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VOLUME XXIV. WHOLE NO. 1240. LINDSAY, ONT., FRIDAY, JUNE 15, 1883. TERMS, $1.50 IN ADVANCE.

R. Smyth.

THE EXCITEMENT INCREASES!

The good news is spreading so fast that we are besieged with customers for the GREAT BARGAINS we are giving in every department. Everybody WONDERS how we can SELL AT SUCH PRICES. It is our turn for COMPETITION and we wish everybody to get the BENEFIT this season.

DEPARTMENTS

DRESS and MANTLE MAKING, MILLINERY, TAILORING, READY-MADE CLOTHING.

D. C. TREW, Man. **R. SMYTH.**

Lindsay, May 23rd, 1883.

Wm. Dundas.

READY FOR BUSINESS!

THE LINDSAY WOOLLEN MILLS

[illegible] thoroughly repaired and refitted my Woolen Mill and have [illegible] machinery. I have engaged a thoroughly competent man to [illegible] I can turn out as good, well finished and serviceable [illegible] in the province. Service more than appearance will be the [illegible] goods. I would particularly call attention to a special make of Tweed [illegible] Clothing. The goods are fair in appearance and as tough as leather. [illegible] I can offer **GOOD SERVICEABLE TWEEDS**, made of good, [illegible] I anticipate to be just what every farmer needs. These can [illegible]

YARNS! YARNS!

[illegible] Brown, White, Blue, Grey, Sheets Grey and natural color, 50cts. per lb, [illegible] by parties to make the yarn, I will sell the yarn at 20cts. per pound. 18 [illegible] Blankets one pound of yarn. Red or net yarn, 5c. per lb. when the **CUSTOM CARDING** [illegible] at usual or short notice. Good rolls guaranteed [illegible]

FACTS FOR THE FARMERS!

[illegible] the low price I am selling it hardly [illegible] farmers a bonanza if they will bring me the wool and exchange it for manufacture [illegible] payment of goods. This is two cents more than the [illegible] manufacture it into good fashionable, serviceable [illegible] I have to make one yard of goods [illegible] 67c. per yard. Better value can't be [illegible] exclamations. Ask your friends to help you [illegible] above price doing as well by any other article [illegible] cloth, cap and collar anything like as good a tweed [illegible]

MONTREAL TWEEDS!

[illegible] "Montreal" To get out of this line I will sell [illegible] PAID FOR WOOL, 2c. per lb. extra if the wool is exchanged [illegible]

WM. DUNDAS,
Lindsay Woolen Mills.

Sale of Farm Lands.

EXTENSIVE SALE OF

Farms and Farm Stock,

IN THE

TOWNSHIP OF BEXLEY, COUNTY OF VICTORIA.

And also Steamer "Coboconk."

The Executors of the late WM. GOODERHAM [illegible] Executors of the late JAMES GOODERHAM WORTS, and Mr. GEORGE GOODERHAM, [illegible] instructed me to sell by Public Auction at CORSON'S CROSSING, on the Toronto and Nipissing Railway, on TUESDAY, the 19th day of June, 1883, commencing at 12 o'clock noon, prompt, the following Farm [illegible] and Implements consisting of

[illegible] a large number of thorough bred and grade cattle, namely: 1 thorough-bred [illegible] 1 thorough bred bull, 8 months old; 1 thorough bred bull, 6 weeks old; 9 year-[illegible] thorough bred cows; 15 grade cows; 3 steers, 2 sheep, a quantity of lambs, 2 [illegible] threshing machine, grain crusher, straw cutter, sawing machine, 5 farm wagons, 2 sleighs, 1 pair bobs and 2 extra sleighs, 1 cadging sleigh, 1 light cadging [illegible] steam engine, and a variety of other farming implements and effects, [illegible] complete set of BLACKSMITHS TOOLS.

[illegible] Farm stock and implements. On all amounts under $25, cash; and over that [illegible] to be secured to the satisfaction of the Vendors, by joint notes [illegible] interest.

[illegible] "**COBOCONK**" will be offered for sale about 3 o'clock. It is double decked, [illegible] built and launched in 1878, and registered at Port Hope. Length of [illegible] feet, depth of hold 4 feet, gross tonnage 108 tons, propelled by one high [illegible] power, stroke 4 feet, diameter of cylinder 11 inches. Fully equipped [illegible] requirements. Government limit 124 adult passengers. Now lying at [illegible] Fenelon Falls. TERMS CASH.

BEXLEY LAND SALE!

