OUR TORONTO LETTER.

THE LEGISLATURE—THE ADJOURNMENT—ANOTHER BLOW AT BRITISH CONNECTION—MUNICIPAL MATTERS—TORIES AND REFORMERS—THE LIQUOR QUESTION—SHORT-HAND REPORTERS IN THE LAW COURTS.

[Special correspondence of The Post.]

TORONTO, Dec 28th.

THE ADJOURNMENT.

On the [illegible] day but one before the Assembly [illegible] Christmas holidays, His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor came down to give his assent to certain Bills which had passed the third reading, and one of which, the Ballot Act, was necessary to the approaching municipal elections. As usual, orders had been issued for the volunteers to turn out as a guard of honor, but it was soon found out that they had not been paid for the part they took in the opening ceremonies a few weeks ago, and the order was countermanded. Of course no sensible person thought His Honour a whit less dignified because he was forced to come down Simcoe St., and along Front St. without any attendants except his aide, but the Tories have been endeavoring to make some political capital at the expense of the Reform Government at Toronto and Ottawa on what they are pleased to term the meanness of the latter. I have already indicated the change that has for some time been coming over public opinion in regard to this matter, and I am much mistaken if the capital made will not turn out to be on the other side of the account. The general impression is that "guards of honor" and other paraphernalia are all parts of a grand farce—a kind of burlesque on royalty with which we can justly dispense. The office of Lieut.-Governor is a useful and necessary one, but there is no occasion for making him either ridiculous or a martyr to a piece of needless and absurd pomp. I am much mistaken also if this does not turn out to be the last order of the kind issued to the militia. Henceforth in all probability, His Honor will be permitted to come down from his residence to the House with the utmost privacy, and before long he will doubtless be allowed to doff the silk breeches and wear a pair of comfortable broadcloth trousers. Let us by all means be conservative of what is useful, but let us guard against making ourselves ridiculous in the eyes of others as well as ourselves.

THE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

We are in the midst of excitement here just now, on account of the unusual interest taken in our municipal elections. We have a Mayor, a couple of dozen Aldermen, and four Water Commissioners to elect, and the amount of canvassing done in connection with these various elections is enormously great. The only candidates for the Mayoralty are the present incumbent of the office, Mr Medcalf, and Mr Angus Morrison. Mr Medcalf is a prominent Orangeman, and a good friend of the Licensed Victualers, both of which bodies are active in his support. He is ex officio one of the Police Commissioners, and as such has a good deal to do with regulating the liquor trade. His colleagues are Police Magistrate McNabb and Recorder Duggan. Both last year and this year the Police Board has been interviewed by deputations made up of the most respectable and influential members of the community, [illegible] those who ought to have most influence, with a view to getting some curtailment in the number of licenses issued. Judge Duggan has on both occasions manfully declared in favour of [illegible] the Police Magistrate trimmed the [illegible] and was absent the second, and Mayor Medcalf [illegible] point blank against the movement. [illegible] people have perhaps as little [illegible] opponent, who is known to the [illegible] what he boasts himself to be, "a [illegible] fellow." Mr Morrison was M. P. for [illegible] 1873, and at one time sat [illegible] in the old Canadian Parliament. He [illegible] profession and filled the civic chair of Toronto once before. He is possessed of [illegible] which his opponent is innocent [illegible] faculty of doing business and [illegible] controlling the Council so as to keep [illegible] bounds of decency. He will probably [illegible] all the Reform votes cast, while he will [illegible] sufficient number of Conservative ballots to secure his election.

POLITICS AND MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

Speaking of Reform and Conservative votes reminds me that our municipal affairs are managed here on the strict party principle. The candidates are elected for the most part on account of their political leanings, and after they become members of the Council they divide into a Ministerial and an Opposition party as openly and squarely [illegible]. The chairman of the Finance Committee is by common consent regarded as First Lord of the Treasury, and it is well understood rule that all the important chairmanships shall fall to members of the dominant party. The Opposition are of course represented on all the committees, but they are in a minority, and they can do little more than watch the proceedings of their fellow members in order to prevent as far as they can open fraud or gross mismanagement. During the year about to close the Tories have held the reins of power, and, fortunately for their opponents, civic affairs have been more mismanaged than at any time during the past five years. This is one reason for the more than usual activity just now. The Reformers are making an extra spurt, and are aided by the prevailing discontent. Two of the Tory leaders—one being the notorious Alderman Baxter, who has during the year been the Prime Minister of the party in power, have deserted [illegible] together, and are competing with two other Tories for the position of Water Commissioner. A house divided against itself cannot stand, and it would not be at all surprising if the approaching elections should give the Reformers a working majority. The Mayor will be against them, but his office is so purely ministerial now that his opposition will count for very little.

POLITICS IN MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

In this connection it may be worth noticing that the tendency to introduce Provincial and Dominion politics into municipal contests is on the increase here. A few years ago such a thing as a strict party division in the City Council was unheard of, now hardly anything is more uncommon. Every contest, whether for Mayor, Councillor, or Water Commissioner is managed with a view to influencing the electors for member of the Local Parliament, and they do unquestionably exercise some influence. If every elective official [illegible] belonged to one stripe of politics I would not give much for the chances of a political opponent to be chosen by the other party. The mere fact of a man's being a mayor, or alderman, [illegible] even a town councillor gives him a position of influence which as plain Smith, Jones, [illegible] he could never have commanded, [illegible] influence he naturally uses on behalf of the party to which he belongs, and in this way our municipal [illegible] has become part and parcel of [illegible] party organization. It must be confessed that this system is carrying out of this grand [illegible] a Tory device. The Conservatives were the first deliberately and consciously [illegible] to aim at ousting their political opponents from all municipal offices as far as they [illegible] two or three elections they have been [illegible] and not without some success, as [illegible] show. The introduction [illegible] political [illegible] into municipal matters was a great mistake. It is much out of keeping [illegible] school matters, and is calculated to do [illegible] much mischief. [illegible] for Reformers to content themselves with [illegible] they will have to go to work and [illegible] their own men or they will find [illegible] that they have been banished [illegible] township and county councils, and that [illegible] beyond thus gained the Conservatives hope to conquer this Province and the Dominion.

