# LISTOWEL STANDARD.

FRIDAY, APRIL 29, 1881.


THE political event of the past week was the banquet tendered to Hon. Mr. Blake at the Queen's hotel, in Toronto, on Thursday night. "The banquet" says the *Mail*, "resolved itself into a political gathering of Ontario Reformers. The company, accordingly, comprised representatives of the party in the various provincial towns, and the speeches delivered were of the true Grit type. Mr. Blake spoke for about two hours, dealing mainly with the Pacific railway contract, the tariff, and the settlement of the North-West. On none of these points did he adduce much new matter, but contented himself mainly with summarising the arguments of the Opposition during the last parliamentary session. He confessed that the Liberal party in the House of Commons were a mere handful of members, but trusted that by organizing in every district the party would gather such strength as would carry it to victory in 1883. This was the most comforting assurance conveyed to the assembly during the evening."

## CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

**Members of the Syndicate Interviewed at Halifax—The Question of Immigration—All Possible Supplies to be Obtained in Canada.**

Halifax, April 25.—The members of the Syndicate were interviewed by an *Evening Mail* reporter on their arrival here. Mr. Geo. Stephen said the work of construction of the Canada Pacific Railroad would be pushed forward with the greatest vigor.

"What about immigration" asked the reporter.

"That largely depends upon circumstances," replied Mr. Stephen. "There will be a large immigration this season, but not nearly as great an influx as there would have been had the contract been passed through Parliament at an earlier date than it did. The obstruction of the measure prevented us from making any extensive arrangements with the steamship companies, and otherwise for securing a large immigration this season. But the next season we look forward to a great influx from all parts of Europe. At the present time we are working in conjunction with the Canadian and British Governments in this matter.

"What effect has Mr. Peter Emrie's letter had in Scotland.

"Not the slightest; none whatever. The people pay no attention to what he says. They have his former favourable reports, and they have the favourable reports of all the other delegates."

"Have you made any large purchases of supplies in England, steel rails for instance?"

"Not yet. We shall get everything we can get in the Dominion."

"I understand you are largely interested in the Londonderry steel works. Do you think that the demand for steel rails for the Canada Pacific railway may be supplied from these works."

"I do not know whether or not the Steel Company will be able to so extend its works as to supply rails in such quantities, and as soon as we shall require them, but Londonderry will undoubtedly supply large quantities of wheels and other materials for rolling stock."

Mr. C. J. Brydges said that the Hudson Bay Co. had made definite arrangements for disposing of large quantities of their lands, and they had thoroughly considered measures for inducing immigration to the North-West, but he was not in a position to say definitely what had been decided upon.

Senator Cochrane said that one great inducement to immigrants, especially to tenant farmers and men of capital, would be the practical illustration of the fact that an unlimited quantity of the best breeds of cattle could be cheaply raised in the prairies of the North-West and exported to Europe *via* Hudson Bay at a low cost. During his visit he had purchased a large quantity of stock for breeding purposes for the Cochrane Ranch Co., to be sent to the Bow River district at the foot of the Rocky Mountains. The cattle steamship Oxenholme would leave England in a few days for Quebec having on board a large number of thoroughbred sheep, cattle, and horses for the ranch in the North-West, for his own stock farm at Compton, and for other parties. These would include Shropshire sheep, polled Angus cattle, and several cob or hackney stallions and mares. Some of these, sired by the celebrated "Denmark," were purchased at the sale of the Yorkshire estate of the late John Torr, M. P. for Liverpool. He also purchased a Clydesdale stallion and a pair of first prize three-year-old bay Clydesdale mares. Hon. J. J. C. Abbott also purchased two cob mares at the same sale. Senator Cochrane speaks very highly of these animals, and says their introduction into Canada will mark a new era in stock breeding. The cob is a high stepping, showy animal, with abundance of flesh and bone, thick like a cart horse, quick as a race horse, and style like a peacock. When crossed with our Canadian breeds they will make splendid animals to export to English and other European markets, where they command prices ranging up to $2,500. Mr. Cochrane has arranged for the importation of a large consignment of thoroughbred bulls at an early day.

