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LINDSAY, WEDNESDAY, FEB. 23, 1881.

Poetry Revivifies Dead Souls

fresh at Hoopingarner's Drug Store. 19-2

Dr. Pettit's Blood Purifier

a splendid spring medicine, sold by A. Higginbotham, Druggist. 19-2

Money at 6 per cent.

S. Cornell is now loaning at 6 per cent, with privilege of paying off the principal in small sums without notice. Call on him before you go elsewhere. 19-4

A Good Offer.

It will be of interest to parties indebted to Mr. C. E. Baker to know that he will accept potatoes and butter on account the same as cash. Farmers should have no excuse for paying up now. 19-3

Pine Tar Cordial.

Now is the time to use Pine Tar Cordial when coughs and colds are so prevalent. It is very pleasant to take and a most effect ual remedy. Children are fond of it. 25c per bottle. The genuine must have the name S. PARKER on each label. 1881-tf.

Fire on William-st.

A fire broke out Tuesday evening about seven o'clock in the rear of the building on William-st, occupied by Mr. John Maguire as a harness shop. When but a small blaze the alarm was sounded and the fire brigade appearing promptly on the scene the flames were subdued before the attached building on the south side was injured to any great extent. The greater part of the burning building was, however, destroyed, as was also a portion of the adjoining building on the north side. Two heavy streams were playing on the building in a short time after the alarm was given and the water-works furnished a very satisfactory proof of their efficiency. Had it not been for the difficulty experienced by the firemen in getting at the burning portions owing to the numerous sheds and out-houses in the rear, the fire would have been completely drowned out long before it was; and had it not been for prompt action and the efficiency of the water-works we might probably have had to record an extensive conflagration on Kent-st. The burned building belonged to Mr. Maguire, and was with stock, tools, etc., insured for $600. The building to the north belonged to the estate of the late Bryan Shippers and was, we understand, not insured. Mr. Maguire's insurance on his stock will not cover his loss by a considerable sum. A valuable chest of tools was destroyed. The building at the south side is owned by Mr. John Knowlson and the insurance will cover all the damage done. Mr. Maguire will resume business in a short time and desires to thank those who so promptly removed the goods from the building.

Curling.

Two rinks of the Lindsay club went to Whitby Friday last and played A match of twenty one ends with the local club in the morning, with the following result:

LINDSAY.		WHITBY.
Rink No. 1.		
J. Marble,		J. Lawder,
J. Cameron,		W. Hood,
W. McIlmoyle,		R. Armstrong,
J. D. Flavelle, skip	21	S. Ray, skip 21
Rink No. 2.		
D. J. McIntyre,		W. J. Gibson,
J. McLennan,		H. Snow,
W. Scoller,		E. Ray,
S. A. McMurtry, skip	18	W. McMurtry, skip 12

In the afternoon they played with the rinks of the Bowmanville club. The ice was very poor and completely upset the Lindsay team. The result was a defeat by six shots.

BOWMANVILLE.		LINDSAY.
Rink No. 1.		
E. G. Burke,		D. J. McIntyre,
Dr. Beith,		J. McLennan,
F. Coleman,		W. Scoller,
Col. Cubitt, skip	18	S. A. McMurtry, skip 20
Rink No. 2.		
W. Prower,		J. Marble
C. E. Manson,		J. Cameron,
J. Richardson,		W. McIlmoyle,
S. Boden, skip	23	J. D. Flavelle, skip 12

The game between "Lindsay rinks that went to Whitby played Port Hope and Cobourg on Tuesday and Wednesday. They beat Port Hope by seven shots but were defeated by Cobourg by six shots.

Amusements.

A Toronto friend wants to know how it is that Uncle Joshua, who drew crowded houses at the Grand and was warmly commended by the Toronto papers, was not appreciated in Lindsay. Are Lindsay audiences more critical than those of Toronto? he asks. Most certainly they are, if Toronto people can see any merit in such a performance.

After the concert at Bobcaygeon Monday evening Mr. R. G. Edwards, who is about to become a citizen of Lindsay, was called upon for an address by the president of the dramatic club. The presentation was made by Mr. C. H. Stewart and the address was delivered by Mr. Edwards in the "favorites of the Time, the Beautiful and the Good."

