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(Signed) GEO. A. CON, Gen. Manager. Peterboro, Nov. 26, 1889, 61-tf.



CORPORATION OF THE COUNTY OF VICTORIA. NOTICE

is hereby given that The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the County of Victoria

COUNCIL CHAMBER, in the COURT HOUSE, at the Town of Lindsay

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THE WEEK,

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The first issue of THE WEEK will appear December 6th. THE WEEK will appeal by a comprehensive table of contents to the different tastes which exist within the circle of a cultured tastes which exist within the circle of acultured home, and will endeavor faithfully to reflect and summarize the intellectual, social and political movements of the day. Mr. Goldwin Smith will be a regular contributor. Mr. Edgar Fawcett, author of "An Ambitious Woman," "A Gentleman of Leisure," etc., contributes to THE WEEK a novel of New York society, entitled "The Adventures of a Widow." Principal Grant, of Queen's University, will write, among other valuable papers, a series descriptive of a tour taken by him during the past summer "Down the Kicking Horse and across summer "Down the Kicking Horse and across the Selkirks." Dr. Grant will also contribute the Selkirks." Dr. Grant will also contribute articles on various important subjects, such as Indian Affairs, Progress in British Columbia, etc. Mr. J. E. Colums will contribute, among other papers, one on the pressing subject of International Copyright, Mr. William F. Clarke, late of Winnipeg, will write of "The Real Outlook of Manitoba," Contributions in prose and verse may be looked for from

Joaquin Miller,
Louis Honore Frechette,
Dr. C. P. Mulvany,
George Stewart, Jr.
John Reade,
Mrs. Kate Seymour McLean, J. Hunter-Duvar
Miss Machar (Fidelis),
And many other writers of note.

C. BLACKETT ROBINSON, Publisher, Jordan-st., TORONTO NOTICE TO CREDITORS

SAMUEL DIX, Deceased.

The creditors and all other persons having claims against the estate of SAMUEL DIX, late of the Township of Mariposa, in the County of Victoria and Province of Ontario, Farmer, who died on or about the 22nd day of October 1883, are hereby notified to send by post prepaid, or deliver to CHRISTOPHER HEISE, Victoria square P. O. Ost., one of the Exerutors of the last will of the said Samuel Dix, on

The 29th Pay of December, A.D. 1883.

their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims. a statement of their accounts and the nature of their securities (if any) held by them, or in default thereof and immediately after such last named date the assets of the said Samuel Dix, will be distributed among the parties entitled thereto, regard being had only to claims of which notice shall have been given as above required, and the Executors of the said Samuel Dix will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person of whose claims notice shall not have been received at the time of such distribution.

Dated this 27th day of November, A. D. 1888. MULOCK, TILT, MILLER & CHOWTHER, SAMUEL PARSONS. Stolicitors for Christopher Heise, Jonathan Beker and Samuel Beker, Executors of the estate of Samuel Dix.-04-1.

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Lindsay, Nov. 20th, 1883.-64.

Estray Cattle.

PSTRAY CATTLE.—Came into the premises of the undersigned, Lot 3 in 10th con, Eldon, in July last, a Year Old HEIFER and a STEER. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take them away. JOHN S. McFADYEN, Hartley P. O. Nov. 13, 1883. 62-3pd.

Teachers Wanted.

DEACHER WANTED. -A Teacher Wanted for S. S. No. 12, Verulam. Apply stating salary to ROBERT KITTLE, Sec. Freas., Bobcaygeon P.O. Nov. 26, 1883 -64-3nd. TEACHER WANTED, -For S S. No. 3, Bexley, holding a third-class certificate, for 1881. Give recommends, testimonials, etc., with application. Apply to MARK SEARS, Sec., Bexley P.O. -64-3.

WANTED. - A FEMALE TEACHER, holding a 3rd Class Certificate, for s. s. No 4. Somerville, Duties to commence Jan. 3rd. 1884. Apply stating salary to Gr.O. EADE, Sec. Treas., Baddow P. O., Ont. Nov. 14, 1885.

