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Of Imported to Subscribers in Arrears.

A case of considerable interest to subscribers came up at the recent division court held at Welland. The Telegraph sued a subscriber for arrears. The defendant claimed that he had paid the former publisher $6.00 after which he did not subscribe. He offered to produce receipts and for no two years had not had it. The publisher admitted he was liable for the full amount and was accordingly so entered. The defendant having acknowledged being a subscriber by taking part of the papers out of the post-office. His case and the law was very distinct on this point.

Lindsay High School.

Mr Marling, inspector of high schools, paid the Lindsay high school an official visit on Wednesday. As the result of a careful examination he expressed himself highly pleased with the progress and proficiency of the scholars, making special mention of the good order and excellent management that prevails in the institution. The attendance numbers a little over a hundred. Results so far justify the expectations of those who over a year ago effected the decided improvement in the high school which has placed it among the best institutions of the kind in the province. The prospects for 1881 are of the most encouraging character, both as to attendance and progress.

Harvest Festival and Vestry Meeting.

The harvest festival and thanksgiving service in Paul's church on Wednesday evening last was largely attended. The prayers were read by the incumbent and Bishop Sweatman delivered an eloquent and impressive sermon from the text. "The harvest is past the world and all the conclusion of the services a vestry meeting was held at which the bishop was present. The incumbent occupied the chair. The business of the finances of the church and the incumbency were discussed. The proceedings occupied a quite free itself and must be highly gratified his intention to remain until the 1st of May next this was agreed to with the understanding that the stipend $1,300 is to be paid in full to the 1st of October inst., after which no fixed sum was guaranteed.

The Masonic Concert.

The arrangements for the grand concert to be held in the opera house Thursday evening, Nov. 4th, under the auspices of Faithful Brethren Lodge, A.F. & A.M., are now completed and the programme will be issued in a day or two. The list of artists comprises the very best talent in the province and far outnumbers that of any concert ever given in this section. First on the list is Mrs Caldwell, the popular soprano of Hamilton, who last spring delighted a Lindsay audience on her first appearance here. Her return will be warmly welcomed. Miss Boyd, now a resident of Lindsay, but for some time plant of the Toronto philharmonic society, will be the pianist, and Miss Jewett, soprano who now stands at the head of the best amateur talent, will also assist. Mr. Fred. Warrington of Toronto, basso, and Mr. T. D. Bell, the fourth part soloist of the Toronto philharmonic society, and the Backett family of Port Hope complete the list. The expense connected with the engagement of so many prominent musicians will be large and consequently the prices of admission have been placed at 50c and 75c. Hence the desire of the lodge to make any money out of the entertainment they purpose giving the best concert ever given here regardless of expense, wish to pay expenses. There can be no doubt the concert will be first class.

Post Splinters.

Two burglaries at Oshawa last week.

Somebody has been poisoning the valuable dogs in Cannington.

In Oshawa the toasts of the "clergy and the press" are coupled together.

Thirty three pensioners and veterans mustered at Belleville last pay day.

An excellent counterfeit Canadian cent has been bothering the Moncton people.

Last Sunday week the Roman Catholic cemetery at Whitby was consecrated by Archbishop Lynch.

The cost of the Biddulph trial to the crown so far has been about $5,000. Witness fees alone reached $1,200.

A Port Hope shop window has been graced with two monster cucumbers, 3 ft. 6 in. in length and weighing 16 lbs.

Five thousand pounds of old strawberry leaves, picked on Simcoe lake, were shipped to a Toronto firm to be used for medicinal purposes.

Lord A. Cecil, brother of the Marquis of Salisbury, has recently been appointed locomotive superintendent of the Great Eastern railway of London.

The Port Hope central exhibition proved a financial failure. There is a deficiency of $300 reported. This is to be regretted but was to have been expected.

Mary Fredenburg, charged with infanticide at Peterboro, was arraigned at the assizes and pleaded not guilty. Her trial has been postponed until the spring.

A syndicate of Toronto cattle dealers has contracted with the Allan and Dominion line of steamers for space for 30,000 cattle for the ports of Liverpool, London, Bristol and Glasgow.

Big loads of barley are now in order. A young man, son of Mr. D. Todd, Uxbridge, one day last week drew with a span of horses 8,000 pounds of barley from his father's place to Goodwood.

Foss Copeland of Orillia was arrested on Tuesday week at the Northern railway station, Toronto, charged with having raised a one dollar note to four. The bill was offered at Orillia and prisoner was taken there for trial.

A Montreal correspondent writes anent the new fashions that a big buxom woman rolling down St. Lawrence Main-st. the other day with a blue O'Shanter on the bridge of her ear and a red Jersey across her voluminous chest was a spectacle that afforded general amusement.

