LUMBER.—Dry Lumber at $8 per M.
I have a large stock of all kinds of Lumber at both of my yards, and Mill Stuff of all dimensions. Lath and Shingles of all kinds; also Dressed and Matched Lumber. Telephone connection.
R. BRYANS.

The Canadian Post.

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Coal of al kinds and Dry Wood, the best in the market. Wholesale and retail. Delivered free to any place in town. Telephone connection.
R. BRYANS.

VOLUME XXVIII. WHOLE NO. 1433.
CIRCULATION, 4,200.
LINDSAY, ONT., FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1887.
TERMS, $1.00 PER YEAR.
ABSOLUTELY IN ADVANCE.

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THE BEST and most perfect SPECTACLES are those bearing the word

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stamped thereon. These are made with extra care and precision, of the best material, and with a view to securing and retaining a worthy reputation.

THE SUPERIOR merit of these goods does not begin and end merely with an advertisement, but is a quality of the article themselves. Of the lenses especially we wish to speak. They are made of the finest pebble or optical glass, as the case may be, and no pains are spared to make them perfect in quality and finish and accurate in shape.

OUR METHOD of testing the eyes and fitting Spectacles is that now followed by the most advanced opticians and oculists, and is productive of best results.

GOLD RINGS

PLAIN WEDDING RINGS,
ENGAGEMENT RINGS,
CHASED AND KEEPER RINGS
STAMPED "B. BROS."
Guaranteed to be of the quality stamped, whether it be 15, 18 or 20 k.

BRITTON BROTHERS,
Watchmakers and Jewellers, Lindsay.
Jan 25th 11th '87.

Miscellaneous.

MENTION THE POST. Parties ordering advertisements in this paper and having them, or making purchases, will confer a favor by mentioning THE POST.

FARM FOR SALE. North-east half of lot 11 in 8th concession of Mariposa; 3 miles from the thriving village of Lindsay; 50 acres at out 7 acres cleared. For further particulars apply [illegible] Cottrell. Jan 24 1887 29-tf

[illegible] ROLF SMITH, Provincial Land Surveyor Drainage Engineer, etc., [illegible] STON and LINDSAY. All orders left [illegible] Lindsay, for Sub-Drainage or Drainage work will be promptly attended to.

[illegible] Private Funds to Loan.

[illegible] TRIAL DISTRICT OF WEST [illegible]

[illegible] following is an abstract of the statement [illegible] expenses of

HON. JOHN McINTYRE,

[illegible] candidate at the election of a member [illegible] Legislative Assembly of the Province [illegible] held on the Twenty [illegible] of December, A. D. 1886:

[illegible] for committee rooms	$ 23.00
[illegible]	86.50
[illegible] printing	137.12
[illegible] Mr. Bradburn for Opera House	30.00
[illegible] Cannon use of tables	2.00
[illegible] graph and express acc't	8.03
[illegible] personal expenses of candidate	50.00
	$336.65

[illegible] M. HANNAN, Acting Officer. E. C. TAYLOR, Financial Agent.

[illegible] 22nd, 1887. 33 1.

ONTARIO ELECTION.

[illegible] statement of all election expenses [illegible] by, or on behalf of

JOHN S. CRUESS,

[illegible] at the election of a member for the [illegible] Riding of the County of Victoria, held on the [illegible] day of December, 1886, including payments in respect of his personal expenses:

[illegible] graph Company, telegrams	$ 17.84
[illegible] ting, C. D. Barr	3.00
[illegible] S. Hughes	71.50
[illegible] stakes of rooms, F. Nicholls	17.00
[illegible] of hall at Little Britain, C. Wheritage	1.25
[illegible] at Lindsay, Bradburn & Co.	15.00
[illegible] Workman & Son	71.50
[illegible] hire and expenses, D. Eagleson	3.00
[illegible] posting, R. Brown	1.50
[illegible] and fuel, John Dobson	4.16
[illegible]	2.00
	$207.21
[illegible] boards, etc., B. Cook	2.40
	$210.21
[illegible] advertising candidate's agt and notice of candidate's expenses	$ 5.00
[illegible] personal expenses	5.00
	$220.21

ADAM HUDSPETH, Agent.
[illegible]day, 24th February, 1887.—33-1.