The Lindsay dramatic company are to be congratulated on the successful performance of Tuesday evening, and upon the hearty appreciation manifested by the public of their praiseworthy efforts to assist a deserving young man. The music hall was well filled with an appreciative audience and well were they entertained that hardly a person left the room until the performance was concluded. The general opinion expressed was that the entertainment was the best of the kind ever gotten up here. The drama was entitled "Temptation, or the Irish Emigrant," in which the characters were well cast. Mr. Geo. Giles in the title role of Oliver, the Irish Emigrant, was very successful in affording the broad sympathetic Irishman. He was ably seconded by Mr. Wm. Truesell as Tom Doballick, the truckman, whose representation of the character exhibited considerable histrionic ability and was all that could be desired. His rendition of "A Pitcher of Beer" was one of the best features of the evening, and for this and other good features of his part he was loudly applauded. The hard-hearted villain, Fenton, was well taken by Mr. M. A. Boyce, his acting in the last scene being considerably above the average; and the unconscious young man, Henry Travers, the victim of old Granite, found in Mr. Wm. Walsh a very fair representative. Mr. J. H. Cannon as Sterling, the faithful servant, did the character justice. Polly, the wife of Tom Doballick, was taken in a manner that surprised everybody, no better selection could have been made. The other principal parts were all fairly fair supported. In the farce, "That Rascal Pat," Mr. John Way, jr., took the title role and both in make up and rendition of the character showed careful preparation. He was a complete success and afforded a vast amount of fun. "The Maiden" was effectively burlesqued by Mr. R. Harding. The Harris orchestra rendered valuable assistance during the evening, their selections being richly enjoyed, as indeed they always are. They, together with the 45th half, band, contributed their services free of charge for this they are to be commended. The proceeds after all expenses were paid amounted to $20 and were handed over to Mr. Lelow, who is deeply grateful for the kind patronage bestowed upon him.

Local Brevities.

Try American coal oil, superior to anything in the market, at A. CAMPBELL'S. 20-2.

Our $2.25 men's boots reduced to $1.75 at O. A. WEEGER'S bazaar. 20-tf.

Our 90c. boys and girls boots reduced to 75c at WEEGER'S Bazaar. 20-tf.

The shoeing frolic did not come to time Monday night, for the reason that they disbanded at Peterborough.

The revival services going on for some time past in the Canada Methodist church will be continued for a week or two more.

A large consignment of new teas just arrived. Good bargains during the month of March. Call and see prices. A. CAMPBELL. 20-2

About thirty people from Lindsay attended the Bobcaygeon concert Monday evening. It was in every respect a pronounced success.

Where is that salvage corps talked of some time ago? It is reported that there was some pilfering done at the William-st. fire the other night.

The county treasurer's sale for taxes was held on Tuesday last when a number of properties were sold. The adjourned sale will be held on Tuesday, 8th March.

The annual tea meeting of the Reaboro Sabbath school will be held in the church at the hill head on Thursday evening next, March 3rd. Tea will be served from 5 to 7 o'clock p.m.

A new school room has been established in Hamilton's block over Mr. Hartman's store. The present school accommodation is inadequate owing to the largely increased attendance.

Go to Louie barber shop, next door to the Jewett house, for a clean shave and fashionable hair cut. His motto is "All work done neatly, methodically, expeditiously and as simply as A B C."

A social will be held next Tuesday evening in the Baptist church at which refreshments will be served and a choice programme of vocal and instrumental music will be rendered, together with recitations, etc.

A slight blaze in the house of Mr. J. Britton, conductor Midland railway, on Wednesday night was promptly extinguished. As will be seen by another item in this column Mr. Britton extends his thanks to those who lent assistance.

The town has granted $10 towards keeping the clock on the R. C. church in running order for one year. The clock is a great convenience to country people on the market as well as residents of the town and the grant was well made.

A few days ago the operation of removing an eye from a little son of Mr. J. P. Sutherland was successfully performed by Dr. Ryerson of Toronto, assisted by Dr. Coulter. The little fellow is under Dr. Coulter's care and is getting along nicely.

Dr. Cleary, the newly appointed Roman Catholic Bishop of Kingston, was in town on Quarantoon on Sunday last. He will come direct to St. Michael's palace, Toronto, and after remaining a few days will proceed to Kingston and assume charge of that see.

Mr. W. H. Wherry of lot 8, 9th con. Mariposa, last year raised 1,000 bushels of carrots on one acre of land and 800 bushels of mangolds on another acre. He raised in all 6,000 bushels of roots, all of which he is using for feeding purposes. He is fattening twelve head of cattle this winter and finds that it pays.

A small uncoupled house just outside the north eastern limits of the town was burned Tuesday night. It was up to recently occupied by a disreputable family named Jackson, who made themselves so obnoxious to the neighbors, and fearing that they might return it is reported the house was set on fire.

