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LOCAL MISCELLANY

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Auction Gambling.—Mr. Ryan will hold a continuation of the Victoria Rink in a couple of weeks, when handsome prizes will be given for costumes, skating and games.

Charity Entertainment.—On Tuesday evening next the Charity Entertainment will be repeated. The dramatic bill will be "My Neighbour's Wife," and will be preceded by a concert, full particulars of which will be given by posters Monday morning. The Mariposa orchestra will take part. Mrs Roberts hopes that the people will not stay away because of previous disappointments, as there will be no postponement on this occasion.

ELECTION OF BISHOP OF TORONTO.

A High and Low Church Struggle.

[By telegraph to The Post.]

The keenest interest has been manifested by members of the Church of England in the election of a successor to Bishop Bethune, and from the controversy in the papers a sharp battle was to be expected at the meeting of Synod to-day between the High and Low Church parties. The latter selected Rev. Dr. Sullivan of Montreal, recently of Chicago, as their candidate; and Provost Whitaker was the favorite candidate of the High Church party. The attendance at the Synod was large and the excitement was intense. The result of the first ballot was as follows: Total clerical vote, 107; of which there were cast for Rev Mr Pearson, 1; for Dr Sullivan, 38; for Provost Whitaker, 80; for Rev. Dr. Sweatman, 1. Total lay vote, 38; of which were cast for Dr Sullivan, 34; for Provost Whitaker, 38. Lost votes, 5. The number of votes required to elect a bishop is—of the clergy 54; of the laity, 50; hence a fresh ballot has to be taken.

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THE GAMES.

The first called was the barrel race for juvenile boys, for which there were four entries. There were three barrels for each contestant placed in a line down the length of the rink and the skaters had to pass through each twice. The race was keenly contested and caused much amusement, the boys experiencing considerable difficulty in getting through the barrels, which indulged in their rolling propensities freely. Master Barnes was the winner. The next was a hurdle race, four hurdles, which was fully more exciting. The entries were C. Podger, F. Crandell, C. W. Jewett, F. Mitchell, G. Wilson, J. McMillan, D. Murray, C. Gladman, A. Watson, J. Irwin, W. McLennan and G. Lee. The course was twice round the rink, four starting each time. The winners were Crandell, Wilson and Lee and upon their coming the final heat the race was won by Wilson.

THE PRIZES

were awarded as follows: Best lady's costume, Miss Polly Knowlson; best lady skater, Miss Lizzie Herriman; best gentleman's costume, Mr. E. Flood; best male skater, Mr. Samuel Britton. The prizes were distributed by Mayor Deacon. The judges were Mr. Russell, President of the Toronto Curling Club, Mr Wm McDonnell, jr., and Mr S. A. McMurray. The committee are to be congratulated on success attending the entire arrangements. The 15th Batt. band, under the efficient leadership of Mr. John Rea, contributed valuable services. Subjoined is a list of the masquerders who presented their cards at the door. A great many other persons took part as well.

LADIES' LIST.

Miss Leary	Circassian Lady
Miss Lottie Mathews	Snow Flake
Miss E. McMurray	Italian Peasant Girl
Miss Jessie [illegible]	Old Woman
Miss A. Beatty	Young Lady of the Period
Miss Marjorie Rose	Three Graces
Miss Weir	
Miss Margie Rose	
Mrs. F. P. Brethour	Roman Princess
Mrs. Ellis (Peterborough)	Red, White & Blue
Miss Annie Wright	Highland Lassie
Miss F. Reid	Britannia
Miss Polly Knowlson	Hibernia
Miss Dickson	Highland Lassie
Miss Jennie Watson	Duchess of Devonshire
Miss Amy Williams	Emblem of Autumn
Mrs. Pierce	Fisher Girl
Bertie Pearson	Snow Flake
Mrs. Wm. Miles	Gipsey
Miss Dolores Pearson	Highland Lassie
Mrs. McCammon	Turkish Girl
Miss Helen Watson	Huntress

GENTLEMAN'S LIST.

