

Monthly Cattle Fairs.

Atwood—Tuesday before first Friday of each month.
Listowel—First Friday in each month.
Guelph—First Wednesday in each month.
Clifford—Thursday before the Guelph fair.
Teviotdale—Friday before the Guelph fair.
Harriston—Friday before the Guelph fair.
Bosworth—Saturday before the Guelph fair.
Drayton—Saturday before Guelph.
Moorefield—Monday before Guelph.
Elora—The day before Guelph.
Month.
Mount Forest—Third Wednesday in each month.
Millbank—Wednesday before second Tuesday in each month.

THE BEE.

FRIDAY, MARCH 28, 1890.

THE BEE.

Written for THE BEE.
People talk about THE BEE,
And no wonder that they do,
'Tis the subject when at tea—
Yes, and in the morning too.
When our labors all are done,
And the birds have sought their nest
Then THE BEE becomes our sun
Until we all have gone to rest.
Nights we used to spend abroad,
Now at home each one is spent.
Why? The attraction is THE BEE,
Upon which all our thoughts are bent.

Busy Bee from morn till night,
Cheering many a dull fireside,
May you be a burning light,
And in many a home abide.

Your progress will be slow at first,
But slow and steady wins the day;
Sunlight into this world you burst,
Sun-like travel on your way.

—Velvet Snow.

Berlin, March 14, 1890.

Newton.

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Our enterprising villager, Wm. McDonald, purchased two acres last week from C. Yost, and has staked it off into town lots. Mr. McDonald is a pusher and Newton would go ahead if more such men were in our midst.

Elms and Wallace Boundary.
A number have a mild attack of diphtheria.

Geo. Leslie is preparing to build a fine barn next summer.

Mr. McLaren, of East Hope, has moved to the Furusson farm.

Mr. Milburne was at Woodstock last week attending his sister's funeral.

Mrs. Wakeley, of Dundalk, is visiting at her uncle's, H. Moore, of the 2nd con.

Jas. Ferguson and family have removed to Maxwell, Grey county, to the farm which he recently purchased there. We wish them success in their new home.

Trowbridge.

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John Blair has left the farm and removed into Albert Leslie's beautiful brick residence.

Thomas Later, the enterprising proprietor of the Trowbridge carriage works, has secured the services of a first class wagonmaker from Exeter.

Rev. T. Wesley Cosens, of Seaford, is visiting friends here. Judging from his healthy appearance the Seafordites are taking good care of him.

Wm. Hutchison, a former resident of this neighborhood, has moved back again from Listowel where he has been living a few years. He is a model man, an excellent neighbor and a noble Christian worker. We extend to him a cordial and hearty welcome and wish him every success.

The entertainment given by the members of the L. O. G. T. lodge here last Wednesday evening was well attended. A number of the young people of Atwood were present, and took part in the entertainment. The program was good but was spoiled to a great extent by the terrible conduct of a few who had no respect for themselves or those who were present. We hope that something will be done to prevent such conduct. The proceeds of the evening was \$14. After the entertainment was over an invitation was given to the members of the Atwood lodge to drive to S. Code's where they with the members of this lodge had tea and spent a couple of hours and then went homeward.

Mitchell Knox church debt has been wiped out. The Ladies' Aid raised a large portion of the amount. Since Rev. Mr. Tully became pastor of the church nearly \$7,000, including interest and principal, have been collected independent of the annual running expenses of the church. Steps will be taken now for the erection of a building. The \$1,600 left by Thomas Matheson, to be applied toward this object, has been bearing interest since May, 1883, so that a nice sum is already on hand.

The annual report of the Kintore Cheese factory showed the total amount of milk received amounted to 2,221,841 lbs., making 209,288 lbs. of cheese, which realized \$19,208.70, out of which was paid to the patrons for milk furnished \$15,622.23; average milk per lb. of cheese, 10.61; average price, 9.78c. per lb. a dividend of 10 per cent being paid to the shareholders on their shares and the amount received by the company by the sale of the whey was paid to the patrons of the company, leaving a balance on hand of \$579.73.

COMMUNICATION.

We wish it distinctly understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions expressed by our correspondents.

Our Sidewalks.