Mr. Robt. E. Ford of Norwood has sugar cane two feet high grown on his premises. The seed was procured by Mr. Ford during a visit in the southern states. He installed from the results of his experiment that the cane can be grown here satisfactorily. He tried cotton planting but did not succeed in bringing the plant to anything like perfection.

The Farmer's Advocate and Home Magazine for October is to hand. It contains accounts of the Dominion, Provincial, Industrial, Western and Southern exhibitions from personal observations of the editor. It is a live, practical and independent periodical and contains a number of original engravings. The home magazine department contains much to instruct and amuse the home circle. It is published by W. Weld, London, Ont.

English Cough Drops

at HUNNINGHAM'S drug store. 1102-2.

The Bazaar.

Attention is directed to the attractions at the Bazaar announced on THE POST supplement herewith.

Hats, Caps and Furs.

Mr A. H. Melville announces per THE POST supplement his fall and winter exhibition of hats, caps and furs. Mr. Melville has a choice stock and inspection will likely lead to purchases.

Cowan's Bridge.

It will be seen by the advt. elsewhere (fourth page) that the special committee appointed by the county council to investigate the Cowan's bridge matter, concerning which there is some discrepancy in the published reports, is to meet in the village hall, Omemee, on Friday next, 29th inst.

The New Bishop of Kingston.

On Sunday week the Rev. Father Twohey announced to the congregation of St. Mary's cathedral of Kingston the nomination by His Holiness of a new bishop for the long vacant diocese of Kingston. The right rev. gentleman the Toronto who has been elevated to this high honor is an Irish priest who has long been held in high respect. His name was mentioned in this connection some months ago.

The Kingston Whig.

This paper, one of the oldest but at the same time one of the most vigorous and interesting in the province, recently donned a new suit of clothes and presents a very neat and attractive appearance. The old Whig's popularity and influence has been greatly increased under Mr. Pense's able management, and we congratulate its genial proprietor on this evidence of prosperity and the liberal cause in the Limestone city on the success of its newspaper.

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Just received at Mrs. B. E. Tate's.

Hydrozine

Is better than cod liver oil and hypophosphites. For sale by E. Gue. 1097.

New Lamps.

Just received a large consignment. Don't fail to see them.

Save Money

On your crockery and glassware by purchasing the choice variety at

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Cheaper than ever. Using flour, graham, wheat, farina, oatmeal, etc., at A. CAMP'S. 1099-2.

Notes Bought.

Also greenbacks exchange rates negotiated. O. Gibson. 1098.

Hyacinths

Crocus, Tulips, Scillas, Amaryllus, Lilies, Double Narcissus, Hyacinths, Crocus Pots, at E. GRIFFIN'S. 1098.

Express Springless Truss and Supporters

Of Mr. W. Hutchkin of Albion, Orleans Co., N.Y., will again visit Lindsay and stop at the Benson house, Oct. 2nd and 3rd. Prof. H. having had thirty years experience invites the Hernia to be cured in his place. Go and see testimonials in his room. 1098-3.

Buy the genuine Singer at Cox's. 1095.

Good china tea set at E. McTAVISH'S for $1. 1099.

The arrivals of cheese were shipped on Thursday from Belleville for the English market via Montreal.

Several companies have sprung up making imitation Singer machines. There are no companies formed for making imitations of other sewing machines. Gold is continually counterfeited, silver and tin never. 1090-3.

Thirteen exiled French Jesuits who had re-entered their college at Toulouse by force have been forcibly expelled from its institution. It took a company of foot and a body of mounted gendarmes to effect the expulsion, and they had to break open the doors of the college.

The N. P.

The N. P. staff has made its mark in Perrin's shop front. A new coat and fresh signs have made quite an improvement.

Advertisements on the Post Supplement.

Merchants and others desirous of putting special advertisements on THE POST supplement can do so at reasonable rates. Applications for space should be made on Monday mornings of the week. The sheet may be enlarged, if necessary, in order to give the requisite quantity of reading matter.

Canada Methodist Missions.

The missionary committee of the Canada Methodist church, Toronto conference, will meet at the church in Lindsay on Tuesday next. The committee numbers about eighty clergymen and laymen, of which Rev. N. W. Willoughby, the president, is chairman. On Sunday Rev. Dr. Sutherland of Toronto will preach morning and evening and on Monday evening a tea-meeting will be held in the church when Rev. Dr. Sutherland will deliver a lecture on "Men for the Times." On Tuesday evening a missionary meeting will be held at which addresses will be delivered by the president, Dr. Sutherland, Rev. Mr. Laird of Port Hope and Rev. Mr. Cochrane, a returned missionary from Japan.