On Wednesday, the 20th of June, and on Thursday, the 21st of June, 1883,

[illegible] and Farms, which are some of the best in the Township of Bexley, [illegible] at the Bexley Hotel, in Village of Victoria Road, on Nipissing Railway. Go to Victoria, commencing at 12 o'c. noon:

[illegible] 4th and 5th con. of [illegible] 90 acres cleared. [illegible] 60 feet x 81 feet, [illegible] Lime Kiln, which cost $4,000 [illegible] containing about 83 acres, 60 [illegible] House and Barn. [illegible] 3rd Concession of [illegible] cleared. Log House [illegible] 3rd Concession [illegible] about 60 acres clear[illegible] Lot 3, in the 3rd Concession in the [illegible] cleared. No buildings. [illegible] 4 Dwelling House, [illegible] 80 acres cleared. [illegible] Corner Road, 100 acres, [illegible] Frame Barn, [illegible] Road, 100 acres, [illegible] House. [illegible] Concession of Bex[illegible] Frame Barn. [illegible] 3rd Concession in of [illegible] appearance. [illegible] 4th Concession of Bex[illegible] cleared, good frame barn [illegible] 5 in 6th Concession of [illegible] acres, no clearance. [illegible] Part of S in 6th Concession of [illegible] Log House; 60 acres [illegible] Block E, 95 acres, 4 acres [illegible] North West part of lots 7 & 8 [illegible] about 60 acres of each, 10 [illegible] on No. 7.

[illegible] Lots are one fourth Cash, and the balance to be secured by Mort[illegible] payable in seven equal annual instalments with interest at 6 per cent. per [illegible] on the balance due with each instalment.

Parcel 17. North West part of Lots 5 and 6, North west bay, about 60 acres of lot 6 and 50 acres of lot 5. Forty acres cleared, and small log house.

Parcel 18 Centre Sixty Acres, parts of 6, 7 and 8, North-west bay, about one hundred and eighty acres, Seventy acres cleared, two log houses and frame barn.

Parcel 19 South east parts of 6, 7 and 8, North west bay, 130 acres, 30 acres cleared, frame house and log barn.

Parcel 20 North-west quarter of 14, North-west bay, Fifty Seven Acres, 5 acres cleared, small log house.

Parcel 21, Centre part of lot 15, North-west bay, Eighty-Seven acres, twenty five acres cleared.

Parcel 22, North west parts of 16, 17, 18 and 19, North-west bay, 175 acres, 100 acres cleared.

Parcel 23. South east part of 17 and 18, North west bay, 100 acres, small log house.

Parcel 24 Lot 25, North west bay, 100 acres, 60 acres cleared, log house, frame barn.

Parcel 25, South-east part of 30, North-west bay, one hundred acres, and South-east part of 31, Seventy acres. Twenty five acres cleared, no building.

Parcel 26. North-west part of 32, North-west bay, 70 acres; North-west part of 33, 61 acres; North west Part of 34, 61 acres, in all 198 acres no clearance.

Parcel 27. Lot 36, North-west bay, 94 acres, 16 cleared, log house, frame barn.

Parcel 28. West parts of 10, 11 and 12, North-west bay and Gull River, 150 acres, no clearance.

Parcel 29. Lot 32, Gull River, 77 acres, no clearance.

Parcel 30. Lot 31, Gull River, 94 acres, no clearance.

SOMERVILLE LANDS!

Parcel 31. Front Range, 107 acres.
Parcel 32. Front Range, 107 acres.
Parcel 33. Front Range, 100 acres.
Parcel 34. Front Range, 120 acres.
Parcel 35. Part of 34 Front Range, 87 acres.
Parcel 36. Part of 35, Front Range, 68 acres.
Parcel 37. Part of 36, Front Range, 68 acres.
Parcel 38. Part of 33, Front Range, 46 acres.

The Somerville Lands are all heavily timbered.

[illegible] the Somerville lands will be one-half in cash, the balance to be secured by [illegible] payable by two equal annual instalments with interest at 6 per cent. per annum. [illegible] particulars apply to

W. A. SILVERWOOD,
Auctioneer, Victoria Road.

And for conditions of sale to
Messrs. Beatty, Chadwick, Thomson & Blackstock,
Barristers, &c., Toronto.

Marriage Licenses.

J. BRITTON,

(of the firm of Britton Bros., Jewellers, Lindsay.)

ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES
FOR THE COUNTY OF VICTORIA.

37-tf.

Britton Bros.

EXTRA VALUE.

WEDDINGS.

Those who are interested should know that we have a fine stock of SILVERWARE suitable for Wedding Presents. New Designs in Table Silver. All goods. Cruets, Cakes, Tea Setts, Pickles, Berries, Napkin Rings, Ice Pitchers, Spoon Holders, Butters, Vases, Card Receivers, Mugs, Cups, Childrens' Setts, Soup Ladles, Pie Knives, Fish Carvers, Cake Knives in handsome Satin Lined Morrocco Cases.

DON'T FORGET

OUR WATCHES. Bear in mind that this is the place to buy if you want goods on which you can rely. Full value for every dollar you pay. We handle the best class of Watches in the market. Among our special lines are Fine Gold and Silver, Ladies' and Gentlemens' Watches, Repeaters, Independent Seconds, Fly back Seconds, Stop Watches, &c., Dust Proof, Water Proof, &c.

