









LISTOWEL STANDARD.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1879.

TOWN AND COUNTRY.

200 pairs of Boots & Shoes at cost.

CLIMIE, HAY & CO.

The October cattle fair will be held on Friday.

A large fair is expected.

Don't forget that \$150 in advance will pay for the Standard up to January 1881.

SPECIAL THANKING SERVICES will be held in connection with Christ Church on Sunday 12th inst.

\$12,000 worth of goods made to order in the next six weeks at Clime, Hay & Co's.

REMEMBER the G. W. R. cheap excursion to the Falls on Tuesday next.

Train leaves Listowel station at 9:30 a.m.

HARVEST HOME FESTIVAL.—We understand that the congregation of Christ Church will have a Harvest Home festival in a short time, probably on Monday, 13th inst.

Particulars will be made known next week.

Excursions.—The last excursion of the season is announced to take place on Tuesday next to the Falls, via the Great Western.

This will be an opportune time for the farmers, who have hitherto been too busy to take a holiday for sight seeing.

The Western Exhibition at London and the Central Fair at Hamilton are the greatest of the season.

The entries at both these exhibitions are considerably in excess of last year; in point of attendance they are also reported as being highly successful.

A large amount of local and other reading matter is unavoidably crowded out this week.

We trust the readers of the Standard will forgive the "inflation" which is just now monopolizing public attention and the columns of the newspapers.

Spiral attractions are afforded at the falls on Tuesday next, and as the G. W. R. will run the last excursion train of the season on that day the opportunity should not be missed.

The old High School building was sold by auction on Wednesday last.

It was bought by the town for \$405.

The intention of our municipal representatives in acquiring this property has been made public, but it is generally understood that it is for a market site.

Mr. CARROLL, contractor for building the first seventeen miles of the Stratford & Huron railway extension north of this town, will commence active operations immediately.

A number of carts and other implements for constructing the road have arrived.

Mr. Wm. NIXON returned to town this week from Manitowish, where he has spent the summer.

He gives a very favorable report of the capabilities of the Prairie Province. He expects to go back again in the spring, having taken up land in the neighborhood of Emerson.

MINISTRY.—Mrs. Maynard wishes to pay to her numerous customers and to the public generally that she has received a new and well selected stock of Fall and Winter Millinery, and she has personal attention to customers' wishes to be favored with a continuance of public patronage.

FRANKLIN MASON.—Sir R. J. Cartwright, M. P. for Ontario, has been elected a constituent in the town hall, Brussels, to-day (Friday) on the public questions of the day. Mr. T. Gibson, M. P. for East Huron, and a number of other prominent members of the reform party are also present.

The Electric Light will be on exhibition at Niagara Falls on Friday, and will not only be a great attraction, but will give an opportunity to see the wonderful machine, as the G. W. R. excursion train will not leave the Falls till 10 p.m.

Excursions to Detroit will be held on Miss Lawson's, which will be held in another column. This young lady artist is about starting a class for instruction in pencil and crayon drawing and painting in oil. Specimens of her work in the branches which she teaches are on exhibition at the agricultural hall, and bear evidence of artistic merit.

SOCIETY.—A social will be given at the residence of Mr. John Thompson, Elm street, on Tuesday evening next, in aid of Knox church improvement fund. An entire evening program will be prepared. The public are cordially invited. On Wednesday evening a children's social will be given at Mr. Thompson's residence, extending to 10 o'clock.

GENEAL.—Now is the time to buy your clothing at Clime, Hay & Co's. On and after Monday the 22nd inst. we will sell our imported stock of English, Scotch and Canadian tweeds, overcoats, ready made clothing, hats and caps, and all general furnishings at cost.

Suits made to order, and guaranteed. CLIME, HAY & CO. 34.

Back Ball.—The "Actives" of Woodstock passed through Listowel on Tuesday last, on their way to Harrison, where they met the "Inerters," defeating them by a score of 17 to 4. On the following day the return match was played at Woodstock, resulting in favor of the "Inerters" by 14 to 2. In the premises it would be a hard matter to decide which club is most entitled to the distinction of "amateur champions."

The Provincial Exhibition.—It has always been contended that the Agricultural and Arts Association were heavy losers whenever the Provincial Exhibition was held far east as Ottawa. Notwithstanding the attractions of royalty and other accessories, the deficit this year, as compared with the previous year's fair at Toronto, is nearly \$11,000. It has been decided to hold the Provincial Exhibition next year, and to keep the Exhibition open for two weeks.

FAVORITE.—The farmer's cheap excursion to Niagara Falls on Tuesday, 7th October, over the G. W. R. Fare for the round trip, only \$1.50, half price.

THE LAST OF THE SEASON.—On Monday, 3rd inst. the late James Young, a mechanic who has recently pitched his tent in this town, up before Mayor Scott for having been drunk at a residence.

While under the influence of John Barleycorn, Young indulged himself in abusing the constable's family with his tongue, which remarks are no means original. He was fined \$5 and costs, in all \$10.50, which it is to be hoped will be a checkmate to his artful oratory when he elects to go on a tender.

