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LOCAL MISCELLANY.

THE CONWAY FLOOD is abated.

MR. JAMES LEMOY is busily engaged repairing the east end of Mr. Baker's store, recently injured by the late flood.

O. Y. B.—The Orange Young Britons announce their last assembly of the season for Thursday next.

LUMBERING.—Large numbers of men and teams arrived in town during the past week, the sleighing breaking up.

IN TORONTO, Messrs G. H. Keeve, W. Milne, and W. Wilson, of Lindsay, were registered at the Walker House, on Monday last.

WANTED in the Montreal Telegraph office a stout intelligent boy as messenger, with a view to learning the business. Apply at the office at once. 718-1

BENSON HOUSE.—The furniture for this house has been selected from Jacques & Hays' celebrated establishment, Toronto, and is now being delivered. Mr Benson has been in town for the past week, and has been assiduous in his endeavors to have the house opened at an early day, which he expects will be about the first of April.

PERSONALS. Mr J. B. Knowlson, our efficient town clerk, we are sorry to learn, has been ailing for some days past, to such an extent that he was unable to attend Town Council on Monday evening. Mr W. H. Grout, dentist, also has been unable to attend his office for the ad few days through illness. We wish both gentlemen a speedy recovery.

LINDSAY ORCHESTRA. An orchestra has been lately organized in town, under the leadership of Mr T. Hare, and is now in practice. It is composed of some of our best musicians, and will without doubt in the course of time, be a credit to the town. They have now on the way from Toronto, a band-stand, which with the instruments now on hand, will be sufficient to constitute a first class orchestra.

VICTORIA RAILWAY. We learn that negotiations have been commenced on the Victoria Railway, at Haliburton, pending the settlement of a definite arrangement between the Company and the English Land Company, and also negotiations with the Local Government. The men have all been paid up, and Beason, accompanied by Engineer Ross and the Secretary of the Company having been in the District for the last few days for the purpose.

POETIC.—From present appearances we are justified in predicting an epidemic of original poetic fire this spring. Some slight cases have been reported in Southern and county. Early rising and morning snow shovelling is a never-failing remedy for the unwelcome visitor of the malady, and most young things attacked by it should compact their mothers in the kitchen until their system throws off that infection.

EASTER BEEF. Mr J Howden has made arrangements for placing upon his counter a display of Easter Beef, which will excel any previous display in town. He has secured a number of superior cattle fed by Mr Wickham, of Manvers, and intends to fully live up to his reputation in the matter of fat. Very fine sheep raised by same person, all of which are young and well fed. He also will have a very fine assortment of other meats. We would advise our town readers to see Mr. Howden's stock before giving their orders for their Easter dinner. The stock will be ready for inspection on Saturday morning, 27th inst.

THE BRIDGE.—On Wednesday last, Mr Thos. Decker, teacher in school section No. 3, Ops, was brought before J. Connolly, Esq., with having illegally punished a son of Mr Geo. Moore by whipping with the stick, which was proved in court, appeared to be rather large for such a crime, the action was in such a case to warrant the magistrate to decide against the teacher. The case was thrown out of court, costs being laid in his matter. A. O'Leary, Esq., appeared in behalf of the teacher.

LOVE AMONG THE "SNOWSES." They manufactured a Kent Street hand in hand. She, arrayed in a pink bonnet, clothed in muslin, with innumerable ribbons and flounces, presenting over the immaculate Lucretia side. He was raw-boned, lank and lean. Every shop window was a panorama, at which they gazed with undisguised admiration. Their ends were always reciprocal and being apparently happy they heeded not that they were the cynic of attraction for all the heartless youths and continental smokers of calico who crowded the front rows behind the shop blinds, and admired their rural simplicity. They had purchased the "writings" and would soon be one and happy.

"SLEIGHING WITH A GIRL." A young man of acknowledged poetical ability writes in defence of "delighting with a girl," in limpid phrases as follows:—"Of all the pleasures conducted to man's life, long enough, there's naught equal to sleighing with a girl—sleighing with a girl—laughing, buxom girl, a feeling flirting, kicking, dodging, smiling, smacking, joking, jovial, jocund, joking, hoar little dock of a girl. Pile up your wealth mountain high, you sneering, scoffing cynic! Fling it all golden with my jingling bells and girl! Give me the brightest, dearest, sweetest girl, the truest, gayest, neatest girl, the funniest, flushed, frolicsome, fanciful, romantic, ripest, roguishest, rosiest, rattlest, rarest, rightest, curvest, curliest, squarest, best of girls, with dreaming lashes half-concealing, half-revealing amorous lashes, just the girl for a sleigh ride to court, love, and marry, you see, with my bricks, chattering curls, the sweetest and the best of girls."

FARM DWELLINGS. We have had occasion before to notice the enterprise being exhibited by many of our agricultural friends in various parts of this county, in the erection of a greatly improved and substantial description of dwellings, and to-day we have to record a similar case, which has for some years attracted the labours of the husbandman in a succession of good crops and fair prices have contributed much to this happy condition of affairs. We allude to the new residence, a sketch of the enterprise we speak of exhibited by Mr Wm Graham, Ops, also is about erecting a dwelling for himself. It will be composed of red brick with facings of white, inside of which will be a filling of concrete, thereby making it a warm house. We came down the other day the elevation and plans of the building, very neatly executed by Mr James Fagell, Architect, of this town, and we have no hesitation in recommending those intending to build during the approaching season to consult with him on an important a subject. It sometimes happens that considerable loss is caused for want of advice in such matters from experienced persons.

BEETHOVEN QUINTETTE CLUB.—We would remind our readers that this celebrated musical organization will appear here on Monday, 29th inst. We would advise our readers who have not secured seats to do so at once, as they are selling rapidly. This will be Mrs. Granger Bond's farewell appearance before singing in London, England. We quote an extract from the Quebec Mercury:—"Mrs. Granger Bond's farewell appearance before singing in London, England, bearing the warm support of all classes of Quebec, faithful interpretations of the Angel of the ordeal, numbers, and exponents of the art of the ordeal, numbers, and exponents of the art of the ordeal, numbers, and exponents of the art