

TRAVELLERS' GUIDE. GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY. (NORTHERN EXTENSION OF W.G. & A.R.V.)

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LISTOWEL STANDARD. FRIDAY, APRIL 26, 1878.

Quebec nominations took place on the 24th of the election will close on Wednesday next.

Sir John A. Macdonald has been again brought out for Kingston, having received a most enthusiastic nomination at a late meeting of the Conservative Association of that city.

Mr. James Webster, Registrar of Central and South Wellington, died at his residence, Netherbank, on Thursday evening last week.

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Perth Spring Assizes. The Spring Assizes were to have opened in Stratford yesterday (Thursday) before Mr. Justice Burton, but his Lordship failed to get through in time to make the necessary railway connections, and did not reach Stratford until 6.30 in the evening.

THE PEMBLA BRANCH. No one will be surprised who will recall the discussions which have taken place in Parliament and in the press, at the announcement made within the last few days in a historical paper that an arrangement had been entered into between the Government and the proprietors of the St. Paul and Pacific Railway Company.

WHY REFORMERS ARE GOING INTO OPPOSITION. In advocating the Reform cause for a quarter of a century, we were fighting and fighting hard for what we thought to be right.

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PERTH JOTTINGS. Steps are being taken to change the name of Perth village to Dubuque.

THE LISTOWEL STATION. The Listowel Station, now under the management of the Grand Trunk Railway Company, has been opened for passenger traffic.

CARTHAGE. For the STANBARD.—We have received another solemn warning to prepare for eternity in the death of a respected friend, Mr. William Henderson, who died on Sunday morning last.

DAIRY NOTES. LITTLE FALLS CHEESE MARKET.—April 22.—The cheese market was well "brisk" and active, and prices were generally higher.

WALLACE. For the STANBARD.—The unusually mild winter has been followed by an early spring.

GLASGOW CHEESE LETTER.—Some points in the following letter from a Glasgow dealer in his correspondent in Ulster, dated the 24th inst.

LEBANON. For the STANBARD.—We have had very unfavorable weather this week for farm work, but farmers in this vicinity are nearly done seeding.

BUTTER FACTORIES. The following remarks from the Bruce Reporter, who applies to the Bruce butter trade, are worth noting.

A VERY GOOD FISH STORY.—The Ottawa Free Press writes:—On the 23rd of last month a French Canadian fisherman, in passing along the bank of the Ottawa, near its junction with the St. Lawrence, discovered a large cod fish.

FIRE AT HARRISTON.—About one o'clock on Friday morning Walter's cabinet factory, J. B. Taylor's residence and soda water factory were destroyed by fire.

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ASTRONOMICAL.—A correspondent writes that more stars of the first magnitude are now visible than at any other time during the year.

GENERAL NEWS. Total eclipse of the sun July 29th. Spring tides are the latest fashionable perfume for the month.

STRAFORD MARKETS. Wheat, all, per bush. \$1.25 to 1.35. Oats, per bush. 45 to 50. Potatoes, per bush. 1.00 to 1.25.

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NOTHING LIKE LEATHER. WHEN WILL YOU GET THERE? The place to get it is at J. P. NEWMAN'S.

REPAIRING PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO. Large addition to Stock and Premises contemplated. A call respectfully solicited.

REMOVAL. DONALD BROWN. Wishes to inform the public that he has removed across street, up the brick block one door east of Westlock street, and has added largely to his stock of...

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T. G. FENNELL, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW. Solicitor in Chancery and Insolvency, Notary Public, Commissioner of Stamps, Real Estate Agent, etc. Money to loan at reasonable rates. Office: 25 South Beaver Street, Listowel, Ont.

GRAND CENTRAL HOTEL, Main Street, Listowel, Ont. J. S. SMITH, Proprietor. This hotel is centrally situated, and is well adapted for the reception of guests. It has a large and commodious dining room, and every requisite convenience for the comfort of the public.

DOMINION HOTEL, Wallace Street, Listowel, Ont. CHAS. NEWTON, Proprietor. This hotel is centrally situated, and is well adapted for the reception of guests. It has a large and commodious dining room, and every requisite convenience for the comfort of the public.