The City Store.

"OLD GRIMES."

"Old Grimes is dead, that good old man,
We ne'er shall see him more;"
But famous City Store stands still
As it has stood before.
"Old Mrs. Grimes is living still;
A widow still is she,"
And lately to our city came,
The City Store to see.
Old Grimes, when he was in the flesh,
A shabby garment wore;
It used to be "an old gray coat,
All buttoned down before."
But many changes have been wrought
To taste and fashion true;
And if Old Grimes should now come back,
What would the poor man do?
Nay, do not laugh, for well you know
The purpose of my rhymes;
And what I write to RAISE THE DUST
May raise the dust of Grimes.
And if it should I'm well convinced—
Yea, have no doubt asthore;
The first move made by Daddy Grimes
Would be for the City Store;
And once within that grand bazaar,
Amid the garments fine,
He soon would doff that long gray coat—
The coat of "Auld Lang Syne."
For, past a doubt, the salesmen then
Would suit him to a pin;
And Daddy Grimes, if well waked up,
For "Bargains" would "GO IN."
Twould be a treat to see old Grimes,
When he was hunting there
For breeches and for "swallow tails"
Such as they used to wear.
This much is sure—old Grimes would find
That the firm were not asleep,
But have a place that beats the world
For selling clothing cheap;
And for this reason good old Grimes,
If living, as of yore,
Would never wear "that old gray coat
All buttoned down before."

"That's so." The beautiful styles would soon lay out the "Old Gray Coat." We cordially invite the public to call and see the Most Elegant Display of Men's, Boys' and Childrens' Clothing ever shown in this market.

Little Notes
—ON—
Matters of Economy,
APPERTAINING TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC.

This whole column belongs exclusively to the City Store. We have rented it for a period and purpose, with the aid of our gifted pen and talented brain, to dole out wisdom in small chunks weekly. We make one simple little request, that our readers will carefully peruse the reading matter and pin the facts to your memory, as our aim will be to direct the economical and assist those who have a desire to accumulate boodle.

To those who have tears to shed we would specially invite you to read what we have to say. We flatter ourselves that often times your exclamations will take a different turn.

Should we at anytime say something that may grate on your feelings and cause vexation of heart, we ask you to forgive us as we have no such intention, but should you refuse forgiveness we warn you that we keep a bull dog and a stuffed club, both loaded.

To those who desire to buy Dry Goods, Clothing or Carpets we beg to say that our aim is to give you the best value, while we certainly give the advantage of the largest and most carefully bought stock in Lindsay to select from; and our aim is to be the leaders of the Lowest Prices and Newest Styles.

NEW CARPETS.—We have just received a large shipment of Brussels and Tapestry Carpets and Linoleums, among them some of the most elegant patterns we ever offered. Tapestry at from 27, 30, 35 and 40 cents up. New Brussels at from 50c, 75c and $1.00 up, with Borders to match. Stair and Hall Carpets to match.

Gentlemen, now is your time—the proper time, the best time, to leave your order at the City Store for your Spring Suit and Light Overcoat. Our new Suitings and Tweeds are to hand; our new styles are complete in every particular; our workhands are ready; our MR. CATHRO, the most artistic cutter of modern times, is ready for you; our prices are always the lowest; our fit always the most perfect; our workmanship always superior and skilfull; our trimmings the most durable, and all garments are finished with most exquisite taste.

Prints, Shirtings, Ginghams, Cottonades, Ducks and Denims, by the cord, if necessary.

Remember we deem it a pleasure to showgoods.

SOOTHERAN, CATHRO & MARK,
CITY STORE,
KENT-ST., - - LINDSAY.
Lindsay, Feb. 18, 1887.—32-1y.

☞ See list of Farms for sale or to rent etc., on third page.
☞ See Auction, Mortgage and Judicial Sale notes on seventh page.
☞ To Subscribers.—Examine date on address-label and remit renewal subscriptions.

The Canadian Post.
CHARLES O. BARR, EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

A CLOSE CONTEST.

THE LIBERALS LEADING.

THE GOVERNMENT 3 BEHIND.

The Ministerialists Claim 25 or 30 Majority.

The Mail Gives the Government Only 13.

