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The way in which we give you a chance to guess is this:—In my window are three glass fruit jars, numbered 1, 2 and 3, partly filled with peas and beans. The following gentlemen—Mesers. F. C. TAYLOR, E. McTAVISH and J. KILLEN—went with me to the store of Mesers. Spratt & Killen and purchased the jars, scooped up the beans and peas from a pile, sealed up the jars, and put their signatures on top of said jars, as can be seen.

We offer for sale 250 WATCH CHAINS, RINGS and PINS, at \$2.00 each. With the article we give you a chance to guess or figure out the problem of how many beans or peas there are in JAR No. 1. The party who comes nearest the number takes the \$500.00 prize.

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Lindsay, May 21st, 1884.—89-6.

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Coal Oil Stove, with patent sliding top. This Stove is the safest, the most economical, the simplest, the neatest, and in all respects the most perfect Oil Stove in the world. I will guarantee it to do the work of an ordinary cooking stove or range, at a cost of one cent I would advise those thinking of purchasin Oil Stoves to call at

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THE MILK PANS

To be seen to be appreciated. The Harland patented Milk Pan and Creamer, combined. The newest thing yet invented for raising cream. All butter makers should have them, as their butter would be worth five cents per lb. more than by any other means of saving cream. We intend giving them to responsible farmers on approbation. E. WOODS has exclusive sale of them for this county.

E. WOODS.

New Advertisements. SADDDLE and Set of SINGLE HAR-NESS, nearly new, for sale cheap. SMYTH, Lindsay. June 5th. 1884. 91-tf. SERVANT GIRL WANTED AT ONCE-To do general house work. Ap-ly for information at THE Post Printing Of-ce. Lindsay, June 4th, 1884.—91-tf.

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May 30, 1884. -00.

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Fire and Water-Proof Roofing Com-Will cover iron, tin or shingles, or gravel roofs. The best and most economical roofing cement in the world. I refer to Mr. W. McDosnell, Mr. J. B. Knowlson, Mr. James Connolly and others. Orders left with Mr. Geo. Bryan will receive prompt attention. Lindsay. June 4, 1884.— Britton Bros.

COUNTY IMPROVE-

The County of Victoria is out of debt. Consequently in making county improvements a judicious liberality should prevail. A new bridge is hinted at Omemee, over the

Not only is the bridge wanted but it is badly needed.

By all means let a new bridge be built, and let it be built of Iron. The progressive spirit of this county says no vooden bridges.

At best a wooden bridge lasts but about ten years. An iron bridge will last a lifetime, if not longer. The span to be crossed at Omemee does not exceed 70 feet. For all purposes of travel an iron girded bridge will give ample facilities and strength. And this, too, at a cost not exceeding

If a swing is needed, a truss is necessary. This cannot be better constructed than built Ratepayers of Omemee, Taxpayers of Emily; Citizens of the County, Impress on your representatives in council that an iron bridge is the one thing needful and necessary.

And people of Omemee and ratepayers of the Township when you buy a watch, buy it at BRITTON BROS., Lindsay. If your going to replace your grandfather's clock with a medera timepiece get it at BRITTON BROS., Lindsay. If you or your wives - your daughters always do-want jewelry, buy it at BRITTON BROS., Lindsay.

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Lindsay, Ont. Lindsay, June 11, 1884.—91-2.

New Advertisements. TYRIAL TRIP.—THE POST for the CHIS WILL PAY FOR THE POST

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CHARLES D. BARR, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR LOCAL MATTERS.

MASONIC BANQUET TO GRAND MASTER D. SPRY.

A FLATTERING RECEPTION BY THE LOCAL MASONIC LODGES. On Friday evening of last week about

fifty gentlemen sat down to supper at the Benson house. With one exception-that of the representative of THE Poer-all at table were members of the Masonic order. The occasion was one upon which the members of the local lodges—Faithful Brethren lodge, No. 77, and King Himm lodge, No. 98, G.R.C.—had met, together with many brethren from a distance, to do honor to M. W. Bro. L. Spry, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Canada, and R. W. Bro. A. B. O'Dell, D.D.G.M., Ontario district, and R. W. Bro, Howse, grand organist, G. L. C., who accompanied Grand Master Spry on his visit to Lindsay. The members of the order met the local brethren at the lodge room on Kent-st., and after the work was over an adjournment was made to the Benson house. Supper was spread in the large dining-room of the hotel, and the bill of fare was varied and such as to provoke gusatory achievement. Bro. John McSweyn eccupied the chair, having on his right Grand Master Spry, on his left R.W. Bros. U'Dell and Howse. Bro. E. McTavish and Bro. D. Ray filled the position of vice-chairmen. For half an hour the clatter of knife and fork filled the room. Joints of heef and have were