SHORT HAND AT A PREMIUM.

Mr Hodgens, in the Bill he introduced a few [illegible] for improving the Administration of Justice, [illegible] provision for the employment of [illegible] reporters for taking down evidence [illegible] the Superior Courts. The matter came before [illegible] of the Law Society yesterday and the [illegible] thereby taken shape and been adopted. [illegible] it will ultimately be adopted [illegible] as anything can be. Our [illegible] terribly over worked, but the law of [illegible] seem never to have attached [illegible] importance to the fact that the bulk of [illegible] from this over work was due [illegible] they are under of writing out [illegible] of the evidence. When it is [illegible] judge has to depend as much [illegible] of a witness as on the matter of [illegible] will be at once apparent that the [illegible] from trying to watch the de[illegible] of the evidence, and write it out, [illegible] must tell severely on his [illegible] the employment of good short hand reporters [illegible] by nearly a half, [illegible] appointment [illegible] which must soon be resorted [illegible] now in vogue. Should a [illegible] men suddenly arise just [illegible] serious matter for the newspapers [illegible] either to increase [illegible] their best men.

[The foregoing arrived too late for last week.]

SPECIAL NOTICES.

EPPS'S COCOA.—GRATEFUL AND COMFORTING.—"By a thorough knowledge of the natural laws which govern the operations of digestion and nutrition, and by a careful application of the fine properties of well-selected cocoa, Mr. Epps has provided our breakfast tables with a delicately flavoured beverage which may save us many heavy doctors' bills. It is by the judicious use of such articles of diet that a constitution may be gradually built up until strong enough to resist every tendency to disease. Hundreds of subtle maladies are floating around us ready to attack wherever there is a weak point. We may escape many a fatal shaft by keeping ourselves well fortified with pure blood and a properly nourished frame."—*Civil Service Gazette.*—799-1y.

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THERE IS NO ABSURDITY in the fact [illegible] Nervous System causes Consumption, Neuralgia, Bronchitis, Dyspepsia, Asthma, [illegible] Whooping Cough, Heart Disease, [illegible] why is it absurd that Fellows' [illegible] which effectually cures [illegible] should cure these also. "Remove the cause and the complaint will cease."

INTERESTING TO VOLUNTEERS.—An important article in the outfit of a soldier is a good medicine in a convenient form, and the "Canadian Pain Destroyer" is just the article. It cures wounds, bruises, and frost-bites, and is the best medicine that can be used for diarrhoea, and summer complaints generally, and it is a sure cure for rheumatism, and that class of complaints brought on by exposure or fatigue. Price 25 cts. per bottle, to be had of all medicine dealers.

IS HEALTH WORTH HAVING?—If it is protect it. It is a jewel as easily lost as virtue, and in many cases as difficult to recover. In this climate, and in particular at this season of the year, people are very apt to take cold and suffer from sore throat, [illegible] of blood and pulmonary complaints generally, which if not checked, immediately lead to serious consequences. The question arises which is the quickest and most effectual remedy? Bryan's Pulmonic Wafers have been before the public for twenty years, and have always given perfect satisfaction, and invariably effect permanent cures when taken in season. Sold by all medicine dealers and country stores generally in the Province, at 25 cents per box.

Horses Saved.

The lives of horses have been saved during the past year, and the credit is due to Darley's Condition Powders and Arabian Heave Remedy. Its preparation is being extensively used, and receives from all the highest praise. Nothing of the kind ever before been half as successful or given such universal satisfaction; it cannot be equalled. We can confidently recommend it, and would advise all who own horses to keep a supply on hand—it may be the means of saving your horse's life. Remember the name and see that the signature of Hurd & Co. is on each package. Northrop & Lyman, Toronto, Ont., proprietors for Canada. Sold by all medicine dealers.

Treasurer's Sale of Lands for Taxes.

TREASURER'S SALE OF LANDS

In the County of Victoria for arrears of Taxes,

THURSDAY, THE SEVENTEENTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, A. D. 1876,

IN THE COURT HOUSE, LINDSAY.