The Midland railway traffic receipts for the week ending Feb. 11th, 1881, were: Passengers and mails, $1,383.00; freight, $2,098.36; total for week, $3,481.41. And for the corresponding week of 1880 were: Passengers and mails, $1,268.67; freight, $1,271.69; total for week, $2,540.34. Increase, $940.96. Aggregate from 1st January, 1881, $21,318.16.

The debating club recently organized in connection with the Lindsay high school literary society closed their first discussion on Friday evening of last week the question at issue being, "Which was the greatest general, Napoleon or Wellington." Messrs. H. Doyle and J. C. Rogers advocated the claims of Napoleon, and Messrs. Dillon Ple and Vanstone those of the iron duke.

The carnival at the Victoria rink Tuesday evening was not a pecuniary success but it was a very enjoyable affair. There were a number of very pretty costumes which were admirably worn by the participants of both sexes. The prize for the best male skater was awarded to R. Logan; best male costume, George Smart; best female skater, Miss Lizzie Kaughran; best lady's costume, Miss Minnie Dalton. The 45th band furnished excellent music.

Eagle Carbonic Restorer,

sold by A. Hoopingarner, druggist. 19-3.

Salt and Plaster.

For fine and coarse salt and land plaster go to A. CAMPBELL'S. 19-3.

Dr. Pettit's Anti-Bilious Blood Purifier.

I have this day sold to A. Higinbotham the exclusive right to manufacture the above. E. L. GODFREY. 19-3.

Heart Prosecuted.

Mrs. David Stewart was in the police court Friday, charged with assaulting one Moses Heart by striking him in the face with her fist. Moses withdrew the charge and paid costs.

The New Firm.

Messrs. Scotherson and Cathro, of the new firm of Scotherson, Cathro & Mark, left on Wednesday afternoon for Montreal to complete purchases. They will open their store in the premises next to Mr. John Doheny's between the 5th and 10th March. The retail advertisement will appear next week.

Another Blast from George Calvert.

I want you to tell the farmers of Ops about their short comings. Would it not be good if each farmer had two or three fat cattle to sell against Easter for $60 each. It is no trouble to feed cattle. Every township feeds cattle but Ops and Emily. Now, sir, a hundred dollars would be very acceptable to pay of a little old debts and buy our wives a new dress and a chest of tea. Now is the time to look out for the future. When your cows are coming in, I would advise you to keep the steer calves; I never know the three or four year old steers to be a bad sale, but the three year old heifers you cannot turn them into cash as easily as steers. I suppose there is not a three year old steer in every concession in Ops or Emily. Some will say they have nothing to feed them on. Raise corn if you have high land. All the choice cattle are fed on corn alone. I am feeding two cattle on corn and expect there will be no bones in them before the middle of April. I feed them for one dollar's worth of corn each week and a little hay, but you must have grade cattle for profit. I think our farmers for the last four years have not prospered, I will give you a few reasons. No fat cattle; too much machinery. I see farmers with 50 or 60 acres of clearance have one seeder costing $130; one harvester, $150; one mowing machine, say $60; also iron harrows, $70—all on credit; then when the rent day comes, to be sold out for rent. Here is another drawback. The land has to be plowed fast to let the machines work. There are hundreds of acres covered with water in the early spring that you cannot sow early, that if it was ridged up in twelve feet ridges would be all dry in early spring. They will say they cannot work their keepers. I say on low lands go up one side and down the other and go on the bad land empty. I think that will save the farmers from throwing their seed wheat amongst the mud holes. I see that Mr. T. Bell of Dunsford is blowing about a young son. I think we can beat him as we had a young papoose near Reaboro on Sunday last. All well. I will close for the present. GEORGE CALVERT.

Town Council.