the position of vice-charmen. For half an hour the clatter of knife and fork filled the room. Joints of beef and hams were cut into and served to appreciative eaters. Then followed the dessert, and when disposed of the chairman called on Bro. E. McTavish to read a large number of letters that had been received, all of them regretting that the writers could not be present. Then an attack was made on the array of toasts by the chairman, who proposed "The queen and the craft," which was received with honors.

"The grand master," by the chairman, was drank, and followed by a ringing chorus of "He's a jolly good fellow."

Grand Master SPRY, who spoke in a clear and eloquent manner, on rising took occasion to congratulate the local lodges on the evident good feeling that prevailed amongst the members. Referring to his official course he said that he was pleased to find that it met with their approval as Masons. He pointed out the very important position held by the Canadian grand lodges in the Masonic world and the favorable impression held abroad in regard to Canadian masonry. He could say that other colonial lodges were following strict-Canadian masonry. He could say that other colonial lodges were following strictly after the plan laid down by the grand lodge of Canada. He dwelt on the fact that liberty and Masonry were almost synony-mous and that both flourished together. Touching on the attitude of the churches towards the order he said he regretted very much that the Catholic church should think so little of a body who deserved so well. It was a fundamental principle of masonry that it was a staunch supporter of Christianity, and pointed out that a man could not publish the doctrine of infidelity

and remain a Mason.
At the conclusion of his address Grand
Master Spry was heartly cheered, and
when Bro. McTavish rose and read an address of welcome on behalf of the local
brethren a second round of applause
brought the grand master to his feet, and orought the grand master to his feet, and in a short and feeling reply he thanked the brethren for the expression of approval which the address so warmly conveyed. The address had been prepared by Bro. John McSweyn and expressed in chaste and appropriate language the sentiments meet for the occasion. It had been beautifully engrossed by Bro. W. H. Gross in old English text and aclear and graceful carrier. English text and a clear and graceful acript. The address was framed in a neat frame and read as follows:

Daniel Spry, Esq., Grand Master Grand Lodge A.F. & A.M., Canada:

Lodge A.F. & A.M., Canada:

Most Worshipfel Sir,—The officers and members of Faithful Brethren lodge, No. 77, and of King Hiram lodge, No. 89, A.F. & A.M., extend to you a right hearty welcome to the town of Lindsay, both in your official capacity as Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Canada and as a man and brother Mason.

In addressing you in your official position we desire to give outward proof of our loyalty to the ancient usages and established customs of the order, recognizing, as we do, in your person the properly constituted representative and successor of all the iliustrious grand masters who have gone before, to whom in turn was committed from time immemorial, the dignity and the duty of superintending the great moral edifice in the erection of which we, individually, as speculative masons, profess to be employed. We thus present our formal address as a token of our dutiful regard towards yourself and all other officers of grand lodge, and we beg to assure you that our present union in addressing you is a true index of the perfect good feeling existing between the two lodges who now receive you, and that nowhere is proper respect receive you, and that nowhere is proper respect towards the grand officers of the institution more kindly cherished than it is in the lodges who now address and welcome you.

DEAR SIR AND BROTHER:-Much as we joice in the privilege of addressing you as M. W. G. M. (as we have already done) we take special pleasure in walconing. G. M. (as we have already done) we take special pleasure in welcoming you as a man and a brother Mason. In the former case we felt under some restraint, from which we quickly rid ourselves, in order that we may come without reserve to welcome you where we know you prefer meeting with us, namely, on the level, as a brother Mason. Your unofficial visits to us a few weeks ago enabled us to form that acquaintance with you which warrants us in making this observation and which has led us to our present communication.

