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R. Kylie.

KYLIE'S CARRIAGE FACTORY CAMBRIDGE-ST. LINDSAY.

Visitors to the Central Fair should not fail to examine my Stock of

CARRIAGES, BUGGIES and SLEIGHS MY WORK IS TAKING THE LEAD.

My LIGHT TOP BUGGIES are noted for neatness and durability. I will sell the balance of my summer stock cheap for cash. Standard A Wheels, Steel Axles, Hickory Gears, and finished with the celebrated Nobles & Hore Varnish.

My Sleighs and Cutters are acknowledged to be the best made. Examine them at the exhibition grounds.

R. KYLIE.

P.S. All parties indebted to me since 1885 must pay up at once or costs will be incurred. I must have money.

A. O. Hogg-Oakwood.

NEW FALL GOODS.

A. O. HOGG, OAKWOOD,

(showing a large range of TWEEDS, WORSTEDS, OVERCOATINGS and TROUSERINGS, and is now at a position to furnish Ordered Clothing at the lowest prices. There is a large assortment of Cloths to choose from, and Suits, Overcoats, Pants, etc., will be made up in good style. New Goods for fall trade, including GENERAL DRY GOODS is all lines. BOOTS AND SHOES Amongst which are several lines of first-class Long Boots.

Crockery and Glassware inspection of the goods and comparison of PRICES GROCERIES

Are replenished with fresh supplies weekly, and the SUGAR we are selling at 20 lbs for \$100 lower than it can be bought at wholesale for now. HIGHEST PRICES FOR BUTTER AND EGGS. 773 A, O, HOGG.

T. G. Marlatt.

BARGAINS!

Our store is now filled with a choice line of carefully selected bargains in Ladies', Gent's and Childrens' BOOTS and SHOES, RUBBERS, OVERSHOES, etc. All of the prevailing styles are here shown in assortment complete, specially purchased to meet the known wants of this community. We would like you to investigate our new Lires of Seasonable Goods before you buy.

We do not fear criticism or comparison, on the contrary we invite it You will receive polite attention whether you purchase or not.

T. G. MARLATT.

THE RED FRONT SHOE STORE, OPPOSITE THE POST OFFICE, LINDSAY.

Lindsay Central.

THE MIDLAND BANNER FAIR

Fourth Annual Grand 1886 CENTRAL FAIR 1886

\$2,500.00 IN PRIZES.

TO BE HELD IN THE

TOWN OF LINDSAY

Under the auspices of the South Victoria Agricul-tural Society, the Sister Societies and the Town of Lindsay, on

SEPT. 28, 29, and 30.

The Directors in charge of the Exhibition are determined to make every endeaver that this Fair shall be second to None in the Province.

THEY HAVE SUGGEEDED IN SECURING A CREAT MANY SPECIAL ATTRACTIONS.

SPEEDING IN THE M

WILL BE AN IMPORTANT FEATURE

During the First Day will be the contest for the TROTTING STALLION PURSE, AND FOR THE BEST BOY RIDERS

On Second Day will be contests for valuable Prizes offered for LADY DRIVERS and LADY RIDERS ON THIRD DAY

FOR THE COUNTY PURSE

And Special Events will take place.

All Entries are required to be made by Noon on the 25th of September. Any member entering after that date will be charged 50cts extra up to 27th September, when the Books will be finally closed. Entries may be sent by mail to the Secretary.

The Citizens' Brass Band

RAILWAYS AND STEAMBOATS

The Grand Trunk and Midland Division will issue return tickets at one and a third fare from all points, including Toronto, Whitby, Port Hope and Helleville, and on Wednesday, when the special attractions will take place in the Horse Ring, they will issue return tickets at SINGLE. ARE from all the above points named, good to return on Thursday. Steamboats will issue return tickets at single fare, good to return on any of the above dates.

School children from any part of the county, purchasing tickets from their teachers, will be admitted for 10 cents. Teachers by applying to J. H. Knight, School Inspector, or the Secretary, James Keitn, will receive the required amount of tickets.

JOHN CONNOLLY. Indesy, Sept. 8, 1896,-9 8,

A. Campbell.

Friends, Farmers, Countrymen,

Next week the Fourth Grand Annual Lindsay Central Fair takes place-at Lindsay, of course. It might be well called the "Victoria County Fair" but on this point our opinion was not asked nor taken.

