, who was committed to stand his trial at the Guelph assize court, for the shooting of Miss Ryder a week or two since, has been discharged, the jury not being satisfied as to the prisoner's intention when he fired the revolver.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Hon H. L. Langevin has accepted a nomination in Three Rivers, Mr. Macdougall having resigned.

At the Court for revising the Wingham Voters' List of 1878, the names of 28 Conservatives and 16 Reformers were added.

The inquest into the cause of the death of McAuley the murdered Ottawa Orangeman, resulted in a verdict of murder by a person or persons unknown.

The Marquis and Marchioness of Lorne will receive a congratulatory address from the corporation of Liverpool on their arrival to embark on the 14th of November for Canada.

In September the Township of McKillop, Centre Huron, gave Mr. Horton a majority of 85. On Saturday Mr. Platt had a majority of 35. That's Grit "reaction," probably.

An arrangement between the Montreal and Dominion telegraph companies for the pooling of profits was arrived at Saturday. On the same day the latter company opened its lines to the Maritime provinces.

Wright, the toll house robber, who was taken from the penitentiary to London to testify against Thomas Dynan for burglary, attempted to break gaol by filing the bars of his cell. He was detected in time to prevent escape.

The intelligent Mr. James Wilson, of Bruce, Ont., went to shoot crows and placed his left hand over the muzzle of his gun so as "to keep the crows from smelling the powder" till the last moment. He has more sense now, but less hands.—*N. Y. World.*

The Lord Advocate accepted $75,000 bail for John Stewart, one of the Directors of the City of Glasgow Bank. $150,000 was subscribed at a private meeting in Glasgow on Friday for the relief of shareholders of the City of Glasgow Bank. Five firms gave each $15,000.

Small Pox.—This dreaded disease has broken out in West Zorra, about the 18th line. It appears to have been brought there by persons returning from Europe and who caught it on the way home. It is reported that one death has occurred from it. Every effort is being made to prevent its spreading.

New York is taking time by the forelock. A meeting was held there last week to discuss the advisability of holding a world's fair in 1889 to commemorate the centennial of George Washington's inauguration as first President of the United States. It was resolved to appoint a committee to consider the object.

The necessity of increased mail accommodation on W. G. & B. R. north of Guelph has long been felt, and business men especially will be glad to hear that enquiries are now being made with a view to lay before the Government a full statement of facts, with a view to secure the desired improvement.

Tapping Operation.—Mr. Peter Drew, of Exeter, went to a Detroit physician a few days ago and had seven pints of water taken from the vicinity of his lungs. The water pressed against the lung, seriously injuring it and causing shortness of breath. We hope Mr. Drew will be greatly benefited by the operation.

Barn Burnt.—On the evening of the 4th inst, the barn and stacks of Mr. Wm. Levy, of the township of Fullarton, were totally destroyed by fire. The conflagration was occasioned by sparks from a steam threshing machine while the wind was blowing a gale. This is the second fire of the same sort. The loss will probably be about $3,000.

The following election petitions were filed in the Court of Common Pleas on Wednesday in addition to those already announced: Against M. C. Cameron, for South Huron; against Patrick Hughes, for Niagara; and against James Brown, for West Hastings. All three are Reformers, and in Niagara and West Hastings the defeated candidates are the petitioners.

Honors Conferred on a Canadian.—London, Nov. 2nd: "The Prince of Wales received Mr. Keeper and the other Canadian commisioners to-day and presented them with the Order of St. Michael and St. George. His Royal Highness took the occasion to express the hope that the interest shown by England in colonial exhibits would increase the feeling of affection now existing between the mother country and the Colonies."

Toronto *Mail*:—Political bigotry has about touched bottom in Mitchell. There the Grits decline to deal with the butchers because they are Conservatives, and intend importing a slayer and dispenser of animal food after their own hearts. Perhaps they will also insist on a guarantee that the beef or mutton they buy was raised on a Grit farm; and that its sire is a sound Reformer enrolled in the stock peerage of Bow Park.