Your presence with us then produced a homelike feeling in the lodge room that we would like to have repeated as often as you can make it convenient to be with us without encroaching upon your public or private duties. There

it convenient to be with us without encroaching upon your public or private duties. There is an unexplainable "sumething" peculiar to some men—an "influence" which they themselves are unconscious of possessing—which subdues everything in their presence into pleasing harmony. Something like this marked your previous visits to us and we are so selfish that (Masonically speaking) we want more of it. We therefore welcome you again and again as ama and a Mason. We refrain from those fulsome compliments which to sensible men are simply repulsive, and which awaken only a suspicion of insincerity between the giver and receiver of an address of welcome. There is in such cases good reason to follow the brief but appropriate admonities:

"Learn to condemn all praise betimes,
For flattery is the nuise of crimes."

Suffice it to say that we highly appreciate your visits to us in the past, that we are glad to receive and welcome you now, and that King Hiram and Faithful Brethren lodges will always be pleased to receive and welcome you in future.—Yours fraternally,

W. M. Faithful Brethren Ledge. E. McTavish, W. M. King Hiram Lodge.

W. M. King Hiram Lodge.

A vocal quartette, "Good old frienda,"
by Bros. McTavish, Petty, Hallett and
Thornbury was well recrived.

"The efficers of the grand lodge" was
responded to by R. W. Bro. H. B. O'Deil of
Ostawa, grand organist of the grand
lodge, who made a clever speech.
R. W. Bro. Howse, grand organist, G. L.
C., also expressed the bleasure that as a
member of the grand lodge he had in
meeting with the Lindshy brethren.
Bro. D. Ray, vice-chairman, gave "Our
sister lodges, which was repended to by
Bro. J. D. Beicher, Corinthian lodge, Pet-

erboro; Bro. J. G. Edwards and Bro. W. Conneil of Verulam lodge, Bobcaynson; Bro. W. A. Silverwood; Vistoria lodge, Vistoria Road; and by Bro. McGillivrsy and Bro. Campbell of Zereditha lodge, Uxbridge. Bro. Betcher's remarks covered some humorous reminiscences of his early experience of Canadian hospitality. A song, "Mary Kelly's cow," by Bro. Petty, created much amusement.

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"Our visiting brethren" was ably replied to by Bros. Cooper of London, Dow and Walker of Toronto, and Bro. Ferquence of St. John's lodge.

"Our honorary members" had two able champions in Bro. J. W. Wallace, Faithful Brethren lodge, and Bro. Dr. Smithett, of Omemee.

"Our newly-initiated members" was replied to by Bro. J. A. Barren in a short and earnest speech.

The cause of "The Prees" in general and the country newspapers in particular, was vindicated by Mr. F. Dobbin, the representative of The Powr.

"Our Worshipful Masters in Lindbay," gave Bro. E. McTavish and Bro. J. McMillan az opportunity to compliment the lodges on the unanimity with which they worked together, and Bro. McTavish laid down the axiom that where the churches left aff week the lodges tack it us.

The "Past Master's Toast" was well received. Bro. Ray acknowledged the sentiment in a warm and feeling speech, and pointed out that the name of their lodge, "Faithful Brethren," was an indication of the spirit prevailing in the lodge. He briefly reviewed the past history of masonry, locally, and ascribed a portion of the prosperity amongst the order throughout the province to the geniality, tact and official ability of Grand Master Spry. Bro. Geo. Ingle made a hearty and humorous reply, and was encouraged by vigorous manifestations of approval to extend his remarks. Bro. J. McSweyn added in a genial and pleasant way his testimony as to the good feeling existing between the members of the lodges in town.

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The "Junior Warden's Toast" was ably handled by Bro. A. Cathro in a speech redolent with Gaelic witticssms and good fellowship to brother masons.

"The Ladies," prefaced in a neat speech by Bro. Ray, who called on Bro. Edwards to reply. Bro. Edwards did reply, and immortalized himself by uttering sentiments that showed that he almost venerated the ladies—although he didn't doubt ments that showed that he almost venerated the ladies -although he didn't doubt but that it might possibly develop into a warmer feeling- some time-in his case. Personally he knew very little about the subject under consideration, and would place the burden of the reply on Bro. Connell of Bobcaygeon. Bro. Connell, carried away by the enthusiasm of the moment, took the members into his confidence, and reviewed the ladies, their wants and their wishes, in the most critical and complimentary way possible. cal and complimentary way possible.

