Weir." It is not an agreeable task

equaintance as a future residence. The invitation to the Sons to visit Milton

the style the better. If our local poets must see their productions in print, al-

part of those who have to endure the

reading of the articles in question.

doping you will excuse me for trespass-

Esquesing Council.

This Council met at Stewarttown pur-

uant to adjournment. All the mem-

A By-law was introduced and read

the necessary times and passed for the

appointment of pathmasters, fence-view-

ers and poundkeepers for the current

the improvement of the hill 27, 9th con-

ression; also \$5.50 for grave and coffin

for the remains of the late Dugald Me-

Moved by Mr. Warren, seconded by Mr. McEnery, that Messrs. Wriggles-worth and Lindsay be a committee to

examine culverts from Ballinafad to Ashgrove, and to order repairs of the

same as occasion requires.—Carried.
Moved by Mr. Lindsay, seconded

erection of a culvert in Stewarttown,

Mr. Lindsay, that the Inspector of Li-

censes (Mr. D. Cook) be paid \$12 for

his services for a portion of the year:-

Moved by Mr. Wrigglesworth, seconded by Mr. McEnery, that the fol-

lowing alterations be made in the Road

Divisions from Ashgrove to Ballinafa-l

viz: The Ashgrove Division to extend

21, then from the Toll-gate to lot 26 in-clusive, and one lot east and west be-

tween 22 and 24, then from lot 27 to lot

weddle's division extend from Mair

street in Stewarttown along John street

The Council then adjourned to meet

advertisements in to-day's paper, in

very large lot of new goods, suitable for

great slaughter of goods, and to the fact

that all the goods are fresh and new

and not bankrupt stocks. Read the ad-

Repairing made a speciality and

all work warranted as represented, by

-The cheapest lot of ladies'

-Gents, you can get anything

the Jewelery line at reasonable ces. C. & G. Hynds, Post Office,

-For the best Tea Cakes go to

-For Fruit Cake, Pound Cake

Acros Bakery.-Wanted any

unntity of fresh eggs and fresh butter,

for which we will pay the highest price

fresh and cheap, go to Galloway Bros.

case of Felt Hats -- assorted -- choice for

-A good stock of thirty hour

clocks always on hand, and at the lowest figures, by C. & G. Hynds, Post

EPPS' COCOA .- GRATEPUL AND COM-

rorting.—"By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the

operations of digestion and nutrition,

which may save us many heavy doctors'

BIRTHS.

In Nassagaweyn, on the 4th May. the wife of Mr. Hugh Aikins, of a son.

In Acton, on the 6th inst., the wife of Mr. Patrick Kelly, of a daughter.

April 6, 1876.

ROCK BOTTOM TOUCHED. - A

Galloway Bros., Acton Bakery.

in cash - GALLOWAY Bros.

Acton Bakery.

ing lectures. We understand it is his 50c. at Christie, Henderson & Co.'s,

Mr. N. McPhatter, teacher of S. S. Epps has provided our breakfast tables ringing more of his acholars to profess.

misses' and children's prunella and

leather shoes in the province to be got at the Cash System.—Christie, Hender-

to the centre of the 6th concession -

Moved by Mr. McEnery, seconded by

the cost to be about \$40. - Carried.

READER.

Yours, &c.

ing on your space, I am,

Acton, May 9, 1876.

11:35 a.m. | erate drinkers" society, and cannot be IN ALL LINES very flattering to the Sons. In whatever part of the next world " Perdition's Care" may lie, it is hardly the place we like to hear assigned to an old

Just opening out full lines of

jail and linger there a while, is certainly rather original, and the rest of the article is in perfect harmony with what article is in perfect harmony with what New Dry Goods, New Millinery, Ladies' Ready-made Suits,

Children's Ready-made Suits, Beantiful Grenadines, Parasols, etc.

ACTON,

Groceries and Crockery,

Roal Good Tea at 40 Cents. Sots of Dishes from 15 Cents to \$8.50

An attractive stock of FINE

Also a fresh stock of

JEWELRY

The store has again been enlarged and relitted to accommodate the ad-itional lines of goods. Call and see us. D. McNAIR. Acton, May 3, 1876.