The contest last Tuesday gives the closest results of any general election since confederation. The liberals claim a majority of three so far with eleven elections yet to take place, in which they may fairly count five. The ministerialists on the other hand boast of twenty or thirty, but they make this by counting in most of the French bolters, who will undoubtedly vote the government out. The situation resembles that in Quebec after the last provincial election, when the Ross-Taillon ministry claimed a majority and hung on to office for months before they dared to meet the house. They loudly claimed a big majority, just as Dominion ministerialists are now doing, but the first vote shewed the claim to have no foundation. A similar result is likely to follow the first vote in the new house. Below are details of the vote by constituencies:

SUMMARY.

	Election of 1882. Min.	Opp.	Election of 1887. Min.	Opp.
Ontario	54	38	52	39
Quebec	49	16	21	42
Nova Scotia	16	5	13	8
New Brunswick	11	5	9	7
P. E. Island	3	3	0	6
Manitoba	2	3	4	1
British Columbia	6	0	1	..
	141	70	100	103

Goverm't majority 71
Opposition maj. 3

[NOTE.—The elections for British Columbia, North-west Territories, Gaspe and Algoma do not occur till next month. Sir Donald Smith, Montreal West, is classed as Independent and not included in above recapitulation.]

ONTARIO.

Constituency.	*Ministerial*	*Opposition.*	*Maj*
Addington	Bell		100
Algoma	Election not held yet...		
Bothwell	Mills		20
Brant, N		Somerville	1000
Brant, S		Paterson	575
Brockville	Wood		
Bruce, E	Cargill		320
Bruce, N	McNeil		65
Bruce, W		Blake	
Cardwell	White		500
Carleton	Macdonald		1200
Cornwall	Bergin		177
Dundas	Hickey		119
Durham, E	Ward		300
Durham, W		Blake	119
Elgin, E		Wilson	140
Elgin, W		Casey	600
Essex, N	Patterson		
Essex, S		Brien	52
Frontenac	Kirkpatrick		
Glengarry		Purcell	206
Grenville, S	Shanly		219
Grey, E	Sproule		750
Grey, N	Masson		56
Grey, S		Landerkin	135
Haldimand		Colter	25
Halton		Waldie	9
Hamilton	Brown		164
Hamilton	McKay		161
Hastings, E		Burdette	61
Hastings, N	Bowell		900
Hastings, W	Robertson		174
Huron, E		Macdonald	80
Huron, S		McMillan	330
Huron, W	Porter		28
Kent		Campbell	110
Kingston	Macdonald		21
Lambton, E	Moncrieff		153
Lambton, W		Lister	600
Lanark, N	Jamieson		100
Lanark, S	Haggart		900
Leeds, N	Ferguson		300
Leeds, S	Taylor		400
Lennox	Wilson		26
Lincoln	Rykert		484
London	Carling		39
Middlesex, E	Marshall		775
Middlesex, N	Coughlin		300
Middlesex, S		Armstrong	
Middlesex, W	Roome		60
Monck	Boyle		519
Muskoka	O'Brien		
Norfolk, N		Charlton	278
Norfolk, S	Tisdale		70
Northumberland, E		Mallory	55
North'ber'd, W	Guillet		40
Ontario, N	Madill		227
Ontario, S	Smith		210
Ontario, W		Edgar	620
Ottawa	P		868
Ottawa	I		733
Oxford, N		...erland	1100
Oxford, S		...wright	800
Peel			44
Perth, N			200
Perth, S		Trow	89
Peterboro, E		Lang	175
Peterboro, W		...e	13
Prescott		Lebrosse	171
Prince Edward		Platt	30
Renfrew, N	White		247
Renfrew, S		Campbell	94
Russell		Edwards	73
Simcoe, E		Cook	92
Simcoe, N	McCarthy		323
Simcoe, S	Tyrwhitt		600
Toronto, C	Cockburn		449
Toronto, E	Small		1272
Toronto, W	Denison		490
Victoria, N		Barron	302
Victoria, S	Hudspeth		47
Waterloo, N		Bowman	239
Waterloo, S		Livingstone	370
Welland	Ferguson		150
Wellington, C		Sampson	40
Wellington, N		McMullen	488
Wellington, S		Innes	125
Wentworth, N		Bain	133
Wentworth, S	Carpenter		164
York, E		Mackenzie	150
York, N		Mulock	68
York, W	Wallace		450

QUEBEC.

