Perrin's Pine Tar Cordial,

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LINDSAY, ONT., FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1889.

S. J. Petty.

During the Month of DECEMBER

S. J. PETTY, "THE JEWELLER"

Is determined to make a big offer for the trade in the above lines, and therefore during the month of December everything in this store will be reduced in prices. Remember

SILVERWARE AT NETT COST.

It is unnecessary to enumerate articles and prices; ercrything is marked in plain Agures and a startling reduction will be made on the present prices. Our stock never was so large as now, and is second to none in the county. Our prices have always been as low as the lowest; but this Sale for December will outstrip any previous figures. To be convinced call and see us, nert door to the Daly House, Kent-st.

S. J. PETTY.

N. B. Please bear in mind that all repairs in our line are done as usual.

Lindeay, Dec. 1, 1886.- 78.

S. S. Ritchie.

Cease your reckless expenditure; have a care for the future; save money while you have it to save; buy judiciously; you can do so if you come to us.

WE HAVE JUST COMMENCED OUR

WINTER DRESS GOODS, PLUSHES, MANTLE CLOTH, LADIES' JACKETS, ULSTERS, ASTRACHAN COATS,

BLANKETS, PLANNELS, COT-TONS, SHIRTINGS, READY-

MADE CLOTHING UNDER. WEAR, TOP SHIRTS.

HATS. CAPS. FUR GOODS. ETC., ETC.

In order that there will be no mistake about it we have made a

HORIZONTAL REDUCTION ALL ROUND prices have found a level and the man who sells cheaper than we do

FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS

will have to sell below cost.

Remember this is not a damaged stock; it is not shop worn; it is not a fire-sale or a bankrupt sale, but it is a

GENUINE GLEARANCE SALE NEW GOODS.

S. S. RITCHIE

The Great BARGAIN HOUSE of Lindsay.

J. B. Weldon.

GLASSWARE AND CROCKERY AT WELDON'S

As the hard times and low prices of grain are pressing upon us we have decided to clean out our stock of Glassware and Crockery at cost for cash. We are also determined to give the TAILORING a boom for the next four weeks and are prepared to make Tweed Suits to order from \$8.00 upwards. A trial solicited.

J. B. WELDON, Little Britain. Lattle Britain, Nov. 28, 1980, -77,

CHRISTMAS

FOR EVERYBODY

J. Riggs.

In Jeweiry, Watches, Watch Chains, Charms, Rings, Ac-cordeons, Concertinas, Ci-gar Cases, Cigar and Cigar-ett Holders, Boxes of Cigars, Meerschaums and Briar Pipes, Violins, or a nice Singing Bird.

For the Children Toys, Dolls, and Sleighs in Great Variety

-AT-JOS. RIGGS' LINDSAY.

R. Simmons & Co.

Lindsay, Dec. 4, 1889.-78.



PARTIES HAVING FURS TO BE ALTERED IN SHAPE OR REPAIRED

Would confer a favor by leaving them with us during September and October months. FALL GOODS In Boy's and Men's FELT HATS and CAPS just to hand.

SIMMONS & CO., HATTERS AND FURRIERS.

Cathro & Co.

To All Wearers of Clothing.

NEW TAILORING HOUSE eppealte the Post Office, in the store late ly eccupied by Mr. D. Engleson, under the firm name of CATHRO & CO.

As we have just selected a new stock of goods we are enabled to place before the public the most beautiful lot of

Tweeds, Suitings, Coatings, Overcoatings, Trouserings,

Etc., ever offered in Lindsay. On account of Mr. Cathro being known in Lindsay as a Cuiter for the last seventeen years, we can guarantee CUT FIT and satisfac-tion in every respect.

Prices away down, Terms. Cash.

New Advertisements.