A special meeting of the town council was held on Monday evening last for the purpose of appointing a delegation to go to Toronto to support the petition to the Lieut.-Governor in council, asking the legislature to relieve the town of a portion of its indebtedness, caused by granting $65,000 to the Victoria railway. There were present Dep.-reeve Wallace, and Couns. Cahill, Fee, Finney, Ross, Hamilton, Melville and Brooks. In the absence of the mayor and reeve, Dep.-reeve Wallace took the chair, and after stating the object of the meeting read the petition referred to. On motion of Coun. Melville, seconded by Coun. Hamilton, the mayor, reeve and Wm McDonnell, esq., and John A. Barron were appointed a delegation to urge the claims of the town on the government in the matter referred to by the petition. Coun. Hamilton gave notice of a dog tax by-law to be introduced at the next meeting. Coun. Melville reported the snow by-law as not being observed by residents on Cambridge-st. Several members considered that as the winter was the greater part past steps should not be taken to enforce the by-law. Capt. Crandall was on motion heard. He submitted a statement of the charity expenditure made by him during the past year, which amounted to $596.25. He pointed out that the east ward was the poorest ward in town and that the expenditure was in former years always much larger there than in other wards, but if the total expenditure for last year was as much as was reported, the amount expended in the east ward was considerably smaller than in the other wards. He stated that he made this report in consequence of rumors in circulation as to his extravagance in this matter. He also submitted his street and bridge order book. Coun. Hamilton considered if Capt. Crandall had kept his expenditure down to $596.25 he had been very economical, and he would move a vote of thanks to him. Coun. Ross said he would second the motion. Coun. Fee considered that it would be better to wait until the accounts were examined before passing a vote of thanks. The motion was allowed to stand until examination of the accounts. Coun. Ross considered all the members of the charity committee should make a similar report. The chairman said there was a standing order to that effect and a report was made at every monthly meeting. On motion of Couns. Hamilton, seconded by Coun. Melville, the clerk was instructed to ask for tenders for printing. On motion of Couns. Ross, seconded by Coun. Finney, a set of dies delivered by Mr. P. McGinley was ordered to be paid for. An informal discussion then took place on Coun. Hamilton enquiring if anything more had been heard by Mr. Smyth as to the stuff goods factory. Coun. Melville and the chairman both stated that Mr. Smyth was in correspondence with parties desiring to establish the factory, and that further information might be expected soon. Coun. Hamilton considered that everything within reason should be done to secure the factory. If it was only a matter of $25,000 stock the town should take it as cash. After some further remarks the council adjourned.

LOCAL NEWS-LETTERS.

PLEASANT VALLEY.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

OUR SCHOOL. Monthly examination, continued from last week: Grammar, fourth form Annie Moines, 82; B. Dewel, 49; M. H. Everson, 38; W. Moines, 27; D. Brown, 13. Third form—Euenma Copp, 90; E. J. Everson, 74; Harriet Dewel, 20.

OMEMEE.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

COLT STOLEN. Dr. Higinbotham has his valuable Warmanbinny mare colt stolen from his stable on Sunday night last. The doctor values the colt very highly and advertises a valuable reward to any person giving information that will lead to her recovery.

OAKWOOD.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

SOCIAL. Mrs. H. F. Butler's social on Friday evening, 18th inst., resulted in a crammed house. Lindsay, Cambray, Eden and other points contributing large delegations. A very pleasant time was spent, Mr. and Mrs. B. sparing no effort to make everybody feel at home. A bountiful supply of tea and edibles was enjoyed and with music, amusements and other ways of putting in a pleasant time, eleven o'clock came almost too soon. The following among others contributed parts: Miss Beacham, the Misses Parkinson, Miss Bigelow, Miss Campbell, Miss Bowes. Nearly $15 was realized. Proceeds for C.M. parsonage fund.

BIRCLAY.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

FALL WHEAT. The winter is holding on well. The fall wheat is all right and if the snow keeps on through March it will be safe.

GRANGE MEETINGS. We have had some very interesting discussions at the Grange here this winter. The last one was on "Artificial and other manures, and the best method of applying them." At present took a live interest in the discussion, and it seems to be up in farmers' ideas as to the benefit of using more salt and plaster. At our next meeting we will take up the subject of "Drainage, and the best methods." The next open meeting for our grange is on the 2nd March. We expect a good turnout; we want the tile makers at our next meeting and would like the editors of the local papers to come.

IMPORTANT TO FARMERS.—Produce is pretty well sold off in our neighborhood. Farmers are turning their attention to stock raising more than formerly. There are two car loads of fat cattle going to Cambray to-day. Mr. Eakins is the shipper. With the fattening of stock and dairying, farmers here are realizing more from their farms than when they depended all on raising grain. Mr. W. J. Greenaway sells eight head of fat cattle, good ones, to Mr. Eakins. We have had a good winter and first-rate sleighing. I believe we have the best part of the dominion right here, and I would advise young men to take wives and stay at home instead of going off west.

