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Publisher's Notice.

OUR PREMIUM.

Don't fail to renew your subscription at once to "The Canadian Post." To present subscribers paying arrearages and one year in advance, and to all new subscribers paying a year in advance we will send post paid a copy of Dr. B. J. Kendall & Co.'s book entitled "A Treatise on the Horse and his Diseases." This book sells for $2.00 but is worth ten times this amount to owners of horses. Send in money promptly and secure a copy of this valuable work.

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FRIDAY, FEB. 15, 1882.

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

Lumber and lumber goods sold very cheap at Higinbotham's drug store. 70-2.

Hydrolene.
Fresh, pure and cold as ice at Higinbotham's drug store. 70-2.

Try
Old English Horse and Cattle Food. A. Higinbotham, druggist. 70-2.

Mack's Magnetic Medicine
Sole agent, A. Higinbotham, wholesale and retail druggist, Lindsay. 70-2.

Assorted Sugars.
A car load of assorted sugars received at A. Campbell's a few days ago. See his prices. 70-1

D. Sowers, M.D. (late of Paris), will visit Lindsay again and remain at the Revere house from Thursday, the 9th, until Thursday, the 16th of February, 1882. 68-2

Brilliant Scientific Triumph
Thousands cured of catarrh, bronchitis, asthma and lung diseases by Dr. M. Souville's Spirometer, an instrument that enables a medical properties direct to the parts affected. These wonderful instruments are used in all first class hospitals and prescribed by leading physicians. Full directions for treatment sent by letter and instruments sent to any address. It is only since Souville's invention that lung diseases are no longer feared until their very last stage. Write for particulars to M. Souville, ex-Aide-Surgeon of the French Army, 14 Phillips Square, Montreal. All letters must contain stamp for reply. 59-1y

Splinters.
The Bowmanville News advocates a ten cents admission to weddings in public, to be distributed to scrambling the sheet cream with sandwiches and lies. [illegible]

On Tuesday and Wednesday of last week Mr Wm Smith threshed ten bags of clover seed in a little less than nine hours for Mr W J Smitherman of lot 26 in the 6th con of Fenelon.

A Cobourg man has been convicted of trying to swallow a quarter of a pound of steak at one mouthful at a Peterboro hotel. Foolish Cobourger, anyway. The digestive apparatus of an ostrich would fail on Peterboro steak.

There is but one certain cure in the world for dyspepsia and liver complaint. Only 75c for a large bottle of Walker Bitters. Equal in strength and superior in effects to any other medicine. 27,000 bottles sold in the last month.

The Peterboro Review refers with "unpardonable backfulness" to the many compliments it has had to receive from the public. This should not be. When a compliment is well deserved, as is the case with the Review, it should be taken without any manifestation of embarrassment.

Local Brevities.
Wanted Reliable agent to do general work in a small family. Apply at this office.

Lots to wax unable to leave with the cash by return mail. Too much shaving to do at home. Try him.

Lindsay is ahead in many things. One of our local gardeners warrant sowing at noon parsley, parsnips and turnips early.

Drink Sparkling Walker. The best tonic in the world. Ask for Sparkling Walker. Probe Sparkling Walker. Take Sparkling Walker. Take no other. It is the best. For sale at the Benson house.

The worst cases of weakness, exhaustion, impotency and all nervous and weakness of the generative organs; and all wasting of the Magnetic Medicine. See advertisement in another column. 70-1

Some other booksellers have shut down on cheap, dirty, vulgar prints, illustrated editions. There is a commendable demand marked out for what is being done in other localities.

Repairs are rapidly being made upon the house damaged in the recent collision at Port Perry. The front of the building will be replaced and new steam boilers and new catchers are being fitted up.

Among the delegates representing the different granges at the annual grange meeting held in Lindsay last week omission was made of the representative from Mariposa, namely Wm Swain, jr, and James Moffat.

Each day and report by night are on the increase whenever are enough to apply to Mrs. Kendall and to their arrangements and minds. A quantity easily held in the palm of the hand is often enough to cure the most severe pain. 70-1

Beaverton now boasts a local paper, a journal having been started in that village by Mr. H. Cox publisher of the Wood-ville Advance. Mr. Cox expresses the utmost confidence that his new venture will be a success, and we hope his expectations may be realized.

On Saturday a subscription sheet was taken round the business part of the town by two employees of the Victoria railway, Mr. Rock and Mr. McIntyre, for the benefit of Mr Dale Doughtee, who had his leg broken by the recent accident, and which has since been amputated. Quite a large sum was subscribed.

A correspondent calls our attention to an error in the local news of last week. Mr. Hayes is credited with having organized a temperance reform mission society. It should have been Mr. Hayes. The lady has also been a zealous and successful at Beaverton and other localities in showing up zeal in the direction of her work.