On motion, the Treasurer was authorized to pay \$30 for the benefit of the family of Wm. Wallace; also \$35.36 for lumber and material purchased for the CALL AND SEE repair of bridges and culverts in the second electoral division; also \$10 to Henry Cole for repair of culvert near Silverereek; also to Thos. McClure for McNAB'S SPRING STOCK. dy and Thes. Henderson for repairs of the cross-road 22 and 23 in the 7th con-

Large Lot of PRINTS of the Most Select Patterns

EAST END.

Also the Celebrated DUNDAS COTTONS in London. He arrived at Queenstown Mr. Warren, that Messrs. John Stewart, on the 25th ult, having had a very John Shortreed and John Hanby be apceedingly low rates. pointed commissioners to superintend the erection of a bridge on lot 5, 4th concession, and to advertise for tenders

We have now an lamense Stock of

SPRING TWEEDS

Of the Best Patterns that can be had in the market

** We are determined not to be undersold.

DICKSON & McNAB.

DRUGS, DRUGS.

CHEAPEST

Acton, March 29, 1876.

wood pile. He escaped two flying The next division shall extend to Lot No. 15 inclusive, and one lot east and Drugs, Chemicals, Dye Stuffs, west. The next division shall extend Patent and Proprietory Medicines, from Lot 16 to Lot No. 18, both Lots

inclusive. The next division from lot Fancy and Toilet Soaps, 20 to the old Toll-gate, and one lot east | Sponges, Brushes. and west on cross riad between 20 and

Paints. Oils and Varnishos.

PURE WINES AND LIQUORS for Modicinal Purposes only. All goods warranted of the best quality and at ten per cent below foronto 'in the Temperance Hall last Monday | west between 27 and 28, and that Joseph | prices.

Medical Hall, Mill street, Acton. Acton, March 13, 1875. G. E. MOBROW.

THAT WONDERFUL MAN.-Mr. FRESH ARRIVAL OF SPRING GOODS. Dry Goods, Fancy Goods, Prints, John Hogg has one of his characteristic THE which he announces the arrival of a

GEORGETOWN,

TO THE FRONT AS USUAL.

With all the newest styles in

SPRING GOODS.

In consequence of the depression of trade and the eagerness of manu-

facturers to secure money for their goods, we have laid down here the largest and cheapest stock of GOODS

DRESS GOODS, we have all the latest novel-Maderia Cake, Pastry, Ginger-bread, Gingersnaps, Confectionery, &c.. go to Galloway Bros. ties in Check, Plain and Fancy Colored Lustres, Silk Poplins and Silk Repps, Black and Fancy Silks, Black and Grey Grenadines Black Lustres, &c., &c.

Ever imported into this country.

PRINTS, a large and varied stock, embracing Ashton & Hoyle's Checks, American Checks, Percole's Ginghams, &c., &c., all remarkably cheap.

-For all kinds of biscuits, good, IN COTTONS, we have the best and cheapest stock ever offered to the public. Beautiful yard wide grey and white Cottons for 9c per yard. The American goods, such as Prints. White Cottons. Tickings, Cotton Warp, Cottonades, Brown Drills, Brown and Check Ducks, and other notions, have been imported direct from the manufacturers, and are being sold by us only at the Canadian wholesale prices. We have also on hand lines which we are always

able to job, such as Dress Goods, Prints, Tweeds, &c. ILLINERY.—Our Millinery Show Room is now in full blast, replete with all the latest povelties from all the fashion able centres, consisting of Shawls, Mantles, Hats. Bonnets, Flowers, Feathers, Ribbons, Parasols, new Check Waterproofs, Sun Hats &c.

ORDERED CLOTHING,—In spite of the hard times and the depression of trade our Ordered Clothing Department the same money. is steadily going ahead. It is far in advance of any season yet. It is proof positive of the cheapness and fit of our Goods, and the universal satisfaction which we give our customers. A large lot of cloths from the best manufacturers of Europe and America to choose from. An immense variety of Gents Furnishings, Hats and Caps, Ready made Clothing, &c. &c.

to Rockwood Academy, and two to Tait's Academy, Owen Sound, last week. We congratulate the young Sound Hundreds of subtle maladies are floating ARPETS.—A magnificent assortment of beau tiful patterns from 50c. per yard.