To the Editor of THE BEE.

DEAR SIR:—Lately I have observed a great deal of downright carelessness on the part of teamsters as regards our sidewalks. The citizens have gone to a great deal of trouble and expense in filling up heretofore impassable sidewalks and I find now that men drive along them and cut them up. This should not be allowed. Our sidewalks should be kept clear—no wagons or wood piles left standing on them. Let us unite and see that in future this will not be repeated.

SHARP SHOOTER.

Atwood, March 28, 1890.

The "Scoopograph" at Work in Newry.

To the Editor of THE BEE.

DEAR SIR:—This is an age of inventions and discoveries. The invention of electricity, telegraph, telephone, photograph, &c., are left in the shade compared to the "Scoopograph." At such an exciting period when robberies, murders, poetical effusions, &c., are keeping the atmosphere in an unequipoiseable state, and when such things are perpetrated with so much secrecy in a civilized and Christian community and by people who pretend to your face to be such angelic mortals that sugar would melt to dissolve in their mouth; the most ingenious invention and the most skilled detective's service is required to ferret the guilty culprits. We know of no invention that has served the public so well as the "scoopograph." By means of it the Toronto Mail was able to publish in full the Jeffreys investigation which was conducted with padlocked doors. By means of it the people of Newry will be made acquainted with one of the basest, contemptible and uncalled for pieces of rascality that was ever enacted in this section. When "ma" and "pa," and "my two darlings" get their heads together they can concoct things that are two-degrading for even the individual who stole the pennies from the dead man's eyes. The "scoopograph" has discovered that one of our most respected citizens, whose doings and actions amongst us for the last twenty years or more—has been libelled in a most unbecoming manner. Eight verses, eight lines in a verse, having neither rhyme nor rhythm, of the most incoherent nonsense, were written by a firm here who are intoxicated with the exuberance of their own verbosity, and whose reputation for truth and veracity is at a low ebb. Good people of Newry who are they? This is only the first link in the chain of destruction. The "scoopograph" is at work and will have more food for reflection prepared from the scattered scraps that were accidentally let fall and blown to and fro by the wind. It's foul winds that blow nobly good. INCOGNITO.

Newry, March 25, 1890.

BINDING TWINE FACTORY.

MASS MEETING OF THE CITIZENS.

A mass meeting of the citizens met in the school house last Tuesday evening to receive the report of the delegates appointed to visit the Doon Binding Twine Factory. R. K. Hall and Jas. Hanna prepared a full and satisfactory report and laid it before the meeting. After considerable discussion it was decided to authorize the committee to still further investigate the matter and report at a future meeting. We are in possession of some very important facts and figures bearing on the new industry but at the request of the committee we withhold them from the public for the present. It might be said, however, that to erect and fully equip a twine factory here, that would manufacture 1,000 lbs. twine per day, would cost \$15,000. The delegates received the unanimous thanks of the meeting for their trouble and the valuable information gathered together for the enlightenment of the citizens.

FIRE COMPANY.

The subject of a Fire Company was brought up and heartily endorsed by those present. On motion Messrs. Jas. Hanna, (Captain) E. Hill and H. Hoar were appointed a committee to organize a company, and that a subscription list be open, at Jas. Irwin's store, to those wishing to contribute to the funds required to purchase ladders, pails, etc., for the use of the company. Such a company is much needed in our village, and we are informed from reliable sources that the insurance companies will recognize the movement and reduce the insurance rates accordingly. It is to be hoped that our citizens, generally, will contribute liberally, and thus enable those who have so willingly volunteered their services, in the saving of our property and homes, to go forward and successfully overcome every financial barrier that may be in the way.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

The damage done by continued floods throughout Italy is estimated at 4,000,000 francs.

The bill establishing English as the official language has passed the third reading in the Manitoba Legislature.

Two men were blown to atoms and twenty injured by an explosion in a government shed at Spandau.

Forged notes to the amount of 500,000 pesetas have been discovered in a package of funds taken to a bank at Madrid from Seville.

Rev. Geo. Jamieson, formerly of Amherstburg, has just died, leaving \$100,000 to two nephews who have been working in the woods of Northern Michigan.

