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LISTOWEL STANDARD.

FRIDAY, MARCH 4, 1881.

TOWN AND COUNTRY.

MARCH's incoming was decidedly lion-like.

REGULAR meeting of Town Council Monday night.

THE voice of the fish-peddlar is heard in the land. It is lent.

O. Y. B. annual assembly at Osborne's hall to night. A large gathering is anticipated.

MR. JOHN C. BURT, merchant, has placed an elegant gas lamp in front of his store.

DOLls, sleighs, rocking, horses, albums, plated ware, easels &c., at the Post Office Book Store.

THE High School Board met on Wednesday evening. No business of any importance.

HANLAN is expected to arrive in Toronto to day. A grand reception has been prepared for him.

THE crows have made their appearance. The probabilities are that spring will follow—it may be, a good ways behind.

F. F. G. WIDDOWS, ex Franciscan Monk, will tell what he knows about Popery, in Osborne's hall on Thursday evening next.

A full line of Cottage Library, Lilly Series, Poetical Works, Franklin Square, and Robertson Series at the Post Office Book Store.

PARTIES wanting sap buckets and wood en pails will save money by ordering from Toronto Tea Store.
9b. D. W. PALMER & Co.

THE contract for lighting the street lamps of this town, both gas and coal oil, has been awarded to John McConnell, constable, at $75 per annum.

THE ALBION.—We understand that Mr. David Watson has bought out his partner's interest in the Albion hotel, and will in future run it alone.

SIR CHARLES TUPPER'S recovery from his recent illness is so far advanced that he will be able to resume his seat in the House of Commons in a few days.

NEXT TO GAS.—Everybody likes it. I am selling American high test burning oil same price as Canadian, in order to introduce it. J. A. HACKING.

CENSUS ENUMERATORS.—We understand that Messrs. William Little and William Lixon have been appointed the Census Enumerators for the town of Listowel.

DON'T FORGET IT.—W. Black offers first-class Photographs at $1.00 per dozen till 15th March. Four Ambrotypes for 50 cents as usual. Don't fail to come.—9a.

THE Biddulph tragedy has been dramatised. Bill Donnelly and Johnny Connors appear in person. They made their *debut* on the stage at Streetsville on Friday night.

THE annual meeting of the Conservative Association of North Perth will be held at Milverton, on Wednesday, 15th inst. The official announcement will be found in our advertising columns.

ADVICE TO YOUNG MEN.—If you want to look nice, and be well dressed, at the smallest possible expense, go the popular Cothing House, No. 3, Main st, Listowel. JOHN RIGGS, Proprietor—42.

CONVALESCING.—We are pleased to notice that Dr. Dillabough has so far recovered as to be able to appear on the street again. He was down town for the first time since his protracted illness on Wednesday.

COOL BURGESS.—This far famed knight of the stage is announced to appear in Osborne's hall on Tuesday evening next, in a musical comedy, entitled, "Our Sleighing Party." Lovers of the humorous will no doubt be well entertained.

MR. MEYER, horse buyer, shipped a car load of horses from here on Monday last. They were purchased in this vicinity. Messrs. Hay & Kidd and James Lowry are also purchasing horses. They are about shipping a car load to Manitoba.

"REV."—The London *Free Press* doesn't take kindly to the repudiation of the title "Rev." by ministers of the gospel. It says: "Mr. W. F. Clark will find but few followers hereabouts in this new agitation, although there are not a few in this section who think the prefix unnecessary in his particular case."

ACCIDENT.—We are sorry to learn that on Tuesday last, while Mr. Jacob Brunner, Warden of Perth, was splitting wood in the bush, the axe glanced and entered the upper part of his foot, making a fearful gash. We hope, however, that under proper care he may soon be able to be around again.—*Stratford Advertiser.*

SOMETHING NEW AND OLD.—New goods for the winter wear, consisting of dress goods, shawls, mantles, overcoats, boots, hosiery, furs, robes, ladies', gents', misses' and children's fur caps, clouds, mufflers, and a thousand and one other things, all of which will be sold at a small advance on cost, at the old reliable store, No. 3, Main st., Listowel.
JOHN RIGGS, Proprietor.—42.

