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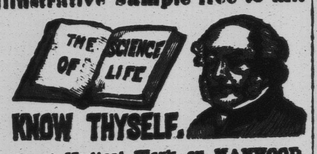

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THE COMING OF SPRING.

Dimly seen are the distant hill tops,
With an azure half crowned,
Not a breeze stirred the naked branches
Of the silent trees around.

The day is dark and dreary,
No feathered songsters sing,
But the air has a mellow softness
That tells of the coming spring.

It tells of the birds and roses,
Bright flowers and balmy air;
It tells of grassy hillsides
And valleys green and fair.

It tells of warm May sunshine,
Blue lakes and rivers clear;
Ah! winter seems less dreary
When the joyous spring is near.

Even so in life's dark winter,
If we have fixed our eye
On that land of glorious beauty
Beyond the starry sky.

Life's pathway grows less weary,
Through sorrow, pain and care,
We shall walk with joy unshadowed
To the mansions bright and fair.

We'll trust in Christ the Saviour
And gladly tread life's way,
Till we pass through the golden gateway
Into eternal day.

Death to us will not be deathlike
If we live and walk aright,
We shall fall when the Father calls us
Asleep by the gates of light.

JOHN C. MURDOCH.

Mount Pleasant, March 24, 1887.

LOCAL NEWS-LETTERS

MARIPOSA STATION.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

SCHOOL REPORT. Fourth class.—I J. Foster 612, 2 W. Rich 608, 3 M. Reader 575. Third class. I A. Webster 691, 2 J. Rick and D. Fennelly 580, 3 F. Parkinson. Second class. 1 Maud Foster and Wilmot Webster 599, 2 Bentley Faithful 587, 3 Lottie Reeder and Fred Dames. Part II.—1 Annie Gardener, 2 Phoebe Copplestone, 3 James Fennelly. Senr. part I.—1 C. Foster, 2 Mabel Webster, 3 Harry Copplestone. Junr. part second. 1 Roy Reeder. 1 George Gardener. SADIE E. FORD, teacher.

VICTORIA ROAD.

[Correspondence of THE POST.]

SCHOOL REPORT. The following is a report of the standing of pupils in s. s. No. 5, Bexley, at end of past term. Names are arranged in order of merit: Fourth class senior—Colin McDonald. Fourth class junior—Charlotte Lytle, Jennie Graham, Maggie Heaslip. Third class senior—Wm. Cameron, Frank Heaslip. Third class junior—Edward Lytle. Second class—Cora Lytle, Duncan Cameron, Clara Lytle. First class, part senior—Mary A. Kinghorn, James Sexton, Annie Heaslip. First class, part junior—Denah Bannon, Lizzie Blanchard, Annie Blanchard. First class, part 1—Albert Lyle.

R. A. WARD, teacher.

SALEM—MARIPOSA.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

OFF FOR DAKOTA.—Messrs. Hugh McDougall and John McInnes started for Dakota on Monday last with some of the Sonya friends. May success crown their efforts.

SCRAPS. No more wood parties. About twenty girls were invited to the last and only four appeared, but there were twenty-five boys.... The old school house was sold by auction and was purchased by W. Sinclair.... Some of the boys thought that spring was coming in sooner or they would not have had their horses sheared.

PLEASANT VALLEY—NORTH BROOK.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

HEAVY LOSS.—On Friday of last week a horse belonging to William D. King died with paralysis. The team was in charge of his son, who after unloading his load of grain at Beaverton recognized that one of his horses showed signs of sickness. Medical aid was immediately procured. Two farriers were in attendance from Monday until Friday, and although exceedingly skilful in the treatment of the above disease they were unable to save the animal. Paralysis seems quite frequent among horses and apparently defies all surgical skill. Mr. King valued his horse at $175.

GOOD PRICE.—Mr. John Lloyd sold a horse a few days ago for $260. The horse was four years old and tipped the beam at 1,750 pounds.

PERSONAL.—Mr. Wm. Burgess is about to leave us. We understand he has rented a farm on the 12th con of Mariposa.... We are pleased to learn that Mr. Henry Shier, who has been seriously ill for some time, is gradually recovering. We sincerely trust that his recovery will be rapid and steadfast and that before long we will enjoy the company of our long missed friend.... Mr. Prophet of Actinolite payed a flying visit to Pleasant Valley last week.