TEACHER WANTED, - For S. S. No. 7, Emily, holding 2nd or 3rd class certificate. Duties to commence the first of January, 1881. Apply, stating salary, to JULIUS LOWES, Frankhill P. O. Nov. 25.

1. Fenelon, holding 2nd or 3rd class certificate. Services to commence 1st January 1881. Address letters of application to D. S. WILLOCK, Sec. S. B., Fenelon Falls P.O. Nov. 20, 1883.—63-3pd. TEACHER WANTED- For S. S. No.

New Advertisements.

VMAS NOTICE TO ALL -The best assortment of Xmas Cards is at METH-ERELL'S. Prices from let. to \$5.00 each. 500 TEACHERS, Trustees and Sunday School Superintendents wanted, to inspect METHERELL'S large and well selected Prize and Library books. The largest discount given in the county.

DR. J. C. RAY, CAMBRAY, Graduate of the University of Toronto, graduate of the University of Trinity College, Member of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Ont., etc.—Cambray, Nov. 27, 1883.—64-1y. TOTICE. - I hereby forbid any person harbouring or giving my wife HELEN BLACKWELL credit on my account, she hav-ing left my hed and board. (Signed.) JAMES BALACKWELL, Lindsay, Nov. 22, 1883.—64-3.

MUSIC.-MISS LAUDER, Late organist of St. James's Cathedrel Potential organist of St. James's Cathedral, Peter-boro, is prepared to give lessons in Vocal and Instrumental Music at her residence, Huron-st. Lindsay, Terms moderate, Lindsay, Nov. 20, 1883.—63-13.

MAN WANTED. -To work on a farm and take charge of the work. Must be strictly temperate. House and garden on premises. Apply to NATHAN DAY on lot 14. con. 9 Fenelon, or Fenelon Falls P. O. Nov. 21, LUMBER, LATH, PICKETS AND SHINGLES.

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ARLES O. BARR, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR LOCAL NEWS-LETTERS

[Correspondence of The Post.]

THE CONTRACT.—Memora. McKenzie,
Campbell & Gould have been allotted the
contract for the ties on the Nipiseing division of the Midland system by Mesera.
Rathburn & Son, who have the contract
for the whole system. We understand the
price is very low. COBOCONK.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

FATAL SHOOTING ACCIDENT.—On Sunday, 18th inst., three men named Sawyers, Reducer and Bice were out hunting in the township of Stanhope, when Sawyers and Reducer fired at what they supposed was a deer, but which proved to be their companion Bice, the shots taking effect in his abdomen and hand. It is not certain whether one shot caused both wounds er whether both belle took effect. The unfortunate young man lingered until Saturday last when he died. He was buried Monday.

HORNCASTLE.

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[Correspondence of The Post.]

SUDDEN CHANGE.—About a week ago winter seemed to have set in in carnest and for a few days it was very cold and frosty, more like Christmas time than the middle of November. Some of the farmers in this neighborhood were not prepared for winter, for the root crop was not taken up and not much fail plowing done. But as the snow has disappeared again we see that it has brought the people to their senses, for the roots are housed in quick time and the plow is moving along turning the earth upside down, and if the fine weather continues a few days longer a great amount of plowing will be done that would have been left till spring if the snow had staved one.

HIGH MIMB Drake, of Grancon, who has been visiting in Peterboro, while making a call at Mr. R. Lundy's, fell dead while removing her cloak and hat. Heart disease is supposed to be the cause.

THAT ECCENTRIC FARMER.—Some newspapers have an "ectentric" way of manufacturing news. A few days ago we copied an absurd story from the Toronto World about the eccentricities of an Asphodel farmer, with the atatement added by us that there was no such man in that township. Other papers in the district have published the paragraph, evidently believing it to be true. How the story arose now appears to be clear. We notice in the New York Sun of Nov. 17th a despatch from New Philadelphia, Ohic, containing the same story, the only difference being that in the Sun there is no mention of Peter-

CANNINGTON.

PERSONAL .- Mr. McMillan; who has been doing service in the Standard bank here for some time, is about to be removed to Bowmanville, where a new agency of the bank is being established. During his Movements are by 20 per cent, the best bargain of any watches in town Mr. Carswell of Oshawa will fill the vacan-

to-day.