MANITOBA, DAKOTA AND NORTHWEST.—The Grand Trunk Railway will run a special excursion to Manitoba and Northwest on March 4th. Passengers and freight will be run all on same train, allowing settlers the great advantage of personally attending to stock. For information as to rates, etc., call on C. HACKING, Ticket Agent G. W. R., Listowel. The next through train will leave March 16th. 8b.

FOR MANITOBA.—The first party to leave this neighborhood this season for the North-west took their departure per Great Western Railway on Wednesday. The following are their names: Wm. Ruller, jr., from Howick; Robt. Hamilton, Wm. Stork, John Grey, B. Grey and R. Grey, from Elma. Considerable baggage accompanied them. Through tickets were furnished by J. Livingstone, jr, town agent G. W. R.

CARNIVAL.—A carnival is announced to take place to-night at the Listowel skating rink. The rink has been quite popular with many of the young people of the town during the winter, whom it has afforded a means of healthy recreation. Good ice, good order and general good management have prevailed throughout the season, which have contributed very materially to the comfort and pleasure of the patrons. As an institution affording wholesome recreation, it deserves to be encouraged, and we trust that it will continue to be a chief attraction in the way of winter amusement to the young people of the town.

RESULT of an examination in Geography in the senior department of the Listowel Public School; maximum 125:

Ella Tilt	125	L. Wehe	102
A. Moore	117	V. Leggatt	101
S. Riggs	116	M. Barber	101
B. Draper	115	B. Large	100
H. Climie	113	M. McDowell	100
W. Hess	111	B. Morris	98
R. Kells	111	M. Campbell	97
J. Bogues	110	M. Sutherland	95
C. Winter	110	C. Green	91
W. Johnston	110	W. Thompson	89
E Welsh	1 9	A. Grundy	88
L. Lillico	107	M. Green	88
C. Culvert	107	C. Tilt	85
M. Jackson	107	W. Winter	83
W. Climie	106	E. Brooks	81
J. Dick	105	L. Hodgins	78
M. Reid	105	M. Laird	61
W. McConnell	104	J. Coutts	57
A. Walton	103		

CHANGE OF FIRM.—We understand that a change in the *personnel* of the firm of Roy & McDonald, general merchants, has taken place. Mr. Roy goes out of the store to assume the management of the banking house of A. McDonald & Co. Mr. A. McDonald will take Mr. Roy's place in the store. Mr. John McDonald, we understand, retires from the firm, and is about to remove to Toronto. His place is taken by Mr. John McKenzie, who is well known to our citizens and the community generally. The new firm is composed of men of energy, experience and business capacity, and who will no doubt command an extensive trade.

S. S. ANNIVERSARY.—The Sabbath School Anniversary of the Canada Methodist Church will be held on Sunday and Monday next. Rev. W. McDonough of Kincardine will preach morning and evening on Sunday, and also address the tea-meeting on Monday. The children of the School will take part in the latter service, with singing, readings and recitations. The public are recommended to attend, being assured of finding entertainment and instruction.

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION.—The semi-annual meeting of the North Perth Teachers' Association will be held in the Listowel Public School to-day and to-morrow, commencing each day at 9 a.m. The following programme has been prepared to engage the attention of the Association: Friday forenoon—Opening address, by R. Munro, President. Analysis of Complex Sentences, by J. Scrimgeour. Afternoon—Hints on the preparation of pupils for Entrance Examination to High School, by A. B. McCallum, B. A. Reading, illustrated by selections from the Readers, by Miss K. F. Shannon. Address, Overtaxing the brain, by Rev. W. F. Clarke. A public entertainment, consisting of music, readings and addresses, is announced for Friday evening. The entertainment will probably take place in the town hall. Saturday forenoon—Grammar and Composition, by S. Woods, M. A. Mr. Woods will also conduct the Question Drawer. The relation of Words to Ideas, will be treated of by Miss K. Ballantine. On Saturday afternoon the subject of Promotion Examinations will engage the attention of the Association.