Common Sense in Advertising.

An exchange says: "Besides knowing that the newspapers are the best means of advertising, and how to pick out the best newspapers for this purpose, the successful advertiser fully appreciates the great importance of persistent advertising. Mr. Bryant used to say that the great influence of the press depends on one thing on the power of iteration. Presenting the same subject in many forms it finally wins attention and acquiescence. Used in this thorough and systematic way the advertising columns of the newspapers are as useful and essential to the merchant, as means of telling the public what he has to sell, as the clerks behind the counter are to show his goods when the people come to examine them."

A First-class Farmers' Paper.

In combination with other journals the American Agriculturist is now much more largely used than ever before. While agriculture is the most important of all pursuits its profitableness is coming more and more to depend upon improved labor-saving, labor-helping mechanical appliances. Illustrative engravings of various labor-helping contrivances, implements, animals, plants, buildings, etc. are indispensible in supplying the information most desired by cultivators generally. Its special facilities for supplying such engravings as well as other reliable information generally makes the American Agriculturist a very appropriate companion for supplement to any other journal, and for the purpose will be supplied with THE POST at $2 per annum. The regular price is usually $1.50. A saving of 50c is thus effected by taking it in club with THE POST. Send in names and money at once.

Peterborough Impertinence.

The Peterborough newspapers have got their backs up, remarks the Bobcaygeon Independent. "THE LINDSAY POST suggested the establishment of three agricultural colleges, instead of one as at present, and intimated that Lindsay should be the site for one of these new ones. Peterborough at once demanded that the site should be at Peterborough, and calmly and deliberately states that Peterborough is recognized as the centre of the Midland district. Mother of mouse! Shall we have this to stand? Peterborough the centre of the Midland district! Ha, ha! There must be madness somewhere. Why everybody knows that Bobcaygeon is the centre not only of the Midland district but the centre of all the Advanced Intelligence in the Dominion. Peterborough indeed! Come, that's very good. We can't even blacksmith's shops, that's just a suitable institution for Peterborough, but an agricultural college is a different thing, and must be here for this is the great centre to which the whole province looks for Science, Thought and Philosophy, and for weekly expositions of the True, the Good, and the Beautiful. From our sublime elevation we look down upon the petty rivalries of contending towns with supreme contempt, but for all that we will have the agricultural college here or bust."

Remenyi at the Opera House.

As was to be expected the opera house was crowded to the door Saturday evening last on the occasion of the first visit to Lindsay of Edouard Remenyi, the great virtuoso. The audience comprised most of the leading people of the town, and large delegations from Bobcaygeon and Omemee. The reputation accorded the great violinist was most enthusiastic, his playing we will not attempt to criticise, but simply remark that the greater portion of the audience were not familiar with much of the music, but all could recognize Remenyi's wonderful mastery of the instrument. First he gave the fantasia from Othello, and on being encored introduced "Robin Adair" and "Home, Sweet Home." The "Bluebells of Scotland" followed, lastly he introduced a piece of Hungarian composition, and of the same style as the "Marseillaise," was to the general audience perhaps the most enjoyable production but unfortunately for the audience produced in the "Carnival of Venice" which he introduced in the second part, music the "Rock of Ages" and "Home, Sweet Home." From the first he held the close attention of the audience and at the close they were loth to let him leave the stage. The accompaniments on the piano were very skilfully played by Mr. H. W. A. Beale. Mrs. Clara D. Stark, the soprano of the company, did not come quite up to expectations though her singing was far above mediocrity. Mr. Edmond De Celle, a violinist of great delight, rendered the song with "Where is heaven?" and was encored but did not respond. The concert as a whole was one of the finest musical treats ever presented to a Lindsay audience, and the Lindsay Lodge of Oddfellows are deserving of great credit for their enterprise in providing it. After the entertainment a number of gentlemen called upon M. Remenyi at the Benson house and enjoyed an hour's conversation with him. He left the same night for Peterboro where he was the guest over Sunday of Mr. Jardine of the Bank of Toronto.

Port Hope Central Exhibition.