BURY'S GREEN.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

SUPPER AND PRESENTATION.—On the evening of the 16th inst., the retirement of Mr. John Fell from the receveship of the township of Somerville, was commemorated by the ratepayers and other friends, who assembled at his residence to mark their appreciation of his long and valuable services in the interests of the township and country generally. After the excellent supper provided for the occasion by Messrs. Moffatt & McFarlane, of Fenelon Falls, was disposed of, Mr. Henry Graham was called to the chair, and Mr. Thomas Howie, on behalf of the ratepayers and other friends, presented Mr. Fell with an address and a valuable gold watch and chain, as a token of their esteem and regard for his public services. His amiable and worthy partner in life was also presented with a purse containing a sum of money. Mr. Fell replied in an able and feeling manner to the address, thanking his friends for the valuable present he had received and assured them that he prized it very highly, not only on account of its value but also as a valuable memento which would constantly remind him of his long and pleasant connection with the township and its people. He hoped to hand it down as an heirloom to those who would highly appreciate it, and trusted that it would prove an incentive to them to labour faithfully in the discharge of all public duties. The watch, which is a handsome gold one, was purchased in Toronto and bears the following inscription:—"Presented to John Fell, Esq., by his friends on his retiring from the receveship of the township of Somerville." Several addresses were delivered by those present relating to the long and able manner in which Mr. Fell had labored to advance the interests of the people, both in the township and county councils. The proceedings were enlivened by the singing of several excellent songs. A most pleasant and agreeable evening was concluded by singing the national anthem, after which the company dispersed well satisfied with the evening's entertainment. Mr. Fell has been reeve of the township since its formation as a separate municipality in 1862 until the present year, and during that long period he has filled the position with credit to himself and the people.

DUNSFORD.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

NEW BUILDINGS.—The frame for a new cheese factory, to be erected on a portion of Mrs. J. Macdonald's farm, is in course of construction....Mr. John Hay has laid down material for the construction of a large brick dwelling which he proposes to erect next summer.

NOT CORRECT.—The Warder stated that the sporting men of Dunsford will not trot their horses at the Bobcaygeon races on account of the smallness of the purses. Had he stated that Dunsford possesses neither sporting men nor fast horses he would have been more correct.

SURPRISE.—A surprise party visited Mr. Taylor on Monday evening....Sleighing good....Business improving.

BEAVERTON.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

THE PULPIT.—The Rev. John McNabb of Knox church preached in St. Andrew's church last Sabbath evening to a large congregation. The church, which is a large one, being one of the largest outside of Toronto and capable of seating eight hundred persons, was filled to the doors. Owing to the Rev. Mr. Watson's illness the Rev. Mr. Carmichael of Markham will preach in St. Andrew's church in this village next Sabbath morning and evening.

SURPRISE PARTIES.—There have been a good many of the so-called parties in this village this winter in which the married folks have taken more interest than the younger portion of the community. The confirmation of the St. Paul syndicate bargain by the government is to blame for the absence of the young ladies and gentleman on these occasions. No wonder.

PORT HOPE.

STOLEN RAILWAY TICKETS.—At the police court on Monday, James Ellis, late night operator and Dave McLean, formerly a switchman of the Grand Trunk here, were charged with the theft of two tickets to Detroit. It appears Ellis made a mistake in a crossing order on Friday, and as it almost resulted in the local going east and a freight bound west colliding, knowing he would get into trouble he and McLean arranged to clear out to Detroit, and Ellis purloined the tickets for that purpose. When near Toronto, ticket picker Clancey thinking something was wrong telegraphed to Port Hope and discovered that no such tickets were issued. Ellis and McLean were arrested and brought back here. They elected to be tried at the spring assizes. The examination of witnesses for the prosecution consumed nearly the whole day. Bail was refused, and the prisoners were sent to Cobourg gaol.

ISLAY.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

PERSONAL.—Mrs. Bailey is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Burgess.

ACCIDENT.—Mr. Jas. Gilchrist cut his foot while chopping in the woods last week. He is able to be about again.

SCRAPS.—Valentines plentiful....Good sleighing....Coughs and colds prevalent....Mechanics busy....Money scarce.

PUZZLED.—Quite a few are in a dilemma to know the meaning of the word which appeared under the head of "something new" last week. A slight mistake occurred in the spelling of the word and in the sentence. It should read, "Our *mechamica*," etc. The word is spelled "monorotators" and means wheelbarrows.

CHANGING HANDS.—A great many changes will take place shortly in our neighborhood....Mr. P. Murchison has sold his farm to Mr. Christian. The former leaves for the North-west in the sprin....Mr. McEachern has rented the west half of his lot to Mr. S. Torrie....Mr. James Ball has bought a farm in Bexley and moves there shortly....Mr. A. McNabb intends working both of his farms and moves to his north one as soon as Mr. Ball leaves.

VICTORIA CONERS.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

SIGNS OF THE TIMES.—There is a decided improvement in all branches of industry round our corners. Loads of timber for telegraph poles, etc., may be seen passing at all hours of the day. Should the winter terminate as favorably as it began good crops for the coming season may be expected.