Mr Sawyer, of Lindsay, large bald eagle in the taxidermy of Dr. Ord last week which he stuffed over seven feet across the wings measure to tip. It was purchased by Mr. McAdam who brought it to Mr C. Foley of this town to cuff. Mr Foley has also in his office a large golden eagle which was captured in Victoria county.

Mr S. McIntosh of Little Britain brought to town on Monday and left with Mr. James Kerr a load of alike clover and which net a home two handsome sum of $.98. He had six acres and a half in seed which threshed out 27 bags of seven bushels to the bag. The sample was sent to market by good judges, the bulk of seed ever brought to Lindsay.

The tea meeting held in the Bible Christian church on Monday evening was a success in every way. An excellent tea was served and a number of interesting addresses delivered shortly afterwards to the large and good humored array of friends present. A good old orthodox tea meeting is a Canadian way of having a pleasant time and was a departure from the rule in this instance.

A young lad named McIlyn committed a barbarous act for which he should have a liberal application of rawhide. He was seen a dog and took the animal home, called the poor cur a good shot, where he cut its throat and tied it to a post in the school yard where it was allowed to remain for a week and. This goes one peg further in atrocity than the pupils who hanged a cat alive at the school during the summer.

On Saturday morning a fire broke out in the outbuildings around the smoke stack of Moore's foundry, caused by the heat of the smoke stack. It had made but little headway before it was noticed, and those employed in the building specially quench it with pails of water. The fire alarm was sounded, but the hose did not make their appearance as it was thought unnecessary to bring them out.

Some errors occurred in our report of the Ontario county council proceedings published in THE POST supplement last week. Mr David Williams and Mr Wallace were the mover of the resolution to grant aid to the Lake Scugog offenders. A clerical error was made to Brooklaidge and not to Oakwood. The name of the new member of the council for Mariposa at Omemee should have been W. Moore Elliott.

In the catalogue of unclaimed freight offered for sale at Peterboro express of charges on goods from Lindsay and County are put down as the consignees of packages. A query occurring to the initials Lindsay is added to come forward and claim a package of "axe handles" and a piece of "dog." As far as the axe handles go and them alone but the first can be waived in. We will have all the dust Access, dust putting up with in a month or two.

A horse of a comedy and a small boy were not driving with a horse and cutter on Sunday the horse balked near the corner of Russell and Lindsay sts. and turned the corner on the sidewalk. The cutter was upset and the horse ran up Lindsay st. The cutter was slightly broken and the horse had its foot cut badly. The boy was rescued from the mill by were stopped before they had gone far by the mule lately owned by George Calvert.

Let come what everything except funerals and weddings are under at the day. People are just at the same place for months, but when they do move off they can't get fast enough. Mr Williams, our great Western agent, reports hearing from his Manitoba party that left us a few weeks since, the latter made the entire trip in three days and a half, leaving Lindsay on a Monday night, the 23rd, and reaching Winnipeg on Thursday evening. This is the quickest yet and those who have tried it comfort will do well to call on Williams.

The office made by the genial gentleman who appears in Porter's advertisement is one that should be embraced by every gentleman. It is well known that when Porter is engaged in one of those delicate business transactions that he takes every precaution to ensure secrecy, even to turning out the lights and making out the assessment slip in the dark so that he shan't know who the applicant is. This is in gratifying contrast with scenes of marriage licensing in other places, who shout out a man's name so loudly that his dear wife in the next village can hear what is going on and bringing up the years Slack like little game.

James Cullen, Pool's Island, N.S., writes: Have been watching the progress of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil since its introduction to this place, and with much pleasure state that our anticipations of its success have been fully realized, it having cured me of rheumatism and soreness of nerve, while not a few of my rheumatic neighbors, one old lady in particular, pronounce it to be the most valuable article of its kind that has ever been brought before the public. Your medicine does not require any longer a sponsor, but if you wish to use me as such, I shall be only too happy to have my name connected with your precious child. 70-1

On Wednesday evening of last week a local lodge of the True Blue Orangemen started in town with a good membership and prospects of increasing. Bro M. Jamieson, D.D.M., of Peterboro performed the initiatory ceremonies, which took place in the Orange hall. After the initiation of members the election of officers was held as follows: Bro J. A. Ingram, W. M.; J. H. Milburn, D. M.; J. Williams, treasurer; J. Luke, rec. sec.; H. J. Collins, chaplain; J. Rogers, D. of C.; G. H. Johnston, 1st com.; W. Pollard, 2nd com.; R. Bunting, 3rd com.; N. Ingram, 4th com.; F. Hilton, 5th com. An entertainment was held in the Hannan house, where supper was partaken of by the members of the lodge and a number of friends, and a good time generally spent.