Watch Repairing.

Our hands are so full of work that it is hardly necessary to speak of this department. The continued liberal patronage we receive shows that people appreciate good work. We mean to keep up our reputation for it.

Wedding Rings.

Our own manufacture, marked "B. Bros." Specially guaranteed, Gem Rings, Diamond Rings, &c.

We offer extra value for your money, as we don't require so much profit to pay running expenses, being *both practical Watchmakers and having no rent or salaries to pay.*

Come and see for yourselves.

BRITTON BROS.

Lindsay, June 12, 1883.

G. A. Metherell.

MUSIC, MUSIC.

The Latest Novelty

IN MUSIC

NO REASON FOR NOT PLAYING THE PIANO OR ORGAN.

Everyone can learn to play in fifteen minutes Sweet By and Bye; Rest for the Weary; No, Sir, &c. What shall the Harvest Be, or any popular air, by the

ELECTRIC MUSIC,

FOUND AT THE MUSIC EMPORIUM.

Call and see it. Learn, old and young.

G. A. METHERELL.

Lindsay, April 20th, 1883.

Thos. Robson.

LEATHER.

CASH FOR HIDES!

I am prepared to PAY CASH for any number of

HIDES AND SKINS

delivered at the Old and Well-known Stand, Wellington-St. Bridge. Prompt returns made and HIGHEST PRICE given for lots that may be shipped by railroad.

TO SHOEMAKERS!

I have decided to give a good deal of attention to the requirements of shoemakers. My stock will be well assorted and of the best quality.

☞ Give me a call and be convinced.

THOS. ROBSON.

Lindsay, May 30, 1883. 38-13.

New Advertisements.

GIRL WANTED. — To work in the shop and to learn fancy work. Also a girl in the tailor shop. Apply to A. W. HETTGER, Kent-st., Lindsay, June 6, 1883. 39-tf.

TAYLOR SAFE FOR SALE.— All the latest improvements, combination lock, medium size. Will be sold at a bargain. Apply to W. M. ROBSON, Lindsay, May 21, 1883. 37-4.

VALUABLE FARM FOR SALE.— The owner offers for sale the valuable farm adjoining the farm of Mr. P. Murphy, Ops. The land is composed of N. Half of Lot 10, in 9th Con., Ops, and comprises 100 acres, all cleared excepting about 10 acres in wood. On the premises are a brick dwelling house, 22x32, story and a half, with brick kitchen, 18 x 22; stone foundation under house and kitchen; frame barn, 32x53; good stable, 65x24, with driving shed, woodshed and other desirable outbuildings. Situated about 1 miles south of Lindsay, and within 30 rods of the Scugog river. For particulars apply to JAMES KILLEN, on the premises, or by mail to Lindsay P. O. Ops, June 4th, 1883. 40 7pd.

HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID for

WHEAT AND OATS.

The undersigned are prepared to pay the Highest Market Price for WHEAT AND OATS delivered at their mill at Lindsay.

PATENT FLOUR—NEW PROCESS

Having introduced the new process for the manufacture of flour they are now prepared to fill all orders for the patent article. They have arranged with J. G. EDWARDS, hardware merchant, to take orders for them. All orders received from him through the telephone will be attended to promptly.

NEEDLER & SADLER.

Lindsay, Oct. 13th, 1882.

NEW CHURCH AT LINDSAY.

TENDERS

will be received up to

THE TENTH OF JULY NEXT,

for the building of

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH AT LINDSAY

according to the plans and specifications prepared by Messrs. DARLING & CURRY, architects, of Toronto, and which may be seen at the office of Mr. ADAM HUDSPETH, in Lindsay. Tenders to be accompanied by the names of two or more good and sufficient sureties for the completion of the contract.

The committee will not be bound to accept of the lowest or any tender.

Lindsay, June 12th, 1883.

(38-2t) ADAM HUDSPETH,
ROBERT BRYANS,
Churchwardens.

The Canadian Post.

CHARLES D. BARR, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

LOCAL NEWS-LETTERS

BRECHIN.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

LAND SALES.—Mr. T. P. Foley sold this week fifty acres in Mara for $1,600. He also sold a village lot for $300.

BUILDING.—Our enterprising hotel keeper, Mr. Gattie, is building a large driving-shed for the accommodation of the travelling public. He has also made considerable improvements in his hotel.

BUSINESS.—Mr. Lytle, our enterprising carriage-maker, has turned out some very fine carriages and buggies this summer, and is becoming widely celebrated for his good workmanship.

LORNEVILLE.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

SCALES.—A set of weigh scales have been set up in the village in front of Mr. McIntyre's hotel. They will be a great convenience to the surrounding country, as there is a large amount of stock shipped here.