BUILDING.—John Cooper intends to put up a large frame barn as soon as spring comes. Mr. Marvatters also purposes finishing his house at an early date.

PERSONAL.—We are glad to see Mr. Hancock, who fell off a load of hay some time ago and fractured his arm, able to attend to his work again....Hugh Moore has been confined to his bed for some time but is now recovering.

BEAUTIES.—Very small congregation at church last Sabbath....Wild cats and foxes are numerous this winter....Considerable grain is passing by the corners to Cameron....Colds are common this several weeks....Strange it is but true that a full grown mosquito was observed here the other day....Sleighing parties quite common among the young folks here....Roads are excellent.

FRANKLIN.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

NOTES.—Mr. Robt. Brown has been confined to his bed for some time with a severe cold....A large number of baskets are being manufactured here by the Indians. It is a new industry for our village....The members of the B.C. church purpose having a tea-meeting in in a few weeks to raise funds enough to liquidate the debt on their church....The Methodist church here was reopened on Sunday last, service being conducted by the Rev. Mr. Sherin of Bethany. The church has been closed for about two years....Franklin can boast of having a skating rink, situated a short distance north of the village.

"And now the boys and girls do glide
Upon the glassy ice,
And as they cut a pigeon wing,
They say, 'Oh, my! how nice!'"

But when they strike a frozen lump,
And light upon their noses,
They sing a pean to the stars,
And gently murmur "Moses."

GRAIN MARKET.—There has been a regular "boom" in the wheat market here for the past few weeks. Our popular buyer Mr. W. R. Maguire, junr., is paying $1.10 for good spring wheat, which is in advance of the prices paid between Lindsay and Port Hope.

PALESTINE.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

DEBATE.—A debating club is being agitated here and is hoped will soon be organized. Debating clubs and spelling matches are pleasant, profitable and instructive.

HYMENEAL.—Last week Mr. Neil McLeod and Miss Jenny Brotherson were united in the bonds of matrimony. We wish them long life, peace and prosperity. Our young men must come along handsomely or the old bachelors will secure their choice of helpmeets, when they will be like the Carolina maids who petitioned for their rights but found to their sorrow that they were too late.

ILL.—Mr. Duncan Jamieson was suddenly taken ill from the effects of a bad cold which turned to inflammation. He is progressing favorably under the skillful treatment of Dr. McKay of Woodville.

OBITUARY.—We regret this week to publish the death of one of our oldest settlers. Last Sabbath Mr. Neil Logan was called to that land "from whose bourne no traveller returns," at the ripe old age of 84 years. Deceased was a native of Islay, Scotland, and a resident of this place for seventeen years. He lived a quiet and honest life. The remains were conveyed to their last resting place on Tuesday, 15th inst., by a large concourse of friends and relatives. Rev. Mr. McDonald, Presbyterian minister of Cambray, officiated in the burial service. The bereaved widow and family have the sympathy of a large circle of friends.

MANILLA.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

HYMENEAL.—Mr. Robert Webster of your town having tired of single misery has resolved to make himself a partner to share his joys and sorrows. He was on the 15th instant united in matrimony to Miss Elizabeth Jane Hickingbottom, youngest daughter of the late James Hickingbottom. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. D. McKinnon, pastor of the Manilla Congregational church, at the residence of the bride's parent with the present and no fear need be entertained in administering it to the youngest child, as per directions. The sale of this medicine is unprecedented. Since first introduced there has been a constant increasing demand and without a single report of a failure to doits work in any case. Ask your druggist as to the truth of these remarks. Large size, 75 cents. Try it and be convinced. —18x.

CREDIT SALES.

TUESDAY, 1ST MARCH.—By Elias Bowes, auctioneer, the valuable farm stock and implements, of the late Duncan McLean, lot 6, 3rd con. Mariposa. Sale at ten o'clock sharp.

TUESDAY, MARCH 8TH.—By Geo. McHugh, auctioneer, the farm stock and implements of Mr. John Fitzpatrick, west half lot 13, con. 3, Ops. Sale at 12 o'clock and without reserve. Lunch at 11.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 9TH.—By D. Ross, auctioneer, the valuable farm stock and implements of Mr. John Carnegie, lot 3, 7th con., Thorah. Sale at 12 o'clock and without reserve, as Mr. Carkner has rented his farm.