We are in receipt of another large lot of SILVERWALLER and are lot of SILVERWALLER and are lot of SILVERWALLER and are lot of silver and the committee are taking time by the forelock by endeaverage and the committee are taking to receive a critical and committee are taking to receive a critical and committee.

IMPROVEMENTS. - We notice that several than any two houses in the trade.

Come and see our stock before purchasing your Vmas Goods. Special bargains offered.

IMPROVEMENTS.—We notice that several of our citizens are making improvements. Mr. R. Jeffery is building a carriage shop on Laidlaw-st, south of R. Munro's...... Mr. Hodgins is improving his carriage shop on the adjoining lot.....Mr. H. O'Neil of Mariposa has purchased the shop formerly occupied by Mr. Digby and is fitting the same up for a dwelling house.

UPTERGROVE.

(Correspondence of The Post.)
HYMENEAL.—Mr. Michael McLonald of
Rathburn was married on Tuesday, 20th
inst., to Miss Mary Moffatt of Orilla. The Rev. P. Rey performed the marriage ceremony. The wedding party took dinner at the Grand Central, Orillia, where a magnificent feast was given the bridal party free of cost by mine host, Mr. C. Moore. After dinner Mr. Moore presented Mrs. McDonald with a costly and handsome clock as a recognition of her services while living in

REQULATING THE LAKES. - Your correspondent received a telegram from Mr. Mc-Callum, engineer of the public works department, on kriday stating that he and the superintendent of that department would be at Washago on that day to examine the outlets. In company with our worthy postmaster we went back there and made thorough examination and should the government carry out the plans drawn up by the engineer we have little doubt but what the people of North Ontario will have much to be thankful for. Both Mr. Walters, the superintendent, and Mr. McCallum are able and skilful engineers and a credit to the Ontario government. By the way Mr. Walters is a Lindsay man and no doubt one of Hon. S. C. Wood's appoin-

tees. Good for Wood. THE NEW MINISTER. - No better appointment has been made by the Ontario government than the appointment of Hon. G. W. Ross, M.A., LL.B., to be minister of education. As an old and experienced teacher he will know exactly what is want-

SOIREE. - The Presbyterian congregation at Uptergrove intend holding their annual soirce on Thursday, December 27th next, in their church. A capital program is in course of preparation and an abundance of good things may be expected as the ladies of the congregation are noted for their skill and liberality in these matters.

FENELON FALLS, OUR SCHOOL.—The school board have re-enuaged Mr. J. W. Graham as head-master at \$550; Miss McArthur at \$325; Miss Thomson at \$300; Miss McMurchy at \$225; and Miss McDiarmid at \$175. This will make a capital staff.

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ENLARGING.—Austin Bros. are putting up a large addition to the rear of their store for their increasing business.

What Jack Frost Did.—A few evenings ago, after working hours, the steam whistle on Sandford's carriage works suddenly commenced to blow so vigorously that many persons in the neighborhood. denly commenced to blow so vigorously that many persons in the neighborhood rushed out of their houses, thinking it was an alarm of fire. Mr. Sandford, who had just passed on his way home from the village, ran back, entered the premises, mounted the roof, and had a good laugh when he saw what was the matter. It was Jack Frost who had caused the false alarm; for the wire connected with the whistle was loaded with icicles, which had gradually grown heavy enough to onen the gradually grows heavy enough to open the valve and allow the steam to escape.

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A \$1,000 ADDITION.—Mr. James Dickson is putting to his dwelling house additions which will cost about \$1,000 and double the accommodation. One of them measure 22x27 feet and the other 22 feet square and they will contain drawing room, dining-room, kitchen and hall downstairs and five bedrooms above. On the ground floor there will be French windows and gothic windows in the roof, and such alterations are to be made in the original building that the whole will have the appearance of having been creeted at the same time. Mr. McDermid is superintending the work, which is now far advanced and will be completed as soon as possible.

The Pulp Mill.—The Pulp Mf.c. Co's will be completed as som as possible.