Part.	Lot.	Con.	Acres.	Arrears.	Proportion of cost of Advertising and Com.	Total.	Patented or Unpatented
BEXLEY.							
	17	Gull River	127	$49 35	$3 08	$52 43	patented
	20	"	100	34 05	2 70	36 75	patented
	21	"	100	32 94	2 67	35 61	patented
	30	"	63	24 45	2 46	26 91	patented
	33	"	85	28 51	2 56	31 07	patented
South West part	16	N. W. B.	50	8 99	2 07	11 06	patented
	20	"	132	55 37	3 23	58 60	patented
	21	"	130	55 27	3 23	58 50	patented
West part	30	"	55	23 10	2 42	25 52	patented
South part Block	B	N. P. R.	200	133 93	5 19	139 12	patented
North West part	4	1	105	43 19	2 92	46 11	patented
	12	1	200	42 52	2 91	45 43	patented
	4	2	190	15 75	2 24	17 99	patented
	5	2	200	23 95	2 44	26 39	patented
	7	2	200	23 95	2 44	26 39	patented
South part of East ½	8	2	30	14 10	2 20	16 30	patented
North half	6	3	100	13 97	2 19	16 16	patented
East part	5	4	65	12 26	2 15	14 41	patented
	6	4	200	21 67	2 39	24 06	patented
East half	7	4	100	9 68	2 09	11 77	patented
	12	4	200	22 80	2 42	25 22	patented
	12	7	200	71 84	3 64	75 48	patented
West half	12	8	100	9 69	2 09	11 78	patented
CARDEN.							
East half	2	1	100	43 86	2 94	46 80	unpatented
East half	4	1	100	9 50	2 09	11 59	unpatented
West half	4	3	100	9 25	2 08	11 33	unpatented
South half	25	5	100	3 32	1 93	5 25	unpatented
East half	4	10	84	10 14	2 10	12 24	patented
East half	9	10	84	8 94	2 07	11 01	unpatented
East half	10	10	84	9 79	2 09	11 88	patented
West half	15	10	84	17 69	2 29	19 98	unpatented
DALTON.							
	20	2	100	28 62	2 56	31 18	unpatented
DIGBY.							
	11	1	100	23 94	2 44	26 38	unpatented
	13	1	140	25 48	2 48	27 96	unpatented
	14	1	139	25 48	2 48	27 96	unpatented
	18	1	100	13 91	2 19	16 10	unpatented
	19	1	100	13 91	2 19	16 10	unpatented
	22	1	37	45 34	2 98	48 32	unpatented
North half	35	1	65	41 14	2 87	44 01	unpatented
	5	3	100	14 20	2 20	16 40	unpatented
	6	3	100	14 20	2 20	16 40	unpatented
	24	4	98	17 07	2 28	19 35	unpatented
	25	4	98	17 07	2 28	19 35	patented
	29	4	98	26 49	2 51	29 00	unpatented
	24	5	24	4 81	1 97	6 78	S½ patented
	25	5	49	47 91	3 04	50 95	S½ patented
DRAPER.							
	17	1	100	1 78	1 89	3 67	unpatented
	12	3	100	1 46	1 88	3 34	unpatented
	6	5	100	15 48	2 23	17 71	patented
	8	5	100	2 91	1 92	4 83	unpatented
	12	5	100	46 32	3 01	49 33	patented
	16	5	100	8 97	2 07	11 04	patented
	7	6	100	7 41	2 03	9 44	unpatented
	11	6	100	32 85	2 67	35 52	patented
	29	6	100	18 45	2 31	20 76	patented
	30	6	100	1 35	1 88	3 23	unpatented
	32	6	100	53 11	3 17	56 28	unpatented
	22	7	100	6 06	2 00	8 06	patented
	23	7	100	6 06	2 00	8 06	patented
	29	7	100	1 35	1 88	3 23	unpatented
	32	8	100	2 32	1 91	4 23	unpatented
	25	9	100	6 06	2 00	8 06	unpatented
	26	9	100	6 06	2 00	8 06	unpatented
	28	9	100	1 35	1 88	3 23	unpatented
	29	9	100	1 35	1 88	3 23	patented
	3	10	100	6 95	2 02	8 97	patented
	11	10	100	1 91	1 90	3 81	unpatented
	25	10	100	5 22	1 98	7 20	unpatented
	26	10	100	4 09	1 95	6 04	patented
	29	10	100	2 71	1 92	4 63	unpatented
	1	11	100	5 29	1 98	7 27	unpatented
	17	11	100	5 65	1 99	7 64	unpatented
	13	12	100	7 32	2 03	9 35	unpatented
	16	12	100	13 40	2 18	15 58	unpatented
	17	12	100	5 65	1 99	7 64	unpatented
	25	12	100	8 48	2 06	10 54	unpatented
	10	13	100	4 41	1 96	6 37	unpatented
	16	13	100	7 10	2 03	9 13	unpatented
	22	13	100	6 17	2 00	8 17	unpatented
	23	13	100	1 78	1 89	3 67	unpatented
ELDON.							
West half	13	1	100	2 87	1 92	4 79	patented
East half	17	1	100	12 74	2 17	14 91	patented
West half	29	2	100	18 56	2 31	20 87	patented
West half	31	2	100	12 33	2 16	14 49	unpatented
East half	31	2	100	12 33	2 16	14 49	patented
	24	4	200	26 54	2 51	29 05	patented
	24	6	200	37 85	2 79	40 64	patented
South part of West ½	9	7	65	9 06	2 07	11 13	patented
North half	16	7	100	24 05	2 45	26 50	patented
West half	19	7	100	22 84	2 42	25 26	unpatented
North half	20	7	100	21 08	2 37	23 45	patented
West half	22	7	100	7 35	2 03	9 38	patented
	14	N. P. R.	100	9 67	2 09	11 76	patented
	6	S. P. R.	100	24 03	2 45	26 48	patented
East part	14	do	25	9 05	2 08	11 13	patented
	47	do	100	3 67	1 94	5 61	patented
	48	do	100	3 67	1 94	5 61	patented
	51	do	100	85 07	3 98	89 05	patented
EMILY.							
North West quarter	20	9	50	8 03	2 05	10 08	patented
West half	3	11	100	15 18	2 22	17 40	patented
	11	12	200	15 90	2 24	18 14	patented
South half	12	14	100	7 88	2 04	9 92	patented
North half	12	14	100	7 20	2 03	9 23	patented
North half	19	14	100	34 37	2 70	37 07	patented
FENELON.							
West half	30	1	100	6 78	2 01	8 79	patented
	24	2	200	44 13	2 95	47 10	patented
North East part	29	2	31	32 07	2 65	34 72	patented
West part of West ½	31	2	10	9 48	2 08	11 56	patented
	14	4	200	22 15	2 40	24 55	patented
Broken West part	5	6	90	6 27	2 00	8 27	unpatented
Broken East part	5	6	50	5 33	1 98	7 31	unpatented
East half	12	6	100	34 15	2 71	36 86	patented
Broken East part	32	8	80	11 63	2 14	13 77	patented
Broken	31	9	40	12 19	2 15	14 34	unpatented
VILLAGE OF FENELON FALLS.							
Block A. S of Bond and E of Colborne St., S half	1		¼	12 28	2 15	14 43	patented
" " South part	2		¼	1 74	1 89	3 63	patented