COMMERCIAL HOTEL, Listowel, Ont. This hotel is centrally situated, and is well adapted for the reception of guests. It has a large and commodious dining room, and every requisite convenience for the comfort of the public.

THE SCOTCH GRAYS FERRIER. Office, 25 South Beaver Street, Listowel, Ont.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE. The undersigned offers for sale a house and lot situated on Wallace Street, and within a few minutes' walk of the city of Listowel. The lot contains 1/2 of an acre, and is well improved with a garden and other improvements. The house is a two-story brick building, and is in excellent condition. For further particulars apply to the undersigned, W. J. McNICOLL, Esq., 25 South Beaver Street, Listowel, Ont.

MILK! MILK! Every person who owns property of any kind should be provided with a fire insurance policy. The following reliable companies, viz: BRITISH AMERICA, of Toronto, CANADA FIRE & MARINE, Hamilton, NATIONAL, of Montreal, ROYAL, of England, SCOTTISH COMMERCIAL, of Glasgow, OTTAWA AGRICULTURAL, of Ottawa, GORE DISTRICT-MUTUAL, of Galt, and ECONOMIC, of Berlin.

AGENCY. CUNARD LINE, and ANCHOR LINE STEAMSHIPS. TICKETS. Issued to any part of Europe and return at CHEAPEST RATES.

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CHURCH DIRECTORY.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND—Main St. Rev. H. Cooper, Incumbent. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Evening Service at 6 30 o'clock. Sunday School at 10 a.m. and at 2 p.m. Messrs. J. G. Edfield and J. H. Martin, Wardens.

ROXBY CHURCH—Inkerman St. Rev. J. W. Bell, M. A., Pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. Sabbath School at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. Congregational Prayer Meeting, Wednesday evening at 7 30. Bible Class, conducted by the Pastor, Thursday evening at 7 30. Women's Guild, Wednesday evening at 7 30.

CANADA METHODIST CHURCH—Rev. J. G. Scott, Pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. Sunday School at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday evening at 7 30. Services, 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 8 p.m. Sabbath School at 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. Baptist Services are at the Temperance Hall, Racine St. at 3 p.m. in the Temperance Hall, Racine St.

LISTOWEL STANDARD.

FRIDAY, APRIL 26, 1878.

TOWN AND COUNTRY.

APRIL showers average about four a day. LEAVE your measure at Bean & Gee's for a sample shirt.

THE Gospel Temperance movement claims 3,000 members in St. Mary's.

NEW HAMBURG Council has resolved to spend \$500 on new sidewalks this year.

TRAMPS and rowdies have enlivened police circles during the past day or two.

At Clinie, Hay & Co., you will find their stock of goods' furnishings complete.

ARRANGEMENTS are on foot for publishing a Conservative German newspaper in Stralford.

Mrs. F. Harvey's tailoring establishment has been removed one door east of his former stand.

The Conservatives of West Huron will convene at Blithe on the 1st of May to select a candidate for the Local House.

SEEKLESS rain is at 6c. per lb. at Bean & Gee's. Get some.

LISTOWEL claims a draught club which can turn out a "crack" team. Check-players generally have better keep a sharp eye on their movements.

Special inducements to passengers to California, Oregon, and all points east and south via Canada Southern Railway via W. J. Hamilton, Agent.

G. WALSH, watchmaker, is now to be found in Martin's Block opposite the Grand Central. If you desire to have your time well regulated, give him a call.

IRELAND and THE WALK—A private letter to a gentleman in Listowel, from Corp. Serjt. Hewitt Lawrence, dated 21st April, states that recruiting for the British Army is briskly going on in Ireland.

The old school buildings, which were brought to the hammer last Saturday, failed to find a purchaser. We believe one or two nominal bids were made, but the figures were considered too low for acceptance.

EASTER holidays, so far as the public schools are concerned, are more in name than reality since the present regulations came in force. Listowel schools were closed during two days only—Good Friday and Easter Monday.

Beautiful spring mantles! Newest styles, very cheap. S. McCLUNG & SON.