## THE LAST SAD RITES

**Interring the Remains of Earl Beaconsfield—A Distinguished Array of Mourners.**

LONDON, April 26.—The funeral of Lord Beaconsfield took place to-day, and the body was deposited in the family vault at Hughenden, by the side of that of the late Countess of Beaconsfield. The remains of Mrs. Williams, the eccentric lady who left by will £40,000 to Lord Beaconsfield on condition that she should be interred in his family vault, are deposited there. The workmen did not complete the reconstruction of the vault for the reception of the body until noon—when all was ready. At a given signal the bells of Wycombe began to toll, and continued from the time of the departure of the funeral *cortege* from the manor until the remains were placed in the vault. The floral offerings from all parts of the kingdom were very beautiful. Special trains were run from London during the entire morning to Aylesbury and Wycombe, and the roads leading from the stations to the cemetery were crowded with pedestrians and vehicles. The morning was dismal and frequent showers of rain fell, but later in the day the weather cleared.

ROYAL MOURNERS.

The Prince of Wales, the Duke of Connaught, Prince Leopold—the latter bearing a large wreath from the Queen—left Paddington at one o'clock, and the same train took the Duke of Richmond the Marquis of Hamilton, and a number of members of the late Government. The Marquis of Hartington left Paddington somewhat later. Flags are flying at half mast and other signs of mourning are visible in various towns throughout the country.

THE FUNERAL CORTEGE

left the manor house for the church at 3.15 o'clock, and the immense assemblages along the route stood with uncovered heads during the passage of the procession, which was met at the southern door of the church by the vicar, who began reading the burial service, the congregation standing with bowed heads. The service in the church was very impressive, and at the conclusion the remains were conveyed to the vault for final interment.

THE SERVICE IN THE CHURCH.

When the funeral *cortege* arrived at the churchyard, the vicar, wearing a black gown and stole and attended by a company of choristers attired in black cassocks, met the coffin at the gate. The vicar led the way into the church, the choristers on each side of the coffin chanted the 9th Psalm. They sang with clearness and sweetness, and the words of this sublime poem were heard with ease by the assembled multitude. Some of the verses seemed to be especially appropriate. After the usual funeral service had been read in the church the procession was reformed and proceeded to the Beaconsfield vault, the coffin being drawn thither on a wheeled bier covered with a velvet pall. The Prince of Wales, the Duke of Connaught, Prince Leopold, and many others placed wreaths of flowers upon the coffin, which was then lowered into the vault, which the workmen immediately proceeded to close up. Before the vault was closed it was literally crammed with flowers.

The absence of Mr. Gladstone from the funeral caused great surprise and has occasioned severe comment.

Lord Beaconsfield has devised his property to his nephew Ralph Disraeli, of whom he is reported to have said:—"He has the stuff of a man in him, and I will give him a chance to become one." Lord Rowton has full charge of his private papers, with certain conditions as to publication.

## REGISTRATION OF PARTNERSHIPS.

**A Few Points in the Act which Business Men Should Know.**

As some of the provisions of the Act respecting the registration of co-partnerships and business firms are not known to a number of business men, it may not be out of place to refer briefly to those most requiring attention. Clause 1 enacts as follows:—"All persons associated in partnership for trading, manufacturing or mining purposes, shall cause to be delivered to the Registrar of the county, or other registration division in which they carry or intend to carry on business a declaration in writing, signed by the several members of such co-partnership." Clause 2 enacts that the declaration shall contain the names, surnames additions, and residences of each and every partner, and the name, style, or firm under which they carry on, or intend to carry on, such business; and shall state also the time during which the partnership has existed or is to exist, and declare that the persons therein named are the only members of such co-partnership. Clause 3 enacts that the said declaration shall be filed within six months next after the formation of such partnership. Other clauses enact that a similar declaration shall in a like manner be filed when and so often as any change or alteration takes place in the membership of such partnership, or in the name, style, or firm under which they intend to carry on business, or in the place of residence of each member of said firm; and every new declaration shall state the alteration in any partnership. Upon a dissolution of any partnership, any or all of the persons who composed such partnership may sign a declaration certifying the dissolution of the partnership. Clause 9 enacts that "every person who is engaged in business for trading, manufacturing, or mining purposes, and who is not associated in partnership with any other person or persons, but who uses as his business style some name or designation other than his own name, or who in such style uses his own name with the addition of 'and company,' or some other word and phrase indicating a plurality of members in the firm, shall cause to be delivered to the Registrar of the County, or other registration division, in which such person carries on or intends to carry on business, a declaration in writing, signed by such person." Clause 10.—"Such declaration shall contain the name, surname, addition, and residence of the person making the same, and the name, style, or firm under which he carries on or intends to carry on business, and shall also state that no other person is associated with him in partnership, and such declaration shall be filed within six months of the time when such style is first used." Then under clause 11 and amendment thereto, a penalty of non compliance is incurred as follows:—"Every member of any partnership, or other person required to register a declaration under the provisions of this Act, who fails to comply with the requirements of this Act, shall forfeit the sum of one hundred dollars, to be recovered before any court of competent jurisdiction, by any person suing, as well in his own behalf as on behalf of Her Majesty; and half of such penalty shall belong to the Crown for the uses of the Province, and the other half to the party suing for the same, unless the suit is brought, as it may be, on behalf of the Crown only, in which case the whole of the penalty shall belong to her Majesty for the uses aforesaid."