" " East half	4			10 81	2 12	12 93	patented
LAXTON.							
South half	2	1	90	95 77	4 24	100 01	unpatented
West part	2	2	61	105 79	4 49	110 28	unpatented
West part	3	2	65	58 28	3 30	61 58	unpatented
East half	6	2	100	29 50	2 61	32 11	unpatented
East half	13	2	100	8 64	2 06	10 70	unpatented
East half	5	3	100	22 20	2 40	24 60	unpatented
West half	7	3	100	80 53	3 86	84 39	unpatented
East half	9	3	100	50 89	3 12	54 01	unpatented
East half	8	6	100	21 07	2 38	23 45	patented
West half	8	6	100	23 08	2 42	25 50	patented
West half	4	7	100	19 96	2 34	22 30	patented
East part	1	8	100	69 13	3 57	72 70	patented
	2	8	14	6 89	2 02	8 91	patented
East half	11	10	100	4 08	1 95	6 03	unpatented
West half	11	10	100	21 19	2 37	23 56	unpatented
West part	13	10	100	4 32	1 96	6 28	unpatented
VILLAGE OF NORLAND.							
Queen Street	10			6 38	2 01	8 39	patented
" "	17			9 04	2 07	11 11	patented
MACAULAY.							
	17	1	100	18 92	2 32	21 24	unpatented
	19	1	100	12 51	2 16	14 67	unpatented
	22	1	97	19 74	2 34	22 08	unpatented
	23	1	97	19 73	2 34	22 07	unpatented
	17	2	100	18 92	2 32	21 24	unpatented
	20	3	100	33 15	2 67	35 82	unpatented
	23	3	100	23 95	2 44	26 39	unpatented
	16	4	100	4 26	1 95	6 21	unpatented
	3	6	100	5 33	1 98	7 31	patented
	31	7	100	21 89	2 39	24 28	unpatented
	32	7	100	18 59	2 31	20 90	unpatented
	15	8	100	7 92	2 04	9 96	unpatented
	17	8	100	14 30	2 20	16 50	unpatented
	19	8	100	14 30	2 20	16 50	unpatented
	15	9	100	2 72	1 91	4 63	unpatented
	17	9	100	13 69	2 19	15 88	unpatented
	20	9	100	15 01	2 22	17 23	unpatented
	11	10	100	17 58	2 28	19 86	unpatented
	12	10	100	17 96	2 29	20 25	unpatented
	13	10	100	17 96	2 29	20 25	unpatented
	25	10	100	17 96	2 29	20 25	unpatented
	7	11	100	12 18	2 15	14 33	patented
	8	11	100	12 18	2 15	14 33	patented
	9	11	100	5 23	1 98	7 21	unpatented
	13	11	100	19 88	2 34	22 22	unpatented
	14	11	100	17 96	2 30	20 26	unpatented
	27	11	100	17 96	2 30	20 26	unpatented
	28	11	100	17 96	2 30	20 26	unpatented
	13	12	100	17 96	2 30	20 26	unpatented
	15	12	100	19 88	2 34	22 22	unpatented
	22	12	100	17 96	2 30	20 26	unpatented
	31	12	100	17 96	2 30	20 26	unpatented
	32	12	100	17 96	2 30	20 26	unpatented
	2	13	100	86	1 87	2 73	unpatented
	15	13	100	19 39	2 33	21 72	unpatented
	21	13	100	11 64	2 14	13 78	unpatented
	22	13	100	11 64	2 14	13 78	unpatented
	27	13	100	12 27	2 15	14 42	unpatented
	30	13	100	17 98	2 30	20 26	unpatented
	31	13	100	17 96	2 30	20 26	unpatented
VILLAGE OF OAKWOOD.							
Oakwood East. East of Inkerman St.	10		¼	21 59	2 39	23 98	patented
Oakwood West. West of Eldon Street	6		¼	7 48	2 03	9 51	patented
" " "	7		¼	7 48	2 03	9 51	patented
VILLAGE OF OMEMEE.							
S of King, W Sturgeon	14			23 41	2 43	25 84	patented
SOMERVILLE.							
North part	22	F. R.	38	25 24	2 48	27 72	patented
South West part	22	"	40	27 26	2 53	29 79	patented
	39	"	110	45 26	2 98	48 24	patented
	41	"	109	38 45	2 81	41 26	unpatented
	42	"	110	62 76	3 41	66 17	unpatented
	45	"	106	36 74	2 77	39 51	patented
	49	"	111	36 57	3 26	39 83	unpatented
West part	25	1	125	59 77	3 34	63 11	patented
	18	3	200	53 44	3 18	56 62	patented
	19	3	200	73 09	3 67	76 76	patented
North part	3	4	10	3 16	1 93	5 09	patented
North half	21	4	100	36 60	2 76	39 36	patented
	2	5	200	88 86	4 07	92 93	unpatented
South East quarter	3	5	50	38 03	2 80	40 83	unpatented
West half	3	5	100	64 68	3 57	68 25	unpatented
South half	1	6	100	12 03	2 15	14 18	patented
South half	3	6	100	12 18	2 15	14 33	patented
	3	7	200	59 21	3 33	62 54	patented
	4	7	200	59 21	3 33	62 54	patented
South half	20	7	100	22 61	2 41	25 02	patented
	10	8	200	56 49	3 26	59 75	patented
	19	8	200	64 14	3 45	67 59	patented
	20	8	200	59 97	3 35	63 32	patented
	4	9	200	57 39	3 28	60 67	patented
	5	9	200	93 05	4 17	97 22	unpatented
	4	10	200	70 00	3 60	73 60	patented
	5	10	200	70 00	3 60	73 60	patented
	6	10	200	70 00	3 60	73 60	patented
	10	10	178	53 94	3 19	57 13	patented
	11	10	200	53 94	3 19	57 13	patented
	13	10	253	68 49	3 56	72 05	patented
	14	10	203	63 54	3 43	66 97	patented
North third	1	11	66⅔	109 20	4 58	113 78	patented
Centre third	1	11	66⅔	20 61	2 36	22 97	patented
Centre third	2	11	66⅔	20 61	2 36	22 97	patented
Centre third	3	11	66⅔	20 60	2 36	22 96	patented
	7	11	200	61 87	3 39	65 26	patented
	8	11	200	61 87	3 39	65 26	patented
	10	11	200	261 65	8 39	270 04	patented
South half	4	12	100	31 85	2 64	34 49	patented
North half	5	12	100	20 48	2 36	22 84	patented
South half	5	12	100	32 10	2 65	34 75	patented
North half	6	12	100	31 36	2 66	34 02	patented
South half	6	12	100	33 59	2 68	36 27	patented
North half	12	12	100	46 27	3 00	49 27	unpatented
	2	13	200	64 87	3 47	68 34	unpatented
East half	3	13	100	34 26	2 70	36 96	unpatented
West half	5	13	100	32 42	2 66	35 08	unpatented
	4	13	201	64 87	3 47	68 34	unpatented
	9	13	200	50 15	3 10	53 25	unpatented
	10	13	175	54 45	3 21	57 66	unpatented
	13	13	200	45 85	2 98	48 83	unpatented
	3	14	201	58 14	3 30	61 44	unpatented
	4	A	100	62 02	3 30	65 32	unpatented
	5	A	100	31 11	2 63	33 74	unpatented