The Port Hope News last week got a little excited over a remark made by our correspondent at the Central Exhibition to the effect that the attendance though large was principally local, and that this was the result of the movise policy of the local committee in advertising the printing which lost to them the support of two leading local papers and free advertising of the Peterboro and Lindsay newspapers which depended upon the Port Hope press for information of the progress of the arrangements for the show. It accuses the Guide and Times of ignoring the exhibition because they were not successful in getting the printing, and insinuates that the Peterboro and Lindsay papers did likewise in accordance with an arrangement entered into with the two local papers mentioned. This latter charge, so far as THE POST is concerned, is without the slightest foundation. On every occasion that it came into contact with the management it gave assistance to the exhibition we did so cheerfully but it was seldom that we could get any information of the progress of the arrangements from the local paper. There is no doubt that the large deficit of $400 is largely owing to the show being poorly advertised outside the immediate neighborhood of Port Hope, and that this was the result of a mean policy adopted by the local committee in awarding the printing. The proprietors of the Times and Guide were not to be expected to display a large amount of liberality in advertising free an exhibition the managers of which treated them shabbily. The local papers have done all in their power to promote the exhibition, and their heavy losses on that behalf deserve some other recognition than that of the cheese-paring Port Hope committee. We suppose they got their printing done for a song, but one result was that the mammoth poster announcing the exhibition instead of being decorated with the handsome posters of other district exhibitions looked much worse than the bill of a fourth-rate show. Now, this should better could be expected under the circumstances. This office will not tender for any of the printing, but will with pleasure, despatch and in the highest style of the art, at reasonable prices, any orders with which it may be favored by the exhibition committee. Any committee that adopts the niggardly Port Hope plan deserves to be sent to Jericho.

Personal

Remenyi pronounces his name Remain-yi.

Hon. James Cockburn is reported to be again seriously ill.

Major Millican paid the pensioners here on Wednesday.

Mr. Meredith, inspector of the Bank of Montreal, is in town.

Mr. J. W. Leonard left Monday last to assume his position on the Credit Valley railway.

Dr. Tweedie of Dresden, formerly of Oakwood, has been appointed an associate coroner.

A telegram from Winnipeg states that Mr. W. J. Macaulay of that place (who is well known in Lindsay) has obtained some very fine specimens of gold-bearing quartz from the Lake of the Woods. There is also one nugget of solid gold.

Dr. E. A. Herriman returned last week from a month's visit to Chicago. The great many Victoria county people there and he reports them all doing well and satisfied with their new home. Mr. Herriman had got one of the best farms in Northern Dakota.

Mr. Wm. Sadler is at present in town putting some business matters in shape before going to the western states for the winter. He is thinking of going into stock farming in Dakota, and before finally settling down he intends taking a look round for the purpose of seeing how the farmers in those states whether their stock. He thinks there is money in the business.

We take the subjoined item from the Parkhill Herald: The friends of Mr. Owens in Lindsay will be pleased to learn of his advancement: "Mr. J. P. Owens, for the past three years cashier in McTaggart's Bank, has accepted the position of teller in the Parkhill branch of the Exchange Bank. Mr. Owens is a reliable, industrious, young man and will we are sure give satisfaction in his new situation."

Mr. Roderick McLennan, eldest son of Mr. John McLennan, of this town, passed the matriculation examination at Queen's College, Kingston, in a very creditable manner. He won the Leitch memorial scholarship, value $57; and ranked 2nd in mathematics, 4th in Greek and 8th in Latin. The honors earned by this young student will be a source of gratification to his friends and redounds to the credit of the Lindsay high school. His proficiency in mathematics will show that Mr. Tilley is a painstaking and successful teacher.

Mr. W. E. Tilley, M.A., head master of the Lindsay high school, was present at the semi-annual meeting of the county of Durham teachers' association held last week and took the subject of "Entrance examinations," shewing the system of working pursued by the examiners. He stated that they had to deal with three classes of candidates, which he designated A B and C. A representing those who take a sufficient number of marks to make a good pass, B those who take a total which would pass them, but fail to take marks enough for a pass on one subject (usually dictation) C those who make a pass on each subject, but fail to make enough for the total. Class A, of course, passed the other classes were recommended, and class B usually passes, but class C is struck off. This is thought unjust as class C is considered fit to pass the high school. He said that it would be better to have two examinations on each subject, as one was hardly a fair test.

Canned Goods.

Finest lot of canned goods in town at E. McTAVISH'S. 1102.

It was a Cough

that carried him off, it was a coffin they carried him off in. But he didn't use Syrupof Tar and Wild Cherry. Sold at A. HIGN-HOTHAM'S, druggist. 1102-2.

Fall and Winter Apples.

A Primeau is receiving a car-load of fall and winter apples, comprising all the popular varieties. Fall apples to be sold at $1.50 per bbl.; winter apples at $2 per bbl., or less if taken in quantity. Parties desirous of putting in their winter's supply would do well to call at once and leave their orders. 1102-2

Harper's Young People.