We hope you and yours will find time to attend the Fair. It well deserves your patronage. You may not find the magnificence of the big Toronto Fair about the institution but it will well repay your visit and even would have elected three. The coninvestment of a quarter dollar.

There are three days of it. The time is none too long and might be elected general superintendents. shorter. Fortunately it won't be so-Come in early and take a look at the shops. We've all made extra ed that the pastoral term should be extended preparations for Fall trade and it ed to four years. The discussion was very will do you a service to see what amimated and took up most of two ses we've got to show.

If you walk to the ground never mind the narrowness of the sidewalk along Adelaide st. The narrow walk has no bearing on the proportions of the Fair which are broad and democratic.

Practical farmers who care but ittle for fancy articles and such matters will find interest in and about the buildings, in the good display of reaping and harvesting machinery, the ploughs, fanning mills and such, and can go back to their farms with heaps of ideas and their pockets bulging with circulars and pamphlets.

short walk along the sheds which shelter the huge Clydesdales, and the light-limbed steppers. Fancy stock raisers can strike a bee line for the long avenues of cattle, sheep and swine, and won't care much if they skip the rest of the Fair.

Stay for the afternoon display of speed in horse flesh. It will repay your waiting. Mankind loves a struggle of some kind. The trotting contests will be worth seeingand you won't hear a word about politics while the races are on.

Buy a ticket for the grand stand if you care to look at things from a higher plane than most people. Besides, filling up the stand has the additional merit that it keeps folk from straddling across the track and giving the fair constables trouble to clear 'em off. Don't do anything to give a fair constable trouble. He has to wear a badge and give his mind to it. That is quite plenty for any one man to

Pay some attention to the carriages and waggons. You use either or both. You'll find the work superb, and the styles attractive. No men work harder to please the public than our carriage-builders—and get so little in return.

If you're an exhibitor wear your honors—if you win any—modestly. If you don't exhibit resolve to do so next Fair, and so bring your locality into notice.

It is well to combine business with pleasure, but-carefully nownot too much pleasure with business. Keep to a wise proportion. You may require to do some buying and its well you should. Trade

and get rich is a good maxim. If you want Groceries give CAMP-BELL a call. You'll find none fresher. or cheaper. It's not possible. The goods are bought as low as the goods are sold, You'll find TEA of a fine grade and strength surprising. You'll get SUGARS so sweet that the temper of the family will be improved. SOAPS that only ask the opportunity to clean out and up everything, STARCH, SODAS, SPICES, and a hundred family necessaries. Does your table need refurnishing? It may. Then look at Campbell's CROCKERY and GLASSware. If you look you'll buy. The prices will settle that point, clearng out prices are now the rule.

The Canadian Lost.

ARLES D. BARR, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR THE METHODIST GENERAL

HARD WORKED ASSEMBLY-THE GEN ERAL SUPERINTENDENCY-THE MINIS-TERIAL TERM-FRIENDLY GREETINGS-ADDRESS TO THE QUEEN-THE COLLEGE

cial correspondence of The Post. TORONTO, Sept. 17, 1887.

This has been a busy week, consequently s great amount of business was gone through with. Even though the exhibition was being held the conference did nottake any holiday; even when on some afternoons there was no session committee meetings were held, so that most of the members of conference have been hard at work for most of twelve hours every day. THE GENERAL SUPERINTENDENCY.

One subject which has occupied most of wo sessions was the general superintendency. According to the basis of union there must be one or more general superintendente. The general conference considered the question in every particular. Some wanted only one superintendent to be appointed, others wanted two, and some ference ultimately agreed that two should be elected, and accordingly the Rev. Dr. Carman and Rev. Dr. Williams were re-THE ITINERANCY.

Another question was that of the Itinerancy. The committee's report recommendsemmated and took up most of two sessions, at the first of which it was decided that the pastoral term should be extended to four years, but as the majority in favor of this extension was small it was reconsidered at the session, and after a lengthy discussion the conference resolved that there should be no change in the length of the pastoral term, and therefore three years will still be the utmost limit of the term of the Methodist ministers in their espective circuits.