The Great Western Railway Co. are not a little displeased with the "shaves" even in trivial matters. They have just put down a timber walk from Pendone street to the station which indicates solidarity in the extreme.

PAVING! PAVING! Over 200 pieces to select from at Clinie, Hay & Co's.

Good FRIDAY was generally observed as a public holiday. There was but little stir on the streets, a quiet Sunday aspect prevailing. Advantage of the holiday and the favorable weather was taken by many in town to improve their gardens.

HANG THEM!—We are talking "hang" curtains. A large stock will be found at S. McCLUNG & SON'S.

A PERAMBULATING rifle gallery has been in town during the past week. "Shooting" have been cracking and "goose" so far as a bagging game "goose" was the owner of the concern in taking charge of the loose change had altogether the best of it.

DRESS GOODS! Dress Goods! In endless variety, and at the very lowest prices at Clinie, Hay & Co's.

Our respected member for the Commons, Andrew Monteth, Esq., will please accept our thanks for parliamentary documents and other sources of information. His straightforward course in the House elicits the admiration of his constituents generally.

SUBJECT that HAY T. and then go and buy a new one at S. McCLUNG & SON'S.

OUR town corporation has been "mending its ways" this week, consequently "man traps" in the form of broken sidewalks are not quite so numerous as formerly. An entire departure from some of the old paths, and a substitution of new ones in their stead, would not be a bad move to make.

IF you want a good cup of tea buy your Tea from D. D. Campbell, Wallace street.

W. HAGON having pulled up stakes at the old stand, is now to be found a door or two east of the Grand Central. He considers himself a better position than ever to supply all the household needs of our customers. His old-time customers know that he means business when he says so, and they will not be slow in familiarizing themselves with his new quarters.

FOR a fashionable hat go to D. D. Campbell's store on Wallace street, the leading business street.

TO prevent a wrong impression which might otherwise get abroad, Mr. Alex. Milne desires us to state that he is not the individual alluded to by a city paper as having recently left Ingersoll without settling his bills. Mr. Milne has been in Listowel for several weeks prosecuting his business as manufacturer of wire signs, and has no connection with that other fellow.

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

Perth Battalion. Among the military changes lately gazetted, we notice the following concerning the Perth Volunteers: 28th "Perth" Battalion of Infantry, to be Major, Captain and Brevet Major Richard Sidney McKnight, V. B., from No. 3 Company, McKnight deceased. No. 3 Company, St. Mary's, to be Captain, Lieutenant and Captain William Alfred Bayly V. B., from No. 4 Company, McKnight promoted.

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

Something New. By dropping in at Messrs. Hayden & Zwald's, opposite the Grand Central, any day during business hours, seekers after novelty will have their curiosity gratified upon inspecting the artistic productions of these ingenious Teutons. Carved wax is there to be seen which shows that they understand perfectly how to manipulate a rough block of wood into a handsome ornament for the mantel-shelf, the wall, or the table. These novelties are well worth seeing.

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

For Manibus.

Messrs. Jas. Watson, Samuel Buchanan, Ed. Terry, Jno. Lyman and two others, left for Manitoba on Monday, via Canada Southern Railway and connecting lines. We understand it is their intention to take up land in that province.

Magistrate's Court.

Constable Hampton had a couple of belligerents before his worship the Mayor on Saturday, for having indulged in the too free exercise of their muscle on the previous evening. They were each fined in the sum of \$5, costs inclusive.

Station Bills.

Horsemen can be supplied with route bills, printed from new plates, new type and new material throughout, at the STANDARD office. For excellent work, quickly done, and at cheap rates, we can safely defy competition.

Baptist Services.

The members of the Baptist denomination have recently changed their place of meeting for worship to the Temperance Hall (old Congregational Church) on Ragan street. Three o'clock each Sabbath afternoon is the hour fixed for commencing services.

Open Lodge.

An "open lodge" was held in Star of Hope Temperance hall on the evening of the 22nd. The lodge room was well filled with temperance people, and they were pleasantly entertained for an hour or so with varied selections of music, etc., by lady and gentlemen members of the order.