In another column will be found the prospectus of this admirable periodical for 1881. It is the best publication of the kind for children, and there is matter in it that will be read with interest and profit by "young folks" from five to fifty years of age. In respect of healthy reading it is far superior to anything like the kind published in an English-speaking country, and has the great advantage of coming once a week. The price ($1.50) is very reasonable. It can be had in club with THE POST for $2.75.

Local Brevities.

Dr. G. W. Hotchkin, truss manufacturer, is at the Benson house.

Mr. J. C. Rodden has received orders from Mr. E. D. Orde to draw plans for a new brick hotel to replace that recently burned at Coboconk.

Mr. Thos. A. Dodds, of Mariposa township, had a boy who gave a horse a dose of paris green instead of a condition powder. The horse was worth $125.

The special committee appointed by the county council to enquire into the cost of the construction of Cowan's bridge will meet in the village hall on Friday, the 29th instant.

The entertainment under the auspices of the Presbyterian congregation, announced for last Tuesday evening, did not come off, and has been postponed for a few weeks. Due notice will be given at the proper time.

Mr. D. McGinnis placed on our table yesterday a monster potato of the Early William variety, weighing a pound and three-quarters. There were seven in the hill, all nearly as large. They were "raised" on Mr. McGinnis' lot in the French village.

Mr. Robert Hunter, north ward, Lindsay, showed us the other day a curiosity in the shape of a bunch of dark grapes grown on a cutting planted in his garden in May last. The growth of the cuttings of which there were a large number was remarkably vigorous, but the appearance of fruit so soon, and in the first year too, is something remarkable.

Quite a number of altered Dominion one dollar bills changed to fours have made their appearance at Millpoint, near Napanee. The alteration is clumsily made, still it might deceive the uninitiated. The distinction between Dominion bills and Dominion Bank bills should be observed. The former are of ones and twos only; the latter are of no smaller denomination than fours. The difference between them is marked even when the one is "raised" to a four.

The Oshawa Reformer urges the board of education of that town to adopt some means of dealing with truants. It says: "It is a well known fact that a considerable number of boys, varying from 10 to 15 years of age, are in the habit of playing truant for days together. Truant boys very frequently develop into criminals, and are in many instances nursed in and about their homes from the very earliest stage of the truancy. The appointment of a truant officer is advocated.

A boy Lothario who left a town not a hundre Miles from Lindsay some time ago to find employment in the west became enamoured of a young lady in Brooklyn to which he settled down, and forgetting for the time that he had a wife and family in Canada, made a proposition of marriage and was accepted. A friend of the young lady happened to know a clergyman in the Canadian town from which the young man hailed and wrote to him as to the character of the young man. Imagine his surprise when he received a reply stating that the young man had a wife and children living in Canada. This was received only a few days before the nuptials were to be celebrated, and of course upset matters completely. The young man had to take a hasty departure for Canada and the young lady congratulate herself on a happy escape.

Railway Notes.

The track inspector of the Grand Trunk makes 25 miles an hour on his "railway velocipede."

The Perth town council have renewed until the 1st of March their by-law granting a bonus of $7,000 to the Toronto and Ottawa railway.

The railway lines from Chicago to St. Louis and Kansas City have been indulging in another war in the course of which the Burlington & Quincy offered passenger tickets to Kansas City for 50c. An immense business has been done by the speculators buying up the tickets. The Wabash alone sold $40,000 worth in a short time.

The Lanark county council have refused by a majority of one to extend the time for commencing work on the Toronto and Ottawa railway, and the bonus by-law will therefore lapse unless work is commenced on the first of next month. The town can by their decision seems to have been that many members of the council still suspect the Grand Trunk of having some interest in Mr. Gooderham's company.

The traffic receipts on the Whitby, Port Perry & Lindsay railway for the week ending Oct. 11, 1880, were as follows:

Passengers, mails and express	$638 00
Freight and live stock	1,921 00
Total	$2,559 00

For the corresponding week of 1879 the receipts were as follows:

Passengers, mails and express	$819 00
Freight and live stock	1,595 00
Total	$2,414 00
Increase	$145 00

The Midland railway traffic receipts for the week ending Oct. 14th, 1880, and for the corresponding week of 1879 were:

Passengers and mails	$2,261 05
Freight	8,183 29
Total for the week	$10,454 34
For the corresponding week in 1879:	
Passengers and mails	$2,038 34
Freight	8,471 27
Total for the week	$10,212 61
Increase	$241 73
Increase over 1879	$17,338 10
Aggregate from 1st Jan., 1879	$239,373 02

The Uxbridge Guardian says that at the present time business of Toronto & Nipissing railway is very brisk, brisker than it was ever known before, there being fourteen trains running daily. The Guide complains of being treated very shabbily. The local papers have done all in their power to promote the exhibition, and their heavy losses on that behalf deserve some other recognition than that of the cheese-paring Port Hope committee. We suppose they got their printing done for a song, but one result was that the mammoth poster announcing the exhibition instead of being decorated with the handsome posters of other district exhibitions looked much worse than the bill of a fourth-rate show. Now, this should better could be expected under the circumstances. This office will not tender for any of the printing, but will with pleasure, despatch and in the highest style of the art, at reasonable prices, any orders with which it may be favored by the exhibition committee. Any committee that adopts the niggardly Port Hope plan deserves to be sent to Jericho.