## FLOODS IN THE WEST.

ST. PAUL, April 25.—The damage by floods along the Minnesota River will be immense. Above Fargus Falls the country is an unbroken sheet of water. The Red Lake River is out of its banks in many places, and has driven many families from their homes. In the flat land south of Stevenson the water swept away the track of the St. Paul and Manitoba Railway. All railway travel is suspended.

A St. Paul's despatch says:—The water commenced to flow through the streets of West St. Paul with an hourly increasing current. If the rise continues the houses of a thousand people will be flooded. Many are now isolated, and some half buried under the water. The water is pressing toward the city and spreading in a vast sheet over all the low lands. This afternoon an immense number of logs, filling the river for half a mile, passed down from the Mendota boom.

## TROUBLES WITH THE RED MEN IN DAKOTA.

Bismarck, D. T., April 25.—It is reported that two men were killed by Indians at Ferry Point on Thursday. The hunters were all driven in from the vicinity of Buford, and cavalry has been sent out in pursuit of the hostiles. On Monday a party of Yanktonians crossed the river with several horses stolen from ranchmen. Fifty hostiles have driven all the men from the head waters of the Little Missouri, and troops will be sent for their protection.

## FIRE IN BRANTFORD.

**A Tramp and Six Horses Burned to Death.**

Brantford, April 25.—At 4 this a. m. a fire broke out in a large frame livery stable opposite the new post office. It was occupied by Mr. Aird. At six o'clock this morning, when the firemen had quenched the flames, the body of a tramp named McDonald was found in the building; also the charred remains of six horses. It is supposed the man set the building on fire accidentally, and could not get out. The rear of the Commercial Hotel was on fire, but was saved by the firemen. The rear ends of the Bank of British North America and Zion Church received a good scorching. Mr. Aird's loss is heavy. No insurance.

Mr. Bradlaugh on Tuesday attempted to take the oath in the House of Commons, but was prevented on a motion proposed by Sir Stafford Northcote, and passed by a majority of 208 to 175. The debate was an excited one. Mr. Bradlaugh refused to leave the House when ordered by the Speaker, and was removed by the Sergeant at Arms.

Don't call him a liar. Simple remark, "You are a *Globe* correspondent."

## STRATFORD.

The Stratford council granted the auditors ten dollars each extra salary because they did their work well.

A license has been granted to a hotel in Stratford, the walls of which are only half up. This is stretching the law a little too much.

Stratford is talking of going into the cattle fair business again.

BURGLARY.—The hardware store of T. R. Barton here was entered by burglars on Monday night, who carried off goods valued at about $300. All the show cases were cleaned out. The entrance was effected by crawling through the furnace door and tearing down the brick work. These burglaries seem to be worked by a systematic gang. The police are on their track.

A little child, daughter of Mr. William Buckingham, of Stratford, had a narrow escape from death on Wednesday night. The little girl, aged three, was playing with her mother in one of the upstair rooms, and making a sudden spring back, fell out of the window to the ground, a distance of about sixteen feet. The little thing remained unconscious until morning. She does not seem much the worse, except an ugly cut on one ear.

Another old resident of Stratford, Mr. Henry Hilton, of the Stratford Tannery, died on Friday last. Mr. Hilton had carried on business in this town for close upon thirty years.

## GORRIE.

SERIOUS FIRE.—Between three and four o'clock on Saturday morning the Carson Steam Saw and Shingle Mill here was totally destroyed by fire. The origin of the fire is unknown. The flames were first seen issuing through the roof of the boiler-room. Mr. Carson states his loss at $4,000. No insurance. The mill was a first-class one, and was built only a few years ago. The lumber was nearly all saved.

C. TAIT SCOTT, Esq, of Wingham, was here a few days since and made arrangements to open a Bank in Leech's Block. The Bank will be opened for business about the first of May under the management of Captain John Kaine.

MR. JAS COPELAND has sold his farm, part of lot 3, con. 10, Howick, to Mr. Geo. Gallaher, who owns the other half, for $2,100. Mr Copeland intends to start for Manitoba as soon as his business affairs here are closed up.