Deputy-reeve Melville at the council meeting on Monday night urged that all wood should be measured on the market and marked so that the purchaser could see just what quantity was being paid for. Mr. Melville only anticipated the provisions of the town by-law which provides for just such measuring as he wanted. But the trouble about the thing is that the by-law is not enforced. Some enquiry was made at the council, but it was not very clearly understood where charge it was made to Brooklaidge and not to Oakwood. The name of the new member of the council for Mariposa at Omemee should have been W. Moore Elliott.

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Bowmanville News says: Mr. T. B. Collins, of Millbrook, returned on Tuesday morning last from Winnipeg. He says the fortunes that people have made in the North-west during the past few months are incredible. One man, an engineer, went there to borrow $20 to buy his ticket to Winnipeg last spring, showed him his deposit check in the Bank of Montreal last week for $30,000 and he had real estate for which he was offered $25,000. This was all made since last spring.

A sad accident, which terminated fatally happened between Bowmanville and Newcastle, on Sunday, January 21st. Mr. Thos. McClung and brother, of the former place, were driving home in a buggy and on the road passed John Ashton in a democrat, who had his grandfather, Mr. Wm. Longmaid, and a little girl with him. In passing Ashton's horse Mr. McClung struck the animal over the head to prevent being run into. Ashton's horse ran into the ditch and upset the waggon, throwing them out and severely injuring Mr. Longmaid. Three of his ribs were broken and his shoulder dislocated and he died from the injuries received on Thursday of last week.

The Grand Trunk station at Port Hope, says the News, was the scene of an incident last Friday night illustrative of the depths of human depravity. A young man, a married woman fr m Belleville, her husband and a young lad, whom the woman had eloped with. The woman came up to the crying ones at the station here. He took hold of his fair but fickle frail one and in loving tones endeavored to persuade her to return home with him. The "other fellow" poured his love in at her other ear. It ended in each of them taking hold of an arm and endeavoring to pull her in the opposite direction. She leaned toward the young fellow. Her "lord and master" then claimed the purse, containing $100, which she had taken from him. In the scramble it fell out of her pocket and was picked up by Mark, who at once became an object of solicitude on the part of each of them. He finally yielded to the importunity of the fair one, handing her the purse just as the train was starting off. She and her fellow jumped aboard, leaving the deserted husband too perplexed to take in the situation.

Silkoil.
For Harness, Machinery, etc., sold at Higinbotham's drug store. 70-2.

Mr. General Horse Buyer,
Give your money where it will do you the most good. Cheap English Horse and Cattle Powders sold at Higinbotham's drug store. 70-2.

Horses
that have been fed Old English Horse and Cattle Food always thrive. A. Higinbotham, druggist. 70-2.

Diamond Dental Instruments.
The diamond points used for some months by Mr. Grace, dentist, with his dental barring engine for the preparation of teeth for filling, are of superior manufacture, and in their action on the tooth substance less painful than instruments used heretofore. 69-tf.

Mechanics' Institute.
The classes at the institute are increasing in interest. Much more accommodation is now available and the class rooms are large and cheerful. The number of pupils is becoming larger and the opportunity should be taken hold of by all young people. Mr. C. E. L. Porteous leaves for Toronto to purchase materials for use in instruction and a number of casts and models.

The Sylvester Works.
Arrangements are already being entered into by Mr. Sylvester for the supply of stone, brick, etc., for the new workshops. This is a clear indication that the project is sound and will be pushed forward with promptitude. There will soon be so many teams gathered around the drill shed and crossings delivering materials that the railroad people will have to take a broom and sweep them off the track to let the trains pass.

School Board.
Owing to the absence of Mr. Grace, chairman, and Messrs. Barron and Deacon in Toronto on the railway deputation, there was no business of consequence transacted at the school board meeting on Wednesday evening. A number of accounts were ordered to be paid, and several applications received for increase of salaries. A meeting to take up business left over will no doubt be held shortly.

The Paper Mill.
The proprietors of the pulp mill or tannin factory have made their annual declaration that the concern is going to brace up and become a live issue. The communication to the council intimates that something will be done, although it is not very definitely shown what it will be. About the first thing which must be done is to pay off what accumulation of back taxes and lodge dues that are standing against the institution. This we are told amounts to nearly $1,000.

Obituary
We record the death of Mrs. Hannah Daly, relict of the late Timothy Daly of Lindsay, who died early this week at the age of 79 years. Mrs. Daly was one of the first settlers of this part of the county, having came from the county Cork, Ireland, in 1827 and settled in Lindsay in 1832. Elderly residents will remember her as Mrs. Fewhey. After the death of her first husband she married some five years later Mr. Timothy Daly, whom she survived twelve years. The deceased lady was mother-in-law of Mr. Patrick Murphy, lot 4, 7th con., Ops.