After "Our Hosts" had been drank and replied to by Mr. Benson, several volunteer toasts were given, and the company dispersed after singing "Auld Lang Syne."

[Correspondence of The Post.]

PERSONAL.—Visitors here and away at
Mr. McGlashan's: Mr. and Mrs. N. Mar.
shall and Mr. Alfred Hogg, Teronto. At
Mr. Butler's: Mr. and Mrs. Lolroyd, Illinois: Miss Alary Lindsay

Miss Colin Miss Ainty, Lin Cunnings has gone to Markham station.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams, at station, have gone to Bowmanville, Port Hope and other places for holidays.

WEST VICTORIA TRACHERS' ASSOCIA-TION.—The 14th annual meeting of the West Victoria teachers' association was held at Oakwood on the 15th May, 1884. held at Oakwood on the 15th May, 1884. The meeting was opened with prayer by the Rev. J. Pomeroy, R.A. The president, Mr. Reazin, in the chair. Mr. Rennie, headmaster of the Oakwood public school, introduced the subject "Natural Phenomena." He gave a brief but interesting lecture on the properties and qualities of "light." Rev. J. Pomeroy, B.A., headmaster of the Oakwood high school, next read an instructive and well-written paper read an instructive and well-written paper on "English Literature." He highly recommended that a number of extracts he sometimes taken for examinations in preference to one or two poems, as at present. After an interesting discussion the meeting adjourned. The convention reassembled at 1.30. The minutes of the last assembled at 1.30. The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:—President, Mr. Reagin; vice-president, Mr. Pomeroy; sec.-treas., Mr. Gilchrist; managing committee: Messrs. Rennie, McKinnon, Herron, Broad and Graham. Moved and seconded, that the next meetings be held at Lorneville junction.—Carried. Moved and seconded, that tion.—Carried. Moved and seconded, that the managing committee arrange a varied program, consisting of practical teaching subjects, essays, readings, recitations, etc; practical subjects to be restricted to 45 minutes, of which the leader may take fifteen minutes; essays, etc., five minutes.—Carried. Mr. McFarlane, headmaster of the Kirkfield public school, then read an interesting paper on "History," in which he gave some interesting hints for the teaching of this subject to a class. A very lively discussion followed in respect to teaching Canadian history. Mr. Broad, headmaster of the Little Britain model school, read a neatly arranged essay on

school, read a neatly arranged essay on "Corporal Punishment." He pointed out that corporal punishment cannot be abolished, but should be tempered by "moral suasion." Mr. Knight, inspector of East Victoria he appeared took the orbital Victoria, by request, took the subject Mental Arithmetic." He gave some valuable hints as to the proper method of conducting a class in mental arithmetic. The program was interspersed with music rendered by the teachers and others present. The convention was adjourned to allow the teachers the privilege of attending the lectures delivered in Lindsay by the Hon. Mr. Ross, minister of education,

on the following day.

METHODIST UNION.-Union services were METHODIST UNION.-Union services were held Sabbath, June lat, morning and evening in the brick church (B. C.) In the morning Rev. Mr. Doxsee preached from the 122 Psalm, 7th verse, "Peace be within thy walls," etc. Lessons were read from 17th John. Hymns commencing "Father whose everlasting love," "Jesus at thy feet we wait," "Lord, I believe a rest remains," were sung. The sermon was one of the we wait," "Lord, I believe a rest remains," were sung. The sermon was one of the best delivered here by the rev. gentleman. In the evening services were conducted by Revs. Mr. Shaw, C. M., and Mr. Woodger, B. C., jointly, Mr. Woodger preaching. We are likely to lose the services of both those young men after conference, and can commend them to to the brethren wherever they are placed as devoted, talented and exemplary. Services hereafter will be held by the congregation in the brick church and the C. M. church will be closed. After the sermon an experience meeting was held and the C. M. church will be closed. After the sermon an experience meeting was held and the last supper was commemorated by a large number of communicants. Much satisfaction is felt over the union....Ser-vices will be continued in the late M. E. church, known as the Taylor's corners ap-

Congregational Singing.—A new departure in church music has been started. In the place of choir singing we are to have congregational singing led by Mrs. Hughson, organist, and Mr. Cummings. The music last Sabbath was very fine.