New Dominion Notes.—In consequence of numerous forgeries the Dominion Government some time ago decided to call in the $1 and $2 Dominion notes, and make a new issue. The new notes are almost ready for circulation, and are of an exceedingly elegant design, having on either side vignettes of Lord and Lady Dufferin—beautifully engraved and excellent likenesses. This is a happy tribute to their Excellencies.

On the arrival of the Marquis of Lorne in Ottawa, the citizens will be asked to provide an illumination of the city. The parliament buildings will be illuminated by chemical lights. Hon. Mr. Montar, Comptroller for the Marquis of Lorne, will reach Quebec about Sunday. He will be met there by Colonel Littleton. The Comptroller will not come to Ottawa at present. In the ordinary course of events the new Governor-General will arrive at Halifax on the 23rd, where he will remain for two days. The rumors that the Countess of Dufferin and the Duke of Edinburgh will accompany the Vice-Regal party is stated on good authority to be incorrect.

The new temperance act will shortly be submitted to the electors of Carleton and Russell.

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LISTOWEL MARKETS.

November 7, 1878.

Wheat, fall, per bush.,	$0 75	to 0 80
Spring Wheat, "	0 65	0 70
Barley, "	0 40	0 65
Peas, "	0 50	0 52
Oats, "	0 25	0 28
Flour, per cwt.,	2 25	0 00
Oatmeal, "	2 50	0 00
Cornmeal, "	1 75	2 00
Butter, per lb.,	0 04	0 13
Eggs, per dozen,	0 09	0 00
Pork, per cwt.,	4 00	0 00
Beef, per cwt.,	4 00	5 00
Potatoes, per bag,	0 45	0 50
Apples, per bag,	0 75	1 00
Hay, per ton,	0 00	10 00
Wood, per cord, long,	2 50	2 75
Wood, " short,	1 00	1 25
Hides, per cwt.,	5 50	6 25
Sheepskins, each,	0 40	0 75
Wool, per lb,	0 20	0 00

TORONTO MARKETS.

PRICES AT FARMERS' WAGONS.

November 7, 1878.

Wheat, fall, per bush.,	$0 80	to 0 93
Wheat, spring, "	0 65	0 86
Barley, "	0 60	0 85
Oats, "	0 30	0 32
Peas, "	0 60	0 62
Rye, "	0 53	0 54
Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs.,	4 37	5 00
Beef, hind qrs, "	5 50	6 00
Mutton, by carcase "	5 00	5 50
Butter, lb. rolls,	0 16	0 18
Butter, large rolls,	0 00	0 00
Butter, tub, dairy,	0 13	0 14
Eggs, fresh, per dozen,	0 20	0 22
Potatoes, per bag,	0 80	0 90
Hay, per ton,	8 00	14 00
Wool, per lb.	0 23	23

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Does a general Banking business. Special attention given to collections at a moderate charge. Interest allowed on deposits at the rate of

Six per cent. per Annum,

can be drawn at any time. Money advanced in small or large amounts at all times, on good endorsed notes or on collateral security.

J. W. SCOTT,
23 Manager and Proprietor.

CARD OF THANKS.

A I am retiring from the mercantile business, having turned over my place in the store to MR. ROY. I take pleasure in returning my hearty thanks to the people of Listowel and the surrounding country for their liberal patronage during the ten years I have been doing business in Listowel, and hope the same courtesy will be extended to my successors,

MESSRS. ROY & RIGGS,

who are well known to the people of this vicinity as reliable business men.

A. McDONALD.
Listowel, June 27th, 1878. 22

LIME! LIME!

The subscriber, for the good of himself and that of his customers, has given up the kiln on the 8th concession of Elma, and built a new one on the

Farm of Mr. Thomas Lineham,

HALF MILE SOUTH OF NEWRY,

on the Gravel Road, where he has now plenty of good lime on hand, at 12½ cents per bushel at the kiln. Delivered at Listowel at 16 cents; at Monckton, 15 cents, if not less that 50 bushels are ordered.