TO LET OR SELL.—That COMMODIOUS AND DESIRABLE BRICK DWELLING on lots 12 and 13 north of Russell Street, Lindsay, containing eleven rooms, at present occupied by Mr. C. L. Baker. The house is pleasantly situate and conveniently fitted with modern improvements. Hard and soft water. There is three-quarters of an acre of land with good outbuildings attached to dwelling. Will be rented for a term of years or sold on very reasonable terms. For particulars, &c., apply to HOWES, O'LEARY & O'LEARY, Barristers, P. S. HAMILL, Barrister, Lindsay, or the proprietor, Mrs. MORRISSY, on the premises. Lindsay, February 16, 1881.—19-tf.

John Brown of Sunderland takes his place.

PERSONAL.—Mr. Switzer Conway's head that was injured by the falling limb that killed young Mr. Hill has much improved.

ONTARIO COUNTY.

A WEALTHY FARMER KILLED.—Jas. Mitchell, a wealthy and well-known farmer, residing on Dundas-st., Whitby, and owning the Greenwood farm, 2nd con. of Whitby, was killed at noon on Thursday. He had two teams bringing in posts to town. He drove the first himself and the other was driven by his hired man. A bridle of the latter team broke and his horses ran away. Mitchell jumped off his load to stop them, and was knocked down and trodden on by one of the runaway horses, the calk of the horse's shoe entering the brain. The wheels of the wagon also passed over the prostrate man, breaking his left leg. When taken up life was extinct. The mutilated body was taken to the home of the deceased. The sad accident took place on the Brock road, about a mile north of Whitby. The deceased leaves a widow and five young children. He is reputed to be worth $100,000.

BOBCAYGEON.

IMPROVED STOCK FARM.—It is our pleasing duty to record that Bobcaygeon has taken the first step to establish a cattle breeding station which may in time rival the best known establishments in the Dominion. Mr. Boyd has decided upon undertaking the work and responsibility necessary to introduce the best breeds of cattle into this section of Canada, and has started a stock farm in the systematic and business-like manner which distinguishes all his operation. Mr. Boyd's son, Mr. M. M. Boyd, accompanied by Dr. Bonnell, has just returned from visiting the principal stock farms of Ontario, whither they went bearing letters of introduction from the Hon. S. C. Wood to the principal of the model farm at Guelph. Aided by the experience and judgment of the latter gentleman, Mr. Boyd purchased eleven head of cattle. Of these six are pure bred Herefords, comprising two bulls, one cow and three heifers; and five very handsome Durhams, comprising one bull, one cow and three heifers. The Herefords were all purchased from Mr. Stone of Guelph; whilst two Durhams were bought from Mr. Pipe and two from Mr. Wall, both of the same locality. All these animals are of the very best breeds that can be obtained; and each have pedigrees extending back to some celebrated English bred animal which in its day realized some such fancy price as five thousand pounds sterling. In addition to these it is Mr. Boyd's intention in the spring or as soon as he has barns ready to purchase some ten or more animals similar to those already purchased, and also some thoroughbred sheep. These will all be maintained on "Big Island," the latter being a farm of about twelve hundred acres in extent and in every way admirably suited for the stock-raising and feeding purposes to which it will be devoted in future. This then the nucleus is formed for a stock farm which in a few years will entirely revolutionize the whole of the cattle in the great district to the north of this place, a district which possesses singular advantages both in water and pasturage for raising cattle. That this undertaking will be watched with great interest is saying but little, for it will certainly have an important influence on the prosperity of the whole of this portion of Central Canada. It is proper to note that Mr. A. White of the Midland railway, a gentleman than whom no one in this country has a keener perception of the value of a trade for railway purposes, foreseeing the importance to which the export cattle trade will attain, accompanied Mr. Boyd to Guelph, and takes a deep and practical interest, as the representative of the Midland railway, in the success of this important undertaking.—Independent.