F. Wright	Log Cabin
S. B. Laidlaw	Highland Chief
George Hoare	Cricketer
Alex Watson	Year of Fair
Peter Smith	Girl of 15th Century
Walter McMurray	Clown
W. Moore	Court Clown
G. B. Kerr	Turk
Samuel Britton	Rare Rock Rider
E. Flood	Afghan Chief
Fred. Mitchell	Burglar
D. Murray	Cricketer
Wm. Burns	Cricketer
John McLennan	Irish Dragoon
D. Murray	Fire Fighter
F. P. Brethour	Lost Child
C. W. Jewett	Mickey Free
Fred Robinson	Topsy
Geo. H. Mathews	Captain Cooke
Will McMurray	Prince of Wales Page
J. McMorgach	Trumpeter
John Bruce	Young Britain
James Irwin	Sweep
R. McLennan	Old Squaw
Wm. McLennan	Sailor
John Bell	Sugar Barrel
W. McPhee	Dime Tout
Walter Wm. Sproule	French Cavalier
Charles Podger	Bracmar
D. Dee O'Brien	Hungry Man from Chippewa
F. Crandell	Indian Sepoy
R. Murray	Hunter
Joe McMillan	News Boy
Fred. Knowlson	Persian Boy
Geo. Joe Gladman	Base Ball Player
W. Johnston	Kastern Prince
W. H. Graham	Fife Major

LINDSAY TRADE NOTICES.

Patrick's Worm Lozenges
Are sold at PERRIN'S. 1918.

Notes bought.
Money lent on Notes, Mortgages exchanged, Mortgages negotiated. J. BURLOW.—906.

Fine Tar Cordial
Will give immediate relief, and cure effectual in Coughs and Colds, are very prevalent at this season. 1911 S. PERRIN.

Why suffer
From coughs and colds when you can get a bottle of WISTAR'S BALSAM for 25 cents at PERRIN'S, which affords immediate relief. 1912

Guirk's Irish Tea
Is said to be a positive cure for Biliousness, Disordered Liver, Dyspepsia, Heartburn and Impaired Appetite. Sold by S. PERRIN, 25 cents per pot of 1918

Granite Monumentals.
Mr A. McQuoid, M. P., and Mr James Thompson have been given an order to insure Patterson & Perrin, for the erection of a handsome family monument of granite. If he proves to be as good a workman as he is an honest man, we shall be pleased to recommend our friends to patronize their establishment when contemplating the erection of a monument. 1904

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LOCAL NEWS-LETTERS.

PETERBOROUGH.

ANTICIPATING THE TARIFF.—A great display of whiskey barrels might have been observed in front of the stores of Rogers, Elliott & Morrow, on Saturday, there being no less than 2,500 gallons. The same firm, we understand, are also laying in a great stock of tea and tobacco in anticipation of the rise of the tariff on these articles.

SENIORS ILLNESS.—Mr. R. N. Rogers, has been confined to his bed since Friday last, owing to inflammation in the throat, caused by the lodgment of a piece of oyster shell in the windpipe.—[Daily Review.

BARCLAY—FRIENDS' SETTLEMENT.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

CHEESE MATTERS.—We learn that the enterprising proprietors of Mariposa cheese factory have secured the services of a first-class cheese-maker for the coming season. They also propose to gather the milk and manufacture it for 2½ cents a pound. This is certainly a step in the right direction and we have no doubt that it will receive the large patronage that it merits.

REABORN'S CHALLENGE in regard to cheese, matrimony and shingles, we are not prepared to answer at present. We will, however, see their troubled souls at rest by stating that we do not expect to compete for the prize in matrimony for the present at least.

GAMEBRIDGE.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

SOCIAL.—The Presbyterian congregation of South Mara held their regular annual social in the church here on Thursday, the 20th inst. There was fully four hundred present. The viands provided by the ladies were excellent and in great abundance. Rev. John McKah presided, and able and appropriate addresses were delivered by the Rev. Mr. Paul, Balsover; Rev. Mr. Williams and Rev. E. H. Bauld, Beaverton; and Mr. G. F. Bruce, Reeve of Thorah. The choir under the able leadership of Mr. Emery, of Beaverton, added much to the evening's entertainment. The proceeds amounted to about $80. The children of the Sabbath school were entertained on the following evening and has a very pleasant time. The congregation intend erecting sheds next summer.

BEAVERTON.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

RACES POSTPONED.—The snow-storm on Tuesday prevented the races coming off, and consequently were postponed till Wednesday and Thursday. Full particulars next week.

THE LOCKUP.—There were two prisoners in the lockup this week. Cause: whisky and disturbing the peace.