SCHOOL REPORT.—The following is the school report of Pleasant Valley school for the month of March. The average per cent taken by the first three pupils of the senior fourth class in different studies are as follows: James Thompson, 89; Samuel Hunter, 79; Geo. Hunter, 67. The standing of the other classes is judged from average per cent taken in the weekly examinations: Junior fourth class: Dan Chambers, John Hunter, Lizzie Shier. Senior third class: Daniel Burgess, Willie Hunter, Cheslie Lodevia. Junior third: Ida Lloyd, Willie May, Lena Lloyd. Second class: Lexie Hay, Freddie Chambers and Louie Ledwick. JAS. W. SEIER, teacher.

ONTARIO COUNTY.

A NEW POINT.—At the trial of several Scott act cases at Port Perry on Tuesday of last week a new point was raised by the counsel for defendant. When the bartenders were called to testify on his advice they refused to say if they had sold, as the answer might criminate them, the ground being that by the act any person in the employ of another who sells, etc., is liable to the same penalty as the proprietor. The objection was sustained by the court.

ANOTHER BANK.—The Central bank has established an agency at Port Perry and is now in full blast, doing a general banking business for the convenience and advantage of all requiring bank accommodation.

BRYSON'S—OPS.

SCHOOL REPORT.—The following is a report of the standing of the pupils in s. s. No. 3, Ops. The names are inserted in order of merit; standing determined by marks received on the quarterly written examination. Fifth class. — Howard Graham, Wm. Graham, Richard Moore. Fourth class.—Annie Graham, Eliza McClory, Willie Minty, Ella Graham, Maria Moore, Edward Wright, Rachael Braden, Thomas Moore. Third.—Mabel Graham, Becca Wright, Maguie McClory, Charles Tamlin, Minnie Willock, Annie Braden, Sam McClory. Second senior.—Charlie Minty, Bert Graham, Hannah McClory, James Courtney, Freddy Bryson, John McClory. Second, intermediate and jun'r. Frank Graham, Bessie Arnold, Addie Braden, Harry Powell, Charlie Courtney, George McClory.

FRIENDS SETTLEMENT.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

GOING WEST.—Mr. Levi Armitage has disposed of his farm to Mr. Valentine Dale and intends moving to Huron county, Michigan, in a week or two. Mr. Armitage is a jolly good neighbor and he and his family will be greatly missed by their many friends. They take with them them the good will and best wishes of the entire community.

TEMPERANCE OFFICERS.—At the last regular meeting of the Elm Grove temperance society the following officers were elected for the ensuing quarter: President, Bro. George Cruess; secretary, Bro. John Ray; chaplain, Bro. David Weldon; treasurer, Sister Edith Weldon; Fin., Bro. Andrew Horn; marshall, Bro. Hiram Rogers; Rec., Sister Robenia Horn; sentinel, Bro. Will Cruess.

PERSONAL.—Mrs. A. C. Allison is home on a visit to her friends.....Mr. David Rogers is visiting friends in Michigan.

GREENBANK.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

SIDEWALK.—As the sidewalks are clear of snow again, it is about time some move was made towards repairing them. We believe in having good, decent sidewalks or none at all. In their present condition it is dangerous for two persons to walk on them in some places. Some one should take the matter in hand and see what can be done about it.

S. O. T. OFFICERS.—The officers of the Greenbank division of the "Sons of Temperance" for the present quarter are as follows:—W. P., G. Lee; W. A., J. Dusty; R. S., J. A. Miller; A. R. S., R. Somerville; F. S., J. Taylor; Treas., E. Bewell; chap. J. Miller; con., M. Harrington; A. C., Miss L. Love; I. S., R. Cragg; O. S., W. Till.

TELEPHONE.—It has been arranged by some of our business men to have the telephone line, which is to be erected between Uxbridge and Lindsay, pass through Greenbank, and have an office here. This will be a great benefit to the residents of the village and the surrounding neighborhood, and, for this reason, everyone should be willing to do something towards it.

NOTES.—Mr. Rich. Cragg and his newmade bride have taken possession of the house owned by Mr. Blair.... Mr. J. McKitrick has been appointed captain of the "Christian Working Band."

FRANKLIN.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

OFF TO MANITOBA.—Messrs. J. Stewart and Geo Anderson, two young men of this neighborhood, started for Manitoba on Tuesday last, where they intend to spend the summer. We wish them every success.