Received this week, at G. M.
Scott's store, Acton, New Prints from 51 cents per yard up, New Check Ging. htms; Oxford Shirtings at 15 cents, worth 25-cents; also Black Lustres, worth 25-cents; also Black Lustres, and Store are described and substitute of the subst

"Goods Sold for Cash. No Second Price." To

McLEOD. ANDERSON & Co. MAMMOTH HOUSE, GEOR SETOWN.

Acton, April 5, 1876.

WONDERFUL MAN, JOHN HOGG, GUELPH. Upper Wyndham Street, Alma Block

Tremendous Excitement I See the Rush! Great Slaughter. Panio!

> No Old Bankrupt Stock to Palm Off. 1834 Cases and Bales of Fancy and Staple Dry Goods at Prices that will astonish the People

These are times that people must have good, sound and honest goods in return for their money; [moth eaten and bankrupt stuff won't do for the resent intelligent day]. I have had to come to the rescue before to day; and now that the Trade of Guelph requires regulating, I am again called in battle against high prices, inferior classes of goods and old fogy notions. I have this day marked off

An Immense Quantity of Staple and Fancy Dry Goods, And I will astonish the inhabitants at the cheapness of really first class goods. Don't delay, but call and be satisfied. To Millinery, Millinery:

est Designs in the Millinery and Mantle Departments. MISS SULLIVAN the Lady Milliner, presents to the public the most elegant taste and designs in Ladies' Hats and Bonnets to be found on this Continent. Indeed the eulogies bestowed on her taste in Trimmed Hats, &c., are almost beyond description. I would earnestly request a visit of the Ladies to my

Black, Colored and Plaid Silks, Such exceedingly good and elegant qualities as are on sale at such extremely cheap prices, cannot fail to satisfy all—that there cannot be a doubt about purchasing at that Wonderful Man's Mammoth Store. Ladies fancy dress goods are a marvel of beauty, elegance and cheapness. Don't forget those wonderful Lustres at 121 cents per yard, well worth 20 cents, amazing value.

My prices all through this department are a terror to competition; [it's weakness in me, but I can't help it, to give cheap goods.]

My Old Motto is: Large Sales; Cheap Goods; Small Profits and Ready Pay. My old friends and customers will be glad to hear of this large arrival of cheap and good goods by double better than any bankrupt stock.

JOHN HOCC, Alma Block, Upper Wyndham Street, Guelph

WYNDHAM STREET.

GUELPH

Have just opened a third case of

Reversible Dress Goods

AT FIFTEEN CENTS.

Also a case of White

Cotton Hosiery, cheap. 4 pair

case of very choice

Dress Goods at 20c and 25c.

May 5, 1875 STOVES Wm. Stewart & Co. 1876. SPRING.

THE BEST COODS

FOR THE LEAST MONEY

HALTON COUNTY, ONT., MAY 11,

AT THE GLASGOW HOUSE,

The Fountain Head for Bargains.

CHRISTIE,

ACTON, Being satisfied that Large Sales, Small Profits, and Quick Returns, will not only pay better than

having the goods remain on the shelves, but will enable them to constantly show a greater variety,

Fancy and Rubber Goods. Have Marked all their Goods Down to the Very Lowest Figure,

and have now in stock and arriving daily magnificent lines of

Notions, Millinery, Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes, Black Dress Goods, MAMMOTH HOUSE Shirtings, Ducks, Denims,

Grey and White Cottons. Cottonades, Tickings, etc., etc., Takes pleasure in announcing to the public generally that he is prepared to

AT THE CHOST OF FORMER PRICES.

FRESH STOCK OF

GENERAL GROCERIES

Also full lines of the best brands of.

TEAS-Green, Black and Japan,

at the lowest prices ever offered to the Canadian Hearse Supplied when Desired public. Our 50c. TEA has no equal for the money.