BUSINESS OPENING.—There is a good opening here for a blacksmith. Since the departure of Mr. Thomas for Kansas there has been no blacksmith in the village and one is very much needed. There are also good openings for a tailor and a shoemaker. Mr. Swinson carried on a good tailoring business last winter, but being of a roving turn of mind he has departed for Brechin.

MOUNT HOREB.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

ILL.—Mrs. Thomas Howe is still severely ill. The doctor has very little hopes of her recovery.

A SPRAIN.—Mr. George Caldwell got his ankle badly sprained and bruised by a stallion belonging to Mr. John Deyell stepping on his ankle while he was in the act of shoeing him. Mr. Caldwell had to throw himself on the floor in order to save the leg or the result might have been more serious. He will likely be laid up with it for some weeks.

AN OPENING.—Mr. William Reynolds, who has been postmaster for about sixteen years, has sent in his resignation, to take place at the close of the year. We hope our next postmaster will be as obliging as Mr. Reynolds.

NORLAND.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

NARROW ESCAPE FROM DROWNING.—On Saturday last a three year old son of Mr. A. Hastings of Elliot's Falls, while passing over the top of the slide in company with his sister's missed his footing and fell into the water immediately above the slide. The girls immediately gave the alarm, but before help could arrive the poor little fellow passed through the mouth of the slide and down a terrible fall of over eighteen feet on to a mass of rocks below. The water being very high probably saved him from being dashed to pieces, and he passed on with the current out into the pond below the falls. Two of his brothers had by this time plunged into the rescue but the little fellow was carried across the pond to the opposite shore before his brother reached him. He was apparently dead but under the proper treatment was brought to life in a short time, and in a few hours was running about apparently none the worse excepting a few bruises on the head and body. Those who are acquainted with the dangerous nature of the place will consider it almost a miracle that the child came out alive.

DOWNEYVILLE.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

A TERRIBLE STORM. The most tremendous rain storm ever witnessed by the inhabitants of Downeyville and vicinity took place here on Tuesday afternoon. The rain descended in torrents. Small streams became mighty rivers. Here and there portions of the fences along the road were torn from their beds and landed into the middle of the roads. Large quantities of sand and gravel, bits of timber, etc., were dashed along the gullies either sides of the road on towards the creek, whose waters soon became so much swollen as to completely submerge for a time many broad acres along its banks. Back yards were thoroughly cleaned. If Lindsay received the benefit of the storm the sanitary inspector will have a "bonanza" for the remainder of the season. Many of the farmers are commencing to look glum and well they may, for if the weather don't soon change we will be compelled like bruin to suck our paws next winter and live with the hope that it may please the Lord to send us a better season next year.

FATHER CONNOLLY'S PICNIC.—As Lindsay is going to be visited by a circus on the 20th, Father Connolly's annual pic-nic will be held on the 19th, and not on the 20th as was stated in last week's issue. Extensive preparations are being made and a good time is expected.

UPTERGROVE.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

PRESBYTERIAN COMMUNION.—The sacrament of the Lord's supper will be dispensed in the Presbyterian congregation of Uptergrove on Sabbath, 1st July. Rev. A. Ross, M.A. of Woodville, will assist on the occasion in both the English and Gaelic languages.

RESTORED.—We are pleased to learn that Miss Agnes Gettings has been fully restored to health once more, her life having been despaired of.

PERSONALS.—Rev. W. Holgate, Methodist minister, who succeeded Mr. Paul in this circuit, has made a very favourable impression amongst that denomination, and it is hoped that the stationing committee will return him, as well as Rev. J. P. Steel, to us again. Mr. Paul passed a very creditable examination recently and will no doubt make himself heard in the world.....We are pleased to see Mr. Martin Kelly back in Mara after so long a stay in the states. We are sorry that he does not intend remaining with us long. He looks splendid and is doing well..... Mrs. Wm. Boulton and family are away on a sojourn to Toronto, while Mr. Boulton who is such a kind and efficient husband and father keeps "batch." Ere they return he will be quite and efficient cook.

DIDN'T CATCH ON.—A young man lately returned from Winnipeg to visit his parents here on a certain little business with the old man, but the latter did not "catch on." The result was a hasty nocturnal flight across a ploughed field to a neighbour's house. Now it is said there are ghosts there, but that ghost is in Winnipeg by this.

THE ROSS BARNS.—Mr. Thomson has had several parties call to inspect his fine buildings which "Rusticus" described in THE POST and found everything as convenient as they were lead to believe. No doubt good will result from such visits.

LACONICS.—Good prospects for heavy crop of hay this year....Pathmasters know who the lazy men are now....There was a "hop" at the Uptergrove House one evening last week. An enjoyable time was spent by all....Mr. Stockdale is turning out some splendid waggons, democrats, buggies, &c. They cannot be beat in Canada and those contemplating the purchase of such should not pass on to Orillia to buy an infirm vehicle....Messrs. Emms & Coulter are overpowered with work. They do the best work in Mara, and so quickly, hence the cause of their success.