Argenteuil		Meikle	12
Bagot		Dupont	acc.
Beauce		Gadbout	700
Beauharnois		Bergeron	220
Bellechasse		Amyot	800
Berthier		Beausoleil	200
Bonaventure	Riopel		358
Brome		Fisher	200
Chambly		Prefontaine	43
Champlain	Montplaisir		
Charlevoix		Cimon	100
Chateauguay		Holton	354
Chicoutimi		Couture	900
Compton	Pope		400
Dorchester		Duchesnay	460
Drummond and Arthabaska		Lavergne	acc.
Gaspe	Election not held yet.		
Hochelaga		Desjardins	200
Huntingdon		Scriver	acc.
Iberville		Bechard	acc.
Jacq. Cartier	Girouard		420
Joliette		Guilbault	acc.
Kamouraska		Desseaint	256
Laprairie		Doyon	22
L'Assomption		Gauthier	11
Laval	Ouimet		380
Levis		Quay	455
L'Islet		Casgrain	
Lotbiniere		Rinfret	600
Maskinonge		Desaulniers	
Megantic		Turcotte	75
Missisquoi		Clayes	
Montcalm		Theriault	
Montmagny		Choquette	
Montmorency		Langelier	4
Montreal, C	Curran		700
Montreal, E		Coursol	acc.
Montreal, W	Smith (Ind.)		1330
Napierville		St. Marie	79
Nicolet		Gaudet	1000
Ottawa Co	Wright		700
Pontiac	Bryson		
Portneuf		De St. Georges	300
Quebec Co		Martin	31
Quebec, C		Langelier	790
Quebec, E		Laurier	2000
Quebec, W	McGreevy		72
Richelieu	Labelle		
Richmond & W Ives			144
Rimouski		Fiset	400
Rouville		Gigault	acc.
St. Hyacinthe		Bernier	
St. Johns		Bourassa	
St. Maurice	Desaulniers		
Shefford	Auger		
Sherbrooke	Hall		550
Soulanges	Bain		170
Stanstead	Colby		450
Temiscouata	Grandbois		60
Terrebonne	Chapleau		800
Three Rivers	Langevin		10
Two M'unt'ns	Daoust		400
Vaudreuil	McMillan		213
Vercheres		Geoffrion	133
Yamaska	Vanasse		28

NOVA SCOTIA.

Annapolis	Mills		25
Antigonish	Thompson		46
Cape Breton	McKeen		
Cape Breton		McDougall	200
Colchester	McLelan		500
Cumberland	Tupper		600
Digby	Campbell		142
Guysboro'		Kirk	350
Halifax		Jones	162
Halifax	Kenny		35
Hants	Putnam		100
Inverness	Cameron		400
Kings		Borden	400
Lunenburg		Eisenhauer	120
Pictou	Tupper		
Pictou	Macdougall		
Queen's	Freeman		15
Richmond		Flinn	407
Shelburne		Robertson	31
Victoria	McDonald		75
Yarmouth		Lovett	600

NEW BRUNSWICK.

Albert	Weldon		620
Carleton		Hale	850
Charlotte		Gillmor	84
Gloucester	Burns		500
Kent	Landry		
King's	Foster		300
Northumberland		Mitchell	500
Queen's		King	61
Restigouche	Moffatt		82
St. John C		Ellis	20
St John C. & C		Weldon	325
St. John C & C		Skinner	272
Sunbury	Wilmot		32
Victoria	Costigan		200
Westmo'land	Wood		600
York	Temple		

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

Kings		McIntyre
Kings		Robertson
Prince		Yeo
Prince		Perry
Queens		Welsh
Queens		Davies

MANITOBA.

Lisgar	Ross (Ind)		acc.
Marquette		Watson	150
Provencher	Royal		300
Selkirk	Daly		200
Winnipeg	Scarth		12

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Cariboo	Election not held yet	
New Westminster	"	"
Vancouver	"	"
Victoria	"	"
Victoria	"	"
Yale	Mara (Ind)	acc.

THE GAINS AND LOSSES.

ONTARIO.