Treasurer's Sale of Lands for Taxes.

Part.	Lot.	Con.	Acres.	Arrears.	Proportion of costs of Advertising and Ccm.	Total.	Patented or Unpatented
VILLAGE OF COBOCONK.							
Between Con. Line and Water Street	C		¼	2 92	1 92	4 84	patented
STEPHENSON.							
	9	1	100	9 88	2 09	11 97	unpatented
	16	1	100	79	1 87	2 66	unpatented
	6	2	100	3 94	1 95	5 89	unpatented
	9	2	100	13 42	2 18	15 60	patented
	14	2	100	1 82	1 89	3 71	unpatented
	15	2	100	3 94	1 95	5 89	unpatented
	16	2	100	3 94	1 95	5 89	unpatented
	10	3	100	7 26	2 03	9 29	patented
	12	3	100	5 33	1 98	7 31	patented
	16	3	100	2 18	1 90	4 08	patented
	15	4	100	79	1 87	2 66	unpatented
	17	4	100	3 38	1 93	5 31	unpatented
	4	5	100	2 23	1 90	4 13	unpatented
	5	5	100	2 23	1 90	4 13	unpatented
	8	5	100	1 05	1 88	2 93	unpatented
	10	5	100	1 03	1 88	2 91	unpatented
	28	5	100	94	1 87	2 81	unpatented
	29	5	100	94	1 87	2 81	unpatented
	1	6	100	8 91	2 07	10 98	patented
	8	6	100	2 42	1 91	4 33	unpatented
	1	8	100	8 56	2 06	10 62	patented
	26	8	100	46	1 86	2 32	patented
	28	8	100	46	1 86	2 32	patented
	29	8	100	46	1 86	2 32	patented
	2	14	100	86	1 87	2 73	patented
VERULAM.							
West half	3	1	100	18 12	2 30	20 42	patented
West half	27	2	100	6 97	2 02	8 99	patented
West half	25	4	100	26 40	2 51	28 91	patented
East half	22	5	100	34 88	2 79	37 67	patented
West half	17	6	100	4 21	1 95	6 16	patented
East half	20	7	100	60 43	3 36	63 79	patented
West half	19	8	100	41 45	2 88	44 33	patented
East half	27	8	100	16 21	2 25	18 46	patented
East half	13	9	100	19 71	2 34	22 05	patented
	11	10	175	140 72	5 37	146 09	patented
VILLAGE OF BOBCAYGEON.							
E of William St., W half	9		¼	15 13	2 22	17 35	patented
W of Sherwood St.	3		¼	74	1 87	2 61	patented
E of Mansfield Street	10		¼	3 67	1 94	5 61	patented
VILLAGE OF ROKEBY.							
W of Bobcaygeon Road	12		¼	19 61	2 34	21 95	patented
E of Head Street	15		¼	4 71	1 97	6 68	patented

I, THOMAS MATCHETT, County Treasurer of the County of Victoria, as directed by the Warrant of the Warden of the said County, dated the 6th day of November, A. D. 1875, will proceed to sell each and every of the above parcels of Land for arrears of taxes now due upon them respectively, as above set out, and proportion of costs, (unless said arrears of taxes are sooner paid,) at the Court House, in the Town of Lindsay, in the County of Victoria, at Nine o'clock in the forenoon, on Thursday, the 17th day of February, A. D. 1876.

T. MATCHETT, Treasurer.

County Treasurer's Office, Lindsay, 9th November, 1875.
First published on the 12th November, 1875.

TREASURER'S SALE OF LANDS

IN THE

TOWN OF LINDSAY,

For arrears of Taxes, on

THURSDAY, THE SEVENTEENTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, A. D. 1876,

IN THE COURT HOUSE, LINDSAY.

All the undermentioned lots are patented.