ACCIDENT.—While chopping in the woods a few days ago Mr. C. W. Jones had the misfortune to inflict a severe wound in his leg. As he was alone he had some difficulty in reaching his home.

SELLING OFF.—As Mr. J. Britton has decided to go out of the merchantile business he is selling of his present stock at cost. Some rare bargains may be expected.

ILL.—Miss Maud Windrim has during the past few days been suffering from an attack of bilious fever. Dr. Brereton is attending.

SCHOOL REPORT.—School report for the month of March. Names given in order of merit. Fourth class, sen'r.—A. E. Noble, Wm. Jones, James White, A. Jamison. Fourth class jun'r.—Chance White, Ida Lowes, Eva Lowes, Bertha Lowes. Third class.—Clinton Lytle, Wm. Graham, Geo. Blackstock. Second class sen'r.—Levi Fallis, Wallace Pritchard, Lewis Fallis. Second class jun'r.—Chas. Moore, Wesley Dainard, Geo. Jones. Scholars who took full marks in any subject.—A. E. Noble took full marks in arithmetic, dictation and history. A. Jamieson, arithmetic and grammar. Wm. Jones, history. Clinton Lytle, geography.

MANILLA.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

MONEY.—$50,000 private funds to lend at six per cent. No commission. Apply to LOUIS M. HAYES, Barrister, or J. C. JENNETT, Insurance Agent, Beaverton.—34-tf

IMPLEMENTS.—Mr. Neil McPhadden has been appointed agent for the Noxon binders. He will also deal in other farming implements. Neil is a live man and is sure to succeed.

LITERARY SOCIETY.—On good Friday evening the concert which was held in connection with the literary society of this place came off with far better results than was anticipated. The evening was an exceptionally fine one, but owing to the state in which the roads were many who intended to come were unable to be present on that account. The entertainment passed off very pleasantly and was enjoyed by all who attended. It will be seen by the way the concert passed off that there is talent in this place and it is gradually being brought out. The proceeds of the evening, after allowing the members, who number nearly one hundred, to be admitted free, amounted to about seventeen dollars and a half, clear of expenses. The society at the present time is in a flourishing state and its membership is being daily augmented.

A GREAT ELATION.—About a year ago the Manilla public school, under the direction of Mr. A. F. DeLury, wrote on the various subjects which were given and sent them to the London exhibition, England. A day or two ago they received as their prize a bronze medal and a diploma. The trustees, as well as the ratepayers, feel greatly elevated, and so they might.

TELEPHONE.—We have been made acquainted very recently with the fact that a telephone is being constructed between Uxbridge and Lindsay, and we also understand it is to pass south of this place. We do not see any reason why it should not pass through this place as the distance is very little longer, if any. Why don't some of our citizens take it in hand and try to have it pass through here as it would be a great benefit to the place. If it could not be done a branch might be easily constructed to meet the other. Let us have an office here if possible.

OBITUARY.—After a very long and painful sickness the wife of one of our pioneers, Mr. R. Dixon, has passed away. The deceased had been ailing for a long time with a tumor under the arm. She leaves many children and grandchildren who remain to support and comfort her companion in his declining years.

PERSONAL.—Mr and Mrs. Stone of Port Perry are staying at the home of Mr. S. Willis.... Miss Mary Campbell who has been attending school in Lindsay is home spending her Easter holidays.....Mr. E. Loftus was in Port last week.

DIGBY.

SCHOOL REPORT—for s.s. No. 1, Digby, for March.—Fourth class.—Clara Reid and Minnie Maxwell, 2 Martha Bailey and Abbie Foley, 3 Wm. Parkes. Third class.—1 Fred Maxwell, 2 Lizzie Foley, 3 Tessie Foley. Second senr.—1 John Fitzgerald, 2 Marion McDonald, 3 John Bailey. Junior second.—1 Rosie Fitzgerald and Bertie Maxwell, 2 Nellie Foley and Tommie Foley, 3 Tim A. Foley and Neil Foley. Senior Arithmetic.—1 Minnie Maxwell and Martha Bailey, 2 Clara Reid, 3 Abbie Foley. History.—1 Minnie Maxwell, 2 Clara Reid and M. Bailey, 3 Abbie Foley. Junr. Arithmetic.—1 Fred Maxwell, 2 Lizzie Foley, 3 Tessie Foley. Bertie Maxwell attended the full month, 23 days. The only pupil did so.