Liberal Gains.	*Conservative Gains.*
South Essex.	East Bruce.
Glengarry.	North Grey.
East Hastings.	Kingston.
East Huron.	East Lambton.
Kent.	West Middlesex.
Prescott.	South Norfolk.
Russell.	South Ontario.
North Victoria.	Peel.
North Waterloo.	South Wentworth.
East Peterboro.	West Huron.
Muskoka.	North Ontario.

QUEBEC.

Bagot.	Shefford.
Beauce.	
Beauharnois.	
Bellechasse.	
Berthier.	
Charlevoix.	
Dorchester.	
Drummond.	
Hochelaga.	
Jacques Cartier.	
Joliette.	
Kamouraska.	
Laprairie.	
L'Assomption.	
Maskinonge.	
Missisquoi.	
Montcalm.	
Montmagny.	
Montreal E.	
Nicolet.	
Quebec Centre.	
Rimouski.	
Rouville.	
Yamaska.	

NOVA SCOTIA.

Halifax. (2.)	
Cape Breton (1.)	Annapolis.
King's.	Digby.
Lunenburg.	
Yarmouth.	
Vicars.	

NEW BRUNSWICK.

Northumberland.	Sunbury.
St. John City.	
St. John County.	

MANITOBA.

Selkirk.

Safe, Sure and Painless.

What a world of meaning this statement embodies. Just what you are looking for, is it not? Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor—the great sure-pop corn cure—acts in this way. It makes no sore spots; acts gently and with certainty; sure and mildly, without inflaming the parts painlessly. Do not be imposed upon by imitations or substitutes.—33-1.

A GRAND VICTORY.

NORTH VICTORIA REDEEMED

Barron Elected by About 300.

THE TEN PER-CENT. COMMISSIONER REJECTED.

The Popular Verdict against Self-seeking Members.

Great Rejoicings at Fenelon Falls.

Magnificent Procession Accompanying Mr. Barron to Lindsay.

The South Riding Honors the North for its Noble Victory.

The campaign in North Victoria, carried on with remarkable vigor and activity by Mr. Barron and his friends, and with considerable energy by Mr. Hector Cameron, resulted in perhaps the grandest victory in the Dominion. The result in so wide a constituency was uncertain, but Mr. Barron was ever confident of success, and the verdict Tuesday night justified his confidence in the electors of North Victoria.

The excitement began at Fenelon Falls at once, when the small majority of 7 for Cameron was known to be the result of the village vote. The Cameron tories looked glum; but the independent conservative seemed pleased at the result, while the liberals with difficulty restrained their enthusiasm. About 5.30 p.m. Mr. Barron reached the village with the result from Brown's in Fenelon, and when it was known to be 32 of a liberal majority the rejoicing began, for it was a fair indication of what was to follow. Next came the result from the Scotch settlement in Fenelon, 48 for Barron; then the Cambray vote, 41 for Barron, a liberal majority of 121, in the piling up of which the independent conservatives had joined hand in hand with the liberal party.