Street.	Part.	Lot	Acres.	Arrears.	Proportion of costs of Advertising and Com.	Total.
South Bond	East half	18	quarter	$11 39	$2 14	$13 53
North Bond	West half	1	quarter	10 89	2 07	12 96
Sub-div. Parks 8 & 9						
W. Adelaide & S. Henry		1	fifth	2 70	1 92	4 62
" " "		2	fifth	2 70	1 92	4 62
Block C		8	half	13 13	2 18	15 31
do		9	half	13 13	2 18	15 31
do		10	half	11 29	2 13	13 42
do		11	half	5 65	1 99	7 64
Block E		11	half	4 96	1 98	6 94
Block I		12	half	94	1 87	2 81
do		13	quarter	48	1 86	2 34
Block K		10	half	5 36	2 01	7 37
Block L		11	half	4 32	1 96	6 28
do		12	half	4 32	1 96	6 28
do		13	quarter	3 64	1 94	5 58
do		14	half	4 32	1 96	6 28
do		15	half	5 38	2 01	7 39
Block N		1	3	2 86	1 92	4 78
Block U		2	3	2 86	1 92	4 78
North Russell		15	half	11 91	2 15	14 06
do		16	half	11 91	2 15	14 06
North Glenelg		1	half	5 74	1 99	7 73
do		2	half	5 74	1 99	7 73
North Melbourne	West part	5	83 feet frontage	6 22	2 01	8 23
do		18	half	14 49	2 21	16 70
do	West part	19	30 feet frontage	3 58	1 94	5 52
South Melbourne	N E part	5	29 ft frontage x 99 ft	62	1 87	2 49
do		15	half	7 93	2 05	9 98
North Durham	East half	12	quarter	9 46	2 09	11 55
Sub-div. park B, E Adelaide		2	quarter	94	1 87	2 81
do do C, E Albert		3	quarter	4 73	1 98	6 71
do do W Hamilton		2	quarter	94	1 87	2 81
do do E, E James		2	quarter	94	1 87	2 81
do do do		3	quarter	94	1 87	2 81
do do do		4	quarter	94	1 87	2 81
do do do		5	quarter	94	1 87	2 81
do do do		6	quarter	94	1 87	2 81
do do do		7	quarter	94	1 87	2 81
do do W Main		2	quarter	94	1 87	2 81
do do do		3	quarter	94	1 87	2 81
E Logie & S Melbourne	park	14	2	1 90	1 90	3 80
E Logie and N Durham	park	15	2½	2 86	1 92	4 78
Sub-div. park F, E Lindsay	S part	4	40 feet frontage	2 80	1 92	4 72
do do do		5	quarter	13 51	2 19	15 70
do do E Duke		2	quarter	1 90	1 90	3 80
do do W Wolfe		2	quarter	6 91	2 03	8 94
do park G, W Sioux		5	quarter	6 10	2 00	8 10
do do W River		3	quarter	2 90	1 92	4 82
do do do		4	quarter	2 90	1 92	4 82
do do do		5	quarter	2 90	1 92	4 82
do do do		6	quarter	2 90	1 92	4 82
do park Y, N Division		11	quarter	2 70	1 92	4 62
do do do		12	quarter	2 70	1 92	4 62
do park H1, E Lindsay		7	quarter	94	1 87	2 81
do do W Wolfe	N part	5	47 feet frontage	6 30	2 01	8 31
do do S Division		3	quarter	1 90	1 90	3 80
do do do	W. part	6	51 feet frontage	6 69	2 02	8 71
Park		B2	six acres	36 02	2 75	38 77
North Ridout	North part	3	40 feet frontage	27 77	2 55	30 32
do		29	tenth	1 97	1 90	3 87
North Glenelg East	East part	22	50 feet frontage	75	1 87	2 62
North Durham East		10	quarter	58	1 86	2 44
do do	West part	16	6 feet frontage	87	1 87	2 74
East Huron		8	quarter	3 96	1 95	5 91
East Simcoe		2	quarter	11 98	2 15	14 13
do		5	quarter	6 36	2 01	8 37
West Georgian		5	quarter	8 55	2 06	10 61
do		6	quarter	8 55	2 06	10 61
West Water		1	quarter	5 09	1 98	7 07
do		5	quarter	1 90	1 90	3 80
East Water	North part	19	54 feet frontage	42	1 86	2 28
do		8	quarter	2 37	1 91	4 28
do		15	quarter	3 13	1 93	5 06
do		16	quarter	37	1 86	2 23
do		18	quarter	2 60	1 91	4 51
N Kent E, E St. David		16	quarter	4 29	1 96	6 25
do do		17	quarter	4 29	1 96	6 25
S King, E St. David	West part	9	25 feet frontage	37	1 86	2 23
North King		38	quarter	6 24	2 01	8 25
do		44	quarter	2 49	1 92	4 41
North Queen		12	quarter	3 81	1 94	5 75
do		13	quarter	3 81	1 94	5 75
East Lindsay North		5	fifth	9 33	2 08	11 41
do do		13	fifth	6 86	2 02	8 88
do do		17	fifth	1 90	1 90	3 80
West St. Paul	South part	8	10 feet frontage	48	1 86	2 34
do	do	13	21 feet frontage	1 52	1 89	3 41
Sub-div. Park 4, W St. Patrick	North part	2	26 feet frontage	1 98	1 90	3 88
E St. David Park Lot	South half	9	one and a-half	1 90	1 90	3 80
Block E E, W St. Paul		1	half	4 99	1 97	6 96
do do		2	half	4 99	1 97	6 96
do do		3	half	4 99	1 97	6 96
do do		4	half	1 90	1 90	3 80
do do		5	half	94	1 87	2 81
Block F F		18	half	1 58	1 89	3 47
do		19	half	1 58	1 89	3 47
do		20	half	7 86	2 05	9 91
Block H H		1	half	9 80	2 10	11 90
do		2	half	9 80	2 10	11 90
do		9	half	2 31	1 91	4 22
do		11	half	1 78	1 90	3 68
Block I I		1	half	78	1 87	2 65
do		2	half	78	1 87	2 65
do		3	half	78	1 87	2 65
do		11	half	78	1 87	2 65
do		12	half	78	1 87	2 65
do		13	half	78	1 87	2 65
do		14	half	78	1 87	2 65
Block M M	South part	9	half	1 00	1 88	2 88

I, JAMES BAINES KNOWLSON, Treasurer of the Town of Lindsay, as directed by the Warrant of the Mayor of the said town, dated the Fifth day of November, A. D. 1875, will proceed to sell (unless said arrears of taxes and costs are sooner paid,) each and every of the above parcels of Land for the arrears of taxes now due upon them respectively as above set out, and proportion of costs, at the Court House, in the Town of Lindsay, in the County of Victoria, at Eleven o'clock in the Forenoon, on the Seventeenth day of February, A. D. 1876.