ELLA FOLEY, teacher.

YELVERTON.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

SCHOOL REPORT.—Standing of s.s. No. 1, Manvers, for the month of March. Fourth class.—Lena Grandy 339, Chittick Magill 316, John Weatherilt 298, Thomas Porter, Emma Marshall.—Third class senr.—Wilbert Magill 342, Minnie Henders 323, Maggie Magill 318. Third class junr.—Robert Magill 354, Effie Magill 351, Maggie Weatherilt 350, Joseph Magill, Norton Porter, Alfred Argue, Levi Magill, Eliza Dowler, Vinie Porter. Second class.—Blanche Magill 346, Stanley Magill 330, Albert Fowler 281, Milton Weatherilt, George Hurrell, Thos. Wm. Fowler, Lizzie Nicholson, Ellen Fowler. Part second.—Wm. Thos. Fowler 350. Part first.—Addie Fowler, Samuel Porter, Myrtle Vance, Lizzie Porter, Lewis Ferguson.

JOHN L. VEALE, teacher.

CRESSWELL.

[Correspondence of THE POST.]

BASE BALL is talked off again, prospects are good for a fair team this year.

SIDEWALK difficulty is not settled yet.

SPECIAL MEETINGS.—The special meetings held by Mr. Solmon in the congregation church have been the means of several conversions, and had he remained we would undoubtedly have had an extra good time of it.

BLACKSMITH.—There is a good opening at this point for a blacksmith. Who will step in and fill the want.

BUSINESS.—Mr. Dougall McInnis has opened out business at Cresswell. The people of this section will find him the right man, and pushing and obliging. He will keep a good stock of goods and well up to the demands of the place and territory. Give him a call.

LAKE VIEW—CARTWRIGHT.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

SCHOOL REPORT.—The following is the standing of the pupils of Cedar Dale school, No. 9, Cartwright, for the month of March. Marks based on regular attendance, good conduct and perfect recitations—Names in order of merit. Fourth Class.—Emma McNeill 232, Minnie McNeill 222, Edwin Veale 205, Bertie Devitt 200. Maggie Mahaffy 181, Willie Moore 119, Joseph Veale 40. Third Class, sen'r.—Florence Peel 223, Wesley Mills 118, Essy Ney 43, Henry Mills 32. Third Class, jun'r.—Sammy Mahaffy 228, Percy McNeill 213, Walter Veale 176, Edgar Peel 161, Susan Chapman 154, Ethel Thompson 143, Lena Thompson 137. Second Class, sen'r.—Emma Thornton 176, Sarah Williams 167, Richard Williams 159, Wesley Campbell 149, Minnie Sloan 149, Lizzie Sloan 149, Minnie Chapman 129, Bertie Cowan 128, Willie Sloan 121, Freddie Willan 108. Second Class, jun'r.—Herbie Cowan 128. Second Part.—Charlie Found 155, Jas. Found 155, Arthur McGuire 146.

HATTIE E. GIBBS, teacher.

VERULAM.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.—The council met on Monday, April 4th, pursuant to adjournment; present, the reeve, deputy-reeve and councillors Braden and Lamb, the reeve in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and confirmed. Moved by Mr. Kennedy, seconded by Mr. Braden, that John J. Hunter be sent to the Nicholl's Hospital at Peterborough for one month for treatment as a trial, at the expense of this council, and that the clerk transmit a copy of this motion to the secretary of the Hospital Trust.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Lamb, seconded by Mr. Kennedy, that the following abatements be allowed to the collector: William Cosh $20.16, H. Dunn $11.64, John Junkin jr. $6.25, John Slater $54.98, and the following be returned to the county treasurer: Canada Co., $2.71; Geo. Dunsford $5.96.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Kennedy, seconded by Mr. Lamb, that by-law No. —, passed 16th March, 1872, as to highways and the duties of road overseers, be repealed, and a new by-law read and passed instead thereof. — Carried. Moved by Mr. Lamb, seconded by Mr. Braden, that a by-law be read and passed appointing certain officers.—Carried. Moved by Mr. Braden, seconded by Mr. Kennedy, that the following accounts be paid, and orders drawn on the treasurer for the same: Edward Prescott, filling in crossway on marsh, $51; David M. Hunter, charity to J. G. Hunter, $10; treasurer Exchange, pd. county treasurer on bank cheque, balance county rate, $75; David Robinson, work on roads, $20; Samuel H. Pogue, work on roads, $15; the clerk, registering births, marriages and deaths, $6.20; the clerk, quarter's salary, $25; J. Duggan, jr., to pay others' work on roads, $7.70; J. Kennedy, putting stone on 2nd and 3rd con. line, opposite lot 9, the Toronto General Hospital, keep and expenses of Mr. J. G. Hunter, $37.20.—Carried. On motion of Mr. Kennedy the council adjourned to May 14th.