Collision and Smash-up on the Midland Railway.

A serious collision between two freight trains occurred last Thursday afternoon on the Midland railway a short distance south of Gravenhill. No one was injured, lives were lost, but the collision and the resulting smash-up at Port Hope caused damage to the extent of two or three hundred dollars. It seems that a special freight train left Port Hope and was to cross at Garden Hill No. 9 freight on the way south by same over-sight No. 9 was not signalled to stop and proceeded on the way. The agent at Garden Hill now was called to attend, but him missed that a collision was unavoidable and telegraphed to Port Hope where steps were taken to render assistance. In the meantime the trains approached each other. Just as each train turned a sharp curve says the News, the watchful eyes of the engineers discovered each other. The alarm was sounded on each train, and "down brakes" was whistled sharp and severe. Train hands knew what it all meant. The train coming south was flying along at the rate of twenty miles an hour the passenger north about ten miles an hour. Both engineers threw back their reversers and tried to stop their trains. The one going north under Engineer Hacerman had almost stopped as it was on an upgrade, but Engineer Mimms had not managed to slacken his much, being on a down grade and heavily loaded, which lent an additional impetus to the velocity of the train. When the engineer and No. 7 saw that a collision could not be avoided he jumped. Engineer Mimms too remained at his post until he saw that the other train was not going to back up, and that a collision was inevitable, and he also jumped. Just as the struck the ground the two iron monsters came together with fearful force, as locomotive No. 9 was going at the rate of fifteen miles an hour. The small wheels of No. 7 were thrown off the track, as also the tender and first freight car. The coupling connecting the other cars had been broken, and the conductor saw that they were off on the down grade, and called to the brakesman to get aboard and stop them. Adams caught up and boarded the nearest car, and began pulling on the brakes, when he found another couple had been broken, and the larger part of the train was separated from the car he was standing on. He then loosened the brakes on the car he had got on to the runaway part of the train, so as to jump on the nearest car; but by this time it had got a good start, and he had to give up the start. The vagrant train kept on down grade for Port Hope where another smash-up occurred. This is graphically described by the News: At five minutes to four o'clock Thursday afternoon, persons standing at the Midland crossing on Walton-st. were surprised to see what seemed to be the rear end of a freight train coming down with fearful velocity, apparently uncontrollable. Glancing towards the station, there was to be be seen No. 5 locomotive nearly out of the station building, while a short distance behind it stood No. 12 with a couple of freight cars attached to it. As soon as the alarm was given the engineer of No. 12 whistled for the switch as did No. 5. No. 12 got backed up, but not so with the other. On came the thundering train, numbering thirteen heavy cars—they crossed Walton-st. at the rate of 25 miles an hour, and in an instant were crashing into No. 5 locomotive. The engineer and firemen saw that they could not prevent a collision, and had jumped to the ground. The conductor's car that struck the locomotive slid up the cow-catcher, smashed in the front of the boiler, and cleared off the smoke-stack. The collision threw the small front wheels off the track, and sent the locomotive back about four car lengths. The car when it struck seemed to bound into the air, and then rolled over towards the station platform telescoping the car next to it, which in turn partly telescoped the third and threw the fourth off the track. The effect of the collision on the remaining nine cars was that almost every coupling was broken, and the buffers were driven in, crushed every end of the cars. A further examination showed that the framework supporting the axles and the platform had been all more or less broken, destroyed some of the wheels were broken and some twisted off the track. No lives were lost, but the damage was greatly rendered by Mr. Lewis Ross, one of the directors. Very exaggerated reports were circulated, and it was said a loss of $20,000 had been caused. The two engines on the freight trains were badly damaged, but two or three thousand dollars will effect all the needed repairs. The track was at once cleared and everything put into proper order. An official investigation into the cause of the accident will be held.

Chancery Sittings.

The fall sittings of the court of chancery will open here next Monday before the Hon. V. C. Proudfoot.

Forbes, the War Correspondent.

We understand that Mr. Forbes, the celebrated war correspondent, is to lecture in Lindsay on the 4th of January next under the auspices of the Mechanics' Institute. The required guarantee was easily raised. No doubt there will be a very large audience.