After tea Ingram's hall was engaged and was soon filled with an anxious and excited crowd of villagers, added to every little while as contingents came in from the country round about. Then the news came from Minden, 27 for Barron, and 31 in Anson for Cameron, followed by Lutterworth's 28 for Barron. By this time several prominent reformers from outside had arrived, among whom were Mr. P. W. Ferguson, Mr. Isaac Knight, Mr. Murchison, Mr. Gould, and others, each of whom was heartily welcomed to the platform. Next came down the result from the Coboconk division of Somerville, and Bexley, with 4 and 7 respectively for Barron. Then came the associated press despatch: "*Barron, (liberal), elected by over* 200;" and the cheering and excitement fairly shook the hall. A little later the returns from Eldon came in, and when it was found that the honest yeomanry of Eldon had risen in their might for the right and given Mr. Barron a majority the excitement knew no bounds and a rush was made for torches, a platform and chair, and Mr. Barron was borne upon the shoulders of stalwart men and escorted through the village, headed by the new band of L.O.L. 996. In the meantime a large pile had been prepared for a bonfire, but two or three Cameron tories in their frenzy and foolishness pulled the boxes down and for a time delayed the blaze. Opposite the McArthur house the procession stopped and Mr. Barron addressed the crowd for a few minutes and announced his majority, as far as heard from, of 284. Conducted back to the hall Mr. Barron spoke again, thanking the riding for its victory, which indicated what could be accomplished in a good cause when "cast-ironism" in politics was laid aside and right allowed to prevail irrespective of party. The rejoicing was kept up until a late hour, when the large and happy gathering broke up to meet next morning at ten to drive in procession to Lindsay and escort Mr. Barron to his home. A little after 10 some fifty sleighs assembled before the McArthur house and headed by the band drove through the village and then on to Lindsay. It was a pretty sight to see the narrow line of joyful sleighs wending its way over the ice, and the singing of the bandsmen added enthusiasm to the procession. About three miles out of Lindsay the North riding sleighs were joined by seventy-five or more from the South riding, and the greetings and cheers when South congratulated North ran up the enthusiasm to its highest pitch. Many ladies came out from Lindsay to show their appreciation to the men of the North for the honor they had done Mr. Barron and their efforts in behalf of honest government, and among the ladies was Mrs. Barron, who, with her two children, joined Mr. Barron in his sleigh, wherein were Mr. James Dickson, Mr. J. E. Gould, Mr. C. W. Moore, Mr. Nevison, Mr. John A. Ellis, Mr. E. Edwards, Mr. W. E. Ellis and Dr. E. S. Wilson. Headed by the Lindsay band the many sleighs, with flags flying and horses decorated, drove on to Lindsay, being joined on the way by others whose feelings were in harmony with the victors. The procession was the largest ever seen in the town of Lindsay, being not less than one mile and a half in length. On the way through town many flags decorated the houses, and the residents gathered outside to join in the honor to the North Riding for its grand victory for honest politics and honest government. Driving straight to Kent-st., the crowds lining either side, who kept cheering as they saw the successful candidate, the immense line of sleighs drove through the town, the band playing the while and adding greatly to the enthusiasm. Mr. Barron was kept continually bowing acknowledgements of the kindly greetings and congratulations heaped upon him from all sides, independent of party; and when the procession stopped in front of the Benson house the crowd surged round his sleigh as if he had a dozen hands to use in hand-shaking.

From the window of the hotel Mr. Barron spoke a few words to the enthusiastic crowd. He congratulated the liberal party upon their victory in North Victoria a victory in securing which honest, independent conservatives had joined with the liberal party in the north. (Cheers). Organization, hearty and willing work and a good cause had won the day, and although he thought there was a reform majority on the Dominion list in North Victoria, yet victory might not have crowned their efforts had not many of his friends from the conservative ranks given him noticeable aid towards his large majority of over 280. His heart was too full to speak as he wished to, and his used-up voice made it as painful for them to listen as for him to speak; but he wished to tell his Lindsay friends that the victory had been celebrated the night before in a manner worthy of the North, and that it was fitting and right that the procession from the north should be met, as it just had been, by his good friends from the south. (Cheers). They should remember that it was a south riding resident whom the north had yesterday honored with the highest and most sacred trust they had in their gift—their votes (cheers)—and he felt that the meeting of the two ridings on the ice of Sturgeon lake would help to weld the north and south closer and closer together in party harmony. He requested the contingent from the north to be his guests for dinner, and to come and have it at once, and calling for three cheers for the queen he withdrew from the window amidst the cheers of the crowd below.

A great crowd had assembled about the town hall, expecting it was the intention that Mr. Barron would speak, but he disappointed his south riding friends, saying those from the north should first have their dinner.

It is expected that shortly a dinner will come off at Fenelon Falls, when Mr. Barron's supporters will assemble to honor him for the gallant victory he has fought and won against Mr. Hector Cameron, who is not now likely to rise from the oblivion in which the Warder promised Mr. Barron would be on the evening of the 22nd.

Mr. Barron, M. P., covered eighty-six miles on election day, remaining long enough at points of polling to satisfy himself the work was going on right, and ended at Fenelon Falls within half an hour after the poll there was closed.

North Victoria Majorities.