HYMENIAL.—On Wednesday morning last quite a crowd of young and old gathered in St. Columbkill's church where Rev. Father Rey performed the ceremony of uniting in the bonds of matrimony Miss Mulvey and Mr. P. Cuddy, both of Mara, after which the happy couple left for Toronto amid the good wishes of a host of friends.

OMEMEE.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

DELEGATES TO SYNOD.—Messrs. Wm. Curry and Thos. Stephenson left on Monday for Toronto as delegates to the synod from this parish.

PERSONAL.—Mr. W. H. Grandy, son of our venerable postmaster, returned on Monday from Council Bluffs, Iowa, where he has been engaged in the drug business for several years, and which we are pleased to learn has proved remunerative.

FAREWELL SERMON.—Rev. Mr. LeMarsh preached his farewell sermon in the Methodist church to a large congregation. Mr. LeM. has made himself very popular here, and his departure is regretted.

COMPLIMENTARY SUPPER.—A complimentary supper was given the Williamson brothers in Mr. J. Parson's restaurant Friday evening, previous to their departure for Manitoba. Their removal from Omemee is much regretted, as they always took an active and prominent part in outdoor and athletic sports of all kinds. They purpose settling in Regina, and left on the early train Tuesday morning. We wish them success in that "ambitious city" of the west.

FENELON FALLS.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

ACCIDENT.—Late on Thursday night a man named Stinson, from Lindsay, fell into the canal where it was twenty feet deep. His injuries were at first thought to be fatal, but since then he has so far recovered under the treatment of Dr. Wilson that he was able to go home to Lindsay on Saturday last.

ARBITRATION.—The arbitration question between this village and the government has been settled by awarding the former $3,000.

SAW-LOGS.—A large number of logs are now running the slide.

OUR MILLS.—The grist mill here is still idle. The saw-mills are in full blast. Mr. R. C. Smith's mill never worked better than at present. Mr. Kendall, the new foreman, thoroughly understands his business.

MINISTERIAL.—The Rev. T. J. Edmison, B.D., is away to conference, which is being held at Peterborough. Mr. Edmison had a unanimous invitation from the quarterly boards of this circuit to remain another year. We trust the conference will send him back again amongst us.

HALIBURTON.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

NEW MILL.—Mr. Sperry's new shingle mill and tie mill is now in operation. It is one of the most convenient mills in existence, is built on the water's edge, about five minutes walk from the village. A switch is built from the main line of the Midland railway and comes right by the platform so that it requires no teaming to load the cars.

HOTEL CHANGE.—The Queen's hotel will now be run by Mr. Kellet of Minden, who has purchased it from R. McKelvey. Mr. Kellet has been in the business for a long time and knows how to use his customers. He will also keep canoes, dogs, etc., for hire during the hunting season. We wish him success.

PICNIC.—The first picnic of the season was given last Thursday by the members of the English Sunday school. The day was fine and a grand time was spent. Let us have some more picnics.

DRUG STORE.—Dr. Spilsbury has opened out a stock of drugs and fancy goods in the store adjoining his office.

JOTS.—Numbers of families are moving here now, among others Mr. Sweet of Whitby.....Fishing is splendid now. Mr. Sluman and party caught a very large eel the other day. It is surprising the number of wagons and buggies there are coming to the village now. Why does not some one start a carriage factory here. There is certainly plenty of custom.

LITTLE BRITAIN.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.—The house belonging to Mr. Edwin Glass was struck by lightning on Wednesday morning of last week about seven o'clock, causing considerable damage, tearing to slivers seven or eight rafters, completely clearing the plaster off the ceiling of the second flat, knocking two chimneys to pieces, but fortunately causing no loss of life to the family although one of the boys was in bed at the time where the room was entirely covered with plaster and lath. The other members of the family were at breakfast; they all felt the shock but are all recovering. It is hard to account for the escape of the boy in bed, on the second flat where the ceiling was all torn to pieces, unless the feather bed he slept on acted as a non-conductor to the electric shock. This may account for it. It is also strange that the other members of the family taking breakfast on the first flat, where there cannot be found any marks of the charge, were the parties who suffered the most from its effect. It took all day before they came to their natural feelings. It also appeared that there were several or more than one charge of the electric fluid, for the barn stands about four or five rods from the house, and in the barn two horses were killed at about the same time, or not five minutes after. The barns did not show scarcely any marks caused by the lightning although both horses were killed standing in two separate stalls close together. About two or three rods from the barns and house two telegraph poles were shivered to pieces and several others damaged. The house had no lightning rod protection..... Mr. Wm. Glass, living about 50 rods from the house struck by lightning, while coming from his bed-room by an outside stairs, was stunned and knocked down, lying there for several minutes insensible..... The telegraph poles for 160 rods north and 40 rods south were damaged more or less; some ten or twelve had pieces taken out from top to bottom. An elm tree 40 rods south of here was struck to the ground.....The mark on the gable end of the stable where the horses were killed was scarcely visible. There was just a mark down the boards, although the house was a total wreck. Up-stairs no person was killed or even scarcely hurt.....We would be glad for any information from you, Mr. Editor, as to lightning rod protection.