THE PULP MILL.—The Pulp Mile. Co.'s block of buildings on the shore of Cameron lake in this village is fast approaching completion and will be ready to commence operations in about a month. A great many men were builty engaged: finishing or fitting up the interior of the different

spartments in the mill, which was finished and roefed in some time ago. The two enormous boilers are in position, the engines are believed to be on their way here, and the switch from the Midland track to the mill is partly completed. There is a deal of inside work to be done yet, but it is being pushed as rapidly as possible, and we hope soon to be able to record that the first carload of pulp has been turned out and shipped to its destination.—"Gazette.

MOUNT HORBB.

[Correspondence of The Post.]
SALE.-Mr. Jas. Howe's sale on Friday

SALE.—Mr. Jas. Howe's sale on Friday last was attended by a large number of people. Chiefly all the stock sold at high figures, and the farm utensils brought good prices.

SPLINTERS.—Matrimony is the go now. Nearly all the marriageable young girls are likely to be picked up before Christmas.

Ploughing last week.—The hum of the threshing machine is still to be heard in our midst.—Arrangements should soon be made for the cleaning of our sidewalks during the winter. The matter ought to be laid before the council.

What is the matter with a Janetville youth who passes through here so often?

PETERBORO. Supper Death.—On Tuesday afternoon Miss Emma Drake, of Grafton, who has been visiting in Peterboro, while making a call at Mr. R. Lundy's, fell dead while removing her clock and hat. Heart disease

appears to be clear. We notice in the New York Sun of Nov. 17th a despatch from New Philadelphia, Ohic, containing the same story, the only difference being that in the Sun there is no mention of Peterster. SCRAPS.— High winds....Muddy roads....Concerts and tea parties are all the talk just now.....The minister had to walk on Sunday because the roads were too bad for wheeling.

BEAVERTON. [Correspondence of The Post.]

Voters' LIST COURT. - Judge Burnham voters' list court for the final revision of the voters' list on Wednesday, the 28th inst. in the town hall. The only correction made was placing on the voters' list ten names which were omitted by the printer while preparing the list.

FROZEN.—The Beaver river is frozen over to-day (Wednesday).

PARLOR SOCIAL.—A parlor social takes place at the residence of the Rev. G. Love, pastor of St. Paul's church, on Friday evening.

The public are cordially invited

NEW YEARS' CONCERT. - The congregation of Knox church intends having a grand musical and literary entertainment for New Year's night. Full particulars 'RAH EOR LENNOX.-The result of the Lennox election was a surprise to both

reformers and conservatives here. GRAIN MARKET.—There has not been and successful teacher, Mr. A. 'much grain in the market this week, owing have been secured for next year. St. Andrew's DAY.-The members of St. Andrew's society are dispensing with the usual society dinner, on account of the

death of a number of the most prominent | the Christmas party?.... Whether there are members during the last year. In MEMORIAM. - Some flue verses by Mr. W. Sherwood regarding the late William McCaskill, will be found on another page.

BEXLEY. COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS. - The conneil of Bexley met at Coboconk on the 24th day of November, 1883. Members all present. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved. Dr. Wood moved, seconded by Mr. Heaslip, that u. s. s. No. 9 be allowed eight per cent interest on their sinking fund instead of six per cent after the pre-sent year.—Carried. By-law No. 179 ap-pointing an engineer for the township of Bexley, was read a third time and passed. Mr. Heaslip moved, seconded by Mr. Cameron, that the following grants be made on roads in the township of Bexley, viz: On 2nd qr. line, \$25, H. Reid commissioner; on Cameron road, \$12, J. R. Moore, commissioner; and that the account of J. E. Gould of \$8.40 forplanks used in side walks be paid.