We are unable to obtain the total vote on each side for this issue, and merely give the majorities. The full vote will be printed next week

	BARRON.	CAMERON.
Fenelon Falls		7
Fenelon—Brown's	32	
" Cambray	41	
" Scotch settlement	48	
" Cameron		3
" South of lake		4
Minden—West	20	
" East	7	
Anson and Hindon		31
Bexley—Coboconk	7	
" Victoria Road	12	
Somerville—Coboconk	4	
" Kinmount	2	
" Burat Riv		3
Eldon—Kirkfield	36	
" Balsover		27
" Hartley	12	
" Argyle	10	
Woodville	13	
Galway	56	
Carden	60	
Laxton and Digby		15
Stanhope (tie)		
Snowden	32	
Dalton—Not heard from.		
	392	90

Majority for Barron ..... 302.

WEST PETERBOROUGH.

	Cox.	Stevenson.
Ennismore	97	88
Smith, 3 divisions	212	149
" schoolhouse sec. 7, majority for		12
North Monaghan	99	109
South Monaghan	129	100
Peterboro, Ward 1	184	223
" Ward 2	158	193
" Ward 3	188	206
" Ward 4	96	126
Majority for Stevenson, 32		

BRECHIN.

MONEY TO LOAN at lowest rates. Life, fire and accident insurance; ocean steamship agency, and all general business done. JOS. C. JENNET, Cameron block, Beaverton.—27-tf.

BEAVERTON.

(Correspondence of The Post.)

THE RACES.—As we remarked last winter winter when Corkfoot Tom beat Mayflower at Orillia ice races that the next time the little mare met Corkfoot she would easily down him. She done so in the open trot at Bradford last week—three straight heats—in a field of seven of the best horses in Canada. Mayflower is a daisy anyhow. The Bartlett mare isn't a bad 'un, but she can't come up to our stock when we're in genuine going order—no, sir-e.

THE CHECKER LACROSSE CLUB.—We must candidly admit that the Beaverton correspondent of the Cannington Gleaner expresses our opinion on the so called joining or amalgamation of the Orillias and Beaverton clubs. Such a silly thing in sporting or athletic matters was never heard of. The McMillan and Davidson boys are first class players and good fellows in every way individually, but they are not the Checkers collectively, and until we learn that by a resolution of their club they joined the Orillias on behalf of the Checkers we will still have the same opinion as above stated. It is a pity the Orillias did not look for more suitable game. What has "Baldy," "Jack the N——," or "Dolge" done that they are not invited to join the Orillias? These gentlemen are the stuff the Orillias want. We guess our Checkers are not quite dead yet. If defeated they are all the more easier for the fray. We have heard of some new blood intending to join—men that have shewn what they can do in Montreal, Toronto and other places, and after a little practice we guess we can measure sticks with the Orillias or any other club. If we Beaverton people have lost the support of the Messrs. McWilliams and Davidson we can do without them.

SOUTH VICTORIA.

MR. HUDSPETH ELECTED BY 47.

Mr. Lownsbrough Makes a Gallant Fight Reflex Action from the Pay Car Jamaica—Conservative Rejoicings Tuesday Night.

The campaign in South Victoria resulted in a conservative victory, Mr. Hudspeth being elected by a majority of about 47. The campaign was conducted with much energy on both sides. Mr. Lownsbrough made a capital and satisfactory canvas and proved in every respect a strong and desirable candidate. The polling on election day went on same as usual—everybody working hard on both sides and with glorious uncertainty as to the result. After five o'clock both sides repaired to their respective committee rooms.

AT THE REFORM HEADQUARTERS.

A large crowd soon gathered at the reform headquarters. The Lindsay vote was, of course, the first in, and when it was seen that Mr. Hudspeth had a majority of 44 there was naturally considerable anxiety. Ops nearly tied this with 36 for Lownsbrough; but a little more than this was expected from the two. It now became a question what Emily and Mariposa would do. The first returns showed gains for Lownsbrough, and hearty cheers were given Oakwood and Manilla. But reports from Little Britain and Brown's showed a falling off from the figures expected with confidence; and returns from Emily and Verulam shewed a vote that would evidently elect Mr. Hudspeth. Returns from North Victoria showing the heavy vote for Barron and the probable rejection of Hector Cameron elicited hearty cheers. The returns from the Dominion indicated if not the defeat of the government at least a reduction of their majority to a margin so narrow that it would be insignificant and unsafe—while the prospects of a minority for the government seemed very good. This was received the next day. A considerable number remained until a late hour receiving news. We are unable this week to give the official count, as the deputy returning officer is snowed up somewhere in Mariposa and will not be back until to-day, but will have it in full next week.