TOWN COUNCIL.—An adjourned meeting of the Listowel Town Council was held on Monday evening, 28th Feb. Present—the Mayor in the chair, the Reeve, Deputy-Reeve, and Councillors Scott, Deavitt, Gibbs, Fennell, Dingman, Binning, Woods, Riggs. Minutes of previous meeting read and confirmed. Several accounts were read and referred to Finance Committee. Councillor Riggs stated that complaints had been made to him of infraction of the cow by-law—the constable was instructed to have all cattle found running at large impounded. Tenders for lighting the street lamps were read as follows: W. G. Hay, lighting, supplying gas and coal oil, chimneys, wicks, and keeping in repair 19 lamps, from dark to midnight, averaging 20 nights each month, for $350 per annum; supplying gas only for 10 lamps for $200. G. S. Climie & Son, lighting lamps, furnishing coal oil, burners, glasses and wicks, $200. John McConnell, lighting lamps, $75; furnishing coal oil for 9 lamps, $30; total $105. Robert Magwood, lighting lamps, $75. It was moved by J. W. Scott, seconded by John Riggs, that the tender of W. G. Hay for lighting street lamps, be accepted, providing that the light at Livingtone's corner be supplied with gas to burn all night without extra cost. Moved in amendment by Geo. Hess, seconded by F. E. Gibbs, instead of accepting any offer per post per annum, a meter be placed at one of the posts, and that the town pay for the gas used for one month at the rate of $2.50 per 1,000 feet; the lamp-lighter to commence at each end of the street every alternate night, and keep an account of the number of hours the post to which the meter is attached is kept burning. Moved by D. B. Dingman in amendment to the amendment, seconded by John Binning, that the sum of $18 per gas lamp be offered the Listowel Gas Company for ten lamps, to burn 20 nights in a month, till midnight; and in default of the acceptance of the same, that a meter be placed at one of the gas posts for one month, at $2.50 per 1,000 feet, in order to ascertain which system would be cheaper for the town. The submission of the foregoing motion and amendments elicited a lengtey discussion. Mr. Hess, chairman of the Fire, Gas & Public Buildings Committee, produced the correspondence which he had obtained from other towns and cities where gas was used. The prices paid in the several places heard from are as follows: In Woodstock, gas consumers pay $2.50 per 1,000 feet, and 60c. per quarter for rent of meter. The price for lighting the streets is $23 per annum for each post. The Guelph Gas Co. supply gas by the year for $22.50 per post, from sunset to sunrise. In London the price paid is $16.50 per post. Stratford paid $17 per post last year. Ingersoll, $22 per lamp for 35 lamps, all put out at midnight except 6. In Hamilton the lamps are lit from sunset to sunrise at a cost of $18 per post, including the lighting. Barrie pays $22.50 per lamp, extinguished at 1 a.m. Cobourg pays $20 per lamp, extinguished at midnight. The Toronto Gas Co. receive $22.75 per post, the lamps burning all night. Councillor Scott, in support of the motion, did not think the price was exhorbitant as compared with other towns. He considered the enterprise was an advantege to the town, and he thought that for the first year at least it should be encouraged. Councillor Woods drew the attention of the Council to an offer made by the Secretary of the Stratford Gas Co. to light, extinguish, keep in repair and furnish with gas or oil, the street lamps of that town at $14.50 each for the present year. Councillor Dingman was of the opinion that the enterprise was a benefit to the town, and he thought the Council should be prepared to encourage it so far as could be done without jeopardizing the interests of the town. He thought the Council would act wisely in adopting a resolution at a figure sufficiently remunerative to the Gas Co., but not burdensome to the taxpayers. Councillor Riggs stated that the average of eight places heard from gave the price per post at $20.09¼. In view of this he did not consider Mr. Hay's tender out of the way. Councillor Gibbs thought that the only way of arriving at a satisfactory arrangement would be to have a meter placed at one of the posts