PHRENOLOGY.—Herr Mark Mendelson Phrenologist and Elocutionist, formerly of Prussia, has been lecturing in the Orange Hall for several evenings. His lectures are very entertaining and were pretty well attended. He is a very good speaker, but sometimes he gets rather out of humour and abuses his audience and people of the place generally. It would be policy for him to avoid this if possible.

CONCERT. The choir of the Methodist Church and amateur friends, will give a concert in the Alexandria Hall, on March 4th, consisting of anthems, quartettes, trios, duets, solos and chants, the proceeds to go to the church funds.

FRANKLIN.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

B. C. ANNIVERSARY.—The anniversary services on Sunday last, 23rd inst., were well attended, especially in the morning, when a very eloquent and impressive sermon was preached by Rev. G. Webber of Toronto. In the evening the congregation was addressed by Rev. Mr. Adams, circuit minister. On Monday evening, 24th inst., a public tea was held in the church, where an excellent repast was provided for a large number to be in attendance was not as large as expected, owing to the day being stormy, and as it was announced by posters as well as by other means that Rev. G. Webber would deliver his famous lecture on "Tabernacles and Kings" the house at an early hour was comfortably filled. After full justice had been done to the viands, Mr. Webber was called on by Rev. J. Harris, pastor who presided as chairman, to deliver his lecture. The lecture was very interesting and instructive, and Mr. Webber was loudly applauded on taking his seat. After a vote of thanks had been tendered to Mr. Webber the proceedings ended. On the following Thursday evening, 27th inst., a social will be held in the same place in connection with the tea.

WEDDING PARTY.—A rather extensive wedding party from the country drove into this village last week, and after receiving the hearty congratulations of their friends the happy couple left on the evening train for Port Hope.

CHANGE HANDS.—Mr. W. Owens, blacksmith, of this village, has disposed of his property here to Mr. J. Reynolds of Fraserville.

DALRYMPLE.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

ACCIDENT.—Mr. James Durmot, near here, while chopping firewood near his house on Wednesday last accidentally inflicted a deep cut on his foot. He was splitting a block and the stick parting more readily than he supposed, he sent the axe clear through the wood and nearly through his foot, cutting deep into the flesh of the hollow of his foot. Being a bachelor and living alone he called loudly till he attracted the attention of a neighbour, who, supposing that his attention was being called to something wrong about his own premises, searched all round his place but finding things all right went over to Mr. Durmot's house and found him fainting from loss of blood. Much sympathy is expressed for Mr. Durmot in his unfortunate mishap.

BOLD BURGLAR.—Some person thievishly inclined entered the house of Mr. Angus McNabb, McNabb's Settlement, the other day and carried off $12, being all the money he had in his house at the time. Mr. McNabb was absent from home and his wife having felt unwell for some days previous sought to relieve herself by walking over to a neighbor's house, enough to change air. On returning about an hour afterwards she found all the household furniture disordered and the purse which had contained the money and which had been deposited between the beds, lying on the floor. One would naturally infer from the above facts that the culprit must have been pretty well acquainted with the position of things previous to the robbery.

SCHOOLS OPENED.—A number of schools in this vicinity, which I took occasion to call attention to in my last letter are not yet having been supplied with teachers, have since been opened, thus saving me the necessity of enumerating them as you requested.

DEBATE.—On Tuesday evening last the Dalrymple Literary Society discussed the following subject: "Whether or not is the law just which permits parties to recover damages for breach of promise of marriage." After a spirited argument the chairman decided in favor of the affirm. Declaiming bachelors will take heed.

REVIVAL MEETINGS are being conducted nightly at Dartmoor by Rev. T. Grandy, Christian minister of this circuit.