—Carried. Mr. Ham moved, seconded by Dr. Wood that the time for collecting the taxes be extended until the 21st day of January next, and that the corporate seal be attached to this motion to give it the effect of a by-law. - Carried. Dr. Wood moved, seconded Mr. Atcheson, that the nomination of a council for 1884 be held at-Victoria Road. - Lost. Amendment moved by Mr. Ham, seconded by Mr. Heastip, that the nomination be held at Coboconk. -Carried. By-law No. 180 appointing a place for holding the nomination and appointing a deputy-returning officer in polling sub-division No. 2 was passed in usual manner. Mr. Atcheson moved, seconded by Mr. Ham, that orders be granted in pay-ment of the following accounts: J.R. Graham, selecting jurors, \$4; N. Heaslip, selecting jurors, sessional allowance, postage, etc., \$11; J. it.am. sessional allowance, \$2; Dr. Wood, do., \$2; P. Cameron, do., \$2; R. Atcheson, do., \$2; E. B. LeRoy, extra work on roll, \$4; Newton Bros., \$33.55 T. Thompson, charity to Widow McMullin, \$2.50; Mrs. Lucy, care of town hall, \$5.00. The council then adjourned.

[Correspondence of The Post.] SCHOOL EXAMINATION.—The public examination of our school, No. 19, Mariposa, will take place on Friday, December 14th. The examination will commence at 10 a.m. A recess from 12 to 12.45 will be given for lunch. Friends from a distance will be provided for. All parents and friends are cordially invited to attend. The following programme will convey an idea of the nature of the examination:—An exposition nature of the examination:—An exposition of the Phonic method of teaching to read, by teacher... Duet, by Mr. Ruse and Miss Metherell....Third class examined, by teacher... Song, by Mr. J. E. Thornbury Intermediate literature, Goldsmith's Traveller, by P.H. Allen... Music, by Miss Maud Dames—"Clayton Grand March."... Second class examined by teacher... Music by Miss Lottie Parkinson... Fourth class literature and grammar, by teacher... Music by Miss May Bowes—"Oh, How Delightful."... Intermediate arithmetic, written, by G. W. Rennie... Solo by Mr. Ruse—"The Tar's Farewell."... Fourth class arithmetic, written, by teacher... Music by Miss Annie Moynes... Intermediate algebra, by teacher... Music by Miss May Bowes—"Take these Flowers that Eve Gathered."

MARIPOSA STATION.

Friends of our Youth." ... Intermediate geometry, by teacher. ... Solo by Mr. Ruse—"The Bridge" ... Fourth class arithmetic, mental, by G. W. Rennie. ... Music by Mise Ella Parkinson ... Intermediate grammar, by teacher. ... Spelling, by P. H. Allen ... Etymology, by teacher ... ... Music by scholars—"The Holidaya." At the close of the examination addresses will be delivered by D. J. McIntyre, M.P.P.; J. R. Dundas, M.P.; Rev. Mr. Pomeroy, M.A., head master of the Oakwood high school; Measure. The proceedings will be address. The proceedings will be to the appearance of the place ... ... Mr. H. Allen and others. The proceedings will be to the appearance of the place ... ... Mr. H. Allen and others. The proceedings will be

brought to a close with a piece of music by Mr. Ruse, "Oh Lovely Night." In the evening, at 7.30 o'clock, a lecture will be given by the Rev. Mr. Pomeroy, M.A., on the subject of true culture.

W. P. HERRON, teacher.

OMEMEE.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

Fire.—On Monday about 9 a.m. smoke was seen issuing from the roof of Mr. Thos. Rowan's house, across the river. The alarm was sounded and the hook and ladder company responded, but the fire had not gained much headway and was extinguished without their assistance.

Twenty minutes afterwards the alarm was Twenty minutes afterwards the alarm was again sounded, when it was discovered that the roof of the same building was again in a blaze, caused as before by a spark from the kitchen chimney, and owing to the high wind blowing at the time all hopes of getting it under control were abandoned. By hard work the furniture and contents down stairs were saved. The building was a frame transture built.

several years ago by the late Squire Cottingham. The insurance on all is \$600.

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FEIRVILLE.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

HYMENEAL.—Mr. John Feir was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Miss Mary Burk by the Rev. Mr. Ewings, at the residence of the bride's sister, on Wednesday of last week. We all join in wishing the young couple all the happiness the matriage state can give. They should take The Post.

Sheep Lost.—During the recent snow storm Mr. E. Moore's sheep were snowed up in a lane on the farm of Mr. H. Hart for four days before they were found. We are informed that the sheep had eaten some of the rails off the fence. They were living all right when found.