It is with regret this week that we have to record the death of Mrs. Wm. Cottingham, wife of the late Wm. Cottingham of Omemee. The funeral took place from the family residence, "Moira Hall, Peterboro, on Feb. 4th morning of last week. The deceased suffered greatly from cancer for many months previous to her death. She was a daughter of the late Mr Morgan Jellett of Cobourg and was married to her late husband in the year 1835. Her many friends in Lindsay and Omemee will regret to hear of her death. She was a kind and affectionate mother and always lent a helping hand to aid and assist the poor, who, we are assured, will miss her very much. The deceased was a devoted Christian and her end was peace, as she sl ptaway in the arms of Jesus, in whom she had believed. She leaves a large family to mourn her demise. The funeral on Sunday last was very largely attended. Some of those present were from Lindsay and Omemee. The funeral service was read by Rev. Mr. Beck, assisted by Rev. Mr. Bradshaw, of St. John's church, after which the remains were interred in the vault in Little Lake cemetery until spring, when the remains will be taken to the Omemee cemetery to be placed beside those of her husband. The deceased was 46 years and 11 months old.

TOWN COUNCIL.

REGULAR MEETING—THE MAYOR'S SPEECH—ENCOURAGING HOME MANUFACTURES—THE SYLVESTER WORKS—APPOINTMENT OF TOWN OFFICIALS—THE RAILWAY QUESTION.

The first meeting of the new council was held at the council room on Monday evening last, 6th inst. Present, the mayor, Mr. F. C. Taylor, Reeve Deacon, Deputy reeves Melville and O'Leary, and Councillors Morrison, Brady, Keith, Ross, Graham, Winters, Brooks and Walker. The minutes of last meeting were read and approved.

THE "SPEECH FROM THE THRONE."

Mayor TAYLOR upon taking his seat briefly addressed the council. He said he was happy to be associated with the gentlemen of the council in conducting the affairs of the town during the present year. He hoped that the strictest economy would be practised in view of the fact that at the end of 1884 we should have some $8,000 worth of debentures to meet. It would be well to put by an amount to be used as a sinking fund. By having a fund of this nature amounting to say $4,000 we should be in an easy financial position. If the fund was capitalized and the lien on the Midland railway realized on we should have funds to meet our liabilities. He spoke of the consultation had between Mr. Sylvester and the manufacturing committee and hoped that the terms arrived at would be satisfactory. He also called the attention of the council to the petition of Mr. James Hamilton, and wished it to be carefully considered.

COMMUNICATIONS.

The CLERK read communications

From Mr. H. Shackless, Montreal, saying that the writer would be in Lindsay during the next week to make arrangements for fitting up the pulp mill and getting it to work. With regard to the boilers, etc., everything would be fixed up satisfactorily.

The letter was received.

From Mr. John Makins, asking that some irregularities regarding the taxing of a lot on Wellington st. owned by him be rectified. After some discussion the matter was left over for advice to be taken on the points raised.

From Mrs. H. Sullivan, asking for remission of taxes on account of poverty and illness of her husband. The mayor was asked to look into the circumstances.

From Mr. B. F. Jewett, asking to be re-appointed assessor and collector for the ensuing year.

Mr Peter Nicolle, applying for the position of market clerk and offering to discharge the duties for a salary of $200 per annum.

HAMILTON'S WORKS.

A petition was read from Mr. James Hamilton, stating that in event of his rebuilding his workshops and employing a large number of hands steadily that the new shops be exempt from taxation. The petition of Mr. Hamilton is printed below:

1. That for the best part of his life he has resided in Lindsay, has invested all his capital in the said town in real estate and in the carrying on of his business of carriage making and manufacturing farm implements, and has devoted all his energies as a manufacturer and otherwise in assisting to build up the town generally.

2. That the increase of sales effected by his agents in different parts of Ontario and the dimensions which his trade with Manitoba and the North-west has assumed are such, that in order to keep pace therewith it will be necessary for him to enlarge his business premises and employ more workmen therein, and if encouraged so to do by your council he will during the coming season pull down his old workshops and erect new ones of brick at an expenditure of about $3,000, and fit up the same with the most suitable machinery obtainable.

3. That should your council grant the prayer of the petitioner will besides making the foregoing substantial improvements, keep constantly employed in his said business premises at least twenty workmen all the year round, and from present indications the probability is that for the reasons already stated he will find it advisable to employ nearly double that number to meet the demands for his said manufactured goods.

4. Your petitioner submits that at a time like the present when inducements are held out to outsiders to invest their capital in manufactures in Lindsay, at least similar advantages out to be accorded to residents of the town who are willing to employ a like number of workmen and who have already expended all their time and capital in advancing the interests of the town, and your petitioner trusts that his management of his said business in the past is a sufficient guarantee for its successful continuance in the future and that he will carry out faithfully the proposals herein made by him.