EDWIN JAMES.
Newry, April 17, 1878. 42

REAPERS & MOWERS

are manufactured at the

LISTOWEL FOUNDRY,

LISTOWEL.

I. X. L. COMBINED,
VICTOR, LIGHT, SINGLE.

FARMERS!

Encourage home manufacture and study your own interests, by buying implements made near home; especially when they can be got BOTH AS GOOD AND AS CHEAP as those brought from a distance.

CALL AND INSPECT.

22 McILWRAITH & AUSTIN.

NEW GROCERY AND LIQUOR STORE.

W. McMILLAN

Wishes to intimate to the inhabitants of Listowel and surrounding country, that he has opened a

Grocery and Liquor Store

—IN—

MARTIN'S BLOCK,

One door east of the Grand Central Hotel, where he will keep constantly on hand a large supply of

GROCERIES,
WINES AND
LIQUORS,

Which he will sell at the lowest rates to cash buyers.

A CALL IS RESPECTFULLY SOLICITED.

W. McMILLAN.
Listowel, May 18th, 1878. 17

HORSES FOR SALE.

THREE GOOD YOUNG FARM HORSES for sale on liberal terms, cash or credit. They can be seen on my Farm any day.
37 D. D. CAMPBELL.

FARM FOR SALE.

The subscriber offers for sale his farm, being lot No. 1, 3rd con. Elma, 100 acres; about 75 acres cleared and in good state of cultivation; balance covered with timber. New bank barn and frame house. Excellent orchard of plum and young apple trees. Land high and rolling; well adapted for fall wheat, roots, and spring grains. Abundantly watered; well very convenient to house; 6 miles from Listowel, 1 mile from Trowbridge. This is a desirable property and should be inspected by parties in want of a good farm. Will be sold cheap and on easy terms. For full particulars apply on the premises to WM. COATES.
Trowbridge P.O. 31

WILLIAM JOHNSTON,

Builder and Contractor.

Tenders taken at low prices. Orders solicited. Satisfaction guaranteed. Address Listowel P. O., or enquire at Grand Central Hotel. 7y

PERSONAL.

MR. D. ROY,

having resumed business by taking MR. A. McDONALD'S place in the late firm of

McDONALD & RIGGS,

takes pleasure in saying to his old friends and acquaintances that he will be happy to see them at his place of business, where he will show them and sell them Goods on the most reasonable terms, as in days "lang sine."
Listowel, June 27th, 1878. 22

GREAT REDUCTION.

The greatest possible reduction in the prices of Sewing Machines has been made by

ALEX. MORROW,

Who is agent for several of the best machines in Canada. Ladies look here! A. Morrow will sell you a $40 sewing machine for $20, and guarantee you a good machine for $20.

Clothes Wringers from $4.50 to $6.50, formerly sold from $6.50 to $8.00.

Farmers, Take Notice,

That A. Morrow has on hand a quantity of SALT—always kept under cover—at 85c. per barrel.

And tell your wives that his groceries, of all kinds, are as good, if not better, and as cheap as any other in town.

CALL AND SEE FOR YOURSELVES

Cash for Butter and Eggs.

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

PARTNERSHIP DISSOLVED.

PAUL HARVEY,

TAILOR AND CLOTHIER,

In returning thanks for past patronage, wishes to inform his many old friends that he is now managing the business himself, and will be pleased to have a continuance of their orders.

Call and see him at his new stand, opposite the Commercial Hotel,

MAIN STREET, LISTOWEL.

MRS. T. W. RILEY

Wishes to inform the ladies of Listowel and surrounding country that she is now prepared to do over

STRAW WORK

in all the latest styles. Also feathers, flowers, silks and ribbons for trimming and millinery purposes.