Mr. Wm. Thompson, of Palmerston, has purchased a saw mill site at Hepworth, in close proximity to the intended station on the S. & H. R.

Messrs. Jas. Perkins and Geo. Ellice were re-elected Wardens of St. Stephen's Church, at the Easter vestry meeting. Capt. John Kaine was appointed lay delegate to the Synod.

The child of Mr. Renwick, near Finlay's Corners, who was so badly scalded, has since died.

The new building on the site of the Stinson wagon shop fire, of two weeks ago, is nearly completed and the proprietor expects to get to work in it next week. A great many men have been employed in its construction. The villagers subscribed about $200 towards its erection.

## WALLACE.

*Editor* STANDARD—*Sir*:—I notice another article in your paper of the 15th inst., and in said article G. Follis, or his scribbler, attempts to contradict my statement with regard to the Gowanstown lawsuits, and in the article signed by him he says there was only one lawsuit. Now, if G. Follis cannot distinguish between a case tried in the Court of Chancery in the then town of Guelph, and another tried in Osgood Hall, Toronto, he really needs to be enlightened before signing another such article. But it matters little to the ratepayers whether there were two or more suits. The real question is, how much did those lawsuits cost the ratepayers of the township of Wallace, and whether the advantages of having the Gowanstown station opened and worked as other stations on the line of railway is worth what it cost the people of Wallace to beat the G. W. Railway in the courts and get what they considered to be their rights. Now if we can get anything from the figures that G. Follis has had printed, it is simply the fact which every person of ordinary intelligence in Wallace knew, namely, that it cost the ratepayers of Wallace $659 to beat the R. Co. in the courts and get what they then considered to be their rights. But in the article over G. Follis' signature he says that "although the township won the suit, it lost $659, paid out in expenses and lawyers' fees". G. Follis' argument is very illogical and fallacious, for how could this money be lost, as he says, and also paid, according to his statement, for expenses and lawyers' fees. If G. Follis thinks that this $659 is lost to the township, why does he not take steps to have the treasury recouped, when it can be so easily done. I think if the Reeve is sincere in believing that the above mentioned sum is lost, he is remiss in his duty towards the ratepayers of this township for not taking steps to have it returned to the Treasurer. I shall be inclined to think, upon his own showing, that he is neglecting the interests of the ratepayers, or else he is trying to deceive them, by telling them that their money is lost, in order to attract their attention from his actions in relation to money that he has ruthlessly squandered. As the Reeve is certainly not very ingenious, I would in good nature suggest to him how he can get every dollar of this "lost money" replaced in the Treasurer's hands, and with interest from the date of loss. If he will cause a by-law to be passed closing the Gowanstown Station, as it was before these law suits were commenced, every dollar will be paid back to the Treasurer again, and if he will not take this simple step to recover this "lost money" to the people of Wallace, I will charge him with wilfully trying to deceive and mislead the ratepayers of Wallace.

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## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Guelph was exactly 54 years old on Saturday.

Knox Church, St. Mary's, is now completely out of debt.

The population of Mitchell is 2,324, or 111 less than last year.

George Miles purchased a 160 acre Fullarton farm for $1,000.

The Scott Act was defeated in Wentworth county by over 500 majority.

The London assessors place the population of the city proper at 19,725.

Rev. C. R. Matthew has resigned the rectorship of St. Paul's Church, Clinton.

The Orangemen of Guelph and Wellington will go to Toronto on the glorious 12th.

Letters patent incorporating "The Clifford Butter and Cheese Company" have been issued.

Alfred Lickford, a workingman of Howick, has fallen heir to the nice little sum of $10,000.

John Sanderson, of the Bline, Howick, has sold his farm, containing one hundred acres, to Matthew Sanderson for the sum of $2,000.

It is suggested that a law rendering drinking compulsory would do more to promote temperance than the Scott Act or prohibition.

The Great Western Railway shareholders at their meeting in London on Tuesday unanimously [illegible] against fusion with the [illegible].

The Fredericton, N. B., Postoffice was robbed of a large quantity of mail matter, stamps, &c., on Monday night. Some $2,000 was secured by the thieves.

The prospects of the World's Fair at New York are looming up, the railways being disposed to follow Vanderbilt's example in making their subscriptions unconditional.

The Russian Government has decided to make a grant of 9,000,000 roubles annually to aid the peasants in freeing themselves from the burdens imposed on them in 1861.

The hangman who bungled the execution of Michaeloff, one of the Czar's assassins whose rope broke several times, has been treated to one hundred lashes for his awkwardness.