Your petitioner therefore prays that you will be pleased to exempt from taxation his manufacturing establishment for the period of ten years at least from date.

At a later stage of proceeding the petition of Mr. Hamilton was referred to the manufacturing committee who were requested to report thereon at the next meeting of the council.

STREET AND BRIDGE MATTERS.

Coun. BRADY said that he as a member of the street and bridge committee had instructed a party to deliver five cords of stones, to be delivered in the east ward. He knew the stone was wanted and thought he could do that at any rate. He had met Mr. Keith, who had undertook to contradict his order and refuse to let the stone be delivered.

Coun. KEITH said that Mr. Brady's statements were not in accord with the facts. He called on Coun. Brady to apologise.

As both members were sitting close together the prospects for a settlement of the difficulty looked gloomy. Blows resort to arms. Just as the thing was coming to a head it was nipped off by Reeve Deacon urging that the business be got on with and moving that a by-law be taken up confirming the auditors' report.

ADDED TO FINANCE COMMITTEE.

At the suggestion of the mayor, who also felt a little, O'Leary would be of great importance to the committee, Dep. reeve O'Leary was added to the finance committee.

TOWN OFFICIALS FOR 1882.

A by-law appointing the town officials for the current year was introduced and the council went into committee of the whole to discuss the proposed appointments.

Mr. J. B. Knowlson was re-appointed town clerk and treasurer at a salary of $800.

Mr. Geo. Smart, chief constable; salary, $600.

R. Meehan, assistant constable; salary, $365.

Mr. John Makins, chief of fire brigade; salary, $100.

M. H. Hughes, fire warden; salary, $25.

Mr. Robert Neenan, street overseer; salary, $300.

Mr. P. Forbear, caretaker of the pump house; salary, $250.

Mr. F. Brady, caretaker of fire hall; salary, $60.

A motion to appoint Mr. Wm. McBurney assessor was lost on a division by one vote.

Messrs. B. F. Jewett and Wm. Duffus were appointed assessors; salary, $100 each. Mr. B. J. Jewett was also appointed collector; salary, $290.

The appointment of sanitary inspectory was left over to be dealt with by the committee on public health.

The committee rose and reported. The by-law was passed and sealed.

TOWN PRINTING.

On motion of Dep.-reeve MELVILLE, the clerk was instructed to ask for tenders for printing for the ensuing year, dating from March, 1882.

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

On motion of Reeve DEACON the auditors' report was referred to the finance committee.

TENDERS FOR PLANK, ETC.

On motion of Coun. WINTERS, the clerk was instructed to advertise for tenders for plank, cedars, nails, etc., for the year.

EXTENSION OF TIME.

A by-law extending the time for the collection of taxes due was passed. The date is fixed for the 6th of March next and is understood to be final.

REPORT OF MANUFACTURER'S COMMITTEE.

The MAYOR read the resolution which had been approved of at the last meeting of the manufacturers' committee appointed to treat with Mr. Sylvester, and which was printed in THE POST last week.

Dep.-reeve O'LEARY moved, seconded by Dep-reeve MELVILLE, that the proposal of Mr. Sylvester to build and establish a foundry and machine shops in the town of Lindsay for the purpose of vending farming implements, etc., be accepted and a lease granted him of the grounds in the rear of the drill-shed on terms in resolution of manufacturing committee, with the following additions, namely: That in case of death or unforseen accident to prevent his carrying on the said works or in case of insolvency and he or his representatives can carry on the business as agreed, his representatives shall have the right to remove the said buildings off the grounds leased to him and that in the said event of the said works so abandoned for one year the said grounds and buildings be liable to rent and from the date of ceasing to pay taxes. The rent to be fixed by arbitration and that the mayor be authorized to employ a solicitor to see that the interests of the town are fully protected under the lease and agreement with Mr. Sylvester, and that while the said works are fully carried on the same be exempt and all buildings and personal property in connection therewith be exempt from taxes.

Carried.

Mr. KEITH wanted a guarantee from Mr. Sylvester that he would manufacture twenty-five reapers and twenty-five mowers each year. What would we do with our own men who had been struggling to make a living?

Reeve DEACON hoped that nothing would be said or done to throw cold water on the project. Let us make a start and have something.

Mr. WINTERS wanted the buildings not exempt from taxation until they were occupied.

Deputy-reeve O'LEARY claimed that Mr. Sylvester already had large dealings with the farmers of this neighborhood in the handling of his manufacture of plows, but he intended to manufacture especially for an export trade and would not compete too seriously with local industries. As the buildings were being put up we would have the benefit of the money spent. We had always been asked for bonuses, but here was something which did not ask a bonus and was perfectly sound. We gave the use of the ground for buildings. That cost us nothing, at any rate. By the agreement the buildings were to be used constantly. If they were not in use they would be taxed. Any one who opposed the project stood in our way.