FRIENDLY GREETINGS. The Methodist church has always claimed to be the friends of all and the enemies of none, hence during the sessions of the general conference a letter of greeting was sent from the conference to the provincial synod of the Anglican church, which was cordially received and an answer sent to the conference couched in the most friend-ly and Christian terms.

AN ADDRESS TO THE QUEEN. At an early session of the conference Dr. Withrow intimated that this was the fiftieth year of her majesty Queen Victo-Lovers of horseflesh can take a ria's reign, that an humble address should gratulating her on the fact that this is her majesty's jubilee reign and assure her of our loyalty to her majesty's person and our prayers for her majesty's future happiness and prosperity. The conference was so pleased with the intimation that the national anthem was sung with great ear-

> THE EDUCATIONAL QUESTION. The subject of education has necessarily occupied much attention from the conference. This was unavoidable, both in consequence of the importance of the subject and from the fact that the removal of Victoris university to Toronto involves the expenditure of a great amount of money, which can only be provided by the most herculean efforts. The educational committee recommended the conference to apmittee recommended the conference to appoint the Rev. Dr. Potts to the office of educational secretary. There was but one opinion in the conference respecting Dr. Potts' fitness for the office. He is the most popular of all the Methodist ministers in Canada and has given many proofs of his ardent loyalty both to Canada and to the Methodist church. Tempting offers have been made to him to go across the lines to lucrative churches, but he has been proof against all such temptations and alluraments. He did not consent immediately to accept the appointment, but on the next accept the appointment, but on the next day, when his heart was wrung with sorrow at the sudden death of his younges

> FINANCE. There was a recommendation for a board of finance to take charge of all the funds of the church with one general treasurer, but after much discussion the conference did not regard the plan with favor, as it seemed to be the universal opinion that all the departments of the church were man-aged both efficiently and economically.

Wiggins Predicts a Big Earthquake.

Prof. Wiggins is to the front again with the prediction of a terrible earthquake on Wednesday, the 29th inst., compared with which the recent disturbance at Charleston is mere child's play. The coming dis-turbance will cross the Atlantic and visit Southern Europe. On this continent it will extend from ocean to ocean, but no particulars are given of the localities to be pecially shaken. The whole trouble, Prof. specially shaken. The whole trouble, Prof. Wiggins says, will be due to a shifting of the earth's centreof gravity, brought about by a conjunction of Jupiter, Saturn, Mars and the earth's two satellites, one being the visible moon and the other the invisible moon, which Prof. Wiggins says he has discovered. He dissents altogether from Prof. Dawson's Atlantic bed theory in explanation of the seismic phenomenon on this continent. He says several new volcances will burst out in Central America. I'rof. Wiggins expresses the opinion that the earthquake proper will not be felt in Canada, but there will probably beatremor in Quebec province. The disturbance, he says, will not commence anywhere until two o'clock in the afternoon and will not last more than a few minutes. There may be tremovings up to midnight, but they will be comparatively slight. Prof. Wiggins would not be surprised if on that day several new volcances should burst out in Central America and South America. The shocks, he thinks, will also affect San Francisco and the Pacific slope north of pavallel 30. The disturbance will be meteorological, and will consist of a terrific sterm, in fact a vast hurricane. This will be especially severe in the Guil of St. Lawrence and the cantern provinces. If any small craft, such as flating boats, etc., ascaught they will hardly secure. The storm will be preceded in Ontavic, Quebec, the Maritime Provinces and New England by strong, northwest which on the 26th and 27th inst. The 28th will probably befine—the lull that precedes the storm. The disturbance throughout will be twertile, ambits life-opinion cannot fall to cause widespread. Wiggins says, will be due to a shifting of

LOCAL NEWS-LETTERS

EBENEZER-CAVAN. EBENEZER—(AVAN.

[Correspondence of The Post.]
S. S. ANNIVERSARY.—The S. S. anniversary will be held at the Methodist church and adjacent grove Sunday and Monday, Sept. 26th and 27th. On Sunday Rev. D. F. Ghee will preach at 10 a.m. and 6.30 p. m. On Monday tea will be served from 4.30 p.m. to 7 p. m., after which will be given a grand literary and musical concert consisting of dialogues, readings, songs and recitations. Admission to both, 25 cents: to the entertainment. 10 cents. All

cents; to the entertainment, 10 cents. All HARVESTING is completed in this section.
PERSONAL.—Miss Jennie E. Somers of
Toronto, who has been visiting friends here,

returned home last week.

