

Henry J. Keighly.

TRUTH ABOUT TEAS!

Plain Talk for Practical People.

Buy your TEA where you can get the best value, but things being at all nearly equal—buy from your local merchant.

The tea peddler is here to-day and away to-morrow. What claim has he on your trade? None whatever.

Your local merchant, be he a Lindsay man or village store-keeper, helps pay your taxes—pays right smartly, too.

Your local merchant buys your produce—taken off your hands, at almost your own prices, your butter, your eggs, your fowl and dozens of other truck. Then, do the fair thing, and buy from the man who buys from you.

We mean Lindsay men in general, and myself in particular—can sell you on better terms than any itinerant huckster. That's what we're here for, and we've a proper grasp of the situation.

Buy where you're right to get satisfaction if you think the goods don't mitt. You can't get this from the tea peddler.

Buy from whom you like, but buy in Lindsay.

And buying in Lindsay, buy from myself. You'll not get better value. You can't possibly find fairer prices.

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The Canadian Post.

CHARLES D. BARK, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR. PARLIAMENTARY NOTES.

ONTARIO LEGISLATURE.

The Speech from the Throne. Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Ontario Legislature.

It gives me great pleasure to welcome you to your legislative duties as members of a new parliament convened for the first time since the general election of the past year.

The occasion is rendered more auspicious by the advent of a new governor-general, who by his public appearances and addresses has already created a most favorable impression on the minds of all classes in the Dominion.

It is satisfactory to know that during the past year the statistics have continued to do good service by collecting and distributing trustworthy information respecting the agricultural and manufacturing industries of the province.

It was my agreeable duty last year to congratulate your predecessors upon the work done by the provincial council.

It is with especial satisfaction that I congratulate you on the early and successful application of the provisions of the new constitution.

At the last session of the federal parliament an act was passed which gave the main lines of railways in the province and all railways now or hereafter connecting with them or crossing them shall be subject to the legislative authority of the parliament of Canada.

I am glad to have in my power to state as a result of negotiations between the government and that of Manitoba that a case has been agreed upon for a reference to the arbitration board.

Among the other measures to be submitted for your consideration will be a bill to amend the liquor license laws; a bill consolidating and improving the law for the destruction of noxious weeds.

It is the object of the bill to secure a speedy settlement in a way that would be binding upon all parties.

The subject of protecting the public interest in streams used for the purpose of floating timber will no doubt assist your earnest attention.

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three, and in striking terms asked for the removal of the house on his first address. Before proceeding to make reference to the matters in the address which more especially require the consideration of the house he took the opportunity of assuring the lieutenant-governor of the confidence and the abiding and undisturbed confidence—reposed in him as head of the government.

The province may be congratulated on the selection of lieutenant-governors from able statesmen, and no one could be more distinguished for the high and honorable discharge of very important functions of his office than the present incumbent.

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hear.) The leader of the opposition indeed played only a secondary part in the contest, for everywhere they found hands of trained organizers, as they loved to call themselves, ready to take the lead in the employment of the Dominion government, or holding contracts from that government and looking for extra, re-valuations and re-appointments.

While these backing and "shields" might be acceptable to Mr. Meredith, yet by the elections had shown that the people were with them.

In former elections this system had not been purged and it should be a legislative act in the day time at least accompanied by this band, but the emissaries of the Dominion government had carried more influence in their pockets than they could have done otherwise.

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LOCAL NEWS-LETTERS.

POINT MARA.

SCHEMEL HONOR ROLL.—The following are the names of the first four pupils in each class who succeeded in obtaining the highest number of marks during the past month: 5th class—1st, Fred Furniss; 2nd, Julia L. Waddell and Florence Montgomerie; 4th, Wm. McManis, 4th class—1st, Mary Waddell; 2nd, Louisa Warren; 3rd, Herbert Warren; 4th, Jessie A. Montgomerie; 3rd class sr.—1st, Martha Gilchrist; 2nd, Ella Waddell; 3rd, Florence Green; 4th, Stephen Furniss; 3rd class jr.—1st, Arthur Warren; 2nd, Edith Green; 3rd, Mary E. Ritchie; 4th, Ella Green; 2nd class—1st, Maggie Campbell; 2nd, John Muir.