Coun. ROSS asked if the same privileges would be given to men living in the town who would extend their business and push out.

Dep.-reeve O'LEARY said decidedly so. He intended to support the petition of Mr. Hamilton and thought the exemption from taxes nothing compared with the good done the town.

The resolution accepting the report was carried unanimously.

RAILWAY LEGISLATION.

On motion of Dep.-reeve O'LEARY the committe who were to go to Toronto on the railway matter were authorized to employ counsel to represent the case to the government, and the mayor was authorized to issue his cheque for the amount to defray such expenses.

EXEMPTION FOR STEAMERS.

The by-law exempting the steamer proposed to be built by Mr. F. Crandell to replace the steamer Vanderbilt, destroyed by fire last fall, was brought forward. The conditions upon which the exemption is made specifies that the boat shall be finished before the 1st of November next, and is to be 100 ft. in length by 18 ft. in breadth. The time of exemption to extend over ten years. The by-law was passed and sealed.

TRENT VALEY CANAL.

A memorial to the Dominion government was introduced praying that the construction of the Trent Valley canal be proceded with. The last paragraph urged that locks be built at Fenelon Falls this summer, and the section between Chemong lake and Peterboro opened up so that navigation could be had over the waters so connected.

Captain Crandell with the permission of the council addressed them and gave a glowing speech in favor of the project. He enumerated all the advantages likely to receive from its construction and alleged that it would give competition with railways.

Mr. W. Russell, on motion was heard in opposition. He said he felt that it would be to the disadvantage of the town if the canal was built. Trade and everything would be taken past our doors and from us. The real bottom of the scheme was an effort to try and build up Peterboro, which would be benefited. As far as competition went, the canal, if ever finished, would buy up the railways or the railways the canal. We bonessed railways to get competition. Where were we to-day in consequence. Our money was gone and we were now in the grip of the roads worse than ever. He hoped that the council would not help to bolster up the scheme.

After a short discussion among the members a vote was taken, and the resolution fathering the memorial declared lost.

MEASURING FIREWOOD.

Dep.-reeve MELVILLE said that all wood coming into town for sale, unless in cases where it was being delivered in a quantity on a contract, should be measured on the market. He knew of loads of wood being sold for a cord which were under measure. Other members of the council agreed with the necessity of measuring.

The clerk, Mr. KNOWLSON, pointed out that the market by-law provided for wood being measured, but unfortunately the by-law was not enforced. There was always a wrangle as to who was to pay the fee for measuring.

Dep.-reeve MELVILLE promised to look the matter up and bring in a resolution bearing on the question at the next meeting.

OPPOSING RAILWAY LEGISLATION.

On motion of Mr. O'LEARY the memorial to the lieut.-governor was read a first time. The memorial is printed below:

Whereas, the town of Lindsay is the centre of a network of railways extending from Belleville on the east to Toronto on the west, comprising among others the Midland, the Victoria and Whitby railways.

And whereas, the said town of Lindsay has aided largely by way of bonus the said railways granting the said bonuses, with in each case certain definite objects in view so that the railways might be completing here the expenditure of the said bonuses.

And whereas the said railways have applied to your honorable house for an act amalgamating the said lines.

Your petitioners would therefore humbly pray that your honorable body do not pass the said act of incorporation, as your petitioners are of opinion that by said amalgamation your petitioners would be deprived of all the benefits, especially those by way of competition, which they hoped to secure by such aid so given as aforesaid to the said railways.

The memorial was passed through the usual routine and ordered to be engrossed and sent to the authorities.

LEASE OF DRILL SHED PROPERTY.

The mayor was authorized to have a lease drawn up of the ground west of the drill shed, to lease it to Mr. Sylvester for a term of twenty-one years at a nominal rental. It was under-toed that this would be done at once and that Mr. Sylvester will commence building operations immediately upon getting his lease.

CONSOLIDATION OF TOWN DEBT.

Reeve DEACON gave the council his views on the advisability of consolidating the town debt. A further equalization the mayor, Reeve Deacon, Deputy-reeve Melville, Dep.-reeve O'Leary and Coun. Winters a committee to take the matter into consideration was carried.

The council then adjourned.

LOCAL NEWS-LETTERS.

REABORO.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

NEW BAPTIST CHURCH.—We understand that the Baptist congregation of this place are going to erect a church in Reaboro. It is said that some of the "solid men" are going to head the list with $300 each.

FRANKLIN.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

OUR SCHOOL.—Report of Franklin school for January term. The names of the first three pupils in each class are given in order of merit:—IV., Senior.—Albert Lowes, Samuel Jamieson, Frank Lee. IV., Junior.—Emma Stewart, Robert Stewart, Thomas Pritchard. III., Senior.—Isaiah Woods, Isaac Woods, David Woods. III., Junior:—Thos. Fallis, Robt. Jones, Isaiah, William McFlory. II. Class:—Maud Windrim, Thos. McMullen, Richard Moore. Part Second, Senior:—Emma Lytle, Willie Jones, Bertha Lowes. Part Second, Junior:—Lila Slemon, Annie Whiteside. Part I:—Lewis Fallis.