Choice Groceries and Canned Goods.

A. Campbell is constantly receiving fresh supplies of new goods. Just arrived, curry powder, French capers, salt of celery, Cayuga lake tomato catsup, orange marmalade, canned corned beef, parafine belmont candles, new raisins and currants, boneless codfish in 5-lb. boxes. 1102-2.

Lindsay Model School.

We understand Mr. McFaul, principal of the model school, has had for some two weeks a complete mixed or rural school organized in connection with the Lindsay model school in which the model students do all their teaching under his immediate supervision and criticism. By this arrangement no pupils are occasionally drafted from the public schools, no model students are required to teach in any of the graded schools though they may occasionally visit them, nor is the work of the regular teachers in any way interfered with. Teachers-in-training at the Lindsay model school have enjoyed considerable advantages and we have no doubt the school will be maintained with increased efficiency, and with such improvements as experience may suggest or circumstances require.

The Country Gentleman.

The prospectus of this old farmers' favorite paper may be read in our advertising columns. The Country Gentleman is one of the best agricultural papers published, and contains a very great quantity of valuable reading matter. While it is enterprising it is also conservative and careful, and does not puff up every new notion whether foolish or valuable that may be suggested. A feature of the Country Gentleman is the number of contributors who are actual farmers. The publishers this year offer as an additional attraction, *free*, a copy of their Illustrated Annual Register of Rural affairs, a volume of 114 pages, with copious illustrations, worth 30c. The ordinary price of the paper is $2.50 in clubs. It may be had with THE POST for $3.50 cash. Those desirous of subscribing should send in their names at once.

Picturesque Canada.

Mr. T. L. Wilson, general agent of the Art Pub. Co., Toronto, is in town for the purpose of obtaining subscribers to a work it is proposed to issue under the title of "Picturesque Canada. The volume will be "a pictorial descriptive and historical delineation of the Dominion." The lakes, rivers and waterfalls, mountains, valleys and plains of this land of forest and stream; together with the cities and hamlets and other picturesque and historical features of the land we live in. The art department, under the special supervision of Mr. L. R. O'Brien, embraces the highest ornaments of the profession in Canada. The literary portion of the work has been assigned to leading Canadian writers." No one who glances at the specimen sketches shown by the agent can fail to be struck with the beauty of the scenes they represent, and the excellence of the engraving. The letter press will be historical as well as descriptive, and the whole work is of a kind that really merits praise and encouragement from the Canadian people. In Orillia the agent procured over 100 subscribers, and we have no doubt that his list of patrons in Lindsay will number in proportion. Mr. Wilson is stopping at the Benson house, and during the next two weeks will call upon our citizens. The publication is one that can be cordially recommended as worthy the liberal support of Canadians.

Police Court.

(Before J. W. Dunsford, P. M.)

Friday, Oct. 8. Arthur Downey, who appeared again on remand on the charge of killing a cow belonging to Robert Douglas, was finally discharged from custody.

Monday, 11th. James O'Brien was accused of a common assault upon Matthew Sanderson. After hearing the facts defendant was fined $1 and costs or two days in gaol.

Tuesday, 12th. Mathew Raymond v. Jos. Demson. Complainant asked for a further adjournment of the case in order to obtain the evidence by affidavit of a witness in the states. This was objected to by defendant's counsel and the case was dismissed, but without costs. Thos. Counsel and James McKay were charged with creating a disturbance in the street, wanting to fight, etc. The evidence was not very clear and they were allowed to go on their own recognizance.

Friday, 15th. John Morrison appeared on a summons to answer a charge of assault preferred by Charles Griffiths. As after the lapse of nearly an hour complainant did not appear the case was dismissed.

Tuesday, 19th.—Hugh O'Neil v. John Lynch. This was a claim for wages. Defendant put in a set-off for articles furnished complainant. Some of the items were allowed and others rejected and finally defendant was ordered to pay the balance, $6.56 and costs, within 21 days.

Thursday, 21st. Mr. Leonard was brought up this morning on the charge of being drunk on the street last evening. He was allowed to go on his promise to leave town by the evening train.

LOCAL NEWS-LETTERS.

DALRYMPLE.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

SHANTYING.—Several of our young men have left for the shanties.

FIGHTING.—A fight of rather a disgraceful character took place last Sunday night among some boys, one of which was severely injured.

TWO WEDDINGS took place last week.

PROGRESS.—We have a shoemaker in town now.

NORLAND.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

SNOW ON MONDAY.

NEWSPAPER.—The good templars are preparing for a grand necktie social on Saturday evening next.