for a month or two, in order to ascertain the amount of gas consumed. He pointed out that in Hamilton, where gas was burned from sunrise to sunset, the price, exclusive of lighting, was about $13.50 per post. With the lamps extinguished at midnight, only about one-half the quantity of gas would be consumed. He thought the Council would not be justified in accepting Mr. Hay's tender before a test had been made. Mr. Hess was of the same opinion. He was favorably disposed towards the enterprise, but as a Councillor he considered it his duty to do the best for the town that could possibly be done. Councillor Fennell didn't understand the logic of the town paying more for its gas than a private individual. He was in favor of allowing the Gas Co. their regular rate, namely, $2.50 per 1,000 feet, and would support the amendment. Mayor Hay thought it perfectly right that Councillors should endeavor to get the gas as low as possible. However, the introduction of gas was an enterprise which was to some extent experimental, Listowel being probably the smallest town in Canada having gas. If the Company did not receive sufficient encouragement to warrant them in continuing, it might possibly be withdrawn. He was satisfied with the suggestion that a meter be ptabod at one of the posts. Coucilor Deavitt fell in with Mr. Hess' remarks. They were not there to patronize any company. It was public money, and they were expected to look solely to the interests of the town. He was prepared to support the amendment. Councillor Binning thought that too much "gas" had been wasted in the discussion. He proposed that the Council should proceed to business. The vote on the amendment to the amendment was then taken, which resulted in a tie, the following being the division: Yeas—Scott, Hacking, Dingman, Riggs, Binning; nays—Deavitt, Woods, Hess, Gibbs, Fennell. The amendment was next submitted, with the following result: Yeas—Deavitt, Woods, Hess, Gibbs, Fennell; nays—Scott, Binning, Riggs, Dingman, Hacking. Hay—lost by the casting vote of the Mayor. The original motion was then put, and was voted down, the division being as follows: Yeas—Scott, Riggs: nays—Deavitt, Woods, Hess, Gibbs, Fennell, Hacking, Binning. Both the amendments and the original motion having been declared lost, the following resolution was submitted and carried without opposition. D. B. Dingman moved, seconded by F. E. Gibbs, that this Council offer the Listowel Gas Company $2.50 per 1,000 feet, for one month, and that a meter be put at one of the gas posts as a test—carried. J. A. Hacking moved, seconded by J. W. Scott, that the tender of J. J. McConnell for lighting all the lamps and furnishing oil, chimneys and wicks for coal oil lamps for the sum of $105 per annum, be accepted, contract to be terminated at any time by the Council. Yea—Scott, Hacking, Dingman, Riggs, Binning. Nay—Deavitt, Woods, Hess, Gibbs, Fennell; Hay, casting vote. T. G. Fennell moved, seconded by Geo. Hess, that the lamp lighter be instructed to light the lamps alternately from each end of the town, and that the lamps be lighted for twenty nights each month from sunset to midnight; and that he keep an account of the number of hours the lamp burns to which the meter is attached—carried. On motion, the time for the collection of taxes was extended till the next regular meeting of Council. D. B. Dingman moved, seconded by T. G. Fennell, that the Clerk be instructed to notify Mr. R. Ferguson, in whose premises the library of the Mechanics Institute now is that this council will take no action whatever regarding his claim against said library. Moved in amendment by F. E. Gibbs, seconded by Geo. Hess, that the motion be left over until next regular meeting for consideration—amendment carried on division. J. A. Hacking moved, seconded by D. B. Dingman, that the Clerk be instructed to notify Mr. Chaplin that unless his taxes be paid at once that the same will be placed in the hands of the Town Solicitor for collection—carried. The Town Band made application for the annual grant of one hundred dollars, and an additional grant of fifty dollars to purchase new instruments. On motion the application was laid over until next regular meeting. Council adjourned.