MINDEN.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

MORE TROUBLE IN HALIBURTON.—Rumor saith that Mr. Fitzgerald is about to resign the office of clerk and county treasurer, and that some office seekers are on the war path already hunting up surities. It is to be hoped the council will make a good appointment and select a man of means and not one of straw. They have had a great deal of trouble with the late treasurer and will have more before they are done with him.

KINMOUNT.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

ACCIDENT.—On Tuesday last Mr. Owens, a commercial in the taffy line, drove Mr. Boiwe's spirited team to Minden. When returning the team became frightened at a load of oats and left the driver sadly bewailing the loss of his samples. One of the horses was badly cut with the broken cutter pole and much difficulty was found in stopping the bleeding. The horse will likely recover.

PROGRESS.—Business here in the products of the forest is quite brisk. Large quantities of timber, ties and tanbark are shipped daily. At and near the station there are large piles of bark and cedar posts waiting shipment. The stores are doing a thriving trade.

LORNEVILLE.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

FROZEN.—Last Thursday evening a man named Colin McKinnon, who has been suffering from an attack of insanity left his home and after going about ten rods took off his boots and socks and started for the woods. Next morning a search was instituted and some more men started to hunt for him. They tracked him to a big swamp and there lost the trail. However, they continued the search all that day unsuccessfully. On Saturday morning McKinnon came to Mr. Rear's house on his hands and knees, with both his legs frozen above his knees and his hands and arms frozen up to his elbows. He is yet living but the doctors say both legs and arm's will have to be amputated, as they have turned black. Mr. McKinnon appears now to be in his full senses. There is much sympathy felt for the unfortunate man.

SUNDERLAND.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

REDEMPTORIST MISSION—The redemptorist fathers of Toronto gave a mission at the B. C. church, Vroomanton, during the whole of last week. The instructions and sermons were very fine.

TYPHOID FEVER.—Mr. John Huxtable, grain merchant, died last week of typhoid fever. His wife has since been lying in a very critical state.

OBIT.—Mr. Tusky, formerly postmaster at Vroomanton for many years, died last week after a short illness, and at a very advanced age.

HORSE LOST.—Mr. A. M. Reekie lost a valuable horse on Monday. It appears the horse received a kick on the leg about two weeks ago, while standing in the stable which shattered the bone considerably. Though it was progressing favorably, in trying to get up strained the limb that it broke in two at the fractured place.

BEAVERTON.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

HORSE MARKET.—Mr. A. McKinnon, our worthy host of the Ontario hotel, about three weeks ago sold three horses to Sheddin & Co., Toronto, for the handsome sum of $725; also about ten days ago two horses for the Montreal market for $530; and on Tuesday last two others for the American market for $300. Mr. McKinnon is constantly ready to purchase good horses and cattle.

BEAVERTON FOUNDRY.—Messrs. Smith & Co. are rushing business even stronger than ever before, and have now some twenty-two hands employed turning out a large number of their well-known reapers, mowers and plows. His manufacture is too well-known to require a lengthy description.

A HEAVY COLT.—Mr. Chas. Thompson, deputy-reeve of Thorah, recently sold to the American buyers a colt eighteen months old weighing 1,280 lbs. for which he received a handsome sum.

FENELON FALLS.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

OYSTER SUPPER.—Last Friday evening Rector Cameron, B. D., met a number of his friends at the McArthur house here, when a sumptuous supper was provided for the occasion. The reeve of the village and Messrs Powers, Swanton, Keer, and others added to the evening's entertainment by giving short addresses. Invitations to the supper were given to a number of reformers.

SALE OF PAPERS.—The annual sale of papers and magazines taken by the mechanics' institute, was adjourned from last Friday evening to the evening of the 15th inst. Some of the best magazines and papers of the day will be offered for sale; the buyer to receive them as soon as the new number replaces the old one.

SOCIAL.—The social at Lamb's school house, on Tuesday evening last, was patronized by quite a number of our villagers, including among others Rev. Mr. Logan and Miss Logan. Mr. and Mrs. Nugent. Mr Nugent gave in his inimitable manner the humorous recitation "Jimmy Butter and the owl." The house was crowded. Some $50 was realized. The young people connected with the literary part of the evening's entertainment acquitted them selves really well.