Obit.—The late Mrs. Puley of Fenelon Falls, whose death was noticed in The Post recently, was for many years a resident of this vicinity. The family came from Devonshire, and were in this country nearly forty-five years. The deceased leaves a family of seven to mourn her death, five sons and two daughters. The husband died during last year, aged about ninety-four years.

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ANNIVERSARY.—The union Sabbath school anniversary will be held in Berkelev's grove, near Cambray, on Friday next, June 20th, at the usual hour.

MAPLE HILL-PENELON. DID NOT WRITE IT.—Mr. W. Calder wishes to have it stated that he was not the writer of the correspondence that appeared under this heading in THE POST of May 30th.

CAMBRAY.

CANNINGTON. Scorr ACT MERTING.—Last Friday evening there was a meeting in the town hall of the Scott act well-wishers. Rev. W. Burns, Rev. M. Wilson, and W. H. Hoyle addressed the meeting, laying before the

Burne. Rev. M. Wilson, and W. H. Hoyle addressed the meeting, laying before the people the necessity of their co-operation in making this county one of the many counties that are taking this way of driving interperance from our limits.

The M. W. Band.—The M. W. Band of Uxbridge has been holding meetings in the Methodist church for the past week and we believe with very encouraging results. We notice a great many wearing the red badges of the band.

LACROSSE.—The club No. 3 of Cannington played a lacrosse match with the Woodville team last Saturday, resulting in a victory for Cannington with three straight games. There was some rough play but no harm was done.

PLEASANT VALLEY—FENELON.
[Correspondence of The Post.]
ANNIVERSARY.—The Sunday school anniversary of Zion Sabbath school in connection with the Bible Christian church, that is the the Methodist church has been appropriate the connection of the connection. arranged for this year. The anniversary sermon will be preached on the last Sunday in June, and tea will be served on Tuesday, the let July. As many as possible should attend. Come along, boys, and bring your ledies with you

attend. Come along, boys, and bring your ladies with you.

BEARS.—While Miss Rachael McDonald, a young girl about fifteen years old, was crossing a piece of woods she saw a black animal on a log ahead of her. While on the log another came on behind her. It is supposed to be an old bear and her cub. Miss McDonald thought they were dogs, but of unusual size.

RETURNED.—Messrs Thomas Worsley and John Guspell have returned home from Tiny. They speak very highly of Tiny and intend buying land there. They say that crops look much better there than in Fenelon.

FRANKLIN. GRAIN BUYING. - Mr. Robert Touchburn
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We

is again in the market buying grain. We are always pleased to meet Mr. T. on the

preached a short sermon a week ago last Sabbath on the Union question, taking for his text, Rev. ii., 7. "He that hath an ear, let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches." Truly without union ground on Saturday last..... A "catch-ason earth we cannot expect union in heaven. We trust that the people and ministers will work together for good, and the good which has been done here, we hope, will not be undone, and we trust there shall be no more sorrow, neither shall there be any more pain for the former things are passed

Interesting Sermon.-Rev. James Pritchard, B. A., Presbyterian minister of Auburn, preached a very interesting and instructive sermon last Sabbath evening in the B. C. church. PERSONAL.—Mr. J. A. Pritchard has been called home from Toronto owing to the serious illness of his father.

SANDRINGHAM.

Correspondence of The Post. A NEW VENTURE. - Mr. Wm. Grant has rented the model farm in this village and intends to have \$1,000 worth of cabbage

this year. We hope Mr. Grant will do well with his new venture.

MATRIMONIAL. - On Tuesday, the 3rd inst., Mr. Gilbert McEachern of Sandring. ham was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to Miss Christina McGillivray, daughter of Mr. Archibald McGillivray of Balsover. The ceremony was performed at the residence of the bride's father. The knot was tied by the Rev. John Gillies of Lorneville. The young couple took the evening train for Toronto on their wedding tour, where they will spend their honey-moon. Congratulations are due the happy couple on the step they have taken, and

BEAT THIS. - We hear that Mr. Colin N. McDonald, of Hillside Valley farm, ploughed five and one-quarter acres in two days, commencing each day at 7 a.m. and werking till sunset, and narrow ploughing at that -about ten or twelve inches wide to the furrow. This is what we call good work. There is considerable activity about C. N. in working on a farm. Who is the next amartest man? Our section is the next smartest man? Our section contains several clever young farmers—
especially all the red fellows—for some of
them get the prize every year for plough.