Social in the M. E. Church.

A goodly number were in attendance at the "sugar social" on Tuesday evening, and of course had a very "sweet time." Singing as well as sugar was provided, the church choir contributing a number of appropriate selections. Mr. Metzger gave a creditable exhibition of his eloquence, knowledge by reciting "Longfellow's 'King Robert of Sicily,'" while Mr. Hamilton pleased everybody with a humorous reading. Rev. Mr. Pope also added to the evening's enjoyment.

Easter Vestry.

Christ Church vestry meeting was held on Easter Monday evening in conformity with the general Synod regulations. Rev. H. Cooper presiding. After the annual statement for the past year had been received, the following gentlemen were appointed to act as lay officers during the year: Messrs. J. H. Martin, W. J. Hamilton, J. S. Adams, and J. H. Martin. Messrs. J. H. Martin, J. S. Adams, and J. H. Martin were nominated Auditors. Mr. R. Martin was reappointed lay delegate to the Synod.

Congregational Church.

Last Sunday Rev. A. F. McCreone directed the services in the Congregational Church. This was the first occasion on which he and his prospective charge have held a meeting together in public worship. His sermons both morning and evening are spoken of as being excellent discourses, and the impression carried away by the congregation seems to predict a gate a happy future. As we have already stated, the rev. gentleman has but recently graduated from the Montreal University and possesses the essentials of making a successful minister of the gospel.

"M. E. C."

A meeting of the recently organized Young Men's Conservative Association was held at the Commercial on Wednesday evening, the 19th inst. The meeting was held at the Commercial on Wednesday evening, the 19th inst. The meeting was held at the Commercial on Wednesday evening, the 19th inst.

Tree Planting.

Without presuming to trace any connection between our recent suggestion and the activity which has lately set in, we cannot help taking exceptional gratification at noting the fact that within the past week or two there has been a most commendable effort made to surround private dwellings and line the thoroughfares with young trees. Good Friday contributed a large quota to the number planted. As young saplings can be readily prepared within easy reach of the town, it is to be hoped that property holders, who have not yet done so, will avail themselves of this present opportunity and time and circumstances, and not rest content until their residences are in a fair way of being partially hid amid summer verdure.

Temperance Social.

The fruit social held in the Temperance hall on the evening of Good Friday was one of the most successful affairs of the kind yet held in town. A programme varied and well planned, and presented to the most uncomfortably crowded audience. Temperance songs, duets, readings, recitations and addresses, a refreshment table of delicious refreshments, oranges and other delicacies served capitally to ally bodily wants. It would be impossible to make particular mention as the young ladies and gentlemen who took part are all of local repute and acquitted themselves with uniform credit. The program of social topics was given a most additional interest to the entertainment. We are pleased to hear that the lodge contemplates a periodical recurrence of these social gatherings.

Vegetation.

The great amount of rain that has fallen during the week, although impeding farming and gardening operations for a time, has had a wonderful effect upon the growth of vegetation. Meadows and pastures are looking as far advanced as they frequently do at the approach of June, fruit trees are coming into bloom, and vegetable gardens have reached a stage which the "oldest inhabitant" would scratch his pate in vain to recall a parallel. Fall wheat is said to have never promised better. We are informed that there are fields in Wallace where the blade stands upwards of a foot in height, and that there is every prospect of heading out in a very short time. Spring grains are making equally rapid progress, spring wheat and peas being especially forward. Some farmers had finished seeding before the late rains set in, but there are still many who have considerable to do, calculations having been made for sowing a much larger breadth than usual.

M. E. Conference.

The Niagara Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church closed its annual session on the 24th inst., after a week's sitting in Ingersoll. There were about one hundred ministers present, besides Bishop Carman, D. D., and a number of visitors. The business transacted at all the conferences in very similar, and from a report of the Niagara conference, which assemblies here next week, our readers will be able to form an idea of how the sessions are conducted. Places have been secured in town for eighty delegates, and through the indefatigable zeal of Rev. Mr. Pope and the hearty co-operation of his congregation, there is nothing foreseen to prevent a very successful Conference being held here. The first session will take place in the M. E. Church on Wednesday morning next, at ten o'clock. Timely notice will be given of the order of procedure for each day. Bishop Carman is expected to deliver an opening address on Wednesday evening. The public are invited to be present during the sessions, and especially in the

Conservative Convention!

