CHURCH DIRECTORY.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND—Main St. Rev. H. Cooper, Incumbent. Morning Service at 11; Evening Service at 6.30 o'clock. Sunday School at 9.30 a.m.; Rev. H. Cooper, Superintendent. Messrs. T. G. Fennell and R. Martin, Wardens.

KNOX CHURCH—Inkerman St. Rev. J. W. Bell, M. A., Pastor. Services at 11 a. m., and 6.30 p.m. Sabbath School at 2.30 p.m.; Mr. Jas. Crozier, B.A., Superintendent. Congregational Prayer Meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30. Bible Class, conducted by the Pastor, Thursday evening, at 7.30. Sec'y Board of Wardens, Mr. J. J. Hamilton, to whom application may be made for sittings in the Church.

CANADA METHODIST CHURCH—Rev. J. G. Scott, Pastor. Services at 10.30 a.m. and 6.30 p.m. Sunday School at 2.30 p.m.; W. Bradley, Superintendent. Bible class Tuesday evenings, conducted by Rev. Mr. Scott. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 7.30.

M. E. CHURCH—Inkerman St. Rev. R. M. Pope, Pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 6.30 p.m. Sunday School at 2.00 p.m.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Services conducted by Rev. A. F. McGregor, B.A. Sunday at 11 a.m. and 6.30 p.m.; Sunday School at 9.30 a.m.; Bible Class at 3 p.m. All are cordially invited to attend. Weekly prayer meeting on Wednesdays at 8 p.m.

BAPTIST SERVICES are held each Sabbath at 3 p.m. in the Temperance Hall, Raglan St.

LISTOWEL STANDARD.

FRIDAY, MAY 10, 1878.

TOWN AND COUNTRY.

TRY Bean & Gee's 40c. Tea. It can't be beat for the price.

LIVERPOOL SOAP—3 whole bars for 25 cents, at S. McCLUNG & SON'S.

STRATFORD cheese market opens on Wednesday, 22nd inst.

PEACHES.—Dried Peaches only 10 cents per pound at S. McCLUNG & SON'S.

DIVISION Court was held here yesterday. The calendar was heavier than usual.

AN iron fence is to be erected in front of the public school building.

THE summer entrance examination to the Listowel High School will take place on the 9th and 10th of July.

At Climie, Hay & Co., you will find their stock of gents' furnishings complete.

A MEETING of the Young Men's Conservative Association takes place this evening at the Commercial hall.

13 lbs. of good sugar for a dollar at Bean & Gee's.

WOODSTOCK cheese board has resolved to hold a cheese market every Wednesday during the season.

RAISINS.—5 pounds good Valencia Raisins for 25 cents, at S. McCLUNG & SON'S.

OUR Town Council chamber bids fair to become a first-class "bear garden." A free exhibition was given last Monday night.

COUNCILLORS will please bear in mind that the chair has ruled it out of order for more than five members of the board to speak at one and the same time.

PREPARATIONS are being made for building large brick stables and driving shed in rear of the Grand Central Hotel.

MR. COLLISON is having the hotel building which he recently purchased in town set back on his lot and a two-story addition erected in front of it.

Bobolinks.

The bobolink, or "rice bird," has made its advent this week. It is among the most charming of Canadian songsters; but hitherto has been somewhat of a *rara-avis* in this vicinity.

CAN'T BE TRUE! That you can get four pairs of men's socks for 25 cents! Yes it is, you can get them at S. McCLUNG & SON'S.

GENTS! GENTS! If you want a perfect fitting suit of clothes leave your order at Climie, Hay & Co.; a large stock of English, Scotch and Canadian tweeds to select from.

$100 per night was realized by an Art Loan Exhibition held in Woodstock in aid of St. Paul's Church organ fund. The exhibition lasted eight days.

ABOUT 800 head of cattle were offered at Guelph May fair, but the number of sales effected were comparatively few. $3.50 per cwt. was the average price.