SCRAPS.—A great many of our citizens visited the exhibition in Toronto and consider it better than ever before.

SUTTON.

[Correspondence of the Post.
THE FAIR.—Among the contributors for our annual fall fair we notice the name of J.C. Wilson who gives a \$20 portrait of the person who wins the largest number of

COM. CHEYNE'S LECTURE. -On the night's of fair, 30th Sept. and 1st Oct., Commander Cheyne will give two of his very interest-ing lectures, entitled "The search for Sir John Franklin" and "Egypt and the late The latter is everywhere spoken of as the best of Com. Cheyne's lecture. All are invited to spend "an evening in Egypt" with Commander Cheyne.

JOTTINGS .- Rumor says we are to have another merchant who is going to build a new store on the corner where the great fire occurred some time ago. This looks like advancement and will add much to the appearance of our village....The Misses Mott have opened a dress-making shop opposite the Queen's hotel....Mr. Geo. Cuttle is about to retire from the furniture business, and has advertised a sale of fur-niture. A good opening for a live man.

CAMBRAY.

[Correspondence of The Post.] LECTURE.—Rev. T. Johnston of Florida delivered a lecture in the Presbyterian church on Tuesday evening last to a fair sized audience. The subject was "The South." The lecture was illustrated by drawings and paintings and was very in

IMPROVING.-Mr. Oxbey's son, who was injured by falling on a fork, is now considered out of danger; but the old adage that misfortunes never come singly seems to be exemplified in their case, as Mrs. Oxbey has this week been called to Michigan to wait on her eldest son, Charles, who is lying in a very dangerous condition

GARDEN PARTY.-The Methodist garden party, owing to unfavorable weather, was not as successful as was desirable. WELCOME.-We welcome the Rev. Mr. Mears and his wife to our village and trust

they will find a desirable home amongst us. SABBATH SCHOOL ADDRESS. - On Sabbath next, the 26th inst., the Rev. Mr. Greener will address the children of the Cambray Methodist Sabbath school in the church at 2 30 p.m. Mr. G. is specially at home in addressing the little folks and we are looking forward to a very interesting service. The parents are invited to be pre-sent. The centre seats are reserved for the school funds is to be taken up.

CALL EARLY. — Those ladies' costume

cloths for 12½ cts. are selling fast at the post office store. Ladies desiring dresses off it should call at once, as owing to the recent advance these goods cannot be repeated at the same price. +11.2.

> BOBCAYGEON. [Correspondence of The Post.]

THE BEST FAIR of the Midland district ill be the Lindsay Central. We hear it is going to be a big success.

CAMPERS.-We have been favored with another party of four campers from Ome-

GRIST MILL.—The Bobcaygeon grist mill has received some new machinery, includ-ing a bran duster. The mill is now well-

equipped from top to bottom. VERULAM FALL SHOW. - Our village show is billed for October 1st and 2nd. Pound.-A cow was impounded in Mr. litchie's yard but oddly enough got out

nd away in an hours time. Wedding Bells in Earnest.—On Wednesday of last week, no less than five couple had concluded to join hands. This ool weather with frostat nights seems not ohave dampened love's ardour in the least. out only two have fanned the flame of

Cupid's starting. Another party also were cuckled earlier in the week.
"TATERS."—The gardens are being depoiled of their potatoes. A good average is showing up. What a pity the trade re-lations between the United States and Canada are not of such a character as to allow of us seiling potatoes in the New York market. We could supply the whole demand for less money than it takes to get them from Ireland and Germany, and vould raise the price of our potatoes much

APPLES.—Mr. J. T. Robinson has bought the apples in the orchard on the "Beehive" farm......Mr. Davies orchard is one of the best in this locality......One apple tree in the village not satisfied with one load in the season has tried again and is now in full bloom.