MANWERS.

BARBURNED.—The barn and stables of Mr. Hugh Byers, 1st con. of Manwers, were destroyed by fire on Tuesday night, 22nd inst., caused by the upsetting and exploding of a stable lamp. The loss is partially covered by insurance.

PERSONAL.—Miss Hearn has accepted a position in the mercantile service of Mr. Geo. Waddell, Pontypool, rendered vacant by the resignation of Miss M. Chesney.

SALT.—Mrs. John Jennings adjourned under town lots in Pontypool takes place on the 31st inst.

SOLD OUT.—Mr. Thos. Winkill of Lindsay has sold out his blacksmithing establishment and is going to Mr. J. Mulligan of Lotus for \$850 cash.

JOTTINGS.—About another foot of snow would make it easier setting around, as it would be necessary to dig out the blocks alighting to knock off the top board or rail of the fences. Work on the Ontario and Quebec railway has been stopped for the winter owing to the heavy snow falls.

SANDRINGHAM.

SHINDING No. 2. We have been informed lately from a source of our own that a party of about fifty men, who were engaged in the house of Mr. J. W. McLeod. There was quite a large gathering of the Sodomites and Boltonites and Sandringhamites and a couple of sleigh loads from Eidon Station. There was some first-class music rendered by Messrs. I. D. Tinney of Eidon and a youth called Duncan Grant of Bolton. There was some grand lilted music rendered by some experienced lilters who are hard to beat.

THE SODON JUBILEES are giving weekly entertainment and are meeting with very good success. Several have joined them since the Christmas holidays. We wish them all success.

OUR SCHOOL is progressing favourably and we are glad to hear that Mr. J. W. McLeod is now in a position to give a course of lectures on the history of the province.

OUR PEOPLE.—We notice that Mr. L. McInnis, who lives at a little west of Bolton, has purchased an organ which cost \$240. We believe Mrs. McInnis is quite a musician.

JANETVILLE.

SURPRISE AND PRESENTATION.—Rev. Mr. Tonkin received a very pleasant surprise last week by being visited by a large number of his friends from Fleetwood and vicinity, who were laden with all the good things necessary for supplying his table, such as eggs, butter, flour, meat, potatoes, etc. They spent a pleasant evening and went home happy, but not without having first presented their kind wishes.

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PERSONAL.—Mr. and Mrs. J. Burns have been visiting in the Dominion. Mr. Burns, Miss A. Lavery has been spending a few days with friends at Carletonville.

BELEFFILLE. FOOLING WITH A LOADED GUN.—On Friday afternoon John McDonald, of this city, visited the house of Thos. McCortury, in the rear of the building, about three miles from Bellefille, where the first named took hold of a loaded gun and discharged it, the powder going into McCortury's face and slightly burning his nose. The injuries are not serious.

A BIG BLAZE.—At 5 o'clock Monday morning a fire broke out in Barber & Leslie's furnishing store, Front-st., which was completely gutted and all its contents destroyed. The flames extended to John Grant's boot and shoe store and Allan McFee's jewellery store, the stocks in which sustained considerable damage. Mr. Leslie, who slept over the store, escaped in his night clothes. The losses are large, about \$18,000, pretty well covered by insurance.