THE population of Hamilton is 33,511; an increase of 870 over last year. Population of St. Thomas, 6,431; increase, 477. Population of Arthur village, 1,500. Port Elgin, 1,311. Waterloo, 2,015.

Don't forget to call on D. D. Campbell in his new shop next door to Scott's bank, Wallace street.

Left for St. Joseph's Island.

Last week Mrs. Henry Patterson and family left Listowel for St. Joseph's Island in Lake Huron. Her husband had preceded her some weeks ago; and the family intend to make their future home on the Island.

MR. JAS. RIDDELL, editor of the Port Dover *Independent*, was in town this week and honored our sanctum with a ray from his genial visage. He had an encouraging word to say for the southern terminus of the P. D. & L. H. R.

WHILE on a professional visit in Elma, the other day, Dr. Dillabough had the misfortune to collide with a farmer's wagon, which resulted in his horse running away and a general smash-up of his buggy.

BARNES & Co.'s fruit store came down town the other day, and is now to be found in Tilt's old stand, near the bridge. A splendid collection of potted flowers gives the store a very attractive appearance. Healthy looking tomato plants are also exposed for sale.

MESSRS. Armstrong & Agnew, agents for agricultural implements, were in town last Friday introducing some of their machines. They represent several of the best manufacturing works in the Province. Their agency extends over five of the neighboring townships, Gorrie being the point from which they radiate.

Dentistry.

Mr. W. M. Bruce, a licensed dental surgeon, will open an office in town, over Barnes fruit store, about the 20th of this month. Mr. B. has had two years' practice in the city of Toronto, and no doubt is a gentlemen well skilled in his profession. We welcome him as a new comer and trust that he may find Listowel a profitable location.

Remember that D. D. Campbell has moved from Main street to Wallace St., where he is selling goods cheaper than ever.

Medical Prosecution.

On Monday last a "Dr." Douglass appeared before the mayor charged with practicing medicine in the township of Elma with a proper license and certificate of registration. The mayor imposed a fine of $25.00 and costs. Mr. Dingman for the prosecution; Mr. Terhune for the defence.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS.—By advertisement it will be seen that the examinations for teachers are to be held as follows: First-class, at the Toronto and Ottawa normal schools, on Thursday, July 11th; second-class, at the Stratford high school, on Monday, July 8th; and third-class at the town hall, Stratford, on Monday, July 15th.

M. E. Church.

Rev. H. Norris, the newly appointed pastor of the Listowel circuit, will conduct the services both morning and evening on Sunday next. The Rev. gentleman has been lately stationed at Lindsay, where he is said to have been held in great esteem. In his new sphere he may hopefully look forward to forming associations equally agreeable to those which he has just relinquished.

PRINTS! PRINTS!—Over 300 pieces to select from at Climie, Hay & Co's.

Special inducements to passengers to California, Oregon, and all points east and south-east via Canada Southern Railway lines. C. HACKING, Agent.

Muskrats.

These amphibious animals are quite numerous along the banks of the Maitland. Between the mills and the western boundary of the town some of them can be seen at most any time disporting in the water or gathering vegetable matter, on which they principally subsist. Were they considered "game" worth the powder, they would soon share the fate of other "wild animals" and become a thing of the past in this section.

SPECIAL meeting of Town Council next Monday night. A report from the Public Works committee, recommending the construction of about $700 worth of new sidewalks and street crossings, is to be considered. Lively proceedings are anticipated.

Reduced Fares.

The railway companies have consented to reduce their fares to Listowel during the races. Return tickets, good for three days will be issued by the Stratford & Huron Ry at a single fare; and by the G. W. R. at a fare and a third. There will likely be a large gathering here on the 24th to witness the sports.

Change of Time.

ON Monday next a new time table will take effect on the Great Western Railway. There is considerable alteration of time on the W. G. & B. division. The express carrying the mail from the east is timed to arrive here at 2.10 p.m., forty-four minutes earlier than at present. Reference to the Railway directory in another column will show the arrivals of all trains at the Listowel station, in accordance with the new time card.

Enterprise.