AT THE CONSERVATIVE HEADQUARTERS.

By nine o'clock on Tuesday night returns taken in left no doubt that Mr. Hudspeth had been elected. His friends did not waste much time discussing the probable majority, but organized an impromptu demonstration. Fifty or sixty torches were brought out and lighted. A procession was formed headed by the band and marched along Kent st. twice and drew up at the town hall. A large crowd followed the procession and the opera house was packed to the doors in a very short time. Mr. Hudspeth and friends occupied the stage and received the congratulations of his supporters who gave hearty cheers. Mr. Hudspeth addressed the audience and after congratulating his friends on their success said he hoped to see all parties friends again, and that issues raised during the heat of the contest would be allowed to drop. He said he intended to represent the riding both for conservatives and reformers, and should so conduct himself as their representative that they would not regret electing him to the position. Prominent members of the party who were on the platform, Messrs. Dobson, S. Hughes, Moore, Beall, Dundas and others made remarks. At the conclusion of the meeting the procession reformed (or reconservatived) and conducted Mr. Hudspeth to his residence on Russell-st., where more congratulations were extended and the exercises of the evening terminated. Following are the majorities:

The Vote in South Victoria.

	Hudspeth.	Lownsbrough.
East Ward—		
No. 1—Bexley's	39	38
" 2—Storehouse	65	93
South Ward—		
No. 3—Bryan's office	54	42
" 4—Curling rink	77	50
" 3—H. Hughes office	49	61
North Ward—		
No. 6 Town hall	43	24
" 7—Skitch's	54	52
" 8—Parkin's	69	46
	411	366
Majority for Hudspeth	44.	
Ops—		
No. 1—Ray's		52 maj.
" 2—Sandpit	72	62
" 3—Town hall		23 maj.
" 4—Parkins	41	93
" 5—Reaboro	75	43
Mariposa—Majorities only.		
No. 1—Fingerboard		11
" 2—Valentia	25	
" 3—Little Britain		16
" 4—Oakwood		46
" 5—Manilla		72
" 3—Brown's		47
" 7—Black's		62
" 8—Eden	7	
Emily—Majorities only.		
No. 1—Switzer's	74	
" 2—Town hall	50	
" 3—Omemee	95	
" 4—Orange line	17	
" 5—Downeyville		14
" 6—King's Wharf		43
Verulam—Majorities only.		
No. 1—Dunsford	32	
" 2—Red sch'l house	29	
" 3—Ellis's		42
" 4—Lamb's	15	
" 5—Kelly's	4	
" 6—Town hall, Bobcaygeon	28	
" 7—Taylor's hall, Bobcaygeon	16	

Recapitulation.

	Hudspeth.	Lownsbrough.
Lindsay	44	
Ops		36
Mariposa		222
Emily and Omemee	179	
Verulam and Bobcaygeon	82	
	305	258
Majority for Hudspeth	47.	

ZION—MARIPOSA.

(Correspondence of THE POST.)

MISSIONARY SERMON.—Sabbath evening last Rev. Mr. Johnson of Cannington delivered an excellent missionary sermon from the 3rd chapter and 15th verse of Ecclesiastics, and was listened to with rapt attention throughout. A collection was taken up in aid of the missionary fund.

MOVING.—Mr. Elihu Hall, whose sale notice appears in THE POST, has rented his farm to Mr. Sinclair and and intends moving to Whitchurch township. While we regret very much the departure of Mr. and Mrs. Hall from amongst us we also join in wishing them every success in their new home and a long and prosperous life of usefulness.....Mr. John Mark, who has given up the more active pursuits of farm life, has rented Mr. John Adams' house in Little Britain and is going to be a resident of that village.

PERSONALS.—Mr. John Foster of Bowmanville spent last week with his son, Mr. Harry Foster.....Mr. J. J. Broad, medical student of Toronto, stayed over Sunday with his father, Mr. James Broad....Miss Annie E. Rodman, who is teaching this year in Udora, visited her mother, Mrs. A. Rodman, last Saturday and Sunday.