JAMES B. KNOWLSON, Town Treasurer.

Town Treasurer's Office, Lindsay, 5th November, 1875.

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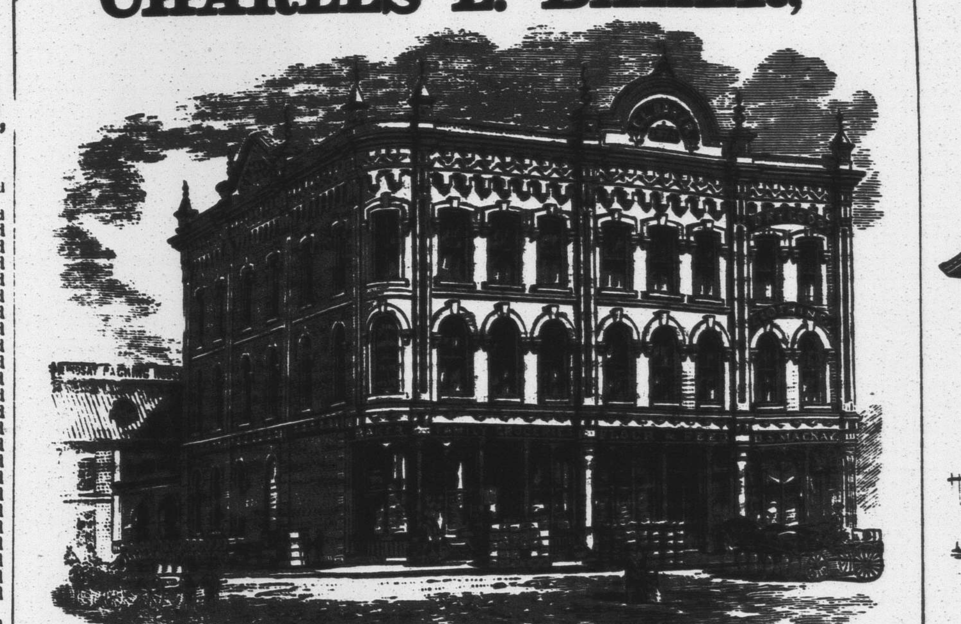

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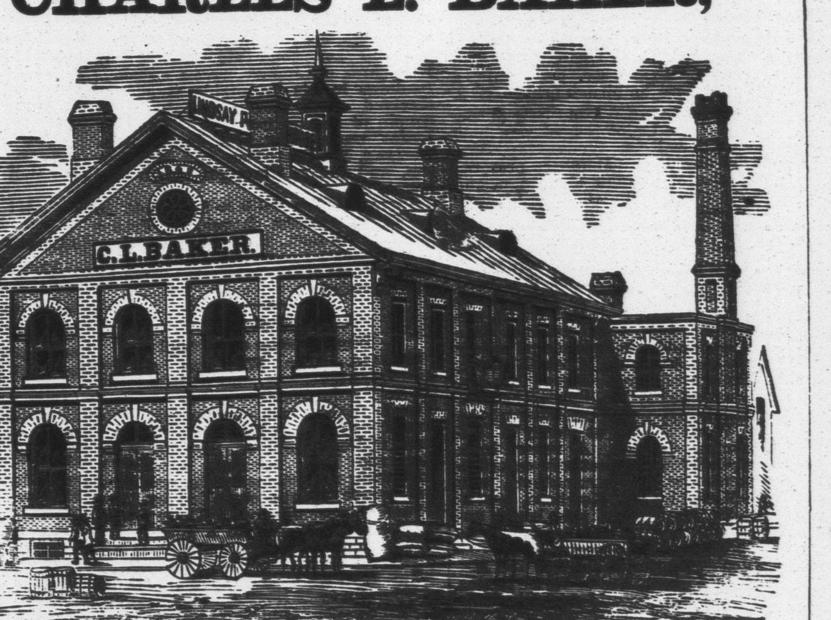

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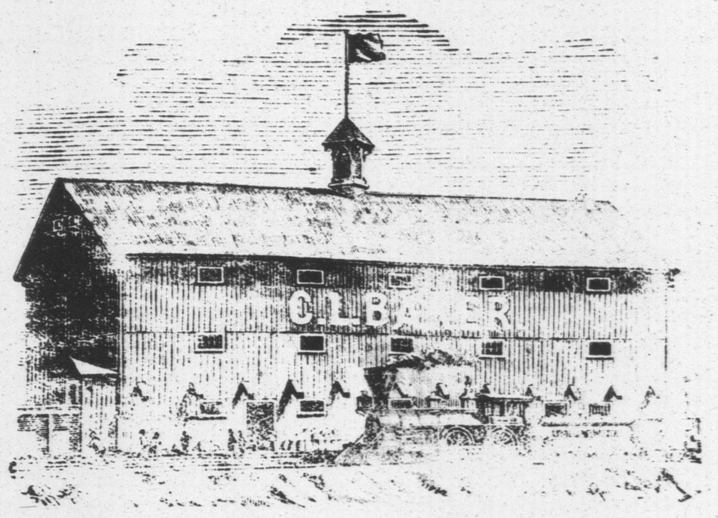

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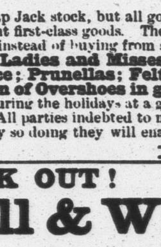

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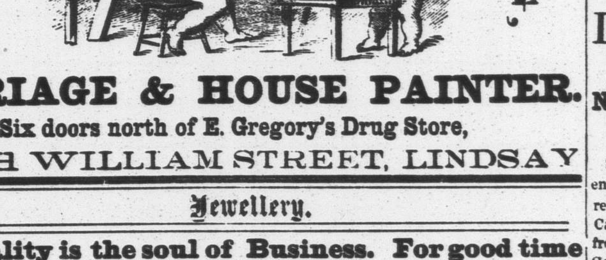

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Public Notices.