By a singular coincidence Lord Beaconsfield died on the anniversary day on which, twelve months before, he had left Windsor Castle after tendering Her Majesty his resignation as Prime Minister of England.

Toronto Oil Comapny are sole manufacturers of "Castorine" Machine Oil. Infringements will be prosecuted.

A man named McDermott, of St. Catharines, refused to give information to the census-taker. When he had paid his fine to the Police Magistrate he was quite willing to tell all he knew.

Mothers who are startled at the hour of midnight by that ominous hoarse cough of your little ones, what would you not give for a prompt and certain means of relief from that dreadful destroyer of your children, Croup? Such a means you may have for the trifling cost of 25 cents. It is Hagyard's Yellow Oil, the great Household remedy for all inflammatory and painful diseases. Do not rest over night without it.

A meeting of the provisional directors of the Ontario Sault Ste Marie railway company was held in Toronto last Friday, there was a large attendance of prominent business men. Mr. Edgar was elected chairman of the provisional board. The stock book was opened and $250,000 worth of stock subscribed, 10 per cent. being paid. The directors will be elected on the 10th of May.

*Holloway's Ointment and Pills*—Rheumatism, Neuralgia.—It is sometimes difficult to determine which of these diseases is afflicting the sufferer, but this ignorance will not matter if Holloway's remedies be used. They alleviate and cure all muscular and nervous pains, hereditary rheumatism, after baths, wounds cost the ratepayers of the town of Wallace, and whether the advantages of having the Gowanstown station opened and worked as other stations on the line of railway is worth what it cost the people of Wallace to beat the G. W. Railway in the courts and get what they considered to be their rights. Now if we can get anything from the figures that G. Follis has had printed, it is simply the fact which every person of ordinary intelligence in Wallace knew, namely, that it cost the ratepayers of Wallace $659 to beat the R. Co. in the courts and get what they then considered to be their rights. But in the article over G. Follis' signature he says that "although the township won the suit, it lost $659, paid out in expenses and lawyers' fees". G. Follis' argument is very illogical and fallacious, for how could this money be lost, as he says, and also paid, according to his statement, for expenses and lawyers' fees. If G. Follis thinks that this $659 is lost to the township, why does he not take steps to have the treasury recouped, when it can be so easily done. I think if the Reeve is sincere in believing that the above mentioned sum is lost, he is remiss in his duty towards the ratepayers of this township for not taking steps to have it returned to the Treasurer. I shall be inclined to think, upon his own showing, that he is neglecting the interests of the ratepayers, or else he is trying to deceive them, by telling them that their money is lost, in order to attract their attention from his actions in relation to money that he has ruthlessly squandered. As the Reeve is certainly not very ingenious, I would in good nature suggest to him how he can get every dollar of this "lost money" replaced in the Treasurer's hands, and with interest from the date of loss. If he will cause a by-law to be passed closing the Gowanstown Station, as it was before these law suits were commenced, every dollar will be paid back to the Treasurer again, and if he will not take this simple step to recover this "lost money" to the people of Wallace, I will charge him with wilfully trying to deceive and mislead the ratepayers of Wallace.

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**Farmers and Mechanics.**

If you wish to avoid great danger and trouble, besides a no small bill of expense at this season of the year, you should take prompt steps to keep disease from your household. The system should be cleansed, blood purified, stomach and bowels regulated, and prevent and cure diseases arising from spring malaria. We know of nothing that will so perfectly and surely do this as Electric Bitters, and at the trifling cost of fifty cents a bottle.—*Each*—Sold by all druggists.

A well dressed American, supposed to be named Jules Merion, holding a first-class ticket from Rock Island, Ill., to Montreal, fell off the midnight express going east a mile east of St. Mary's on Friday night and was killed.

**Dyspepsia**—Strengthen your digestion, tone the stomach for utilizing and assimilating every atom of food you take, the body needs it for strength and vigor. *Zopesa* cleanses the entire system, stimulates the liver, keeps you regular and able to eat ten-penny nails. Letters and postal cards come daily extolling *Zopesa* from Brazil. *Positive* proof of health and vigor it gives, in a 10 cent sample. Sold by J. Livingstong, Jr., Druggist, Listowel.

The first assize court of the county of Dufferin opened this week at Orangeville, Judge Morrison on the bench. There were no criminal cases. The members of the bar presented a congratulatory address to his honor.

Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam is a purely vegetable healing balsam. It cures by loosening the phlegm and corrupt matter from the Lungs and expelling it from the system. Croup, Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and all pectoral diseases yield to it promptly. It costs 25 cents per bottle.