WORK has been commenced on the new Osborne block. It is Mr. Osborne's intention to erect a building 84x38. The ground floor will be occupied by three stores, the whole of the flat above to be layed out for a public hall, with a ceiling 24 feet high. Our enterprising townsman purposes fitting up this spacious apartment with raised platform and all the other conveniences required by large public gatherings. This will supply a pressing need in Listowel, and the town will be in no small measure indebted to Mr. Osborne for displaying such an enterprising spirit.

For boots and shoes, ready-made clothing, and suits made to order, go to D. D. Campbell, next door to Scott's bank, Wallace street.

Base-Ball Club.

On Tuesday evening between twenty and thirty young men of the town met at the Grand Central and organized a base ball club, to be known as the Listowel "Red Stockings." Officers of the Club were appointed as follows: President, J. A. Hacking; vice do., T. E. Hay; Sec., W. H. Hay; Treas., C. Hacking; Finance committee, S. E. Smith, W. C. Kidd, and H. Steele; a committee was also appointed to procure grounds for practice and matches. Arrangements are being made with the "White Stockings" of Carmunnock for a match to come off in town on the Queen's birthday.

History Class.

An examination of the History Class of the Listowel Public School took place on Monday, with the following result, 100 marks being the maximum:

Adelaide Armstrong,	97	Charlie Sarvis,	74
Amy Thomlinson,	96	Austin Veilie,	74
Lizzie Thompson,	95	Willie Climie,	72
Willie McIlwraith,	92	Annie Nixon,	72
Maggie McIlwraith,	92	Willie Rodgers,	71
Mary Anderson,	92	David Barber,	68
Victoria Veilie,	92	Alex. Ferguson,	68
Maggie Wallace,	91	Henry Sanderson,	66
Charlie Lee,	88	John Watson,	65
Richard Armstrong,	85	Robert Davidson,	65
Jennie Green,	80	Emily Draper,	64
Rebecca Forbes,	79	Harry Dillabough,	63
Addie Claxton,	78	Simon Reid,	62
Fred Bradley,	78	Peter Brown,	62
Mary Irwin,	77	Edwin Poole,	56
Thomas Austin,	76	Jessie Climie,	54
Janet Brownlee,	75		

P. D. & L. H. Railway.

The Woodstock *Sentinel* has the following: As an evidence of the great increase that is taking place in the traffic of the Port Dover Railway since the completion of the Stratford and Huron Railway to Listowel it may be mentioned that on Monday (29th ult.) twenty-four loaded cars reached here from the north, twelve of them bringing freight for business men in town.

Coming to Town.

MR. William Gall, architect, intends removing from Aylmer to Listowel in the course of a few weeks. He was in town a few days since on a prospective visit, and being favorably impressed, has decided to take up his residence here. With so much building going on as there is at present, and a vast deal more under contemplation, Listowel should furnish an abundance of employment for a skilled architect. Mr. Gall purposes opening an office over Lisingstone's drug store about the first of June, when he will be pleased to be consulted by parties requiring his professional services.

Public School Board.

At the meeting of the board of public school trustees on Tuesday evening the following accounts were ordered to be paid: H. Gutteridge, $30; H. Tremain, $6; G. Draper, for water fountains, $19.22; Jacob Large, $1.31. It was moved by R. Martin, seconded by Wm. Bradley, and resolved, that an iron fence be erected in front of the school grounds, and that tenders be invited for the same. It was also resolved that Messrs. McIlwraith and Bradley be a committee to make plans and specifications and superintend the erection of the fence in front of the school grounds.

Baptist Services

Considering the vast numbers that were drawn towards other churches in town on Sunday last, the attendance at the Temperance hall was as large as could be reasonably expected. Should Rev. Dr. Davidson have chosen any other time than during the late Conference season, it is more than probable that many others would have been present to listen to his very able discourses. Perhaps he will again favor Listowel with a visit. Next Sabbath afternoon Rev. Mr. McGregor, late of the C. L. Institute, Woodstock, will conduct service in the hall.

The Town Band.