REPAIRING THE DAM.—The dam is being

repaired. The same story might have been told this last dozen years. If more attention was paid to that part of the Trent Valley canal system already built than is at present the case it would be fully as profitable as building new patches and allowing the works of yesterday to go to ruins.
OUTRAGE. -On Wednesday, 15th instant Mr. Lowery & Cain's store windows were smashed by some persons in the night. At first the burning of Mr. Lowery's outbuilding and the window smashing were naturally enough connected with Mr. Collins's fine; but on later consideration Mr. Lowery

fine; but on later consideration Mr. Lowery and other prominent members of the Scott act agreed that it was their opinion Mr. Collins had nothing to do with the outrages. Mr. Collin's said "that it would be detrimental to his and other hotel-keepers interests to have such scenes as this occur, and that he was sorry that people should undertake to manage his business." "Veritas" spoke rightly when he said a personage was suspected, but he should not have connected the hotel-keepers with it as the majority of the village believe them innocent. It appears that Mr. Lowery is not the informer.

DEBATING SOCIETY.—More of the young people of the village are willing to assist in supporting the society this year than last. Some talk of adding a reading room is also current. It is intended to arrange the nights so as not to conflict with the

race. Mr. H. Moore presented a handsome water-pitcher to the winner of the canon

PARTRIDGE SHOOTING.—Sportsmen are coming in to make the partridge feathers fly. Our local sportsmen wish them luck out scarcely think they'll have much as hey have to resort to sparrow shooting for

ZION-MARIPOSA.

(Correspondence of The Post.)
GIVE US FAIR weather, low fares, and the biggest affair of all affairs will be the Lindsay Central Fair. For dates see advt.
THE "INDUSTRIAL."—Quite a number of

people from this part attended the industrial fair at Toronto. PICNIC. - The Zion Sabbath school picnie which was to have come off this month has

CORRECTION.—The item in this correspondence last week left out by a printer's error an important point. It should have read that the Mark Bros. on a test trial put out $62\frac{1}{2}$ bushels of Clawson wheat in fifteen minutes. The time was omitted.

BRECHIN. [Correspondence of The Post.]
A SPECIAL EFFORT will be made by people from this section to get to the Lindsay Central Fair, Sept. 28, 29 and 30. There will be lots for farmers to see and hear. BARGAINS.-Ladies, before buying your fall outfit come and examine the bargains offered in all kinds of dry goods. Gentlemen, before the winter sets in come and see the bargains offered in boots and shoes hats and caps, etc. A general assortment of dry goods, groceries, boots and shoes, hats and caps, crockery and glassware, hardware, etc., at prices that defy competition. Highest price always given for butter and eggs. Don't forget that you can always save money by buying at the "Safe Cash Store," Brechin. L. Forrest, pro-

MARA SHOW PRIZE LISTS.—The secre tary has received the fall show prize lists and is distributing them. Call for a copy.

WOODVILLE. [Correspondence of The Post.] GIVE US FAIR weather, low fares, and the iggest affair of all affairs will be the Linday Central Fair. For dates see advt. Successful Again.—We are pleased to notice that J. Campbell, jr. has been very

successful at the Toronto fair with his Shropshire sheep. He reports sales good. We will supply a full list of his prizes after he returns. He is at present in Guelph and goes from there to Hamilton. THE CANNINGTON FAIR.-I understand there are quite a number from this section going to exhibit stock at Cannington

ber of red tickets come back. A number of persons have said to me lately that Cannington is more of a Toronto fair than their own, Toronto having supplied, according to this prize list, the greater share of the THE ELDON FAIR. - Woodville fall fair on

fair this week, and we expect to see a num-

Wednesday, the 6th Oct., promises to be a grand success.

DRINKING.—The Scottact drinks must be getting stronger, as we have seen quite an number of drunks around town lately.

HOME FROM CAMP. -Mr. D. A. Stuart and Chas. Campbell, who have been away with the 34th Battallion band at Niagara, have returned. They did not like the camping grounds their nearly so well as they did the Batt., he also fills this position with our band here and also in Sunderland. He is engaged every night in the week except Sunday. He expresses himself as highly pleased with the cornet the band boys and others of Woodville presented him with.

CATTLE SHIPMENTS.—Mr. H. Maybee of Cannington shipped three car loads of stock for Toronto on Tuesday. Mr. Maybee buys a lot of stock through this section and reports the quality usually good. Prices are

very low. AT THE INDUSTRIAL. - A great number of our villagers or people from the surrounding country visited the Toronto exhibition and report it a great success. All are highly satisfied with their trip.

REABORO.