An old resident says that in the spring of 1843 the farmers did not start to plough until the 1st of June of that year, and that seeding was not well through with until the middle of the month, and yet they had an abundant harvest.

Use "Castorine" Machine Oil for all kinds of machinery, it is also excellent for harness and leather. Makes it water and weather proof. For sale by dealers.

St. George's Episcopal Church, Goderich, was opened on Sunday last with special services. Rev. Canon Carmichael of Hamilton, preached in the morning and evening to large congregations. The church is one of the handsomest in Western Ontario.

With the approach of Spring, Biliary complaints prevail that often lead to serious results. Guard against their attack in time by using Burdock Blood Bitters: the best Liver invigorator, Kidney Corrector, Regulator of the Bowels and Secretions, and the purest, most permanent Tonic in the world. For sale by all dealers.

The Panama Canal Company has suffered a loss of 30,000,000 francs through the defalcation of its cashier. It seems also to have adopted a strange mode of treating its employees, charging them so much for their food that they have nothing left from their wages.

On Saturday two boys named Hugh and Alexander Graham went to fish in the St. Louis dam, near Ottawa city, and while so engaged the first named fell into the water, and the latter, who was the elder, jumped into the water to rescue his companion, and both were drowned.

"Their name is legion"—the people who praise that matchless medicine, **Burdock Blood Bitters**. It acts at once upon the Secretions, the Bowels the Liver, the skin and the Kidneys. It purifies the Blood, dispels all foul humors, and strengthens the nervous and debilitated system. No known remedy can do more. Try it and be convinced.

The Right Rev. Bishop Alford, accompanied by Mrs. Alford, left on Monday for New York *en route* for England. Bishop Alford has been acting as commissary for the Bishop of Huron during the past ten months, and carries away with him the kind wishes of all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance.

The great marvel of healing—the grand climax of medical discoveries is Burdock Blood Bitters. It cures all diseases of the Blood, Liver, Stomach, Bowels, Skin and Kidneys, Female Complaints, Scrofula, General and Nervous Debility, and is a reliable Tonic to all broken down conditions of the system. Sample Bottles 10 cents. Supplied by all dealers in medicine.

At all events the climate of the North West is a healthy one. Dr. John Rae, who practised for the Hudson Bay Company in Manitoba, told the members of the Royal Colonial Institute recently that when he lived in the North West he had such a few patients that a fixed yearly salary was necessary for his support.

**Woman's True Friend**

A friend in need is a friend indeed. This one expression may very truthfully be rendered when one is sorely afflicted with disease, more particularly those complaints and weaknesses so peculiarly woman's heritage. Every woman should know that Electric Bitters are woman's true friend, and will positively restore her to health, even when all else fails and the results full. They are pleasant to taste, and only cost fifty cents a bottle. Sold by all druggists.

CHURCH BURNED.—On Thursday afternoon the brick Methodist church near Spoha's, Ancaster, was totally destroyed together with the driving sheds; loss about $2,500. In the afternoon some parties named Smith, Spohr and Hoyle went over to the graveyard next the church, and after cleaning the grass off some graves, set fire to it. The fire spread, got beyond their control and destroyed the church.

A cough is usually the effort of Nature to expel some morbid matter irritating the air passages of the lungs. It may however, proceed from an inflamed or irrated condition of the throat, a slight rash or humor often being perceptible. Let the cause be what it may, the remedy should be Hagyard's Pectoral Balsam. A purely vegetable Balsamic throat and lung healer. For sale by all dealers in medicine, at 25 cents per bottle.

The public will look with almost as much interest for the preface to the revised New Testament as for the revision itself. The introduction was written by the Bishop of Gloucester and Bristol, but before it was adopted by the committee it was re-written and revised half a dozen times. It is said to be a statement of the labours of the Revision Committee, and an explanation of the system which has been followed in revising the Testament.

**Free of Cost.**

DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, Asthma, Bronchitis, etc., is given away in trial bottles *free of cost* to the afflicted. If you have a severe cough, cold, difficulty of breathing, hoarseness or any affection of the throat or lungs by all means give this wonderful remedy a trial. As you value your existence you cannot afford to let this opportunity pass. We could not afford, and would not give this remedy away unless we knew it would accomplish what we claim for it. Thousands of hopeless cases have already been completely cured by it. There is no medicine in the world that will cure one-half the cases that Dr. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY *will cure*. For sale by J. H. Michener, Listowel.