WOODVILLE.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

PRESENTATION.—A large number of Mr. Hugh Smith's (late butcher of this place) friends met at the Eldon house and after partaking of a fine oyster supper they presented him with an address, which spoke in very high terms of his strictly honorable and obliging business qualities. It expressed the loss the village would sustain in losing such a good citizen. Hugh, we wish you every success.

SPRING FAIR.—The bills are now out for the spring fair for Woodville. It will be held as formerly arranged on the Friday, April 15th. We cordially invite all to be present. It promises to be a grand success and as this is acknowledged to be one of the best breeding points in the country. No horse that is intended to be used for stock purposes should be absent.

FIRE.—Dr. Baxter's office was almost totally destryed by fire a short time ago. Cause unknown. Had it gone much further McNeil's blacksmith shop would have suffered.

SOCIETY NOTE.—A number of the Beaverton Oddfellows paid a fraternal visit to the brethren of Woodville lodge one day last week.

GONE.—D. W. Stewart, our worthy handmaster, has left for pastures new. We are very sorry. He will be much missed. The band was progressing very favorably under his management. We hope they will be able to secure some other good leader.

THEY'LL VOTE HIM OUT.—The people around here are very much disgusted with Mr. Hudspeth. They think he should have known better and the chances are he will not get such a hearty support this time.

SALE OF CATTLE.—Messrs. Rose & McKay sold seven fine cattle to N. Weldon of Cambray and from the pleasant smile of Mr. Rose we are sure the price was a good one. No matter what the state of the markets are such good feeders as they are may always expect the topper. They will not feed anything but the best.....J. Campbell, jun., sold a yearling thoroughbred Durham bull to A. McMillan of Thorah. This was one of the best bred animals in the county. His sire was imported, having been bred by Mr. Campbell of Kinellar, Scotland. His grand dam was also imported. Mr. Donald Jackson recently sold a young bull to John McRae of Thorah. We are pleased to see so much good stock going into Thorah. Donald Jackson bought a very fine bull calf lately from Olmstead Bros. of Markham. By judges he is said to be a very fine animal.

BLOOD STALLION.—Mr. Geo. A. Maybee has returned from Woodstock, where he has been negotiating for the purchase of a blood stallion.

SOUTH OPS.

[Correspondence of THE POST.]

HYMENEAL.—An interesting event occurred on the evening of March 28th at the residence of Mr. Robert McCausland, south of this place, when his eldest daughter Annie was united in the bonds of matrimony to John D., son of Mr. Peter Fisher of Lindsay. A number of invited guests were present. Mr. Fisher, who is an old Ops boy, has spent the last few years in Manitoba and has been paying a visit to friends in this locality for the past couple of months, conceived the happy idea of taking a life partner back to his western home. Mr. Fisher is to be congratulated on the happy choice he has made, the young bride being a general favorite. Mr. John Watson of Ops acted as groomsman and Miss Mary A. Fisher of Lindsay as bridesmaid. The bride was the recipient of a large number of valuable presents. The following is a partial list:

