

ROUND TOWN.

GLORIOUS WEATHER. No quorum of the Town Council Monday night. Weather too warm. CALCIUM LIGHT to-night at the skating rink.

THERE are not many remarks this season about the "melancholy days." BASE BALL seems to be about played out.

ALL the hotels have doubled their sleeping accommodation.

THE NEW GORDON PRESS in THE Post office is greatly admired by machinists who have seen it working. It runs as smoothly as clock-work, and as fast as an A1 locomotive.

RUSH FIRES all round Lindsay at some distance. There was a large fire in north-east Ops Sunday night. A heavy rainstorm would be very acceptable to all interested, and would help the fall ploughing and the fall butter-making.

A HANDSOME WINDOW. Every body admires the tasteful manner in which the furs in Melville's window are arranged. The central feature is a handsome ermine cloak.

DON'T FORGET the ladies' sale and bazaar by the ladies of St. Paul's congregation in the store formerly occupied by Mrs. Sheridan.

CALKIN'S WASHER. No stronger testimony of the efficacy of this desirable invention could be supplied than that to be found in our advertising columns.

FUN AND FROLIC. To-night at the Skating Rink—which has been floored and seated—will be given a very interesting entertainment.

ARRIVALS AT THE BENSON HOUSE. Monday—J J Moorcraft, Bowmanville; M J Harvey, Hamilton; B Read, Montreal; W A King, Peterboro; J D Smith wife and boy, Fenelon Falls; H J Brine; A McCarthy, E Peiler, L. Andres, Toronto; F Bletcher, C C Alexander, J McCall, A Savigney, W Hamilton, J Carnegin, Peterboro; W E Dunham, Sturgeon Point; O Telyman, Kingston; C Crughart, Port Perry; W J Fairman, J G Howorth, P Mulrrey, J Meagher, R S White, E Dier, Montreal; A McDonald, R Rutherford, Fenelon Falls; Mrs Bradford, Port Perry; N B Todd, Port Hope.

HOW TO IMPROVE STOCK. An Omees Granger remarked to his wife while reviewing the magnificent proportions of a bovine gentleman on exhibition yesterday that he heard that a bull painted by Hosa Bonheur sold for \$5,000, and that he didn't see how a coat of paint could so greatly enhance the value of the animal.

LINDSAY STOCK MARKET. Of course wherever there are daily papers there must be a stock market—a sort of Wall street on a small scale; and our financial editor at considerable expense has secured a report of the state of the Lindsay Stock Market.

THE QUESTION.—Is it to rain during exhibition days?

READ the time table of special and regular trains leaving and arriving at Lindsay for the exhibition. See adv't.

KENT-ST. presents a fine appearance this morning. Everybody has his best foot foremost.

GOOD NEWS.—Barley went up on Saturday to 56c. This will be good news to the farmers—if the advance only goes on.

MONEY CIRCULATING.—Yesterday forty-six registered letters were handled in the post office here. Pretty good day's work for a country town; and it was not a big day either.

THE MARIPOSA FALL SHOW at Oakwood on Saturday was a decided success. It was the best the society has held for years in almost every respect.

FIRST PRIZE.—An agricultural society offered a premium for the best mode of irrigation, which was printed "irritation" by mistake. An honest farmer sent his wife to claim the prize.

WHAT'S IN A NAME.—The Canada Central Railway Company have expressed a willingness to dispose of their line from Ottawa to Carleton Place to the Toronto and Ottawa Railway.

RATHER PERSONAL.—THE LINDSAY Post having accused Mr. Nicholas Flood Davin of putting hay seed in his hair and insisting that his father was a farmer so that he might beguile the unsophisticated farmers of Victoria into supporting the Opposition, the Dundas Banner says: "This is rough on Nicholas as his friends know his head is as bald as a brass door knob."

VERY SUCCESSFUL.—Noting the formal close of the Provincial Fair the London Advertiser of Saturday says: "It is now in order to remark that it has been the most successful ever held in the Dominion of Canada, and, with the exception of the Centennial and some of the Great Western Fairs at St. Louis, the best on the continent. From every point of view is this remark true, whether we consider the number, variety and excellence of the stuff shown, the amount of money taken at the gates or the general order and completeness of the arrangements."

CONVERSATION.