For the first time this season the town band turned out on Monday evening and favored the citizens with a number of musical selections. Since their last appearance in public they have made a decided improvement. Regular practice and the adoption of a better class of music have, no doubt, had much to do with this. Could not a band stand be erected in some pleasant part of the town, and the band be induced to occupy it at least once a week? Less pretentious towns than Listowel have established weekly open air concerts; why could not something of this sort be inaugurated here? We feel sure that were proper accommodation offered the band, they would willingly supply an abundance of good music.

May Cattle Fair.

Owing to extremly wet weather, the Listowel cattle fair last Friday was almost a complete failure. Not more than twenty head all told were on the ground, and these having been brought through nigh impassable roads and drenching rains did not make a very "taking" exhibit. There were no outside buyers present, and the few sales effected were of a local nature. Mr. John Page obtained the highest figure for a single head, being $40 for an excellent grade cow. The balance of sales ranged from $25 to $30. Mr. Wardell secured three head, which were shipped to Toronto on Saturday, together with twenty-head of fat animals previously bought from J. & A. Climie. Part of this lot is destined for the British market.

Go to Bean & Gee's for the newest and cheapest Hats in town.

Mrs. Skelton.

During two nights of the present week this lady has occupied the M. E. Church for the purpose of delivering lectures. On Tuesday evening she addressed a very fair audience on the subject, "Our Girls;" and on Wednesday evening she spoke in German to a very small house. As we had not the pleasure of cultivating the acquaintance of "Our Girls," and should have been none the wiser had we attended her German temperance address, we are not in a position to speak personally of her abilities as a lecturer. She is said to have administered some very good advice to "Our Girls," although her remarks were more of the common-place than eloquent order. Mrs. Skelton claims the rank of an authoress as well as lecturer, having already produced some half dozen works of more or less merit, and is now preparing another, "Home Life in Canada," the material for which she is gathering while pursuing her lecture tour.

Petition to the P. M. General.

The necessity of better mail facilities for Listowel and the section lying between this place and Stratford has been greatly felt for some time, and we are pleased to see that proper steps are now being taken to secure this desideratum. Petitions, addressed to the Postmaster-General, requesting that a daily mail be carried over the Stratford & Huron Railway, are in circulation here and in the townships south. Signatures have been attached to them by the hundred, the whole neighborhood being unanimous in the matter. Hitherto this town has been at a great disadvantage in respect to its mail arrangements. With the first mail train from the east arriving here at three o'clock in the afternoon, and the Mitchell stage, by which a large portion of the mail matter for this section is brought, not coming in until after the hour for closing the post office has passed, business men have time and again suffered direct loss as well as much annoyance by not being able to obtain their letters in time to answer them by return post. Situated as the town was formerly, perhaps it would have been difficult to abate the grievance; but now that the Stratford & Huron Railway is an accomplished fact and two trains arrive here daily, there can be no good reason why at least one mail per day should not be brought over this line. If this new mail route is established, and it is not probable that at the present juncture the Government will ignore the requisition of so large a constituency of interested ratepayers, the bulk of the mail inward will reach here by noon instead of late in the day. This will also be a great boon to the district along the line, as the postal arrangements now in vogue are of a very inferior order, and a speedy remedy is urgently demanded.

Town Council.