False Report.—It is reported that the cow belonging to Mr. James Forsyth, FEIRVILLE.

cow belonging to Mr. James Forsyth, which he could get no account of since July last, was found in a well-on the farm of Mr. Robert Moore, where Mr. Thomas Foster resides. The report is not correct. It is a mystery what has become of the

ost cow. SCRAPS.-We would like to know how the young man succeeded that was out duck hunting some time ago. Some of the girls might explain in the next Post. .....The missionary collectors have been going around.....Plenty of mud.

SAINTFIELD.

[Correspondence of The Post.]
A DEAR PIGGY.—The pig case was take::
to Sunderland and the death of the little grunter cost Hooper over \$10. INJURED.—There was such a rush at Newton's ball that one young man got pushed down stairs and injured. CHICKEN-Pox. - Quite a number of child-

ren have the chicken-pox.

A LIBEL CASE THREATENED.—Steps are being taken against the Layton correspondent of THE Post for libel. The Saintfield boys do not stoop so low as to break into houses and set the furniture on the sidewalk. I wonder if the Layton man ever saw a Durham calf labelled T.G.

GAVE OUT.—Malyon & Dobson's engine gave out last week and they had to take it to Uxbridge to get it repaired. RE-ENGAGED. - We are all well pleased to learn that the services of the well known and successful teacher, Mr. A. T. Horne, BEAT THIS. -Mr. Peak's June pig when dressed weighed over 240 lbs.
THINGS WE WOULD LIKE TO KNOW.

going to be any more monthly fairs in Saintfield or not?....If the weigh-scales have been tested yet?.... If the nihilist who is visiting the town has an infernal machine with him? THINGS WE WOULD LIKE TO SEE. -The

sidewalk repaired....A bell on one of the public buildings....Elias's peastack upset. ....Rair's hog-pen removeda little further from the road.

SUNDERLAND. [Correspondence of The Post.] WANTED.-Wanted, about seventy-nine roung men, from the twenty-five year old fop with a base-ball moustache inine on each side), down to the smallest crockeryheaded, weazel-eyed upstart. The object is to start a gaping corps, to be in attendance each Sunday before and after divine service; and to make kind and gentlemanly remarks about the "mashers" as they pass by. All who wish to join the said corps will please wait at the several street corners on Sunday next; their names will be entered in a book for that purpose, and the weight of their brain (if any) registerthe weight of their brain (if any) registered. To prevent a general rush it would be well to state that no one will be allowed to join without first proving that they have more sense than a thoroughbred jackass.

Business.—The boys need not be anxious about securing a partner. Just look in Mr. Jaffary's window... Our energetic watchmaker is continuing to do a good business.

See advertisement in Christmas edition of The Post.

items on another page of THE Post this week, and the Brock correspondence last LAYTON. [Correspondence of The Post.] WHO DID IT. - Your correspondent in Layton was laboring under a delusion when he hinted that the Saintfield boys ransacked Mrs. Peat's late residence. That

mean and contemptible trick was accom-

plished by the Layton rowdies under the able leadership of Squelshville Dan.

IMPROVEMENT.—Mr.C. Parrish, our oblig-ing miller, has built an addition to his already commodious grist mill.

MORE BOOKS.—The Sunday school of this place is in a prosperous condition.
The secretary has added twenty-five new books to the well filled library.
THINGS WE WOULD LIKE TO KNOW.— When the mail carrier is to receive a coat of varnish?....If the bloated beef question

is finally settled?
THINGS WE WOULD LIKE TO SEE. – James
Johnston finish the grave yard fence..... Jerdon under a plug hat.... Charles with a clean shave.... The clog maker resume business.... The ladies of this neighborhood receive THE Post for the coming year SALE OF VALUABLE FARMS.—The Wad-

dingham homestead farm, 125 acres, has been sold to Mr. Thomas Luney of Sunderland for \$8,800....Mr. Fierheller has disposed of his valuable farm of 200 acres for \$9,000. FINE CATTLE.—Mr. James Rennie of "Moss Side Farm," Brock, sold to Dr. Black of Uxbridge a short time ago seventy-three head of two-year olds for a large

very neat porch.... Mr. R. Penhall is building a large and handy driving-shed and implement house this year.