NOTICE.—All parties infringing the Fishery Laws will be punished to the full extent of the Statute.

844 1y. J. W. FINNEY, Local Overseer.

CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT,

OTTAWA, December 4th, 1875.

Authorized Discount on American Invoices, until further notice, [illegible] per cent.

J. JOHNSON, Commissioner of Customs.

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SHERIFF'S SALE OF LANDS.

County of Victoria, TO WIT.

Will be sold at my Office in

THE COURT HOUSE,

In the

Town of Lindsay,

ON

Saturday, 15th Day of January,

A. D. 1876, at the Hour of Twelve o'clock noon, under and by virtue of a Writ of Fieri Facias, all the right, title and interest of the undermentioned Defendant in and to the following lands and tenements, viz.,

ALFRED WRIGHT, *Plaintiff,*

vs.

EDWARD KELLY, *Defendant.*

All and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate lying and being in the Township of Verulam in the County of Victoria, and Province of Ontario, being composed of broken Lot,

The West half of Lot Number fifteen, in the Fourth Concession of the Township of Verulam,

Being further known or described as **Boyd's Point** on Sturgeon Lake.

GEORGE KEMPT, Sheriff County of Victoria.

Sheriff's Office, Lindsay, 4th October, A.D. 1875.

First published 5th October, A. D. 1875.—839-15.

SHERIFF'S SALE OF LANDS,

County of Victoria, TO WIT.

Will be sold at my office in

THE COURT HOUSE,

In the

Town of Lindsay,

ON

Saturday, 12th Day of February

A. D. 1876, at the Hour of Twelve o'clock noon, under and by virtue of a Writ of Fieri Facias, all the right, title and interest of the undermentioned Defendant in and to the following lands and tenements, viz.;

THE ONTARIO BANK, *Plaintiff,*

vs.

JOHNSTON ADAIR, *Defendant.*

All and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Township of Laxton in the county of Victoria, and province of Ontario, being composed of that part of the

West part of Lot Number Six, in the Eleventh Concession of the Township of Laxton,

And being **Village Lots** Numbers One and Two, West of Queen Street and north of South Street, in the **Village of Norland,** according to a plan thereof made by W. E. Yarnold, P. L. S., duly Registered.

GEORGE KEMPT, Sheriff County of Victoria.

Sheriff's Office, Lindsay, 4th October, A.D. 1875.

First published 5th November, A.D. 1875.—843-15.

LACHINE CANAL ENLARGEMENT.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed Tenders addressed to the undersigned, endorsed, "Tender for Lachine Canal," will be received at this Office for the enlargement of this Canal, consisting of the widening and deepening from a short distance above Lock No. 3 or St. Gabriel Lock, upwards to the River St. Lawrence at Lachine; embracing the construction of a new lock at Cote St. Paul, taking down and rebuilding the upper portions of the present lock at that place, construction of regulating weirs, culverts, bridge piers, and a new entrance lock at Lachine and the formation of a channel and basin on the south or river side of the existing entrance.

The works will be let in sections of the respective lengths indicated on a map of the line, which, together with plans and specifications of the various works, can be seen at this Office, and at the Lachine Canal Office, Montreal, at either of which places printed Forms of Tender can be obtained.

Tenders for Section No. 9, or what is called the "Rock Cut," and Section No. 10 at Lachine, will be received until the arrival of the eastern and western mails on Wednesday, the 12th day of January next, plans and specifications for which can be seen at the places above mentioned on and after Wednesday the 5th day of January next.

For other parts of the works, tenders will be received until Tuesday, the 21st day of March next, and for which plans and specifications can be seen at the respective places above mentioned, on and after Tuesday, the 7th day of March.

Contractors are requested to bear in mind that Tenders will not be considered unless made strictly in accordance with the printed forms, and in the case of firms—except there are attached the actual signatures, the nature of the occupation and place of residence of each member of the same; and further, an accepted bank cheque, or other available security, for the sum of from *one to three thousand dollars,* according to the extent of work on the section, must accompany each Tender, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering declines or fails to enter into contract for the works when called upon to do so, at the rates stated in the offer submitted.

The amount required in each case will be stated on the form of Tender

The cheque or money thus sent in, will be returned to the respective parties whose Tenders are not accepted.

For the due fulfilment of the contract satisfactory security will be required on real estate or by deposit of money, public or municipal securities, or bank stock to the amount of five per cent on the bulk sum of the contract of which the sum sent in with the Tender will be considered a part.

Ninety per cent only of the progress estimates will be paid until the completion of the works.

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 works embraced in the contract.

This Department does not, however, bind itself to accept the lowest or any Tender.

By Order,

F. BRAUN, Secretary

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, Dec. 23rd, 1875. 851-3

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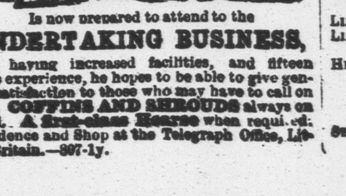

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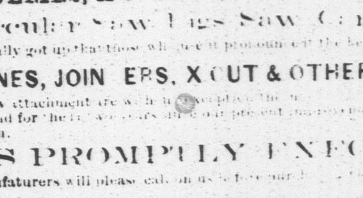

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