Communications.

Our columns are open to a fair Discussion of all subjects, without prejudice.

To the Editor of the Herald :—

SIR—I deem it a single act of justice to Mr. N. C. Wallace, after the foul insinuation and assertion of "Plutarch" against him—made, no doubt, with a view to injure his canvass in West York—to state that I have been intimately acquainted with Mr. Wallace for several years past; a member of the County Council since his entering it, and claim to have as good a knowledge of his character and principles as any one else. His standing in the Council may be inferred by his position as Warden, the first Deputy Reeve ever elected to that honorable position, and by the largest Council ever convened in the County. It is, Sir, to my mind, a greater honor to be elected to preside over the representatative men of three Ridings of the County of York, than to represent any one of them in the House of Commons. By example, Mr. Wallace preaches temperance, and altho' I do not think a pledged tee totaller, yet, in reality, a practical one; and is ever-ready to aid in the promoting of temperance, and other Christian and charitable purposes. He also efficiently superintends one of the largest and most flourishing Sabbath Schools in the County.

Now, with regard to the relative claims of Mr, Wallace and Blain on the electors of West York, (politics aside,) the first is a local man, doing a large and legitimate business in the Riding, holding in connection with his family a large amount of property therein, made by their own honest industry;—not by fat contracts either political or matrimonial. I should like to know what interest Mr. Blain has in the Riding. Has he even the property qualification of a voter? Has he any interest in common with the agriculturalist? Or would an increase of one dollar a barrel on flour be so much more out of his pocket? the latter seems most likely; hence the explanation of opening our markets to the American Farmer.

Yours, etc.,

FARMER.

April 9th, 1878.

Union School Board

April 5, 1878.

Pursuant to notice the Board of School Trustees met in the High School building at 3.30 this day. Members present.— R. Marsh, Chairman, Rev. I Campbell, W. C. Patterson, J. Lane, D. Boyle and J. Duncan W. Trench, M. Teefy.

In the absence of Mr. Isaac Crosby, M. Teefy was requested to act as Secretary *pro tem.*

The Secretary read the minutes of 6th of February, which were approved.

The following accounts were read.—

M. H. Keefler, dated 15th.... March, 1878.....	$12 68
M. H. Keefler, dated 26th..... March. 1878.....	10 00
M. H. Keefler, for printing.... financial statements.....	3 50
Total.....	$26 10

Mr. Patterson moved, seconded by Mr. Duncan, that the Treasurer is hereby instructed to pay Mr. Keefler the sum of twenty-six dollars and ten cents in settlement of the accounts first read.—Carried.

The Chairman read a communication from the Deputy Minister of Education, dated February, 1878,—setting forth the particulars of the Government Grant to the High School for the last half of the year 1877, as follows:—

"Fixed Grant".....	$200 00
"Average" 37 at 50 cents"...	18 50
"On Inspection".....	46 40
"Upper School Attendance"..	27 50
Total for half-year. ..	$292 40

Two communications were read from the Provincial Treasurer, dated respectively 4th and 5th March, 1878,—relating to cheques enclosed to Chairman of the Board on account of purchases of Maps, etc.

Two communications from Mr. D. Fotheringham, Public School Inspector, N. D. of York, dated 22nd September, 1877, and 21st January, 1878 respectively, relating to Mr. Switzer's claim on High School for services as conductor of Intermediate Examinations, were read. Also a communication from Mr. James Bracken, teacher of the Senior Department of the Public School, dated 5th April, 1878, stating that James Wiley (one of Mr. Bracken's pupils,) a short time ago during recess, broke a desk in the High School, and for which he has not made the necessary amends, and has left his department sooner than repair the damage.

A communication was read from Mr. George Eakin, Clerk of the Council of the County of York, dated April 2nd, 1878, relating to the High School Grant for "this half-year."

Rev. I. Campbell moved, seconded by J. Duncan, that the Treasurer is hereby instructed to pay to Mr. Switzer the amount due to him for services in conducting Intermediate Examination.

Mr. Boyle moved, seconded by Mr. Duncan, that Mr. James Bracken be instructed to write by authority of this Board to James Wiley's father, and demand payment for damage done to School property by his son, and that James Wiley be suspended until the matter is satisfactorily settled.—Carried.

The Committee for the care of School property, are authorized to procure necessary blackboard for Mrs. Wiley's Department.

The Board adjourned.

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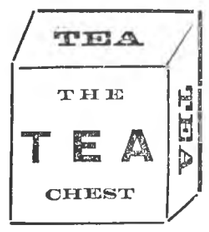

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