CAMBRAY.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

PRESBYTERIAN TEA.—The annual tea in connection with the Cambray Presbyterian church, was held on Monday evening, Feb. 1st. The church was well filled and the eatables were soon disposed of, after which the Rev. Mr. Scott gave a short address, followed by the Rev. Messrs Hastie and McDonald, and these gentlemen were exceeded by what we may term the speaker of the evening, the Rev. Mr. Smith of Quaker Hill, as the former gentlemen stated that they had come that evening to be in receivable positions for once of being hearers. Mr. Smith's lecture was on a trip through France, and the best evidence we can give of its merit is to give you the remark of a former resident of France, who said it made him quite homesick to hear the reverend gentleman describe familiar scenes. Mr. Smith's address, though containing glowing descriptive scenes of architecture and art, was inter-persed with some very amusing remarks to which many an aching side can testify. His descriptions of the scotchman's hunt for a wife and a fellow traveller's sea sickness are ludicious. We strongly advise our readers to not fail to hear Mr. Smith when opportunity offers. The proceeds amounted to about $60.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION.—Mr. Berkley entertained a large number of his friends on Friday evening of last week, on the celebration of his fifty-fifth birthday.

BALSOVER.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

PHRENOLOGY.—Dr. Campbell is going to deliver a lecture on Phrenology in Silverthorn's hall to-night in this village.

SCHOOL CHANGE—Our assistant teacher, Miss McRae, sent in her resignation to the trustees of this school and we believe they have accepted it on condition that they can secure another teacher to take her place. Miss McRae left to-day to take charge of a school in Muskoka at an advanced salary, and Miss Dalyleish is filling her place until they get another teacher. Two have now applied for the school.

PRESENTATION.—Miss McRae was presented with the following address accompanied by a beautiful silk pocket handkerchief and a pair of kid gloves, last Friday:

Miss McRae.—DEAR TEACHER.—We, the undersigned, in behalf of the pupils of this school, wish to express to you our hearty thanks for the valuable assistance you have rendered Mr. Reid in making the school work both instructive and interesting during your short stay among us, and we regret that it is not your desire to remain longer with us as you have the offer of a better position. It is our sincere wish that success may crown your efforts in the school that you leave here to take charge of. Please accept this small gift as a token of our esteem towards you as our teacher and friend.

MARY J. COLLINS.
WILLIE FORD.
A. DIXON.

Miss McRae made a few very suitable remarks and said that she would be very sorry to leave if the school needed her assistance the whole year.

NO SLEIGHING here of any importance and lots of skating on the Talbot river.

Southeran, Cathro & Mark.

THE INQUIRY.

Tell me, ye busy crowd that round me hum;
Is there not a store where cash customers may come?
Some store where goods are reasonable, rich and rare;
Selling for profits all acknowledge fair.
The busy crowd shout loudly, "Now, just hark;
Have ye ne'er heard of Southeran, Cathro & Mark?"

Tell me, ye tony boys, that proudly walk the street?
Where buy your clothes! so nobby, cheap and neat?
Your overcoats, fur gauntlets, hats, caps and ties,
Which make you look so swell in ladies' eyes?
The "Swell Brigade," one princely flourish make,
And answer in bon ton style "The Syndicate!"

Tell me, ye careful matrons, with eyes on business bent;
Whose careful buying oft helps to pay the rent;
Where to buy mantles, silk, satin or zulu
With artistic style, fit and finish quite "too, too!"
The matrons with slight knowledge of æsthetic lore
Answer, "we buy all goods at The City Store!"

SOOTHERAN, CATHRO & MARK,

CITY DRAPERS AND CLOTHIERS.

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THE INQUIRY.

Tell me, ladies fair, with eyes of black, or blue;
Tell me, for well I know ye must speak true!
Where buy your dresses: silk, satin or woolen;
Rainbow hued, suitable for street, or even a taffy pullin'
Their lovely eyes emit many a fiery spark,
While they answer "buy from Southeran, Cathro, Mark."

Tell me, ye busy house-wives, with most truthful care,
Where to buy Blankets, Cottons, Prits, that will wear,
And Linens, Carpets, Flannels, Curtains, or a shawl,
That compared with others, shall surpass them all?
The house-wife with confidence nothing can abash
Answers, "Southeran, Cathro & Mark, sell them cheap for cash."

Tell me, tell every one at once, I pray,
And your kind directions all shall obey,
When can we all to best advantage buy
That every parcel may increase our joy
With one long, mighty, universal roar?,
They cry, "Southeran, Cathro & Mark, the City Store."

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HOW TO ECONOMIZE.

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By buying from US for CASH the buyer is not saddled with the EXTRA PROFIT put on by credit dealers to make up for those who have run up accounts and never pay.

By reckoning up any housekeeper can see how much can be saved on this year's purchases. In fact it is almost like getting goods in retail lots at wholesale prices.

The proof of this rests here. Customers can buy from us a bill of goods, pay the cash, like responsible people, and save sufficient to pay all travelling expenses.

For CASH we will guarantee to do more than any other d