ANNIVERSARY.—The B. C. anniversary of this place will be as usual on Monday, the 25th. Several speakers will be present, and the sunday school choir will enliven the entertainment. Come one, come all.

GONE WEST.—Mr. Uriel Cann has gone to Manitoba and Dakota prospecting, and visiting his two sons.

BIG FLOODS.—The heaviest rain-fall and flood of the season was on last Tuesday afternoon, washing logs, rails and gates away, destroying considerable low-lying crops.

TRAVELLING ARTIST.—A travelling photographer paid our town a visit last week, taking all the principal places of interest and sending the negatives to Montreal, where they will be finished and brought around for sale.

CHIPS.—Heavy rains.....land wet..... Farmers at turnips.

LACROSSE CLUB.—The boys of this village have organized a lacrosse club. Mr. Wm. Blewett was elected captain and B. Rusland secretary and treasurer. We wish the boys success.

ANOTHER FIGHT.—Two young men, whose names we will not mention, had a fight a few days ago which ended with a black eye and a fine of two dollars and costs each.

MAKING A CONTRACT.—One of our old bachelors has been away making a contract for several widows. He says they will just suit because they are all conservatives.

CHIPS.—Plenty of rain....G. B. all the rage....Rapid growth.

SCHEPELER.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

SCHOOL INSPECTION.—Mr. MacBrien, I. P. S., paid his semi-annual official visit to our school during the forenoon of Wednesday, 6th inst., and kindly allowed the teacher and scholars the remainder of the day for a holiday.

LOSS OF CATTLE.—While Mr. T. O'Leary was absent from home last week attending the meeting of the county council at Whitby his granary door became unfastened and two valuable cows went in and ate to excess of the grain, which caused their death in a very short time.

BRIEFS.—Shearing sheep and planting potatoes, turnips, etc., keep the farmers busily employed at present.....Mosquitoes are numerous....Rain showers are frequent....The trees are fully leafed out now and consequently the surrounding roads are looking beautiful. ....The popular question: "Where are you going to spend Dominion day?"

PALESTINE.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

BUILDING.—Many of our enterprising farmers are availing themselves of the present good times and are building new residences. Four new dwelling houses are in course of erection, which add a great deal to the appearance of the neighborhood, beautifies their homes and sets their neighbors athinking to go and do likewise. There is room for improvement yet.

BASE BALL.—The club has again opened their field and have added several new members lately. They appear to be in excellent condition and feel they will be able to match the neighboring clubs without any difficulty whatever.

SCHOOL.—Arrangements are in order to place a bell on the school house. It is hoped that we will hear its music ere long as it has now been delayed a long time. The school grounds are also being cleaned of all rubbish, giving it a pleasanter and more respectable appearance.

MAPLE HILL—MARA.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

OBITUARY.—It pains us exceedingly to chronicle the death of Mrs. Agnes Nichol Grigg, beloved wife af J. Francis Grigg, the bride of a few months. Hers was a sad, and humanly speaking, an untimely end. But for a few months a resident of this community she had won the respect and highest esteem of all. The deceased was a native of Uxbridge, where the greater part of her life was spent. She was known there as one whose influence was ever cast on that side on which a good womans influence must be, and she enjoyed the love of a large community of relatives and friends. The deceased had been unwell for a time, and although symptoms of heart disease were apparent medical skill attributed the indisposition to other causes, and no great anxiety was felt. But on Thursday night the symptoms became alarming. Dr. Corbett of Orillia was hastily summoned, relatives at a distance were communicated with, but ere they arrived, "the tired heart had ceased to palpitate." Followed by a large concourse of people the remains were conveyed to their last resting place in the cemetery adjoining Providence church, where they await the morn of the first resurrection. Mr. Grigg has the sympathy of the community in his great bereavement.

WHEAT V. CLOVER.—Mr. James Day, lot 1, 13th con., has the loss field of fall wheat on new land. It is at this catch, though for the stumps to lay hide and seek out seen. ....Mr. Jas. N[illegible], lot 11, 10th con., has a field of clover in blossom, the earliest we have seen. The mowers will start next week.

MILLBROOK.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

THE FOUNDRY is now being carried on under the able management of Mr. Robert Lancashire and Mr. H. McCartney.

CONCERT.—The concert held in the town hall, Millbrook, by the Nashville Students was a success.