☞ Third house from A. Morrow's corner

RAGLAN STREET. 9

PEACE! PEACE! PEACE!

500 TOWN LOTS FOR SALE

Also a number of

PARK LOTS

situated in the best part of the town.

14 Apply to PETER LILLICO

GOOD NEWS.

MONEY CHEAP and PLENTY.

Property owners who want to

BORROW MONEY

on their

REAL ESTATE

will find it to their advantage to apply to the undersigned, who still lends "the needful" at

LOWER RATES OF INTEREST,

more favorable terms for reducing mortgages, better and more expeditious facilities for putting through their loans than any other Appraiser in this section of country. The

VERY HIGHEST PRICE

paid for existing mortgages on Real Estate.

For further information apply at the office, Main Street, Listowel, where all business transactions are held strictly confidential.

GEO. SUTHERLAND.
October 17th, 1878. 38c

REMOVAL TO NEW PREMISES.

WM. FISHER,

Has just removed into his new premises, a FEW DOORS WEST of the old stand, which he has fitted up for a first-class store, and having made large additions to his stock, is now prepared to supply the public with all kinds of

FRESH GROCERIES,
CROCKERY, GLASSWARE
FLOUR, FEED, PORK, AND
GENERAL PROVISIONS.

Teas a specialty. Salt and Coal Oil always on hand.

☞ CASH FOR BUTTER AND EGGS.

Everything sold cheap for cash.

COME IN AND SEE HIM.

WM. FISHER.
Main street west, Listowel. 1

SEE HERE!

LOUIS S. ZŒGER

Has re-opened his old business

OPPOSITE ZILLIAX'S HOTEL,

WALLACE STREET,

LISTOWEL,

and will give satisfaction in the

WATCH, CLOCK, JEWELRY, ETC., LINE.

☞ Watch repairing a specialty.

Warrants for Watches and Clocks not expired are good until expiration of same.

All work warranted

Lodge and all official seals made on short notice.

LOUIS S. ZŒGER.
Listowel, March 28, 1878. 9

LISTOWEL TANNERY.

TOWNER & CAMPBELL,

Manufacturers of

SOLE LEATHER.

A full supply of

Spanish Sole Leather

constantly on hand,

Wholesale and Retail.

Listowel, Ont. 1y

Millinery and Fancy Goods!

MRS. T. GOODFELLOW

wishes to thank the ladies of Listowel and vicinity for their liberal support in the past, and asks them to call and see her

FALL AND WINTER MILLINERY

before purchasing elsewhere. In stock will be found all things new and stylish. Wools and all kinds of stamped work constantly on hand.

Agent for the Bazaar Glove-Fitting Patterns, of which a full stock will be kept constantly on hand. Also, Stamping done on the shortest notice.

BUTTER and EGGS taken in EXCHANGE.

MRS. T. GOODFELLOW.
Listowel, Oct. 3, 1878. 36

BILLIARD HALL, Main St., Listowel. Three first-class Tables.
2y P. GOODMAN, Prop.

WATCHES, GOLD CHAINS,

—AND—

Fine Gold Jewelry.

One of our Firm will be in the Sample Room of the

GRAND CENTRAL HOTEL,

From the 11th to the 14th of November, Inclusive,

With an ELEGANT STOCK of the above Goods, and all in want of really a splendid article will do well to examine our Stock.

We give you the BEST OF REFERENCES in Listowel in order that you may feel satisfied that we will deal fairly with you.

WOLTZ BROS & CO.,
14 King Street West, Toronto.

LISTOWEL CARRIAGE WORKS.

NEW FIRM.

GODDARD & GREEN.

Henry Goddard, late of the firm of Little Bros. & Co., and McBeth Green, having entered into partnership, are now manufacturing

CARRIAGES, BUGGIES,
FARMERS DEMOCRATS,
LUMBER WAGONS, &C.,

from the

VERY BEST SELECTED MATERI