Money may be scarce with you, but remember Fit up Stores & Offices that our prices will be in proportion to your purse; and, if you have the money to spend and want our goods, do not fail to see us soon.

We adhere strictly to the Ready Pay System, and "Popular Cash Prices," and the popular verdict on our prices is that no goods of the same style and quality can be bought anywhere else for

Any Quantity of FRESH EGGS Wanted. for which we will pay cash when required.

Our terms are Cash or produce.

None of our customers are obliged to pay the Butchering Business bad debts of somebody clse.

It won't cost you anything to examine our stock. able to furnish fresh meats of all pointed to a township, they are hereby No one is compelled to purchase. A call respect- cleanly dressed. fully solicited.

CHRISTIE, HENDERSON & CO.

Acton, March 15th 187s.

TINWARE

If you want a Boss

COOKING STOVE

PARLOR STOVE. WILSON &

JOHNSON'S Always in stock,

Stoves, Stove Trimmings, Tin, Shect-Iron and Japanned Ware.

for 25 cents. Particular attention paid to New French Kid Gloves.

EAVETROUGHING. Stencelling and Jobbing

The undersigned begs leave to inform the people of Acton and vicinity that he will furnish all

Requisites in Undertaking

on short notice and reasonable terms as

Also that he will

n the East style.

made to order.

FURNITURE REPAIRED

Shop on Willow street, near Mhin st.

NEW

Acton, March 20, 1876.

on hand at the Shop.

P. M. McCANN.

done on the shortest notice. Ladies' Silk Ties, from Cotton Rags, Copper, Brass, Iron and other produce taken in 10c, very stylish, at 25ch

In Swiss Embroideries as Call and See Us. Ta we hold a large assortment and prices that astonish, from 7c. Remember the stand, one door west of the Canalla Glove Works, MILL STREET, ACTON.

Parasols and Silk Um-W. R. WILSON. I. P. JOHNSON. brellas, from 25c. Acton, April 11, 1876.

Nottingham Lace Curtains from \$1 to \$15 a pair. Misses' and Ladies' Striped, Cotton-Hose, all sizes and qualities; also, White and Colored, every size and quality.

New Prints, New Cottons.

LIVERY & SALE STABLE We are selling White Shirtings by the piece at whole-J. P. ALLAN panes, Sheetings, Towels, Table

First-class Horses and Carriages New Gent's Dress Shirts, New Oxford Shirts New Felt His Rigs and Horses are the best that can be had, and he is determined not to be surpassed by any City Stable. Acton July 1st, 1875. and Silk Hats, New Coatings and

UNDERTAKING. WH. STEWART & Co. MEORGETOWN

Implement Warercom AND FEED STORE.

The subscribers beg to announce to pened a wareroom on Main Street. Georgetown, next the hay scales, where they will keep always in stock the most desirable kind of

Farming Implements. Also in connection, they have opened a

FEED STORE. where will always be kept a large stock of flour, feed and seeds, of various de-J.C. DEVEREAUX.

ALLAN MOORE, Manager. Geor etown, April 12: 1876;

CHEMICAL MANURES.

Butcher Shop. Proved to be equal for all crops to Barn-

The Brockville Chemical & Superhosphate Works, Brockville, Oak. ALEX. COWAN, Manager.

Any substantial farmer, with good-S. ZIMMERMAN Would inform the people of Acton

eferences, can purchase one ton or reand vicinity that he has again comcrops are harvested—and perhaps marketed—by paying interest on note at rate of seven per cent per annum.

Where no agent has been appointed in In this village, and from his tong a township, each postmaster is hereby experience in this line he will be authorized to act as agent to receive required to report same to postmasters in their township immediately, in order

Tuesdays and Saturdays, and always TOB PRINTING of a The patronage of the public is re-FREE PRESS S. ZIMMERMAN. Next the Post Office

Ment delivered at the houses to prevent confusion.

forning Mail

Night Express ..

LOCAL MATTERS.

Sunday Evening, by Mr. Everton, on-

been titivated up very nicely, and now

show attractive goods of various kinds.

elry repaired neatly, send it to C. & G. Hynds, Post Office, Acton.