A regular monthly meeting of the Listowel Town Council was held in the Grand Central Hall on Monday evening, 6th inst. The following members were present: J. W. Scott, Mayor; T. E. Hay, Reeve; D. D. Hay, Deputy-Reeve, and Councillors John Binning, Dr. Nichol, A. S. Deavitt, A. D. Freeman, J. Heppler, J. A. Hacking, A. Austin, George Towner and Dr. Dillabough. Minutes of previous meeting read by the Clerk and confirmed. Mr. George Draper was heard in reference to a reduction of his shop license—laid over. A report was read from the Road and Bridge Committee recommending the building of a number of crossings and plank sidewalks on the public streets; also for grading certain streets. Moved by D. D. Hay, seconded by G. Towner, that no new sidewalks be constructed for the current year unless parties interested in the same are prepared to pay half the cost of construction—Lost. A motion to refer report of Road and Bridge Committee back for reconsideration was carried. Accounts from W. C. Smith, for rent of hall, $20; also from John Nelmes, for ditching and putting in culvert $4, were ordered to be paid. A committee, consisting of Messrs. Binning, Freeman, Heppler, Dillabough, Nichol, Scott, Towner, D. D. Campbell, Geo. Draper, T. G. Fennell, J. E. Terhune, and A. Noxon, was appointed to examine the land offered by D. D. Hay for a town park—Carried. D. D. Campbell, Esq., presented the Council with copy of a motion recently passed by the Council of Maryborough, granting the sum of $150 for the improvement of the Maryborough and Mornington town line; also copy of a motion passed by the Mornington Council granting the sum of $200 for a similar purpose. An application was read from John Hampton for the position of Town Constable. Moved by T. E. Hay, seconded by J. A. Hacking, that John Hampton be employed to superintend work, build sidewalks and crossings under the instructions of the board of works, and that he be paid the sum of $1.25 per day when and as long as required. The treasurer's financial statement for April was read, showing a balance on hand of $447.34. Council adjourned to meet again on the 13th inst.

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COMMERCIAL NOTES.

LITTLE FALLS CHEESE MARKET.

Cheese have a downward tendency and decreased demand; prices, 10½c to 11¼c; ruling figures, 11c to 11¼c. The price on all grades ¼c to ½c lower than a week ago. Farm cheese 8c to 10c. Butter, 18c to 20c; little going for 21c to 22c.

UTICA CHEESE MARKET.

Sales of cheese over 3,000; prices 10½c to 11¼c; 1,600 at latter price; 2,500 on commission.

INGERSOLL CHEESE MARKET.

May 7.—The Ingersoll weekly cheese market opened to-day. Thirty-five factories were represented. April make was in large supply, and nearly all sold at 10 to 10½c.

BIRTHS.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, duly authenticated, inserted free of charge.

MCKEE—Near Gorrie, Howick, on the 29th ult., the wife of Samuel McKee, Esq., of a son.

SOMERVILLE—In Listowel, on the 5th inst., the wife of Mr. D. M. Somerville, of a son.

GODDARD—In Listowel, on the 8th inst., the wife of Mr. Henry Goddard, of a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

HASSARD—JARDINE—In Howick at the residence of the bride's father, on the 1st inst., by Rev. Geo. Brown, of Wroxeter, Mr. Geo. A. Hassard, of Howick, to Miss Effie E. Jardine, of Howick.

ALLAN—CHAPMAN—At Listowel, on 1st inst., by Rev. J. W. Bell, Mr. — Allan of Mornington, to Miss Mary Ann Chapman, of Wallace.

STANYER—WOOD—On the 25th April, at the residence of the bride's grandfather, Mr. Reuben Read, London township, by the Rev. J. S. Ross, B. A., Mr. Fred. A. Stanyer, carriage builder, Listowel, to Miss Edna Ann Wood, of North Dorchester.

RIDDELL—HYDE—At the residence of the bride's father, on the 24th ult., by the Rev. J. J. Cameron, M. A., Mr. James Riddell, to Grace, second daughter of Mr. David Hyde, of North Easthope.

DEATHS.

MCDONALD—In Mornington, on the 30th ult., Mr. Hugh McDonald, aged 56 years.

HARSTONE—In St. Marys, on the 29th April, Mr. Robt. Harstone, hardware merchant, aged 62 years.

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EXAMINATION!

The July examination of Candidates will be held as follows:

For First-class—At the Normal School, Toronto and Ottawa, on Thursday, July 11th, at 9 a.m.

For Second-class—At the Stratford High School, on Monday, July 8th, at 2 p.m.

For Third-Class—At the Town Hall, Stratford, on Monday, July 15th, at 2 p. m.

Candidates must notify the undersigned not later than the first of June of the intention to present themselves for examination.