[Correspondence of The Post.]
Among the attractions at the Lindsay Central Fair will be the Traction engines Every farmer should see them.
UNION CONCERT.—The concert given

here on Monday evening was a grand success, notwithstanding the unfavorable weather. Mr. P. Fisher occupied the chair and performed his duties most efficiently. The entertainment opened with an instrumental duett by Miss Tompkins of Kemptville, organ, and Mr. Jos. Gillogly, violin. Then followed choruses, duets and solos by the following vocalists: The Misses Mc. Sweyn and Miss Lee, Mr. Lee, Mr. Mc. Sweyn and J. A. Gillogly, Lindsay; Miss Hawkins and James Gillogly, Lindsay. Miss Tompkins played the accompani-ments with an ability possessed by few. Miss Hawkins sang "The Danube River," howing a rich, sweet soprano voice. The Misses McSweyn were loudly encored at the conclusion of their duett, "The Swal-low's Return." Mr. McSweyn delighted the audience with his heroic song, "The Gay Hussar." Mr. J. A. Gillogly contributed a number of vocal gems, his best effort being "The Thistle, Rose and Shamrock." Mr. Joseph Gillogly sang "The Reefer" and later on "The Pilot" in a manner that showed a well trained voice. Last and best we would mention Mr. John Lee, who contributed largely by singing two selos, a duett, and in the quartette "Profundo Basso" he brought down the house. As a laughist John is a success.

The amount realized was \$28.
PERSONAL.—Miss E. Tompkins of Kempt ville, who has been visiting at her uncle's, Mr. Joseph Hawkins, returned home on Tuesday. Miss T. is a graduate of the Boston conservatory of music.

DUNSFORD. BE SURE AND SEE the Lindsay Central Fair. Sept. 28, 29 and 30 is the date. Great

attractions in the horse ring.

HARVEST HOME.—The annual harvest nome of St. John's church was as usual a success. According to announcement the Rev. Dr. Smithett preached the sermon, which was in every respect appropriate and instructive, and in his review of the advancement of our Dominion as a manu-facturing and producing country, gave us to understand that Canada was no small factor amongst the many contributors who provide food and comfort for their fellow creatures across the Atlantic. After service an excellent tea was served in the Orange hall by the ladies of the church. Then followed a lecture on "The Unity of the British Empire" by the Rev. Dr. Smithett. The doctor's plan is a federation of the mother country and her dependencies in one empire with a central parliament composed of representatives from all parts of the em-pire, and that England, Ireland, Scotland, Wales and all the colonies composing the Wales and all the colonies composing the empire shall each have a parliament of its own to manage their local affairs. This he believed would both satisfy the demands of Ireland and strengthen the empire which occupies one-third of the known world and on whose flag the sun never sits. At the close of the lecture a vote of thanks was tendered the Rev. Dr. Smithett for his highly entertaining and instructive lecture. The entertainment closed by singing Auld Lang Syne and God Save the Queen, led by the Rev. Mr. Farncomb.

HYMENEAL.—On Wednesday, the 15th inst., Mr. Joseph Mannder of Unionville and his bride Miss Annie second daughter of Mr. John Macdonald of Verulam passed through Dunsford en route for Toronto

and Buffalo. Mr. Maunder who was a native of Dunsford, and at one time librarian of St. John's S. S. He is much respected and has the good wishes of his old acquain-

KIRKFIELD.

"Come Awa' Wi'us" to the Lindsay Central Fair, Sept. 28, 29 and 30. It's the right time for a holiday. Be sure and take

at least one day to see the sights.

SUDDEN DEATH.-It becomes our sad duty
to chronicle the demise of Mr. Neil McInnis, ar., who lived about one mile west of the village. Deceased was showing some parties where to store away grain, when he suddenly dropped where he was standing and almost instantly expired. Deceased came to this country about forty years ago and was for many years engaged in the teaching profession. He was always known as an obliging and good neighbor. He was a native of the island of Iona, Argyleshire, Scotland. He had reached the ripe old

age of 76 years. His remains were interred in the Kirkfield cemetery.

PERSONAL.—Mr. John McLaughlin, who has been engaged at harvesting in the neighborhood of Argyle, has returned home.....Mrs. Stalker and family, who have spent the summer in the township of Reach, have returned . . . Miss Aggie Muir from Brechin is visiting at Mr. Bruce's. She is a niece of Mrs. Bruce's.