Personal.—Mr. S. Moore of Saintfield is visiting friends here. He has bought some very fine sheep to take with him on his re-

OAKWOOD.

QUARTERLY MEETING.—The M. E. quarterly meeting will be held in the church on Saturday and Sunday next, 1st and 2nd Dec. Elder Simpson will preach at 2 p. m. Saturday and 10 a. m. Sunday. In the evening at 6 o'clock Rev. J. C. Pomeroy, high school teacher, will preach, and Mr. Simpson will preach in Cambray at the same time. This is the last time but one that quarterly meetings will be held, presided over by a presiding elder, as under the union the office is done away with.

PALESTINE.

PURCHASE.—Mr. Thos. Greenaway has purchased a thoroughbred Durham bull, from the herd of Mr. Mark, Mariposa. The price paid was away up among the three figures. The calf at ten months weighed over 900 lbs. This is a valuable import, and farmers can put up their bones and fatten and make room for the much-needed

improvement.

BEAR SHOT. -Mr. S. Truman has succeeded in capturing bruin at last. For some time he has been prowling about, stealing a living from some of the choicest pork and mutton of the farmers. It seems that this time he was gaining an honest living by gleaning oats off the field, when Sam got within reach of him behind a large pine stump, took deliberate aim, shut both eyes and pulled the trigger. When he awoke from his short nap bruin was in his death struggles. Good shot that.

RE-ENGAGED. -The trustees have acted judiciously in again securing the services of Mr. McMillan as teacher, at an increased

salary. He has now taught four years, and has brought the school up among the first rank, amidst the general satisfaction of all persons interested.

WHAT WE WANT.—We want a portable saw-mill here this winter, as much timber vet remains to be converted into lumber. If this is brought in a liberal supply of logs is promised. There is a good site, with plenty of water....We want a cheese factory here next summer, and preparations might be made this winter to have one erected in the spring....We want a post-office, and should not be discouraged

if the first attempt failed. Try it again, gentlemen. WHAT WE WANT TO KNOW. 'Vhere is Sandringham? Who is THE POST correspondent there? Where is our literary society? Are we going to have another concert?......Why is the census of the school section taken annually?......Who are the coming trustees!

ISLAY. ISLAY.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

HE DID NOT DO IT.—(To the Editor of The Post. -s-1s. I noticed an article in The Post about a week ago heade ! "Glenarm," in which the writer seemed to be flinging some very unmanly insinuations at me. I do not know how it is that everything that is written to the papers with the heading "Islay" seems to be charged to me. Now, sir. I candidly declare I have been charged with writing correspondence that I never knew anything of until they app ared in print, and I have had parties come and abuse me when I was perfectly innocent and I took it all in good nature because I was not much of a writer and therefore I w s ashame! to write a denial to the papers because I did not want denial to the papers because I did not want any editor to see my blunders in spelling. I can candid y say there has been correspondence headed "Islay" that never was written here or If the choir will soon begin practising for within several miles of this place and never was posted at any office, and that in my opinion has been posted at Fenelon Falls or Glenarm. The letters have been written by some mischievous boys that knew I was blamed, therefore they used me as a screen for themselves. But I think the Glenarm writer overstenned. But I think the Glenarm writer over-tepped the mark of good manners and politeness in the remarks he made concerning the wrestling preacher. I do not think my friend would make much of a wrestler or preacher if it took him as long to get round as it has to get up those master institutions, as the wrestle he is blowing nasty insimuations, as the wrestle hers blowing his trumpet over happened last August, and it has taken my friend ever since to write a lot of correspondence. Perhaps he was our hunting and got lost in the woods. That being the case we must overlook his delay and advise him to take a compass with him next time and not forget that the needle a ways points south. Now, sir, I will close, hoping my friend will look before he leaps next time.

Islay, Nov. 29, 1883.

MARA.

[Correspondence of The Post.] WHAT THEY ARE SAYING. -The ton f the mornin to ye, gintlemen I'm going to ba fine brick tavern. Nancy McVeigh. that I could punch the eyes of the Brechin.

THE POST.