WM. ALEXANDER, Presiding Examiner.

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Listowel, April 24th, 1878. 13

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

Notice is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, as Stone and Marble Cutters, in the Town of Listowel, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said Partnership are to be paid to Andrew M. Morrow, and all claims against the said Partnership are to be presented to the said Andrew M. Morrow, by whom the same will be settled.

Dated at Listowel this twenty-third day of March, A. D. 1878.

Witness REID BARBER. } A. M MORROW, WM. MITCHELL,

In reference to the above, A. M. Morrow wishes to intimate to the public that he will in future carry on the business. Orders left at the old stand will be punctually attended to, and satisfaction guaranteed.

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Listowel, March 26th, 1878. 9

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DELF, AS CHEAP AS THE CHEAPEST.

Farmers, Take Notice,

That A. MORROW has on hand a quantity of SALT—always kept under cover, only 90c. 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

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

GONE AROUND THE CORNER.

W. H. HAGON

has removed to the store two doors east of the Grand Central Hotel, where he will be pleased to meet all his old friends and many new customers, to whom he is prepared to supply

GROCERIES OF ALL KINDS,
CROCKERY,
FLOUR AND FEED,
AND PROVISIONS generally,

At Very Reasonable Prices.

☞ CALL AND SEE FOR YOURSELVES.

A first-class Butcher Stall in connection; Fresh Meats and Sausages always on hand. Goods delivered to any part of the town.

W. H. HAGON.

Listowel, March 14th, 1878. 7

HAIR-DRESSING ESTABLISHMENT.

H. KNIGHT, BARBER,

Has recently fitted up in first-class style a commodious Hair Dressing and Shaving Parlor in Osborne's Block, ground floor, (formerly occupied as a Drug Store.) He is now prepared to wait upon the public to the best advantage and at moderate prices. 3

FARM FOR SALE.

The undersigned offers for sale his farm, containing 50 acres, east half of lot No. 3, in the 4th concession of Elma, one mile from Trowbridge and five from the town of Listowel. It is good clay loam; 45 acres cleared; good young orchard; well fenced; a good frame house, frame barn and stable. Can be purchased on reasonable terms. For full particulars apply to ROBERT ROSE, on the premises, or Trowbridge P. O. 6c

NEW GROCERY STORE.

WM. FISHER,

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

First-class Grocery Store

In the stand formerly occupied by Mr. Vanstone,

ON MAIN STREET, LISTOWEL.

He will also keep on hand a choice selection of

Flour, Feed, Pork, and Provisions generally.

The stock is of the best quality and will be sold cheap. Call and see his stock of groceries.

CASH FOR BUTTER AND EGGS. PRODUCE TAKEN IN EXCHANGE.

Coal Oil kept on hand and for sale in any quantity.

WM. FISHER.

Listowel, Ont. 1

HARDWARE! HARDWARE!!

TATHAM & CO.,

Are selling goods at the

LOWEST FIGURES,

and will give

SPECIAL PRICES

to those about to build. Their Stock is large and well assorted.

TATHAM & CO.
Hardware Importers.

Listowel, Ont. 1

BRICK FOR SALE.

The subscriber has on hand and will at all times be able to supply any amount of

FIRST-CLASS WHITE BRICK

which he will dispose of at a reasonable price. Persons contemplating building will find it to their advantage to call upon him or forward their orders.

Kilns one mile West of Listowel.

2F D. HAMILTON, Prop.

JOSEPH CONGDON,

Builder and Contractor,

LISTOWEL, ONT.,

is prepared to contract for the erection of every description of building.

Stone work, Brick work, and Plastering

receive special attention.

THE CELEBRATED GUELPH LIME

constantly on hand and for sale. Sole Agent for the STRATHROY COMPOSITION STONE WORKS. 1

R. MARTIN,

AGENT FOR

Selling Lands, Lending Money,

doing a general Fire Insurance business, writing Deeds, Mortgages, Leases, Agreements, Registering documents, and obtaining Abstracts of Titles; buying Mortgages and Debentures.