H. F. BUCK Furniture Emporium, LISTOWEL.

WALLACE STREET,

I wish to intimate to the people of Atwood and vicinity that I have on hand a most complete stock of all lines of Furniture.

BEDROOM SUITES,
SIDEBOARDS,
EXTENSION TABLES,
SPRINGS & MATTRESSES,
AND PARLOR SUITES.

All goods best of their class. I am bound to sell them. Call and get prices.

THE LARGEST STOCK OF

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A Specialty. Full lines funeral goods always on hand.

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—ATWOOD—

Repair Shop!

ROBERT MAY

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Two Doors South

of Hoeger's Hotel.

and is prepared to do all kinds of Repairing on Shortest Notice and at prices to suit the times.

BRING ALONG YOUR FURNITURE, CUTTERS, SLEIGHS, &c.

Wood-Turning

A Specialty.

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R. M. BALLANTYNE

—THE LEADING—

Merchant Tailor

Of Atwood, is determined to Cut Prices to suit the hard times.

Biggest Reduction

In Ordered Clothing

EVER KNOWN.

Men's all wool Tweed Suits \$11 for \$9

" " " " \$12 " \$10

" " " " \$15 " \$12

Black Worsted from \$16 up.

WE KEEP THE BEST

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Call and Examine Our Goods and see for yourself.

R. M. BALLANTYNE,

ATWOOD.

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Fresh Bread, Buns, and Cakes

Of all descriptions kept constantly on hand.

Pastry, and Pies.

Also Wedding Cakes made to order on Shortest Notice.

A large and pure stock of

Confectionery

and Pickled Goods offered at Reduced Prices.

I solicit a continuance of the patronage so liberally bestowed on me in the past.

Bread Wagon goes to Monkton Tuesday and Friday, and Ethel Wednesday and Saturday of each week.

CHAS. ZERAN.

ATWOOD

Pork Packing

House.

The undersigned wishes to intimate to the public that he keeps a choice lot of

HAMS,

Smoked, Dried, and Sugar-cured, Long Side Meat, well cured, etc. Those wanting choice meats should give the Atwood Packing House a trial.

Prices Low.

Special reductions made to those purchasing large quantities of meat.

Terms Strictly Cash.

W. Hawkshaw.



ATWOOD

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WM. FORREST

Has on hand a Full Assortment of all kinds of

Furniture at

Reasonable

Prices.

My stock consists of Bedroom Suites, Chairs, Tables, Lounges, Bed Springs, Mattresses &c.

Picture Framing Done.

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Attended to at Shortest Notice. A first-class Hearse kept in readiness. A large assortment of Coffins and Caskets on hand.

74f

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Mitchell, have opened a paint shop in Atwood. They are prepared to do all kinds of House, Sign and Decorative Painting, Graining, Paper-hanging, Kalsomining, Glazing, &c. All orders left at

SHOP,

ON MAIN STREET,

Over Wm. Moran's Carriage Shop

Will be promptly attended to.

W. J. MARSHALL,

Manager.

J. S. GEE'S

Ready-Made Clothing.

New Stock opened up for the spring trade. Some specialties in

Children's Suits.

Fine range in new Spring Prints.
" " " " Shirtings.
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NEW SEASON'S TEAS

From 10 lbs. for \$1 to 60c. per lb.

We have some extra values to offer in these goods that will discount any that are being offered by unreliable agents. Our English Blend takes the lead for flavor, also our Old Government Java Coffee can't be beaten.

HIGHEST PRICES

Paid for Produce.

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The undersigned wishes to intimate to the Ladies of Atwood and vicinity that she has a choice and well assorted stock of Fancy Goods, comprising

BERLIN WOOLS,

YARNS, PLUSHES,

EMBROIDERIES,

LACES, ETC.

STAMPING

A Specialty.

CALL AND EXAMINE GOODS AND PRICES.

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Just Received

A New Assortment of False Faces, Fishing Lines and Hooks, Pocket Knives, Al-lies of all kinds, and Chinese Lanterns, etc.

GROGERIES,

PROVISIONS, CANNED FRUITS CONFECTIONERY, &c.

Give Him a Trial.

J. S. HAMILTON,

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