READBORO.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

GEORGE CALVERT AS A COLLECTOR IN THE OLDEN TIMES.—I want to tell you how I collected an account forty-four years ago in Port Hope, as it might be useful these hard times. The first horse I owned was in the year 1835, and I tell you I felt big in those days. Money cost it was not a make. I came across a Scotchman, a first class wagon maker in Grafton, and I gave him a job to make me a one-horse sleigh, and I went to work to cut wood on the allowance of road about two miles from Port Hope, and I tell you I did work to get wood cut till my sleigh was finished. However, the sleigh was made, and I commenced to draw wood to Port Hope for $1.25 per cord, but before I got to Port Hope with the first load I thought over three times. I found the sleigh was not made right; it was straight up and down, so I got new beams and then it was all right. So I contracted with a man in the Port for six cords of wood for $1.25 per cord, cash. It took me more than three weeks to fulfill my contract, and when I got the wood all drawn I wanted my cash. He told me to call on Saturday and he would pay me, but when I went it was no go. He told me to call on next Thursday; the same old story—no cash. So he kept me calling for a month, twice every week—no cash. The neighbors told me he never paid any one, so I had lost three weeks, I had I think four children, and my wife told me I must get pay for the wood before I came home. So I went next Thursday, and the man told me he would have it on Saturday without fail, so I took off my overcoat and I made up mind I'd stop until Saturday. However, I tried very hard to get me away, but I felt very comfortable. He made me terrible promises, so also did his wife, but I told him I would stop till I got the money, so he said he would try and borrow the amount. He came back with $3. I would not have it. I would stop till I get it all, and so I got it all in $ short pieces. I was glad to get out of the house, but that man never spoke to me after. I knew he was rich. Wood in those days, hard wood, brought $1.25 cash, 15 cents; wheat 60 to 70c; potatoes 20c; turnips 10c. We thought hard times for us, store pay; whiskey, 1d. per quart; dry goods, three times as high as now. If you think it worth while, but may perhaps these few lines of I have rambling to do at present but write a little.

GEORGE CALVERT.

[Our own collector may take this hint if found necessary, but then he has a Bailiff's [illegible]—Ed. Post.]

BELLEVILLE.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

PROGRESS.—The amount expended on new buildings in Belleville during the past year was about $80,000, and the indications are that a larger sum will be expended for a like purpose this year.

THE GRAND JUNCTION.—The by-law for the repeal of the Grand Junction railway bonus passed to third reading in the City Council last Monday night.

A BOARD OF HEALTH, consisting of Prof. Bell and six medical men, has been appointed here.

SENTENCED.—Judge Lazier on Tuesday sentenced William Harlow, found guilty of burglary, to three years in the Penitentiary, and William McNelle, convicted of assault with intent to commit rape, to two years in the Penitentiary.

ONTARIO COUNTY.

THE HALL WORKS at Oshawa will open in a few days.

APPOINTMENT.—Mr. J. Nott, J. P., Port Perry, has been appointed one of the License Commissioners of this county.

ALMOST A FATAL ACCIDENT.—On Wednesday last while one of the sons of Mr. Woods, Church-st., Oshawa, was engaged in splitting firewood at the house, his brother, a little fellow about two years and a half old, who was playing about the shed, received a severe blow upon the forehead with the edge of the axe, cutting an ugly wound and knocking him senseless.

RENOMINATED.—Mr. N. W. Brown has received the Conservative nomination for the Local House.

COLT KILLED.—Mr. David Brown, Pickering, was unfortunate enough to lose a fine colt on Friday night—killed by a railway train.

PUNISHED.—John Flaherty, Port Whitby, who attempted to commit suicide by cutting his throat on the 6th inst., was brought before Judge Barnham on Tuesday last, and sentenced to two months hard labor, and to enter into recognizance at the end of that time to keep the peace for twelve months.

RATHER MIXED UP.—A case of complicated difficulty is that of Mr. J. W. Fowke, of Oshawa, general merchant, who has called a meeting of his creditors, with obligations nominally equalling his assets, though the latter are in such a shape that by no possible manipulation can the estate be made to pay in full. The farmers of the neighborhood have been in the habit of selling their produce to Mr. Fowke, and waiting his convenience for payment from year to year, and even giving him their paper to facilitate his transactions. We hear of several cases of great hardship in which trusting friends will be involved by his stoppage. A sanguine nature, with the best of intentions, but with a disposition to buy anything, from a chicken to a span of horses or a car of grain, while his system of account-keeping was as inadequate to the one transaction as to the other, has probably made Mr. Fowke's estate one which will yield poorly for all his creditors, with the possible exception of his bank account.

WOODVILLE.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

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LINDSAY CURLING CLUB CARNIVAL.

A SUCCESSFUL AND PLEASANT AFFAIR.