CARTHAGE.

FIRE.—On Thursday last about 12 o'clock the house of Mr. John Unker, wagon maker, was discovered to be on fire. Our firemen were quickly on the spot, and extinguished the flames before much damage was done.—COM.

MILLBANK.

A PLEASANT EVENING.—A tea meeting was held in the Methodist church on the 23rd of February, of an interesting character. The ladies gave us a first-class tea. The superintendent of the circuit presided. The Rev. Messrs. Preston and Caswell's addresses were neat and humorous; the Rev. J. E. Croly gave a reading which was remarkably well received. The Rev. J. Kay, M. A., of Milverton, followed with an address of great ability on "Church Work," leaving a gracious spiritual influence on the audience. The speeches were interspersed with mellifluous music by the choir. The meeting seemed to be of great interest and profit to all the people.

Ten miles north of Mitchell lives Patrick Reardon, an Irishman by birth, who will be one hundred and ten years old next March. He is a wonderfully strong man for his age, having two years ago walked to town and back again. On Saturday last he tried to repeat the same thing, but was so exhausted after walking a few miles that he had to be brought out in a sleigh.—*Advocate.*

CASTING CHEAP COINS.

County Detective Pope has obtained information a day or two ago of certain irregularities on the part of a colored man named Wm. Stewart, of Ekfrid, whose purchases of white metal and zinc and whose general movements had aroused the suspicions of several who knew him. It was found that to various persons he had attributed different reasons for his extensive dealings with these metals, and when the facts reached the ears of the detective in question he resolved on action. Accompanied by a trustworthy gentleman, he visited Stewart's quarters on Sunday morning and took him into custody. On his person were found several pieces of counterfeit coin, and other little evidences turned up which the officer believes to be strong against the prisoner. Other developements are expected. In the meantime he is held to answer to a charge of making and uttering spurious coin.—*London Free Press.*

BIRTHS.

DIPPEL.—In Elma, on the 1st inst., the wife of Mr Dodrick Dippel, of a son.

MCMILLAN.—In Wallace, on the 25th ult, the wife of Mr. John McMillan of a son.

MARRIAGES.

MERRIFIELD—SIBBALD.—March 2nd, at the residence of the bride's mother, by Rev. N. E Scott, Mr. John D Merrifield to Miss Lottie, daughter of Mrs. Sibbald, all of Palmerston

ROBERTSON—ERSKINE—On the 22rd of Feb., in the manse, Newry, by the Rev. R. Renwick, Alexander, youngest son of the late William Robertson, of the township of Elma, to Bessie, second daughter of Mr. Andrew Erskine, Merchant, of Monkton.

DEATHS.

FORRESTER.—In Howick, on Feb. 18th, Mrs. Mary Forrester, aged 60 years.

BROUGHTON.—At Moncton, on the 1st inst., Mr James Broughton, aged 80 years, 3 mos.

KNEITL—In Stratford, on the 7th inst., Mr. Joseph Kneitl, aged 59 years and 4 months.

ODBERT—In Stratford, on the 27th ult., Mr. John Odbert, aged 71 years, 11 months and 20 days.

SALE REGISTER.

Tuesday, March 15—Sale for Samuel Whaley, lot 30, 1st con. Wallace; farm stock and implements. T. E. Hay, Auctioneer.

Friday, March 25—Sale for Chas. Wetlaufer, lot No 23, 2nd con. Wallace. See advertisement.

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Pianos and Organs Tuned and Regulated.
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MONTHLY CATTLE MARKET IN LISTOWEL. The next Cattle Fair in Listowel will be held on
FRIDAY, MARCH, 4TH, 1881.

OSBORNE HALL!
ONE NIGHT ONLY:
TUESDAY,
MARCH 8,
the great
Cool BURGESS
and
COMPANY
in his new play
"OUR SLEIGHING PARTY."
GENERAL ADMISSION, 25 CENTS.
RESERVED SEATS, 50 CENTS.
Can be had at Post Office.
Listowel, March 2, 1881. a.

NOTICE!
Tenders Wanted
Tenders will be received by the undersigned till
Saturday, 12th day of March,
for building a Frame Bridge over the creek on the Mitchell gravel road, in the 4th concession of Elma. Plans and specifications can be seen at the Township Clerk's office, Newry. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
WM. LOCHHEAD, WM. KEITH, } Road Commissioners.
Elma, Feb. 23, 1881. 8b.

FARM FOR SALE OR TO RENT.
Lot No. 32, 3rd con. of Grey, containing 100 acres, 60 acres cleared and in good state of cultivation, balance hardwood bush; about 18 acres of fall wheat in ground; young orchard; two frame houses and frame stables; well watered with spring creek and wells, 2 miles from Trowbride, 7 miles from the town of Listowel; school about 100 rods from the place. Will be sold upon reasonable terms, or rented for five years. For full particulars apply on the premises, or address the undersigned, Trowbridge P. O.
9. H. D. SEARLS.