PORT PERRY. THE PAXTON BANQUET AND TESTIMONIAL.—The banquet to Mr. Thomas Paxton last Friday evening was a great success. On account of the railway blockade and condition of the roads comparatively few from a distance were present, but about a hundred and fifty gentlemen from all parts of the riding and Ontario faced and overcame these obstacles, completely filling the tables, which were spread in the town hall. The chair was occupied by Dr. Gansinger, who intimated that letters and telegrams of apology had been received from Messrs. F. W. Gien, F. Madill, G. H. Dartnell, F. S. Farwell, John Dewart and others. The toasts were responded to by Dr. Jones, Rev. Dr. Carey, Messrs. Hadcliffe, McBride, Outway, Page, McGillivray, Reekie and Jones. The chairman read an address to Mr. Paxton, expressing the esteem in which he was held by residents of North Ontario, without distinction of party, nationality or creed, for his many qualities and faithful services as their representative, and presented him with a cheque for \$500, the offering of his former constituents. Mr. Paxton made a suitable reply, in which he expressed his deep sense of the honor done him and the value, "greater than gold," of the affection and love of the people of this riding. The salter was occupied by Mr. Gansinger, who presented a resolution in every respect non-party, and was a just tribute to a worthy, self-sacrificing and faithful public servant, who had in his public career been so ably and honorably aided his part that he could retire without an enemy.

WOODVILLE. [Correspondence of The Post.] STRANGE MISMANAGEMENT.—Our mail trains have been generally late since the road passed under the Grand Trunk (mis) management. Last week passengers who had paid their fares to Woodville were put down at Blackwater junction, a place with no hotel accommodation. After trying in vain to get information as to the prospects of getting through by train they telegraphed to Cannington for livery, the Grand Trunk official refusing to forward the message without pay.

SAD.—Two old people, each over eighty years, who have been during the last ten or fifteen years supported by charity, are now in a piteous state, both confined to bed. The neighbors are doing what they can to make them comfortable, but as they are under no person's particular charge we have been neglected. What makes their case the most pitiable is the total neglect of their family. There case should argue well for a district poor house. Since writing the above, death came to one of the old men. The widow is still living helpless.

INCORPORATION.—The Lindsay Warder in its issue of last week says that the people of Woodville are calling for incorporation, that they are mistaken in the benefits to be derived from it, that they will have to pay salaries to their reeve and council, that the reeve and council will soon come before the house, and that somebody thirsting for municipal honors is the cause of this movement. For the information of the editor of the Woodville should keep himself posted, we will say that the petition accompanied with a map of the village and the necessary amount of money in a petition for incorporation, will soon come before the house, and that somebody thirsting for municipal honors is the cause of this movement. For the information of the editor of the Woodville should keep himself posted, we will say that the petition accompanied with a map of the village and the necessary amount of money in a petition for incorporation, will soon come before the house, and that somebody thirsting for municipal honors is the cause of this movement.

MINDEN. [Correspondence of The Post.] HALIBURTON COUNTY COUNCIL.—The county council met at Minden Tuesday 22nd. Mr. F. Moore, clerk and treasurer, took the chair and called for nominations for wardens. Moved by H. Ferris, reeve of Stanhope, seconded by James Mortimer, reeve of Anson, that Wm. Gainer, reeve of Minden, be warden. Moved in amendment by Wm. Ogilvie, reeve of Cardiff, seconded by David Galloway, reeve of Lutterworth, that James G. Galloway be warden. The vote was taken by ballot and Mr. Gainer was declared elected, four ballots being cast for him and three for Mr. Galloway. The candidates abstained from voting. The warden then addressed the council stating that he had not asked for the office and only that he was pressed by members to do so, he did not have accepted it. He thought the council was doing wrong by going to law among themselves, paying fees to lawyers and making themselves a laughing stock. He was ashamed every time he went to the front, and suggested that a committee should be appointed to arbitrate respecting our differences. The minutes of last meeting read. The clerk then read a letter from the council respecting the course taken by the sheriff. A by-law appointing auditors was read and passed. The council appointed Mr. W. G. Galloway, reeve of Stanhope, and Mr. Michael Brown, reeve of Anson, to be auditors. A resolution was passed awarding ten dollars to be given to any persons securing the conviction of any person between the 1st of Jan. and the 1st July. The resolution was passed accordingly. On Wednesday, 23rd, a long discussion arose respecting a warrant which had been issued by the reeve of Stanhope against the municipality of Dysart to collect their portion of the famous \$250 grab to each municipality, the warden and the reeve of Stanhope and Dysart being the principal speakers, the two former making several remarkable speeches but no conclusion was arrived at. On Thursday, 24th, on motion of Jas. Dover it was agreed that the reeve should be instructed to withdraw the warrant against Dysart, pay the costs, and the other municipalities should refund \$100. Messrs. Galloway and Grogan dissenting. It has been a grand piece of municipal engineering surely. A few more important motions were passed and the council adjourned. (Additional news-letters on 7th and 9th pages.)