PROF. DOBLER.—This renowned magician is announced to give a series of his highly amusing entertainments at Bricker's hall on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings of next week. The Brantford *Expositor* makes the following allusion to Prof. Dobler's late visit to Brantford:—

"This gentleman appeared before a large and delighted audience last evening at Brantford. His performance is free from all questionable means of creating an interest, and his slighted humor is that of a master of the profession. The whole programme is open to scrutiny, and the only element of mystery on the part of Herr Dobler defies detection. His mental powers are of a high order, and he is a man of a high order of intelligence. Some ladies and gentlemen went away last night taking with them a number of beautiful presents. One lady, especially, was highly delighted with a watch which will last for a number of years, and which will be distributed."

BANQUET.—FARMERS.—Clime, Hay & Co. will after Monday the 22nd inst. sell their teas, sugars and general groceries at cost for cash.

LITERARY SOCIETY.—At a well attended meeting in the Mechanics' Institute room on Tuesday evening it was decided to organize a literary society and preliminary steps were taken for that purpose. After discussing the matter pretty fully, a provisional committee was appointed, and an adjournment was made till Monday evening next, when officers will be appointed and the society put in working order. We would suggest to the young men of the town especially that they identify themselves with the organization; the object of elevating the

The Midnight Fire Bell.

What a sad story it is to hear the sharp clang of the midnight fire bell. To the dozing sleeper the plaintive moan of the more shrill cry of her darling child that lies in its crib by her bedside, the only warning of its suffering from an attack of inflammation of the bowels, the shock is not less to the mother's heart than to the child's.

FALL SHOWS, 1879.

Southern Fair, Brantford, October 6 to 8.

Mornington & Millbank, Oct. 10.

South Perth at St. Mary's, Oct. 7 and 8.

Huron live stock at Clinton, Oct. 15 and 16.

East Wawanosh, at Huron, Oct. 8.

Poel & Maryboro' show at Greenfield, Oct. 9.

South Huron, at St. Mary's, Oct. 10.

North Waterloo, at Waterloo, Oct. 7, 8, 9.

Norfolk Union, at Simcoe, on the 15th and 16th October.

MISS UNSWORTH, late of Ottawa and Ladies College, is opening a class for instruction in

PENCIL AND CRAYON DRAWING, FRISCHBACH'S PATENT

Terms very moderate. Call at Mr. James Green's, Haglan street.

VIENNA BAKERY!

PARTNERSHIP DISSOLVED.

The partnership of MESSRS. BELL & DAVIDSON having been dissolved,

D. M. DAVIDSON

begs to inform the public that the business will in future be carried on by him, and that he is thankful for the liberal patronage in the past.

They took considerable stock and other freight along with them. Mr. John Livingston Jr., town agent of the Great Western Railway Company, accompanied a number of friends assembled at the station to see them off and wish them a safe journey to their new home.

THE PILGRIM FATHERS.—This was the subject of a very interesting and instructive lecture delivered in the Congregational Church on Friday evening last by Rev. Mr. Handford of Toronto and which was listened to by a large and attentive audience.

The speaker in introducing the subject matter of his discourse, said he had nothing grand or great in the estimation of the world to relate regarding the Pilgrim Fathers of New England.

In the acceptance of the term they were not heroes, nor did the world then appear to be so much interested in their story as it is now.

He pointed out the influence that to protest against some of the actions and principles of the ruling powers of the day, but on the contrary they were outcasts from the world.

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Welland Canal Enlargement.

Notice to Contractors

SEALED TENDERS ADDRESSED TO the Secretary of Public Works, and endorsed "Tenders for Welland Canal," will be received at the office of the Secretary of Public Works, at the Eastern and Western Mills on FRIDAY the 3rd day of October next, at 12 o'clock, noon.

The plans and specifications of the works to be done can be seen at this office and the Welland Canal Office, St. Catharines, on and after SATURDAY, the 20th day of SEPTEMBER next.

Contractors are requested to bear in mind that tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed conditions of contract, and that the nature of the work to be done is of a most important character, and that the success of the same will depend on the prompt execution of the same, and that the contractor is to be held responsible for the completion of the work, which shall be forfeited if the contractor fails to complete the same within the time specified in the contract.

The cheque for the amount of the contract, satisfactory security will be required by the deposit of money to the amount of 5 per cent. of the contract, and the balance of the contract money in full with the tender will be considered.

Ninety per cent. only of the progress estimate will be paid until the completion of the work.

To each tender must be attached the actual signatures of two responsible and solvent persons, residents of the Dominion, willing to become sureties for the carrying out of these conditions, as well as the due performance of the contract, and the contractor's name and address, and the name of the contractor.

This department does not, however, bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

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The premises now occupied by the owner, MR. JOHN BINNING,

Lot No. 4, on Division, Bay and Penelope streets, known as the Binning homestead, and also several houses and lots in the West Ward, including the

RAILWAY HOTEL at the Great Western Railway Station.

The homestead property embraces a large and well situated dwelling, with excellent stables, sheds, etc., and a soft water well. The whole is well watered, and has a good orchard of apples, peaches, plums, and other fruits in full bearing.

The whole or any part of the said property will be sold for cash, or exchange as above.

For full particulars apply on the premises to the proprietor, JOHN BINNING, Listowel, January 30th, 1879.

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