FARM FOR SALE.
The North-east 50 acres in the 7th con. of Wallace. The land is in a good state of cultivation; all cleared but 8 acres, and fit for a reaper to run on it. A good frame barn 36x52; frame house 18x26, well finished; barn and house new; good well and pump at door, and a never failing spring creek on the place. Terms, $700 down; the balance can run for a term of years at 7 per cent. Also 50 acres will be rented along with the 50 for a term of ten years. The land is first-class; within 3 miles of the town of Palmerston. For particulars apply to the proprietor,
JAMES LITTLE.
13. Rothsay Ont.

MORTGAGE SALE OF FARM
IN THE TOWNSHIP OF GREY.
Under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage, there will be sold by public auction, on SATURDAY, the 26th day of MARCH, A. D. 1881, at 12 o'clock noon, by F. W. Coate & Co., auctioneers, at their sale rooms, King street east, Toronto, that valuable farm Known as the south part of the west half of lot number 26, in the third concession of the township of Grey, in the county of Huron, and the east half of said lot 23, containing together 77 acres, more or less.
The lot is situate about 9 miles from Listowel, and 2 miles from Ethel station on the Wellington, Grey & Bruce Railway.
Terms—Ten per cent. on day of sale, and balance in one month.
For further particulars apply to
WM. MORTIMER CLARK,
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AUCTION SALE
—OF—
FARMING IMPLEMENTS!
STOCK, &C.
There will be sold by Public Auction, on the premises of the undersigned, lot No. 23, 2nd con. Wallace, on
FRIDAY, MARCH 25th, 1881,
the following property, viz.:
One Standard Separator Threshing Machine, with horse power and attachments complete, McDonald & McPherson's make, Stratford. This machine has only run two seasons, and is just as good as new; will thresh 100 bushels of wheat per hour.
1 span of horses 8 years old, 1 set of team harness with Scotch collars, 1 lumber wagon, 1 truck wagon almost new, with iron axle, 1 iron plow with steel board and wrought iron point, 1 set iron harrows with four sections, 80 teeth, 1 pair bob sleighs with box, 1 pair bob sleighs without box, and a variety of smaller articles
TERMS—Sums of $5 and under, cash; over that amount credit will be given till the first day of January, 1882, upon approved joint notes 8 per cent. discount for cash on sums over $5.
Sale to commence at 1 o'clock, p. m.
T. E. HAY, Auctioneer. CHAS. WETTLAUFER, Proprietor.
Wallace, Mar. 1, 1881. 9c.

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"FRATER ALYOSIUS."
EX-FRANCISCAN MONK,
—WILL—
LECTURE
—IN—
OSBORNE'S HALL,
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SUBJECT:
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No matter what your feelings or symtoms are what the disease or ailment is use Hop Bitters. Don't wait until you are sick, but if you only feel bad or miserable use the Bitters at once. It may save your life. Hundreds have been saved by so doing. $500 will be paid for a case they will not cure or help.
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CONSERVATIVE ASSOCIATION OF NORTH PERTH.
The annual meeting of the Conservative Association of North Perth will be held in the village of
MILVERTON,
—ON—
WEDNESDAY, 16th March, '81,
AT THE HOUR OF 1 30 P. M.,
for the election of officers, and the transaction of other important business.
A full representation from each section of the Riding is requested.
GEO. DRAPER, President.
Listowel, March 3, 1881. 9b.

GEORGE ZILLIAX,
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Wallace Street, Listowel,
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The stock is entirely new and having been bought for CASH in the cheapest markets, we are prepared to
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Listowel, 1880. 48.