Marriage Licenses.

GEORGE DOUGLASS, ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES. MAMILLA, ONT. Manilla, Aug. 2, 1883. BRITTON, ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES FOR THE COUNTY OF VICTORIA. Davies & Petty.

WILL AHEAD.

Our many customers to whom we have sold the ROCKFORD WATCH all say they are ahead of any other movement they ever had as an exact timepiece.

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We can and will at some future date provide the testimonials.

We have great reason to return thanks to our many friends and the public in general for the very large trade we did during the holidays, particularly in the ROCKFORD WATCH, having sold as many as two and three to one party.

We again make the assertion that we have the largest stock in Lindsay of JEWELRY, SILVERWARE, WATCHES, and CLOCKS.

Wishing our many friends and the public generally a very happy and prosperous New Year.

DAVIES & PETTY

Light and Heavy Harness.

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New Advertisements.

WANTED.—A Good Servant GIRL, apply at once to MISS J. P. BRAID, 107 St. James Street, Toronto.

BOARDERS.—A few Boarders can find comfortable rooms by applying to MISS CADOTTE, Russell-st., Lindsay, Jan. 11, 1884.

MUSIC.—MISS LAUDER, Late of the Victoria Musical Society, Toronto, is prepared to give lessons in Vocal and Instrumental Music at her residence, Huron-st., Toronto. Terms moderate. Lindsay, Nov. 23, 1883.

BOARD AND ROOMS.—Having rented the large and commodious house of Mr. Cowdin on Cambridge-st. near the market, will, after the 1st Feb. be prepared to let comfortable furnished rooms, together with first-class board at moderate prices. MRS. H. B. CAR, Lindsay, Jan. 22nd, 1884.

ESTRAY REIFER.—Came into the possession of the undersigned, lot 22 in the W. con. of Carleton, about the 1st of October, a horse, colored bay, with a white blaze on his face, and a white star on his forehead. Any person who has information as to the whereabouts of the horse, please apply to JOHN WILSON, Huron-st., Toronto, Jan. 13, 1884.

FOR SALE.—Lots 1, 2 and 3, Block No. 1, situated north of Colborne and west of St. Paul's-st., in the town of Lindsay, containing two acres. The above premises are well fenced, and also a young orchard, bearing numerous shade and ornamental trees, situated on the premises; healthy location; altogether one of the most desirable sites for a home-stead in the town of Lindsay. Will be sold at a bargain. Apply to P. G. FLETCHER, Lindsay, Feb. 1st, 1884.

REMOVAL.—MUNN & CO. of the Scientific American, continue to sell and publish the Scientific American, English, French, German, etc. Hand Book about 100 pages, containing all the news of the world, published weekly for 25 years. Also, a new and most useful and reliable scientific paper, published weekly, containing all the news of the world, published weekly for 25 years. Also, a new and most useful and reliable scientific paper, published weekly, containing all the news of the world, published weekly for 25 years.

DR. KENPT.

In consequence of the destruction of his residence by fire, will be found in the Lundy Block, William-st., a few doors north from the Doherty Block Corner.

ADAM DORAN

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