THINGS WE WOULD LIKE TO KNOW.—
Why the trustees of s. s. No. 13 do not secure a head teacher? ... What became of the Blackwater correspondent last week?... ... How many girls went down to the station last Saturday night?... Where the "little post office" is gone?

Suspicious Characters. — There are some suspicious characters around town. They pretend to be putting up hay-forks. Those owning horses around the village had better beware. ... Read Woodville items on another page of The Post this week and the Brock correspondence last week for many and the Brock correspondence last with a severe maiden of his owntemperament. The Brockin correspondent on the others. A Jordan ... A champion for the oppressed to are many and a many the warp in for next election. Joe McCork Isphe Jones and the warp in for next election. Joe McCork Isphe Jones and the warp in for next election. Joe McCork Isphe Jones and the warp in for next election. Joe McCork Isphe Jones and the warp in for next election. Joe McCork Isphe Jones and the warp in for next election. Joe McCork Isphe Jones and the warp in for next election. Joe McCork Isphe Jones and the warp in for next election. Joe McCork Isphe Jones and the warp on the Midland every day. As it is a letter posted like to have a mail from each way on the Midland every day. As it is a letter posted like to have a mail from each way on the Midland every day. As it is a letter posted like to have a mail from each way on the Midland every day. As it is a letter posted like to have a mail from each way on the Midland every day. As it is a letter posted like to have a mail from each way on the Midland every day. As it is a letter posted like to have a mail from each way on the Midland every day. As it is a letter posted like to have a mail from each way on the Midland every day. As it is a letter posted like to have a mail from each way on the Midland every day. As it is a letter posted like to have a mail from each way on the Midland every day. As it is a letter posted like to have with a severe maiden of his own temperame! the excellent correspondent in that locality making the people's ears tingle through the columns of THE Post till this disgraceful desecrates stopped. If this neglect is not soon remedied it has previously been referred to) we shall be led to the conclusion that the people have not civilized respect and affection for their lead, or Christian consideration for the graves of their friends.

OPS.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.—The council of Ops met in the council chamber, Lindsay, on Monday, Nov. 26th, pursuant to advertisement. Present, the reeve, deputy-reeve, and Couns. McLean, Duck and Robertson. The minutes of last meeting having been read and confirmed it was moved by Mr. Hopkins, seconded by Mr. Robertson, that \$10 be granted to Mr. Brookmire for work on 10th con. line near boundary of Robertson, that \$10 be granted to Mr. Brookmire for work on 10th con. line near boundary of Fenelon.—Carried Moved by Mr. Hopkins, seconded by Mr. Robertson, that the overplus of drain No. 3 being \$250 be distributed rateably among the persons interested in said drain.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Hopkins, seconded by Mr. McLean, that the following accounts be paid, namely:—Newton Bros., for printing, \$49; also for publishing by law for drain No. 4, \$35, this last to be charged to drain No. 4; George Rea, \$1.35, 27 loads of gravel at 5c.; Harlem Curtis \$1.35, plank for culvert; John Bowens, \$4. Rea. \$1.35, 27 loads of gravel at 5c.; Harlem Curtis. \$1.35, 12 loads of gravel at 5c.; Harlem Curtis. \$1.35, plank for culvert; John Bowens, \$4, breaking stone on middle line, 6th concession; Cornelius Maher. \$12, logs for Cross creeks bridge; John Cennolly. \$10, work on fourth quarter line; 3rd con.; T. Crowley, \$4, work on Fenelon boundary at Teevins place; Isaac Watson, \$30, work on 7th con. from Walkers to Mt. Horeb: J. O'Léary, 50c. paid Davis for clearing drain No. 2, to be charged to drain No. 2; J. O'Leary, \$33, commission to be charged to drain No. 5; Geo. Morrison, \$11.90, work on 7th con. north of 5th quarter line; M. Leddy, \$11.50 balance for stone and covering on 4th quarter line, 3rd con.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Duck, seconded by Mr. Hopkins, that the polling places for the municipal elections for 1884 be in the follawing places respectively, viz:—For polling subdivision No. 1, Thos. Ray's house; No. 2, the old pump factory, north-east corner lot 21, in 4th

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