-The windows of our stores

have all been handsomely decorated

within the past few days, giving them s

-The next Entrance Examina

tions to Collegiate Institutes and High

Schools will be held on Tuesday and

Wednesday, the 27th and 28th days of

-Some of our storekeepers are

keeping very late hours. The habit is

a dangerous one, and if persisted in will ruin their reputation for-(We'll

-The Minister of Education has

appointed Monday, the 10th day

aminations of teachers for the current

year, for certificates of the first, second

-We learn from Mr. R. B.

Cook that he received a letter from his

son Charles, who recently sailed for

Liverpool to attend Spurgoon's College

pleasant voyage, and in excellent health

bonor, the hystanders kindly loaded up

a double-tarrelled shot gun. After

considerable trouble, they decided to

tosa for first shot, which the aggressing

party was fortunate enough to secure.

Our friend was accordingly posted up at

twenty paces distance, with instructions

to stand still Instead of this, he sur-

prised the spectators by making tracks

shots through his adversary's want of

One of the most interesting

and entertaining lectures we have I's-

evening by F. G. Widdows, a recently

converted monk. The Hall was crowd-

ed to its utmost capacity, and notwith-

standing that the entertainment occu-

pled fully two hours, the best of order

and the deepest of interest was main-

tained throughout. The lecturer is a

young man of brilliant talent, witty,

eloquent, and instructive. He is Eng-

lish by berth, but "his mother was an

which enables him at one moment to

convulse his hearers with laughter and

his pathos. His vivid description of

which he personally visited, was in-

customs of the Roman Catholic coun-

tries, with incidents of the superstitious

ignorance with which the people were.

enshrouded, were vividly portrayed, as

also was the description of the manner

in which the popes and other dignita-

ries of the church, were made, and how

they were worshiped and idolized. His

whole discourse, however, was not cal-

culated to cast reproach upon any mem-

ber of the Catholic Church, or to incite

a spirit of retaliation ; the object of the

lecturer being apparently to relate facts

and incidents which had come under his

own observation, and which when seen

through the light of his converted mind,

appeared now to be so supremely ridicu-

lous. The lecture was interspersed with

s number of laughable anecdotes, and

was concluded with a brilliant perora-

tion. Mr. Widdows has been but a

few months a convert from Romanism,

and has only recently commenced giv-

intention to continue in the lecture

field during the summer months. He

will deliver another lecture this even-

ing in the Temperance Hall; Subject,

"Monkish Imposters, ancient and mod-

ern," and will again appear in his mon-

No. 7, Nassagaweya, has again been

bringing more of his scholars to profici-

Pancy Check, Dress Goods-the most

fashionable goods in the market; Lice Custains, Silk Parasols and Umbrellas;

Black and Colored Kid Gloves at 90 cts

per pair, sold other places for \$1.25 per pair. G. M. Scott

Pine Grove School.

Rome and its 365 churches, many o

practice, and lives to tell the tale.

" For those that fly may fight again,

Which he can never do that's slain.

-One evening last week a gon-

tell you some other time.)

and third class.

tidy, and apring-like appearance.

-Ladies, if you want your Jew-

See advertisement for particulars.

The Picture Gallery."

-Dr. McGarvin has lost a cow.

10:05 p.m.

-Lecture in Baptist Chapel next I have noticed, while the less said of

-Mr. Matthews' windows have low me to suggest that a change in the theme would be very acceptable, and at least secure a little more patience on the

July, for the commencement of the ex. Kechnie; also \$2.45 to George Kenne-

tleman in our village, while consider-ably elevated, was accidentally insulted. Joseph Tweddle, J. Murray and E.

As nothing but blood-would satisfy his Nixon be appointed to superintend the

he in a lively manner for a neighboring | to Lot No. 12, 7th concession inclusive.

tened to in a long time, was delivered | 31, both inclusive, and one lot east and

Irishman," and he has evidently de the season. He calls attention to the rived from the latter the true Irish wit, tremendous excitement up town, to the

at the next to melt them to tears with vertisement and then go and see the

structive and amusing; the manners and | C. & G. Hynds, Post Office, Acton.

wonderful man.

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