The Curling Club were almost as unfortunate in their selection of a day for their carnival this year as they were last season, when immediately upon the day being announced a thaw was sure to intervene and detract from the carnival's success or cause postponement. Tuesday afternoon was wild and blustering and the evening promised to be anything but one favourable to a large attendance. Therefore it was contrary to expectations that the affair was at all successful. At half past eight o'clock there were about one hundred en masque on the ice and the seats provided for spectators were comfortably filled. The general effect was as fine as has yet been presented in Lindsay and in some particulars exceeded previous efforts. To Mr J. C. Rodden is due a deal of the credit, he being, we understand, a valuable auxiliary in the preparation of several of the best costumes. Mrs. E. Flood, as Britannia, had no superior as a representative character, her costume being singularly correct in every detail, whilst Miss Polly Knowlson represented modern "Hibernia" in faultless manner. Miss Leary as a Circassian Lady was tastefully attired, and the same may be said of Miss Watson as Duchess of Devonshire. Of the gentlemen Mr E Flood as an Afghan Chief had decidedly the best costume and deservedly won the prize. Messrs Laidlaw and Graham as Highland Chieftains deserving of mention. The scene was one of a peculiarly pleasing nature. Highland lassies were visible on all sides, showing that a Scotch element predominated, Hibernia fraternized with Britannia most pleasantly whilst the latter bestowed her royal favours graciously on a stalwart Highlander, and their fine skating was great admiration. "The Three Graces" were generally to be found in good company, although their white robes not unfrequently came in contact with ordinary clothing. Of course, there were some of the "King's Navies" who never went to sea, and Topsy, who was "never born" but "spect she growed up." Then there was the "Calico Heathen" with a basket of fish, which she offered a couple of spectators the opportunity of exhibiting their acquaintance with "H.M.S. Pinafore." One deftly purloined a fish from the basket and being accused by his friend of committing the act said, "I never." "What, never? required the other. "Well, hardly ever," and when they managed to grind this out a feeling of relief was visible on visage of each. They had been waiting two weeks for this opportunity to present itself. Miss Edwards, of Peterborough, her graceful skating attracted much attention and elicited much comment. After the costumes had all been examined and admired and when the scene began to be monotonous, a change in variety was introduced in the way of

THE GAMES.

The first called was the barrel race for juvenile boys, for which there were four entries. There were three barrels for each contestant placed in a line down the length of the rink and the skaters had to pass through each twice. The race was keenly contested and caused much amusement, the boys experiencing considerable difficulty in getting through the barrels, which indulged in their rolling propensities freely. Master Barnes was the winner. The next was a hurdle race, four hurdles, which was fully more exciting. The entries were C. Podger, F. Crandell, C. W. Jewett, F. Mitchell, G. Wilson, J. McMillan, D. Murray, C. Gladman, A. Watson, J. Irwin, W. McLennan and G. Lee. The course was twice round the rink, four starting each time. The winners were Crandell, Wilson and Lee and upon their coming the final heat the race was won by Wilson.

THE PRIZES

were awarded as follows: Best lady's costume, Miss Polly Knowlson; best lady skater, Miss Lizzie Herriman; best gentleman's costume, Mr. E. Flood; best male skater, Mr. Samuel Britton. The prizes were distributed by Mayor Deacon. The judges were Mr. Russell, President of the Toronto Curling Club, Mr Wm McDonnell, jr., and Mr S. A. McMurray. The committee are to be congratulated on success attending the entire arrangements. The 15th Batt. band, under the efficient leadership of Mr. John Rea, contributed valuable services. Subjoined is a list of the masquerders who presented their cards at the door. A great many other persons took part as well.

LADIES' LIST.

Miss Leary	Circassian Lady
Miss Lottie Mathews	Snow Flake
Miss E. McMurray	Italian Peasant Girl
Miss Jessie [illegible]	Old Woman
Miss A. Beatty	Young Lady of the Period
Miss Marjorie Rose	Three Graces
Miss Weir	
Miss Margie Rose	
Mrs. F. P. Brethour	Roman Princess
Mrs. Ellis (Peterborough)	Red, White & Blue
Miss Annie Wright	Highland Lassie
Miss F. Reid	Britannia
Miss Polly Knowlson	Hibernia
Miss Dickson	Highland Lassie
Miss Jennie Watson	Duchess of Devonshire
Miss Amy Williams	Emblem of Autumn
Mrs. Pierce	Fisher Girl
Bertie Pearson	Snow Flake
Mrs. Wm. Miles	Gipsey
Miss Dolores Pearson	Highland Lassie
Mrs. McCammon	Turkish Girl
Miss Helen Watson	Huntress

GENTLEMAN'S LIST.