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Comprising all the Newest Styles in Ladies', Men's and Children's wear, and which he will sell at
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Removal to New Premises.
GEO. ADAM
begs to acquaint his friends and the public that he has removed his stock of
Shelf and Heavy Hardware!
to the store recently occupied by Dr. Michener, where he will be prepared to attend to the wants of his customers.
EXPECTED TO ARRIVE DAILY:
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—OF—
NAILS,
IRON,
LOCKS,
BOLTS,
PAINTS,
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PUTTY,
GLASS,
POCKET and TABLE CUTLERY.
Shelf and Heavy Hardware of every Description.
Be sure and give him a call at his new stand on the bridge, Main Street.
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WILLIAM LITTLE,
Successor to LITTLE BROS., & Co.,
WALLACE STREET LISTOWEL,
MANUFACTURER OF
First-Class Carriages, Wagons
made from the best material, sold
On Most Reasonable Terms.
ALSO
HORSE-SHOEING & REPAIRING
Promptly Attended To.
Listowel, 1880. 17.

FLAX SEED.
The undersigned have
1,000 Bushels of Flax Seed,
direct from Manitoba, Holland and Riga, at their mills in Listowel, which will be distributed in quantities to suit farmers. The seed will be ready to be distributed in the first week in March.
J. & J. LIVINGSTONE.
Listowel, Feb. 23, 1881. 8c.

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The famous, favored, fortunate fellow, furnisher of four Ferrotypes for fifty cents, having taken possession of the
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One door west of J. Armstrong's grocery, and having thoroughly refitted and refurnished the same, putting in the best instruments, back-grounds and accessories that can be procured, is now prepared to supply the public with First-class Photos at the lowest possible prices.
From an extensive experience in some of the best galleries in Ontario, he feels confident of being able to give entire satisfaction to the public.
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Having the latest and most improved instruments for making this popular style of picture, I defy competition, as I give
Four Large Ambrotypes for 50 CENTS.
Just as large as you get anywhere else for 25c. each.
All work guaranted first-class or no charge.
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A FULL STOCK AND GIVE US A CALL.
SAMPLES FREE. ALSO PRICES BAKING POWDER, BEST IN USE. A PACKAGE OF SNOW DRIFT BAKING POWDER.
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MAIN STREET, LISTOWEL.

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Buys and sells Lands, loans money and does a general Insurance business.
$1,800 Will purchase lot number 37 in the 2nd concession of the township of Minto, containing 100 acres, 35 cleared balance rolling land. There is 5 acres of fall wheat on the lot, 2 acres of orchard bearing, good well and pump, hewn log house. Terms of payment $750 cash, balance to remain on interest for 11 years at 8 per cent. Apply to R. MARTIN.
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$3,400 Will purchase lot 28, in the 8th con. of the Township of Elma in County of Perth—containing 100 acres. $1,500 cash, balance on time for 3 years at 8 per cent. 75 acres cleared with a bank barn and stone stable, inside 55x35; frame barn 38x36; dwelling house with good frame kitchen. Apply to R. MARTIN.
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PRIVATE FUNDS to Lend, in sums from $200 to $3,000, at
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Interest payable yearly, with the privilege given to the borrower of paying off the whole loan or any part, at any time. On such payments of Principal, Interest shall cease.
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The best Companies represented, such as the WESTERN, LANCASHIRE &C.
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Office on Main St.,
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Opposite the Grand Central Hotel.

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Terms to suit buyers.
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Has no equal for the permanent cure of Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Asthma, Croup, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis, and all Lung Diseases.
Every bottle guaranteed to give satisfaction.
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I have much pleasure in announcing that my stock of
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In British, Foreign and Canadian, are now arriving, and in many lines will be found unusually attractive, and AT LOWER PRICES than have been offered in previous seasons.
SPECIAL ATTENTION
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A FIRST-CLASS CITY MILLINER ALWAYS EMPLOYED.
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At Reduced Prices. Sole Agent for the Celebrated "Invalid Wine," Recommended by the Medical Profession in Town.
GEORGE DRAPER,
LISTOWEL, 1880.

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JOHN SUTHERLAND
Has pleasure in informing the public that he has opened out in the Masonic Block, Main Street, Listowel, and is now prepared to sell
STOVES for BOTH WOOD & COAL, TINWARE of ALL KINDS,
and everything in his line AT BOTTOM PRICES!
Eavetroughing and Repairing Promptly Attended to.
AN EARLY CALL IS RESPECTFULLY SOLICITED
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Listowel, January, 1881.

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