RENTED .- Mr. William Grant has rented the Scurrah farm, adjoining the village, for a term of five years. We wish him success in his undertaking ... Mr. Sandy McKay is going to move into that commodities. dious cottage lately occupied by Mr. Wm. Grant. Very likely he is going to get a helpmate to keep house for him after this,

as this is leap year.

Notes.—A little stranger at Donald D.

McArthur's—a girl.....The crops look well after the refreshing shower we had yesterday.....The best bargain to be had now is The Post for fifty cents to Jan., 1885. Hand your names and spondulix to C. N. McDonald, agent.

Sins of Omission and Commission.— Your correspondent in reporting news from this village reports things that are not so and leaves out things that are, Now I will try to set matters right. Your correspondent reported last week that Donald D. McArthur sold his cream stallion for \$280. D. D. McArthur had not a stallion but he had a cream horse that he sold for \$130. Your correspondent in giving a list of what he supposed to be the most valuable horses in this section overlooked the largest and heat stack of horses. most valuable norses in this section over-looked the largest and best stock of horses owned by any man inside the limits, name-ly, Mr. Hugh McDonald's. He has one yearling colt that cannot be beaten, aired by Kentucky jr., dam by that well-bred horse Toronto Chief; also a number of general purpose coits and one general purpose team that he will not take \$300 for. Mr. McDonald is fast coming to the front as a breeder of good horses. . . . Mr. Angus McArthur, brother of D. D. McArthur, sold a team of blacks for the sum of \$200.

LOCAL NEWS-LETTERSThere has been quite a number of colts died here this sprine; D. Morrison, W. Wright, J. Camplin, and L. James losing one each.

[Our agent, Colin N. McDonald, will have to stir up and expostulate with our correspondent.]

VICTORIA ROAD.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

SCHOOL RR-OPENED.—Miss Ford re-opened her school on Monday, 9th, having fully regained her usual good health.

GONE TO EUROPE.—Our esteemed friend and citizen, Mr. Martindale, has at length taken wing, and is now on his way to the old country. We believe he has gone in search of a bride, although our worthy friend was by far too modest to hint at such a thing. However we wish him bon voyage and all success in this matrimonial enterprise.

DULL.—Things are very dull at present.

BEAVERTON.

BEAVERTON.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

IMPROVED STOCK.—Mesers. D. and A.

Gunn, two of our popular stock-raisers,
not being satisfied with their cattle speculations have decided to go into the breeding of Clydesdale horses, and with this end
in view have purchased a two-year old
filly, a very fine specimen of that breed.

Lagrosse.—The Checkers lacrosse club
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VOLUNTEERS.—Capt. Davidson has been mustering his forces and preparing to go to camp. The 34th battalion are to put in their annual drill in Toronto this year.

Personal.—Dr. William Gunn of Brucefield, once a Beaverton boy, was visiting friends here this week.

friends here this week. INCORPORATED. - Beaverton is now incorporated, the first election will take place next January. There was no opposition to the incorporation. The census commissioner's returns showed the number of inhabitants within the limits to be 925, and the number of arrest 476 the number of acres 476.

BIG DAY COMING. - Beaverton is to have a big day on the first of July.

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[Correspondence of The Post.]
CONCERT.—The concert given by Miss
Knowlson from Lindsay last Thursday
evening was a grand success, although the hall was not as full as was expected. Lindsay was well represented, and the performers did their parts exceedingly well. We think if Miss Knowlson would give another one she would have a bumper

EARLY CLOSING. - With the exception of EARLY CLOSING.—With the exception of one or two places our dry goods men have all decided to close their business places at 8 p.m. sharp. This is a good move, but it is hardly right to see one or two open after all the rest have closed, but it is likely when they have had as long experience as the others they will come to it.

FINGER SMASHED.—On Saturday last Mr. Jos. A. Tully, salesman in Mr. J. D. Thornton's store, met with a very painful

Crossen car shops of Cobourg, has returned home owing to the serious illness of his brother. William is considered one of the best workmen in the shop.