MARIPOS I.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.—The council of Mariposa met at Oakwood on the 21st February, 1881. Members all present. Minutes of last meeting read and approved. Moved by Mr. Broad, seconded by Mr. Lownsbrough that the reeve give his order on the treasurer for the following: J. Fell, $4.50, for erecting a side guard around gravel pit on sluice way, also $2 50 for cedar for sluicing in addition to $1.50 already granted.—Carried. Moved by Mr Broad, seconded by Mr. Bowes, that the following grants be made to indigent persons: Blears family, in care of A. Cameron, $8; Widow Wallace and son, in care of I. Patterson, $7; J. Edwards, $2; Mr. and Mrs. Lowes, in care of S. D. Webster, $6; Mrs. Harden in care of T. Broad, $2; Mrs. Morrin, in care of E. Bowes, $4; Mrs. Sweetland, $2; Mr. and Mrs. McDonald to receive $1 per month in care of E. Bowes.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Parkinson, seconded by Mr. Bowes, that the reeve and clerk be authorized to have a joint lease executed for a gravel pit for 20 years, on lot 2, 5th con. of Mariposa, for the sum of $60, township of Eldon to pay one half.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Lownsbrough, seconded by Mr. Bowes, that the reeve give his order on the treasurer for the following: C. D. Barr, account for printing, $3.50; C. Silver account for scraper, $7.50; Joseph Maunder, repairing scraper, 75 cents.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Bowes, seconded by Mr. Parkinson, that the clerk notify the trustees of school sections 13 and 15 that this council will at its next meeting take into consideration the propriety of detaching 32 acres, being part of lot No. 10 in con. A from school section 13 and annexing the same to school section 15.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Bowes, seconded by Mr. Lownsbrough, that the reeve give his order on the treasurer in favor of J. L. Whiteside for $123.56 cents, being payment due 1st March next, for removing mill dam.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Lownsbrough, seconded by Mr. Broad, that the printing for the present year be given to C. D. Barr, his tender being the lowest.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Bowes, seconded by Mr. Lownsbrough, that the auditor's report as now read be adopted.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Broad, seconded by Mr. Parkinson, that by-law No. 207, being a by-law to provide for the re-appointing of J. F. Cummings as clerk of this municipality be received and read a first time.—Carried. By-law No. 207, after passing through committee was read a third time and finally passed. Moved by Mr. Parkinson, seconded by Mr Lownsbrough, that the reeve be requested to have the bonds of the treasurer increased to $20,000.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Parkinson, seconded by Mr. Bowes, that the reeve be instructed to get six new scrapers and have the same left with the clerk for distribution.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Bowes, seconded by Mr. Parkinson, that this council now adjourn to meet again on the second Monday in March to appoint pathmasters.—Carried. JOHN F. CUMMINGS, township clerk.

EMILY.

TOWNSHIP COUNCIL.—Council met on the 14th inst., pursuant to adjournment. Present, the reeve, deputy-reeve and councillors Mitchell, Scully and Lowes. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed. Moved by Mr. Miller, seconded by Mr. Scully, that by-law No.—, a by-law to establish a road between lots 13 and 14 in the 13th con. of Emily, be returned to P. S. Martin Limited.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Scully, seconded by Mr. Mitchell, that the sum of $500 be placed in the money by-law, to be applied on the improvement of roads and bridges in this municipality for the current year.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Scully, seconded by Mr. Lowes, that D. Scully be appointed charge of the 12th, 13th, and 14th concessions, and that he expend $175 thereon; that William Miller take charge of the 7th, 8th, 9th and 10th concessions, west of the middle road, and expend the sum of $90; that J. Mitchell take charge of the 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th concessions, west of the middle road, and expend $90; that Mr. Bailey take charge of the 2nd, 3rd, 4th and 5th concessions east of the middle road, and that he expend $100; and that Mr. Lowes take charge of the 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th and 11th concessions east of the middle road, and expend $100, and further that the commissioners are hereby empowered to commutate to expend the township grant, and that they receive 4 per cent. commission for so doing.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Miller, seconded by Mr. Mitchell, that the clerk do notify the county clerk and treasurer that the taxes for 1877 against the north half of lot No. 5, in the 14th concession of Emily have been paid. Carried. On motion of Mr. Mitchell it was resolved that this council will not incur any extra expense on the rate-payers of this municipality by charging a commission on the money expended on the roads until the indebtedness of the township is paid.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Scully, seconded by Mr. Miller, and resolved, that salaries of the different officers of the municipality be as follows:—Clerk, $125; collector, $100; assessor, $70; treasurer, $60; without any extras. Moved by Mr. Mitchell, seconded by Mr. Lowes, that George Magee be and is hereby appointed assessor for the current year at a salary of $55. Lost. Moved in amendment by Mr. Miller, seconded by Mr. Scully, that Thos. Flynn be appointed assessor for this municipality for the current year at a salary of $70.—Carried. On motion the clerk was then instructed to notify Mr. Flynn of his appointment and request him to make his declaration immediately. A by-law was passed confirming the appointment of Mr. Flynn as assessor. Moved by Mr. Mitchell, seconded by Mr. Scully, that the clerk be instructed to purchase one of Harrison's Municipal Manuals for the use of the corporation.—Carried. On motion council adjourned to March 1st ensuing, to meet to appoint township officers, pathmasters, pound-keepers and fence viewers.

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