MONEY LOANED

at 8 per cent on Town and Farm property, with a privilege to the borrower to repay at any time without cost.

MONEY LOANED on Second Mortgages, where the Borrower has already mortgaged. He is not required to pay off the First in order to get a Second loan. Apply to

R. MARTIN.

MORTGAGES BOUGHT.

The highest price paid for good Mortgages on either Farm or Town property.

THE LANCASHIRE

INSURANCE COMPANY

Paid in the St. John's fire $300,000 in one month after adjustment of claims. Capital $10,000,000.

R. MARTIN, Agent.

THE WESTERN

INSURANCE COMPANY

Paid $94,000 in the St. John's fire. Assets over $1,500,000. Income over $800,000 per annum. Established 1851. This old established and reliable Company is prepared to accept all classes of property on most favorable terms. Policies issued on farm and private dwellings and contents for three years at very low rates.

Also

$3,000 WILL PURCHASE LOT NO. 29, in the 3rd concession of Minto, 100 acres; 40 acres cleared, balance a good hard wood bush; well fenced and under a good state of cultivation. $2,000 cash, balance in five years at 8 per cent. Apply to

ROBERT MARTIN.

$750 WILL PURCHASE ONE-FIFTH of an acre on the south side of Inkerman street, with a good Frame Dwelling, containing seven apartments and kitchen. Apply to

R. MARTIN.

$1,000 WILL PURCHASE 100 acres, north half of lot 23, in the 4th concession Morris, lying along the railroad track; all bush. Apply to

R. MARTIN.

$325 WILL PURCHASE A PARK Lot containing 4½ acres on David Work's Survey of farm lot number twenty-three, on the second concession of Wallace. Apply to

R. MARTIN.

$3,000 WILL PURCHASE THE NORTH part of lot No. 61, in the 1st con. Elma, containing 62½ acres. Good frame barn. Terms, $1,000 cash; balance to remain on mortgage at 8 per cent. for 5 years.

$1,500 WILL PURCHASE TWO-FIFTHS of an acre on north side of Alma St. A good dwelling house, nine apartments, also stable thereon. $1,000 cash, balance on time for 5 years at 8 per cent. Apply to

R. MARTIN.

Office on Main St.,

LISTOWEL.

Opposite the Grand Central Hotel. 1

NEW GOODS!

CHEAP GOODS!

STYLISH GOODS!

AT

BEAN & GEE'S.

Their ordered Shirts are giving excellent satisfaction.

Call and leave your measure for a sample shirt.

Prices always right.

Highest prices paid for farm produce.

No trouble to show Goods.

Don't forget the place,

MAIN STREET, SECOND DOOR FROM WALLACE,

LISTOWEL.

LISTOWEL, April 24th, 1878.

NEW SPRING GOODS

AT THE

ONTARIO HOUSE.

I have received a very choice stock of

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS

which for prices and quality cannot fail to suit cash and prompt paying buyers.

In Dress Goods, Millinery, Prints, Cottons
Broad Cloths, Tweeds, Denims,
Carpets, Hats and Caps, Groceries, Crockery,
Glassware Boots and Shoes, and Liquors,

My stock will be found well assorted.

THE MILLINERY DEPARTMENT

this season will surpass anything ever offered in Town for Style, Quality, and Cheapness

GEO. DRAPER.

LISTOWEL, April 4, 1878. 1

STAR HOUSE.

NEW GOODS!

LATEST STYLES!!

LOWEST PRICES!!

CELEBRATED "TRIANGLE" BRAND

OF

BLACK LUSTRES.

S. McCLUNG & SON.

LISTOWEL, March 26, 1878. 9

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.

He is now receiving more than usual full lines in

NEW SPRING GOODS!

Most of which are direct importations. PRINTS, BLACK LUSTRES, DRESS GOODS, DUNDAS COTTONS, TWEEDS, and all kinds of Goods usually kept by first-class Houses.

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.

WALLACE STREET, LISTOWEL, Ont., March 14th, 1878.