Bridesmaid, cake dish.
Groomsman, carving knife and fork.
Father and mother of the bride, astrachan mantle.
Miss Minnie McCausland, handsome bible.
Mrs. P. Fisher, glass water pitcher.
Mr. P. Fisher, handsome bible.
Miss Lizzie McCausland, spoon holder.
Mr. Jessie Fisher, cruet stand.
Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Pogue, set preserve dishes.
Mr. and Mrs. W. Howe, grenady set.
Miss Eliza J. McCausland, preserve dish.
Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell, spring clock.
Mr. John H. Poole, handsome parlor lamp.
Miss Annie Seaton, glass water pitcher.
Mr. R. Killaby, butter dish.
Miss Mary J. Meagher, pair pillows.
Miss Annie Howe, server table, brush and pan.
Miss Lizzie Poole, water pitcher.
Miss Bella Watson, half dozen silver spoons.
Miss Maggie Fisher, pickle stand.
Miss Maggie McCausland, cream pitcher.
Mr. Joseph Fisher, salt stand.
Miss Lizzie J. Robinson, pair vases and candle stand.
Miss Katie Poole, preserve dish.
Mr. and Mrs. E. Bunting, pair silver vases.
Miss Lillie Watson, glass butter dish.
Miss Carrie Fisher, mustard mug.
Mr. and Mrs. H. Bell, stand cover.
Miss A. Mitchell, two yards and a half silk velvet.

SCHOOL REPORT.—The Easter examination of s.s. No. 4, Ops, closed in the usual way on Wednesday, 6th inst. The following are the names of the first four in each class in order of merit, viz:—Senior fourth—1 Michael Downey, 2 Austin D. J. O'Boyle, 3 Mary Fitzpatrick, 4 John F. Brass. Junr. fourth.—1, Willie Fitzpatrick, 2 Frank Connolly, 3 Wilkin McLean, 4 Kate Fitzpatrick. Senr. third.—1 Lizzie Caughlin, 2 Lizzie Hutton, 3 Kate Shea, 4 Kate Downey. Junr. third.—1 Lottie J. O'Boyle, 2 Maggie Fitzpatrick, 3 Mary Caughlin, 4 George Downey. Second.—1 Willie D. Hutton, 2 Eliza Fitzpatrick, 3 John Leddy, 4 Thos. Hutton. Senr. first.—1 Patrick Murphy, 2 John Costello, 3 James Eagleson, 4 Willie C. Hutton.

SUNDERLAND.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

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ILL.—We are sorry to learn that the wife of our esteemed teacher, Mr. Irwin, is seriously indisposed. We hope to soon see her around in her usual health....Mrs. George Hodgkins is also seriously indisposed. She is attended by Dr. McDermot, who has hopes of her recovery.

DRESSMAKING.—The Misses Hamilton and Doble of Uxbridge have opened dressmaking rooms in Miss Brabazon's premises. Both these young ladies have a thorough knowledge of their business and will do well here.

PORRITT'S MILL.—Work is progressing rapidly on the grist mill and Mr. Porritt intends to be able to commence operations in a couple of weeks.

NEW BANDMASTER.—Our brass band has got a new teacher in the person of George Maguire of Uxbridge, who has undertaken to make a band of it, and we may expect to hear some good playing soon. Get down to your work, boys.

SOCIAL.—The ladies' aid in connection with the Methodist church purpose holding a social at the residence of Mrs. A. E. Micks on Friday evening. All cordially invited to attend. Admission, 15 cents.

RUSHING BUSINESS.—Our nobby tailor, Charles Tucker, is doing a rushing business in that line, having no less than five hands employed. So if you want a dandy suit and good fit give Charley a call and he will suit you.

REMOVALS.—Mrs. T. P. Card and family have taken their departure for Toronto, where they will reside for the future.... Mr. E. T. Williams, V.S., has moved into the house lately occupied by Mrs. T. P. Card.

BUYING HORSES.—Our enterprising horse buyer, Wm. Gordon, is still on the road buying horses and has a carload of fine animals ready to ship, but owing to delay in cars he has been unable to do so yet.

A PROBLEM SOLVED.—(To the editor of THE POST.)—After considering for some time what could be done to regain confidence and put a church not a thousand miles from Sunderland on a safe basis we feel safe in urging our friends to go back to an old custom of monthly meetings, believing they were productive of much good in the past. We would also advise the purchase of a huge iron chest and place it safely in some part of the church and not dismiss the service until the collection is safely deposited in the same. And then at each monthly meeting in the presence of the congregation unlock the chest and count the cash, pay it to its rightful owner and save further charges of corrupt practices; and do not let the world know they have no confidence in one another and save those public exposures to a sinful world. Trusting we shall soon see a subscription list circulated for the purpose of purchasing a "huge chest," peace restored and everything blooming again.—I remain, yours truly. CHURCHMAN.

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Lindsay, March 12, 1887.—36-tf.