Mr. Justice Morrison, at the Spring Assizes at Kincardine, in referring to a case brought to his notice, said that he did not know whether it was a crime to burn a man in effigy or not. He had been twenty years on the bench, and a case of that kind had never before been presented to him. The charge was that against Petton Grier for burning in effigy John Ashcroft, at the village of Wiarton, on the 22nd March, 1880. The charge accusation was called libel. The grand jury brought in no bill in the case.

**Rest and Comfort to the Suffering.**

"Brown's Household Panacea" has no equal for relieving pain, both internal and external. It cures Pain in the Side, Back or Bowels, Sore throat, Rheumatism, Toothache, Lumbago and any kind of a Pain or Ache. It will most surely quicken the Blood and Heal, as its acting power is wonderful." "Brown's Household Panacea," being acknowledged as the great Pain Reliever, and of double the strength of any other Elixir or Liniment in the world, should be in every family handy for use when wanted." as it really is the best remedy in the world for cramps in the Stomach, and Pains and Aches of all kinds," and is for sale by all Druggists at 25 cents a bottle.

**Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!!**

Are you disturbed at night and broken for your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with the excruciating pain of cutting teeth? If so go at once and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SYRUP. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately—depend upon it; there is no mistake about it. There is not a mother on earth who has ever used it, who will not tell you at once that it will regulate the bowels, and give rest to the mother, and relief and health to the child, operating like magic. It is perfectly safe to use in all cases, and pleasant to the taste, and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States. Sold everywhere at 25 cents a bottle.—6y.


LISTOWEL MARKETS.

| | April 28, 1881. |
|---|---|
| Wheat, fall, per bush. | 1 06 to 1 06 |
| Wheat, spring, " | 1 04 1 07 |
| Barley, " | 0 60 0 80 |
| Peas, " | 0 62 0 65 |
| Oats, " | 0 35 0 37 |
| Flour, per brrl., | 5 50 0 00 |
| Oatmeal, " | 2 75 3 00 |
| Cornmeal, " | 2 00 2 00 |
| Butter, per lb., | 0 00 0 14 |
| Eggs, per dozen, | 0 12 0 00 |
| Potatoes, per bag, | 0 40 0 40 |
| Turkeys, per lb, | 0 00 0 06 |
| Geese, " | 0 04 0 04 |
| Chickens, per pair, | 0 25 0 00 |
| Pork, cwt., | 6 00 7 00 |
| Hay, per ton, | 8 00 9 00 |
| Wood, long, | 1 75 1 75 |
| Wood, short, | 0 00 2 25 |
| Hides, per cwt., | 6 00 7 00 |
| Wool, per lb, | 0 27 0 20 |

TORONTO.

PRICES AT FARMERS' WAGONS

| | April 26 1881. |
|---|---|
| Wheat, fall, per bush., | 1 07 to 1 10 |
| Wheat, spring, " | 1 12 1 20 |
| Barley, " | 0 70 0 80 |
| Peas, " | 0 65 0 75 |
| Oats, " | 0 40 0 41 |
| Rye, " | 0 50 0 56 |
| Dressed hogs, per 100 lbs., | 7 50 8 00 |
| Beef, hind " | 6 00 7 00 |
| Mutton, by carcase " | 8 50 9 50 |
| Butter, per lb., | 0 22 0 24 |
| Butter, large rolls, | 0 16 0 18 |
| Butter, tub, dairy, | 0 17 0 18 |
| Eggs, fresh, per dozen, | 0 15 0 16 |
| Potatoes, per bag | 0 75 0 80 |
| Hay, per ton, | 9 00 13 00 |
| Wool, " | 0 28 0 00 |

STRATFORD.

| | April 26, 1881. |
|---|---|
| Wheat, fall, per bush., | $1 08 to 1 09 |
| Wheat, spring, " | 1 12 1 15 |
| Barley, " | 0 65 0 75 |
| Oats, " | 0 38 0 43 |
| Peas, " | 0 65 0 73 |
| Flour, per brl | 5 25 5 75 |
| Potatoes, per bag, | 0 55 0 60 |
| Butter, lb. rolls, | 0 13 0 16 |
| Eggs, per dozen, | 0 10 0 11 |
| Hides, per cwt., | 8 00 8 50 |
| Hay, per ton, | 9 00 10 00 |
| Wood, per cord., | 3 00 3 50 |
| Wool per lb., | 0 00 0 00 |

PALMERSTON.