F. Wright	Log Cabin
S. B. Laidlaw	Highland Chief
George Hoare	Cricketer
Alex Watson	Year of Fair
Peter Smith	Girl of 15th Century
Walter McMurray	Clown
W. Moore	Court Clown
G. B. Kerr	Turk
Samuel Britton	Rare Rock Rider
E. Flood	Afghan Chief
Fred. Mitchell	Burglar
D. Murray	Cricketer
Wm. Burns	Cricketer
John McLennan	Irish Dragoon
D. Murray	Fire Fighter
F. P. Brethour	Lost Child
C. W. Jewett	Mickey Free
Fred Robinson	Topsy
Geo. H. Mathews	Captain Cooke
Will McMurray	Prince of Wales Page
J. McMorgach	Trumpeter
John Bruce	Young Britain
James Irwin	Sweep
R. McLennan	Old Squaw
Wm. McLennan	Sailor
John Bell	Sugar Barrel
W. McPhee	Dime Tout
Walter Wm. Sproule	French Cavalier
Charles Podger	Bracmar
D. Dee O'Brien	Hungry Man from Chippewa
F. Crandell	Indian Sepoy
R. Murray	Hunter
Joe McMillan	News Boy
Fred. Knowlson	Persian Boy
Geo. Joe Gladman	Base Ball Player
W. Johnston	Kastern Prince
W. H. Graham	Fife Major

LINDSAY TRADE NOTICES.

Patrick's Worm Lozenges
Are sold at PERRIN'S. 1918.

Notes bought.
Money lent on Notes, Mortgages exchanged, Mortgages negotiated. J. BURLOW.—906.

Fine Tar Cordial
Will give immediate relief, and cure effectual in Coughs and Colds, are very prevalent at this season. 1911 S. PERRIN.

Why suffer
From coughs and colds when you can get a bottle of WISTAR'S BALSAM for 25 cents at PERRIN'S, which affords immediate relief. 1912

Guirk's Irish Tea
Is said to be a positive cure for Biliousness, Disordered Liver, Dyspepsia, Heartburn and Impaired Appetite. Sold by S. PERRIN, 25 cents per pot of 1918

Granite Monumentals.
Mr A. McQuoid, M. P., and Mr James Thompson have been given an order to insure Patterson & Perrin, for the erection of a handsome family monument of granite. If he proves to be as good a workman as he is an honest man, we shall be pleased to recommend our friends to patronize their establishment when contemplating the erection of a monument. 1904

PORT HOPE.

IN OUR GRAVE.—On Monday last, the remains of a young married couple, were deposited in the grave, both having died of that dread disease, consumption, the wife dying first, and the husband, Mr. Trewartha, followed her inside of 36 hours.

THE DUNDAS ACT VOTE.—The Times in giving the subjoined vote on the Dundas Act Repeal by-law, says:—How numerical a failure this by-law has been can be estimated by the large majority in favor of repeal, when it is remembered that the by-law was carried less than two years ago by a majority of over 3,000, but the vote then polled was a small one, as is the present one compared to the whole vote of the counties, which foots up over 14,000. The figures can be depended upon as accurate, being furnished by Mr. E. A. MacNachtan, Counties Clerk and Treasurer:—

	Total vote polled.	Yea.	Nay.
Alnwick	139	112	27
Brighton	392	190	192
Brighton Village	185	139	46
Colborne	455	224	231
Colborne Village	143	90	53
Campbellford	107	92	15
Hamilton	674	384	290
Haldimand	561	332	229
Hastings Village	59	51	8
Murray	274	174	100
Monaghan, South	32	24	8
Percy	371	242	129
Seymour	128	99	29
Clarke	646	339	307
Cavan	550	375	175
Cartwright	264	185	79
Darlington	577	296	281
Hope	339	102	236
Manvers	468	250	218
Bowmanville	432	254	178
Newcastle	174	111	63
Total	6,974	4,013	2,941
Majority for Northumberland			768
Majority for Durham			234
Total			1,002

THE LATE MRS. J. S. SMITH.—The remains of Mrs. Smith, relict of the late lamented John Shuter Smith, were followed to their last resting place,