AUCTION SALE

OF VALUABLE

FARM PROPERTY

—IN—

CARTWRIGHT.

Under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be sold on

Saturday, 23rd day of April,

A.D. 1887, at two o'clock in the afternoon, by ROBERT HUTCHISON, auctioneer, at SWAIN'S HOTEL, IN THE VILLAGE OF CARTWRIGHT,

the following property, viz.:

Lot Number Twenty-three in the Eighth Concession of the Township of Cartwright, aforesaid, containing Two Hundred Acres, more or less.

The above property is a desirable one, being well fenced and in a good state of cultivation. There are a frame house and barn upon the premises. One hundred and forty acres are cleared, and the balance of sixty acres is well wooded with excellent hardwood and cedar. The character of the soil is good, being a light clay loam. The farm is well watered, and is situated on a well-travelled road. Fall ploughing has been done on a large portion of the cleared land, which is ready for cultivation.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid down at the time of sale, and enough to make one-third in thirty days; the balance to be secured by mortgage on the premises, payable in three equal annual instalments, with interest from the day of sale at the rate of six per cent. per annum.

For further particulars apply to D. BURKE SIMPSON, of the Town of Bowmanville, Solicitor for Vendors, or ROBERT HUTCHISON, Bankhaven.

ROBERT HUTCHISON, Auctioneer. D. BURKE SIMPSON, Vendor's Solicitor.

Cartwright, March 24th, 1887.—33-4.

Miscellaneous.

PROPERTY FOR SALE.—Situated on the corner of Kent and St. Davids-sts. A good house, vegetable and flower garden, containing fruit and ornamental trees; a small green-house, soft and hard water. Suitable for a retiring farmer. Apply to WM. FOLEY, Lindsay. March 2, 1887.—33-8.

NEW WOOD YARD.

The undersigned begs to intimate to the public that he has lately opened a Wood Yard in the East Ward, and is prepared to supply any quantity of Dry Tamarac delivered to any part of the town at lowest rates. Orders left at P. J. Hurley's or at my store will be promptly attended to. TELEPHONE CONNECTIONS.

A. D. MALLON.

Lindsay, Dec. 15, 1886.—23-tf.

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For Terms apply by letter to Mrs. HOOEY, Rosedale P. O., county of Victoria, Ont., or to Messrs. HUDSPETH & JACKSON, Solicitors, Lindsay. Rosedale, Oct. 25, 1886.—16-26

NOTICE.

The Midland Railway

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Will apply to the Parliament of Canada at its next sitting for an act to extend the time for the completion of several of the lines of Railway authorized by the statutes relating to the several Companies now forming the Midland Railway of Canada, and for other purposes.

JOHN BELL,
Solicitor for Applicants.

Belleville, March 17, 1887.—36-9.

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Lindsay, June 28th, 1886.—99.

AUCTION SALE

—OF—

VALUABLE

FARM PROPERTIES,

In the Townships of Galway, Fenelon and Bexley, in the Counties of Peterborough and Victoria.

There will be sold on

Monday, the 18th Day of April, 1887,

At One o'clock in the Afternoon,

at the Benson House in the town of Lindsay, by virtue of powers of sale contained in certain mortgages, which will be produced at the sale, the following properties:

PARCEL I.—Under mortgage from George Robert Henderson, the south-west quarter of lot 7 in the 7th concession of the Township of Fenelon, in the County of Victoria, containing 50 acres more or less. The following improvements are said to be on the premises: About 40 acres cleared, having erected thereon a log house, stable and barn.

PARCEL II.—Under mortgage from Ann Graham and Duncan Graham, lot 19 North-West Hay, of the Township of Bexley, in the County of Victoria, containing 129 acres more or less, save and except the north 50 acres thereof. The following improvements are said to be on the premises: About 50 acres cleared, having erected thereon log house 18x24.

TERMS.

20 per cent. of the purchase money to be paid down on the day of sale. For balance terms will be made known at the sale. For further particulars apply to

JONES BROS. & MACKENZIE,
Solicitors, Toronto-st., Toronto.

March 16th, 1887.—36-5.

Marriage Licenses.

GEORGE DOUGLASS,

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ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES,

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Lindsay, Oct. 29, 1884.—12.

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A BRICK COTTAGE FOR SALE with half acre of ground, next to Mr. Workman's new house. Apply to THOS. BOOTH, on the premises, or to H. B.