| | April 28, 1881. |
|---|---|
| Fall Wheat, per bush | $1 00 1 05 |
| Spring Wheat, " | 1 00 1 05 |
| Flour, per cwt. | 2 40 2 60 |
| Barley, per bush | 0 60 0 75 |
| Peas, " | 0 60 0 65 |
| Oats, " | 0 27 0 28 |
| Hay, per ton, | 6 00 8 00 |
| Potatoes, per bag, | 0 30 0 45 |
| Butter, per lb. | 0 14 0 15 |
| Eggs, per doz. | 0 13 0 13 |
| Pork, per cwt. | 7 00 7 50 |
| Cordwood, per cord, | 2 00 2 25 |
| Wool, per lb., | 0 29 0 26 |

GUELPH.

| | April 27, 1881. |
|---|---|
| White wheat | $ 1 00 to 1 09 |
| Treadwell | 1 00 to 1 06 |
| Spring wheat (Glasgow) | 1 06 to 1 10 |
| Red chaff | 0 00 to 0 00 |
| Oats | 0 35 to 0 38 |
| Peas | 0 60 to 0 75 |
| Barley | 0 65 to 0 85 |
| Eggs, per dozen | 0 13 to 0 14 |
| Butter, dairy packed | 0 18 to 0 20 |
| Butter, rolls | 0 18 to 0 20 |
| Potatoes, per bag | 0 60 to 0 65 |
| Wood, per load | 3 50 to 4 00 |
| Hay, per ton | 9 50 to 10 00 |
| Wool, per lb | 0 27 to 0 28 |

NOTICE TO

**Creditors of Andrew McIlwraith**

Of the Town of Listowel, in the County of Perth, Iron Founder.

The creditors of the said Andrew McIlwraith, and all other persons having any claim or demand against him or his estate, are hereby notified that he has made an assignment of all his estate and assets to Hugh McCulloch (of the firm of Gault & McCulloch), of the Town of Galt, in the County of Waterloo Esquire, as trustee for the creditors of the said Andrew McIlwraith.

The said creditors and other persons are also hereby notified to send their accounts and claims to the said Hugh McCulloch (Galt P. O.) on or before the 15th day of May next, accompanied by vouchers (if any) upon which the said accounts or claims are based; and also a statutory declaration verifying such accounts or claims, as the said Hugh McCulloch will, after the said date, proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, and who have provided their claims as above required; and the said Hugh McCulloch will not be liable for the same or any part thereof, to any person of whose account or claim he shall not then have notice.

This notice is given pursuant to Revised Statutes of Ontario, Chapter 107.

BALL & BALL,
Solicitors for the said Trustee.

16c. Dated at Galt this 14th day of April, 1881.

TOWN OF LISTOWEL.

PROCLAMATION.

In accordance with a resolution passed by the Town Council, I hereby proclaim

THURSDAY, 5th MAY NEXT,

—AS A—

PUBLIC HOLIDAY

—FOR—

TREE PLANTING.

The Town Council have leased the Agricultural Grounds for a term of years, with the object of converting the same into a Public Park, by planting trees therein. A correct record will be kept of all persons donating trees for this purpose. A Committee of management will receive the trees at the park and attend to having them properly planted. ALL CITIZENS AND COUNTRY FRIENDS are cordially invited to aid us in this good work, to forsake the shop, the plow, the mill, to forget trade and agriculture for one day, and plant trees. Let it be remembered that those who plant trees build living monuments to their own industry, and are benefactors of mankind while benefitting themselves.

T. E. HAY,
Mayor.

Listowel 20th April, 1881. 16b.


$66 a week in your own town. Terms and $5 outfit free. Address H. Hallett & Co. Portland, Maine. 10

$72 A WEEK. $12 a day at home easily made. Costly outfit free. Address True & Co., Augusta, Maine.

Burdock BLOOD BITTERS

See What PHYSICIANS And People in Canada say about Scott's Emulsion OF PURE COD LIVER OIL WITH Hypophosphites of Lime & Soda AS A Remedy For Consumption AND WASTING DISEASES

PETITCODIAC, N. B., Nov. 5, 1880.

MESSRS. SCOTT & BOWNE:—I have used and prescribed for some time "Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil," and find it an excellent fixed preparation, agreeing well with the stomach, easily taken, and its continued use adding greatly to the strength and comfort of the patient. A. H. PEBK, M. D., Penn. Med. College.

AMHERST, N. S., Nov. 8, 1880.

MESSRS. SCOTT & BOWNE,—Gents: For nearly two years I have been acquainted with Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil with Hypophosphites, and consider it the finest preparation now before the public. Its permanency as an Emulsion with the pleasant flavor, makes it the great favorite for children, and I do highly recommend it for all wasting diseases of the system.

Yours, very truly,
C. A.