Notice is hereby given that a Candidate in the interest of the Conservative party to contest the Riding at the next election for the representation in the House of Commons, will be held at the Grand Central Hotel.

THE TOWN OF LISTOWEL.**THURSDAY, 9TH OF MAY.**

at one o'clock p. m., sharp.

MEETINGS TO ELECT DELEGATES.

to attend the above Convention will be held in the several municipalities on

TUESDAY, THE 7TH OF MAY,

at such time and place as may be directed by the chairman of the several Conservative Associations. Seats to be chosen from each municipality. Special trains will be run from Stratford to Listowel and vice versa.

Huron By. to accommodate parties wishing to attend the convention.

W. H. HAGON, Secretary.

REMOVAL.**JAMES LEE, WATCHMAKER.**

repairs watches, clocks, and jewelry in Martin's Block, opposite the Grand Central Hotel.

AS A WATCHMAKER, I can guarantee the work in Switzerland and England, he can give the best satisfaction. All work warranted. Repairs done on short notice.

A. MCKENZIE, TAILOR.

Invites the people of Listowel and surrounding country to send in their stock of goods before going elsewhere.

Remember the place—Main Street, one door east of the Bank of Hamilton.

ALEX. MCKENZIE, Listowel, March 26th, 1878.

HARD TIMES MADE EASY.

Orders filled on the shortest notice. Good satisfaction and value given. Call and make your selection elsewhere.

Remember the place—Main Street, one door east of the Bank of Hamilton.

ALEX. MCKENZIE, Listowel, March 26th, 1878.

TATHAM & CO.,

Lowest prices 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

ROBINSON & DUNHAM,

Taking advantage of the hard times, have purchased a large amount of

First-Class Machinery,

of the most improved kind, and are now offering at an extremely low price.

SASH, DOOR, AND BLIND MANUFACTORY,

where they keep constantly on hand a full supply of Sashes, Doors and Blinds of every description.

Patent School Desks of the latest and most approved designs made to order.

A LARGE STOCK OF DRY LUMBER AT REDUCED RATES.

All kinds of building and repairing promptly attended to.

Plans and specifications drawn up and estimates given.

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

receives special attention.

THE CELEBRATED GULPH LIME

constantly on hand, and for sale.

SOLE AGENTS FOR THE BRITISH COMMONWEALTH ISLANDS.

C. H. ROBINSON, W. H. DUNHAM, Listowel, March 26th, 1878.

R. MARTIN, AGENT FOR

Selling Lands, Lending Money,

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

DAVID FRITCHLEY, Secretary.

FOR SALE.

BRICK HOUSE—Half an acre of land, full of excellent fruit trees; hard and soft water; excellent cellar. Best finished house in Listowel. Price low and terms easy. Apply to ALEX. ROBINSON, Listowel.

FRAME HOUSE—Nearly opposite the above property. Nearly new good home, etc. Apply to ALEX. ROBINSON, Listowel, or to the proprietor, W. S. LAW, Listowel.

GREAT REDUCTION.

The greatest possible reduction in the prices of SEWING MACHINES

has been made by

ALEX. MORROW,

Who is agent for several of the best machines in Canada.

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 £20,000 in one month after adjustment of claims. Capital \$1,000,000.

R. MARTIN, Agent.**THE WESTERN INSURANCE COMPANY**

Paid \$50,000 in the St. John's fire. Assets over \$1,000,000. Income over \$200,000 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.

S. McCLUNG & SON.

Listowel, March 26, 1878.

REMOVAL.

Also

STANDARD FIRE INS. CO.

MANUFACTURERS & MERCHANTS of Hamilton.

ROYAL MUTUAL

of Hamilton.

D. D. CAMPBELL

Has great pleasure in notifying his customers and the public that he has removed to his new 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 KEPT

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