MANILLA.
[Correspondence of The Post.] AMONG the attractions at the Lindsay Central Fair will be the Traction engines. Every farmer should see them. OBITUARY. - It is our sad duty to record the death of the infant son of Mr. John Hicking bottom. Sincere sympathy is felt for the bereaved family. INSPECTOR'S VISIT.—Mr. McBrien, our

public school inspector, paid our school a visit on Wednesday last. He gave the schools the day as a holiday to the great delight of the boys and girls.

PERSONAL.-Rev. Mr. Martin was absent last week attending the Methodist confer-

EXHIBITION NOTES. - Several of the people of this neighborhood have been attending the Toronto exhibition. By all accounts they seem to have enjoyed themselves im-

ACCIDENT.-Mrs. Asaph Edwards met with a severe accident, having her shoulder dislocated. She was getting over a low fence and slipped. She threw up her arm to save herself and fell on it, with the result mentioned. She is rapidly recover-

held their anniversary in connection with the Methodist church. Notwithstanding the unfavorable weather there was a good turn out. RETURNED. - Mr. and Mrs. Ockenden and family have rethreed from the old country, They had a very enjoyable time and all

ANNIVERSARY .- The people of Peniel

looked the better for the trip across the COMMERCIAL NEWS.

OFFICE OF THE CANADIAN POST,

LINDSAY, Sept. 23, 1886. Business and Produce. A fair business in grain has set in, but the market has not opened in the usual lively fall style. Buyers are hanging off. sellers do not know what to do. I.s year a great deal of barley had been sold by this time, with beneficial effects to business financing; but this year owing to the few sales and slow movement almost every body is "strapped." There is a very large harvest ready as soon as the market opens in earnest, and the "ducats" should roll about freely. Who will unlock the golden treas-ury? The barley and wheat standards were adopted some time ago in Toronto, but for some reason have not been published and have not been forwarded to local buyers, though expected every day. The large markets are quiet, with nothing special to

British Live Stock Trade.

Contrary to what was hoped for, there has been no improvement in the British cattle trade. Values, however, have been well sustained, with the general tone steady. although dressed breef has declined during the week. Receipts from Canada and the United States have been light, but the markets have been well supplemented with other cattle. The Montreal Gazette's special cables Monday report a fair trade at steady prices, all the principal markets being practically unchanged. At Liverpool Monday prime Canadian steers were at 111c, fair to choice grades at 11c, poor to medium at 10c and inferior and bulls at 72c to 9c. A year ago at this date the market was severely depressed. The sheep market has remained unchanged. At Liverpool best sheep were cabled at 13c, secondary qualities at 11c to 12c, merinos at 10c to 11½c

and inferior and rams at Sc to 95c. Montreal Live Stock Markets. There has been a little liveliness in the market for export cattle, reports the Gazette, under a better demand from exporters. though the enquiry was brisker and offer ings moderate prices were weaker and lower, a good business being done at 34c to 44c per lb. live weight. Ocean freights were easy at about 50s and insurance steady at 13 to 21 per cent. There was a good demand for butchers' cattle and prices were steady at 21c to 31c per lb. live weight. In sheep a fair business was done but the de-mand has not been so active as last week. and prices have ruled steady at 31c to 4c per lb. live weight. Hogs were active, there being a good supply offered for which there was a brisk demand at 4 c to 5 c per lb. Calves sold at from \$2 to \$8 each as to

Butter and Cheese. The Montreal butter market continues very quiet with no change. Subjoined are

the Montreal quotations:-

Creamery, choice.....lower grades..... Townships, finest fair to good Morrisburg, finest
fair to good

Brockville, finest
fair to good

There has been no specific change in the cheese situation, reports the Montreal Gazette, which, however, must be characterized as firm with most operators buying more or less cheese, if not in Montreal then in the country, where relatively higher prices have been paid, some contracts in the Brockville section having been made at 11c for the balance. That is not a low figure, but factorymen will not contract for less. The Townships cheese has been well bought up at 10c and even higher, in fact the old position continues, viz., higher prices in the country than here, while this market is above Liverpool. Following are

RITCHIE up on deck for the largest, best and cheapest stock of Corsets in Lindsay. Go to RITCHIE'S.-10 3.