ARRESTED ON SUSPICION.—The officers were in Millbrook and Bethany trying to dispose of watches. On Monday evening they endeavored to beat their way on a truck, but Baggage Master Piercy fooled them. From their appearance they were suspected to be some of the Gananoque watch burglars, for whom a large reward has been offered. Constable Fallis tracked them to Darlington and succeeded in caging them.

PAINFUL ACCIDENT.—One day last week as Mr. Samuel Hunter, near Millbrook, was driving home from his brother-in-law's, Mr. Fry, and when coming through the long swamp, two and a half miles east of Millbrook, in order to hasten out of the rain, having his wife, his two small children, a little eleven year old girl (that is living with them), Annie Argue of Manvers, and a brother, Mr. James Hunter, all in a heavy two-seated carriage, on driving over a small knoll the little Argue was thrown over the dashboard, both wheels passing over her thighs, breaking the left thigh. She was brought to Dr. Burnham's, when at the girl's particular request it was decided to send her home, and Dr. Brereton was telegraphed to meet her. She was made as comfortable as possible on the bottom of the buggy, and the Messrs. Hunter drove her home. Dr. Burnham and others did all they could to arrange her so as to ride as easily as possible under the circumstances. It was raining all the time. The poor child bore her suffering bravely.—[Messenger.

PRESENTATION.—On Tuesday evening last the Cedar Valley musical and literary society held their last entertainment of this season when the members presented to Miss D. E. Richardson of Millbrook, formerly of Bethany, a beautiful morrocco album containing some of the pictures of the more prominent members, accompanied by a very flattering address, to which Miss Richardson, though somewhat taken aback, gave a very suitable reply. The album presented by Mr. Alex. H[illegible] the following address was read: Hamilton Lacke[illegible] FRIEND,—During the last [illegible] the last winter in particular, you [illegible] such untiring self-denial that we cannot [illegible] this, the last meeting of the society [illegible] you are the secretary to pass without [illegible] in some way our high appreciation of your services. Accept, therefore, this album, not on account of its intrinsic value, but as a token of our esteem and respect, accompanied by our best wishes.—Signed on behalf of the society.

ALEX. HUNTER, chairman.
H. LACKIE, musical instructor.

To which Miss Richardson replied.—DEAR FRIENDS,—Words cannot express my gratitude for the high estimation in which my slight services are regarded. The time I have spent among you for the last sixteen months has been full of enjoyment and pleasureable association, and in after years when I look back the memory of the past will always excite glad and happy thoughts. I admire the taste which prompted the selection of so elegant an album. It is all the more appreciated because it is just what I needed. I think my friends must have seen my need of a receptacle for my pictures, hence their choice, and as fine feathers make fine birds my pictures cannot fail to look well, and I am glad that there is room for 129 of my friends. Wishing you all health and prosperity and that success may attend all future efforts of the society, I thank you sincerely for this beautiful gift..... The program for the evening then closed with "God save the queen" and all retired to their homes well pleased with the entertainment.

FIRE.—On the night of the 14th May the house occupied by Mr. W. Irwin, tinsmith, owned by Mr. J. Collins, was burned to the ground. Everything was consumed, even to the horse in the stable, buggy and all the harness and carts and outhouses belonging to the business.

DUNSFORD.

[Correspondence of The Post

SUNDAY SCHOOL EXCURSION.—St. John's Sunday school have engaged the steamer "Ontario" for an excursion from Lindsay to Fenelon Falls on Wednesday, June 20th. This will be a splendid opportunity to visit the works now in progress in connection with the Trent Valley canal, besides enjoying a pleasant sail.

THE "TWELFTH."—L. O. L. No. 96 have decided to celebrate the coming 12th with their brethren in Bobcaygeon.

THE NEW MINISTER.—Rev. Mr. Craigie, the newly inducted minister for Bobcaygeon and Dunsford, has filled the pulpit of the Presbyterian church for the last two Sundays and promises to be very popular with his congregation.

HEAVY RAINS.—The late heavy rains have done much damage to crops on low lands.

PRESENTATION.—Last Saturday evening Mrs. Edward Thurston presented her husband with a bouncing boy. They have our congratulations.

BOBCAYGEON.

SALE OF CHEESE.—The cheese factory sold seventy boxes of cheese at the last Peterboro market to Dundas & Flavelle Bros. of Lindsay for 10½c. a pound.

FINE BEEF.—Mr. T. Bick purchased last week from Mr. J. L. Read a fine animal specially fatted for beef. The live weight was 1,714 lbs. It made 1,000 lbs. of beef, 135 lbs. of tallow and 100 lbs. of hide. The last year or two has produced a decided improvement in the beef supply.

POLICE COURT.—The reeve, S. Crabtree, held a sitting of the police court on Thursday. Robert Thompson, David King and George Taylor took a little recreation on Sunday, but did it in a manner contrary to law as made and provided. Thompson and King were each fined $1 and costs or 21 days and Taylor got $5 and costs or 30 days.