Hon. Mr. Brown.—(to Hon. Mr. Mackenzie)—Alexander, mon, ye suld be mair carefu' o' ye're bawbees; an' ganging oot, tae, in a' likelihood. What the deil inducit ye tae wanger wi' Sir Jone that ilka Prence Edward mon returnit next election wad be's Government supporter? Hae ye clean tint ye're wunt?

Hon. Mr. Mackenzie.—My suld frien' ye're intelck is no what it ance was, as the sma' help we get frae the Globe painfully makes mawnifest. Sae they wull. I didna, sae far as my memory serves, remark, whilk Government they wad support. (exit.)

Hon. Mr. Brown.—Hech, hech, hech! Whatna a heed he has!—whatna a heed! (follows chuckling.)—Grip.

NOTE FOR NEEBING-BURR PLUMB.

Mr. Burr-Plumb has made the Neebing Hotel a study, but it would seem that up to Wednesday last (when the Mail fully explained its construction) Mr. Plumb hadn't begun to understand it. It appears, according to the Opposition organ, that the hotel was built by Mr. Jas. D. Henderson, who had instructions from Mr. Adam Oliver to "build any kind of a building, out of his head, provided he put lots of lumber in, especially inch boards into it."

—Men with few thoughts are the least anxious to discover those of others.

A TROUBLESOME VERB.

"I begin to understand your language better," said my French friend, Mr. Dubois to me; "but your verbs trouble me still; you mix them up so with prepositions."

"I am sorry to find them so troublesome," was all I could say.

"I saw our friend Mrs. Murkeson, just now," he continued. "She says she intends to break down housekeeping, am I right there?"

"Break up housekeeping, she must have said."

"Oh, yes, I remember; break up housekeeping."

"Why does she do that?" I asked.

"Because her health is so broken into."

"Broken down, you should say."

"Broken down? oh, yes. And, indeed, since the small-pox has broken up in our city—"

"Broken out!"

"She thinks she will leave it for a few weeks."

"Will she leave her house alone?"

"No, she is afraid it will be broken—broken. How do I say that?"

"Broken into."

"Certainly—it is what I mean to say."

"Is her son to be married soon?"

"No; that engagement is broken—broken—"

"Broken off."

"Yes, broken off."

"Ah, I had not heard that."

"She is very sorry about it. Her son only broke the news down to her last week. Am I right? I am anxious to speak English well."

"He merely broke the news. No preposition this time."

"It is hard to understand. That young man, her son, is a fine fellow; a breaker, I think."

"A breaker, and a very fine fellow. Good day."

So much for the verb "to break."

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Whitby, Port Perry & Lindsay Railway

Leave Lindsay for Whitby at 6 p.m. on Wednesday and Thursday only.

Victoria Railway.

Trains leave Fenelon Falls at 8.15, 11 a.m. and 6.15, 8.45 p.m. Leave Lindsay at 6, 9.15 a.m., and 2.45, 7 p.m.

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J. H. KNIGHT, Secretary.

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The Calkins Washer Again Victorious

What the People say about it:

At a public demonstration of the practical merits of this Washer on Friday, the 28th of September, (on which occasion having Washers on exhibition were invited and challenged to prove but failed to put in an appearance) the following verdict was given:

"We, the undersigned, having this day witnessed the practical merits of the Calkins Washer on the grounds at the Ontario Provincial Exhibition, 1877, unhesitatingly say that the work performed by it was most ordinary. Very dirty shirts, collars, cuffs, handkerchiefs, ladies' woollen blankets, etc., were washed clean in less than one hour time that they could have been washed by hand, or with any Washer we are acquainted with. In our opinion it was a perfect success."

- (Signed): A. Massie, London Steam Laundry. Mrs. G. Pitt, Westminster-st. Mrs. R. Conley, West'er-st. London. Mrs. B. H. Metcalf, London. Mrs. Wm. Cuttle, London. Mrs. J. Johnson. Mrs. W. Scott, 125 Ann-st. Mrs. Strower, Clinton, Ont. Mrs. J. Strumbhaw, Metcalf, Ont. Miss Esther Bowen, Buffalo. Geo. Johnson, Yarmouth, Ont. John W. Fletcher, London. J. Elson, jr., London. T. Palmer, Hellmuth Falls. Mrs. Grant, Petersburg, Ont. Mrs. Smart, London. Mrs. J. A. White, London. Hon. J. R. Doty, Detroit, Mich. And 61 others, Committee of the Whole.

"Comments are unnecessary just now."—Daily Free Press.

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