ACCIDENT TO A HUNTER.—Mr. Geo. Adair met with an accident on Monday last while hunting a deer on Mud Turtle lake by which he lost a valuable gun and came near losing his life. The deer was swimming about 60 rods from shore when he shot it and at once paddled up to secure his game which was floating on the water apparently dead. He seized it by the ear and was preparing to cut its throat when it made a final plunge for free itself and upset his canoe. Mr. Adair succeeded in getting hold of the canoe and by its aid reached the shore in a benumbed state, the morning being quite cherry cold. A valuable double-barreled gun went to the bottom when the canoe upset. The deer which had been the cause of so much trouble was afterwards secured by Mr. Robert Adair.

MINDEN.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

FALL SHOW.—The Minden agricultural society's show was held on the society's grounds on Oct. 7th. The day being fine the country people began pouring in at an early hour. The entries numbered about 220 and the articles were in every respect far ahead of any former years both in regard to quantity and quality. The display of ladies' work was very extensive and many new and pretty designs in the various departments were to be seen. There was a large display of fancy quilts, blankets, flannel rugs and carpets. James Walker showed in a case a piece of old needlework and pincushion 115 years old, also four vase horns with flowers, two horn spoons, all of which were much admired. Mr. Unger, teacher, showed a large glass case of stuffed birds and squirrels, which proved that he is no new beginner at this kind of work. They were highly appreciated. The display of butter was large both in rolls and tub. There was over twelve loaves of bread. Apples, grapes grown in the open air and a large quantity of preserves in glass were also on exhibition. The display of field and garden produce, roots and grain was extra fine in all the departments being above the average. A large number attended the fair and the society pronounced it the best ever held here. There was an improvement in all the different class of stock over former years. The society is much indebted to the directors for their able management. Notwithstanding the strong opposition that was brought to bear on the government to withhold the annual grant from the society the money came and did good service and no thanks to those who wished to stop it. x.x.

LITTLE BRITAIN.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

THE N.P.—Mr. Uriel Cann near the village has a goose laying eggs now. This is rather strange, and the neighbors think the N.P. must be at work.

FAREWELL SERMON.—Rev. Elder Prosser, Christian minister of this place, preached his farewell sermon last Sunday morning to a crowded house. Rev. Elder W. Cowles takes his place as pastor of the Little Britain Christain church.

THAT SCHOOL MATTER.—There seems to be quite an excitement in the village about hiring the school teacher. I know but very little about the affair for my part, only what I hear from the general conversation. Some seem to blame the trustees for not advertising more for a teacher. They say a number of good teachers would have applied for the school in all probability, and would teach for $300 or $350; and they say the teacher they have engaged for $400 would no doubt have taught for a good deal less rather than lose the school, schools being very hard to get at present. Others say they were too hasty in engaging a teacher, and so on to the end. But the people will talk you know as the old song has it) and why shouldn't they? The teacher engaged is a clever young man and we hope he will get along all right.

BIBLE SOCIETY MEETING.—The annual meeting of the Little Britain branch of the bible society was held here last Tuesday night in the Christain church. The Rev. Mr. Cockburn of Uxbridge, the agent, spoke in behalf of the society; after which the following officers were elected for the coming year: President, R. F. Whiteside; secretary, T. G. Ford; treasurer, John Broad.

GLEANINGS.—Barley moving to the station....The market is nearly as good as Toronto at the station....Marriages anticipated....Bible Depository....Deaths few....Beautiful weather.... Some snow.

ONTARIO COUNTY.

A BAD KICK.—A son of Mrs. Merritt, who is living with Mr. Short at Foley, was kicked in the face by a horse on Monday last the side of his face was laid open and his cheek bone broken. He is under the care of Dr. Martin.

FLEETWOOD.

FIRE.—At 7.30 on Sunday evening the farm buildings of Wm. Staples of Fleetwood were completely destroyed by fire, all his grain, hay and straw being completely consumed. The origin of the fire is unknown. Insured for $400; loss $1,200.

SONYA.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

HYMENEAL.—On the 18th inst. Mr. T. Gilson of Mariposa was united in marriage to Miss Ellen Turner of Reach. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Allan, B.C. minister of Prince Albert. We wish them a happy journey through life and that their path may be strewn with roses.

SALE OF LAND.—Mr. Alex. Black, executor of the estate of the late Chas. Black, has succeeded in selling that splendid farm in the north part of Reach to Mr. John Leask for the sum of $8,300. We wish Mr. Leask success in his purchase.

MUSKOKA.

THE LOST IS FOUND.—Some three years ago a son, aged 10 years, of Mr. Snell of Stephenson left home one morning to go to school