LITTLE BOB.—The saw mill at Little Bob started for the season on Monday week. It had been thoroughly repaired during recess and is working as well as ever. Mr. Wm. Gidley superintends, and it will not be his fault if the mill does not make a big run.

SOCIAL.—A largely attended social was held at Mr. Wm. Kelso's on Tuesday night week in connection with the Presbyterian church. About a hundred were present during the evening, and all enjoyed themselves immensely. The band assisted very much in the success of the evening. The financial result of the social was satisfactory, and was placed to the credit of the manse fund.—[Independent.

KINMOUNT.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

NEW APPOINTMENT.—Mr. W. S. Dowson, township clerk of Somerville, is, we understand, to be appointed treasurer. Lucky man.

SWORN IN.—Mr. J. Wilson has taken the usual declaration of office as postmaster, and the change of office only awaits the arrival of Mr. Sory.

FOLLOWING SUIT.—The Victoria Hotel is now fronted by a substantial verandah. The proprietor is now prepared to give accommodation, not only to man and beast but to birds as well, having put up a large three storey martin house on the front street, gorgeously shining in a coat of red paint.

STILL AHEAD.—The proprietor of the Northern has among other attractions a large brown bear. It must be borne in mind that the latter is not a counter-attraction.

OBIT.—It is our melancholy duty to chronicle the kicking of the bucket of a poor little pig and a white owl. The first met its sad fate at the hands or paws of the aforesaid bear. The death of the latter may be attributed to dyspepsia superinduced by close confinement. It will be sadly missed from the [illegible] of the Victoria as it was [illegible] as the nucleus of quite an [illegible] erie.

PERSONAL.—Mr. [illegible] has been visiting his brother [illegible] Sunday for Fenelon Falls where [illegible] a few days on business.

NEW CHURCH.—The frame is up and nearly enclosed.

AT THE MINES.—Messrs. Parry & Mills have replaced the bridge destroyed by the flood with a better one. Work here still progresses.

DOMINION DAY.—A grand time is expected here on the anniversary of our Dominion's natal day. The bills announcing the prizes are out and the boys are getting up on their muscle. The heavy weight men have had a run over the hurdles and cause much amusement.

BEXLEY.

COURT OF REVISION.—The court for the revision of the assessment roll of the township of Bexley for the year 1883 met at Victoria Road this 30th day of May, pursuant to notice. Members present, Mr. N. Heaslip, reeve and Couns. Wood Ham and Atcheson. After all had subscribed the oath Mr. Heaslip was appointed chairman. The following lots were placed on resident roll: Lot 6, N. Main st., and lot 8, S. Albert-st., Coboconk; lot 11, con. 6, was placed on non resident roll. The following assessments were confirmed: Alfred Taxen, lot 1, Victoria Road; Cavana & Cowan, lot B.; Duncan and James Bell, centre parts 7 and 8, N.W.B.; Thomas Winter, Theodore Winter and Alfred Winter, lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13 and [illegible] N.W.B.; Midland Railway Co. [illegible] The assessment of Duncan Gr[illegible] S.E. pt 19, N.W.B., was reduced [illegible] the E½ of lot 5, in 1st con., was placed on resident roll, and assessment confirmed at $800; the west part of lot 13, [illegible] R., was placed on resident roll and assessed to A. Hoosey; the assessment of W. [illegible] in 2nd con., was reduced to $600; the assessment of personal property to Wm. McKewsei, in the township of Bexley, was cancelled. Mr. Ham moved, seconded by Mr. Cameron, that the court do now adjourn, to meet at Coboconk on the 22nd June next.—Carried.

COUNCIL. Present as before. The council then proceeded to ordinary business. The minutes of previous meeting were read and signed. Mr. Cameron moved, seconded by Mr. Ham, that the reeve be instructed to purchase three steel road scrapers for use on roads in the township.—Carried. Mr. Wood moved, seconded by Mr. Atcheson, that all fines collected in the vicinity of Victoria Road be expended on the sidewalks of Victoria Road, in the township of Bexley, the mover to expend the same.—Carried. Mr. Heaslip, moved, seconded by Mr. Atcheson, that a charity grant of $5 be made in favor of Mary Macdonald, an indigent, the reeve to expend the same.—Carried. Mr. Atcheson moved, seconded by Mr. Wood, orders be given for following accounts:—Russell & Hutcheson, municipal stationery, $7.10; Shields & Co., lamps, etc., $2.60; E. Neal, postage and stationery, $2.75; J. J. Cave, ballot papers, $1.50; J. P. Graham, on account of salary as assessor, $35; W. G. Brandon, overcharge in statute labor, $2. The council then adjourned.

—The suit of N. B. Falkiner, barrister, of Belleville, against the Grand Junction railway for some $5,000 back salary, tried at the chancery sittings at Kingston, has been decided in his favor. Chancellor Boyd referred the matter to the master at Belleville, to take accounts and for payment, with costs of action.