UNION SERMON.—Rev E. A. Tonkin preached a short sermon a week ago last

ground on Saturday last.....A "catch-as-catch-can" row occurred at the salvation army barracks on Friday night last...Dr. Higinbotham launched his large yacht on Friday last. She looks as well as ever.... The Presbyterians are to have a picnic on a large scale July 1st. Posters will be out in a tew days..... Several large fish have been caught here lately by local "sports."

They are biting well—that is, the fish, not the "sports." the "sports."

> LINDEN VALLEY. [Correspondence of The Post.]

MARIPOSA GRANGE PICNIC. - The annual

picnic of Mariposa grange, held in Tyrell's

grove on Tuesday, was one of the most successful that has ever been held here. The gloomy appearance of the morning many feared would have a bad effect on the attendance, but towards noon the day cleared up and crowds poured in in very large numbers. Capital amusement was afforded by a swing erected by the young grangers of this place, and operated by a stram angine. This merry government oy a steam engine. This merry go-round was indulged in to the full extent by the youngsters of this place. The Cambray brass band was in attendance, and furnished excellent music. A vote of thanks was moved to the band and to Mr. Jonas Tyrell. After a hearty dinner had been partaken of Bro. John Cruess was called to the chair, and the following gentlemen were called to the platform: Bros. W. Eyres, Wilkinson, Evans, Lake, Short, couple on the step they have taken, and wishes for a long and prosperous life.

Personal.—Mr. Neil McEachren, student of Toronto University, is now at home enjoying his holidays. He was visiting in our village lately. He is looking as it college life agreed with him....Mr. Laughlin McDonald, teacher at Lorneville, accompanied by his friend, Mr. John Cameron, passed through the village lately on his way home to see his brother and the rest of his folks. He is looking as if Lorneville agrees with his health.....

Miss Annie Torry is home from Toronto visiting her friends and acquaintances in this section.

Palmer, Rogers and Irwin, who made excellent addresses. Mr. Wilkinson of Cambray gave a very clear statement of the working of the grange. He said the society was clear from all political prejudices, and that the deserving men were always benefitted by them. In regard to education, he explained that too little attention had been given to the education of our young men, leaving them totally unfit to discuss important matters with their neighbors of other branches. He concluded his remarks by expressing greeat pleasure at the large and respectable audience that was present on the occasion. Palmer, Rogers and Irwin, who made excellent addresses. Mr. Wilkinson of audience that was present on the occasion. Bro. Evans was next called, and explained the great progress of the grange during the past ten years. He said that it should be understood that the great object of the grange was not the small amount made by the articles they bought. What was most important was to meet and discuss the best modes of farming, and for the improvement of the society generally. He hoped the time was fast coming when farmers would be able to represent them in parliament, so that when we looked for our own rights we would have men in power who would feel an interest in look-ing after our rights. Bro. Eyres then came forward and made a very eloquent address on the great improvement in the system of farming, and the rapid strides it had made since the organization of the grange. He referred to the days when harvests had to be cut by the reaping hook—up to the present time, when one-hundred-fold the work was done with less labor. He urged on them unity as their own means of sucon them unity as their own means of success, and to fight against the great monopolies that were fast springing up. Mr. Eyres spoke at great length, and with much vigor and eloquence, and his remarks were listened to with great attention. Mr. Lake made a brief address. The thanks of the meeting were tendered to the ladies of the grange for the fine dinner supplied by them to the several speakers. Votes of thanks were moved to Mr. John Cruess, the worthy chairman, for his services; to the different speakers; to Mr. J. Tyrel; for the use of his beautiful grove; and to the editor of The Post, for the interest he had

editor of The Post, for the interest he had taken in sending a representative to report their meeting. In making this motion Mr. Stevens spoke at length on the very rapid strides this paper was making by the very active part the proprietor was taking in promoting the public welfare. The remarks regarding The Post were cordially applauded, and the several votes were passed nem. con. This ended a capital holiday,—one that is atways profitable and interesting, and the recurrence of which editor of THE Post, for the interest he had interesting, and the recurrence of which is looked forward to with pleasant anticipations. The grange is to be congratulated upon the success of their annual gathering and the prespects of their order.

Additional news-letters on 6th, 7th and 8th