MORTGAGE SALE

Under and by virtue of a Power of Sale con-tained in a certain mortgage, which will be produced at time of sale, there will be sold by BY PUBLIC AUCTION at the McARTRUR HOUSE in the Village of FENEL'S FALLS upon

MONDAY, 30th Day of December, 1889. at the hour of two o' lock in the afternoon, the following valuable form property, being composed of the South Haif of Lot No. 2 in the 4th Con. of the Township of Somerville in the County of Victoria, containing 100 acres more or less.

TERMS OF PAYMENT. The purchaser will be required to pay down at the time of saie 20 per cent of the amount of his purchase money and the balance without interest within the rty days thereafter. For

further particulars apply to E. S. DEAN, Lindsay, Vendor's Solicitor Dated at Lindsay this 4th Dec., 1889.—784.

to 6 per Cent

A large amount of Private Funds and Trust Funds to Loan in sums small or large to suit borrower. Easy and conven-5 to 6 per cent.

MCINTYRE & STEWART, Lindany, Sept. 5, 1889,—65.

Britton Bros.

SURPRISE YOURSELF

with one of Britton Brothers' "MID-LAND" Watches and always afterwards be on time. In these days a time-piece that you can be SURE of is a necessity.

WELL THEN.

what about your winter supply of Jewelry and Silverware-in short, Christmas Presents. Think shead a little-select your selection-don't be dilatory. The first choice is better and costs no more

THAT GOLD WATCH

that you promised your wife, or was it your daughter. Well, we have just an elegant assortment, and as to prices ! If prices don't suit you, it is because you want a bonus for taking one, for you never were offered such bargains in Ladies' Watches as we are offering now.

STOPPED, IS IT?

If your watch is out of order fetch it along, or if more convenient send by mail or express.

We are both PRACTICAL workmen. and have had plenty of experience in the most difficult as well as ordinary repair work, and we guarantee satisfaction in

We don't do work at half-price, but then we do it thoroughly and well. Poor work is dear at any price. Give us your difficult repairs and see how we suit you in performance and prices.

OF COURSE

you want to see as well, and your eyes to last as long as possible. How do you secure durability in anything? Why, by care, of course! Then take care of your eyes. Don't buy spectacles as you would a ready-made coat. Even if the coat did not fit exactly it would not injure you physically, but if the glasses don't fit it is quite another matter. We are constantly finding out people whose eyes are nearly or quite ruined by the use of plauses that are of poor quality or illfitted. How can you make sure of being properly fitted? By having your eyes tested. Where and how? By us. We make a specialty of this branch of our business, and have met with much success in it. No charge for examina-

BRITTON BROTHERS.

Lindsay, Nov. 27, 1889.

Miss O'Brien.

MILLINERY AT COST

FOR THE NEXT THIRTY DAYS.

Having bought largely in anticipation of a lively season, and turning home with his week's work done, his being now arxious to materially reduce my large Stock of HATS, BONNETS, TRIMMING GOODS, Etc., inside of the next 30 days, I have decided to offer every article in my Store at the

Ladies will find it greatly to their advantage to call and make their selections at once.

MISS O'BRIEN.

A Few Doors East of Benson House. Lindsay, Dec. 5th, 1889. -78.

Teachers Wanted.

TEACHER WANTED-For S. S. No. 10, Verulam, second-class male or female. Salary \$340. Applications and testimonials received to 30th Nov. Thos. Kelly, Sec. Bobcaygeon, P. O.—Nov. 12, 1389 —75-3. TEACHER WANTED. -For S. S. No.

4. 5, Verulam. Applicants to state salary wanted. Services to commence on the new year. Applicants to address the undersigned. GARDINER HUNTER, Bobcaygeon P. O. Nov. 11, 1889.—75-4. TYEACHERS WANTED. -Three teach-

Public Scools, holding not lower than 2nd class certificate. Two of said teachers to be especially qualified for junior work. Salary 300 per annum. Duties to commence after Christmas vacation. Applications will be received by the undersigned up to Monday, the 16th inst. ROBERT SPIER, Secretary B.E.L.—78-1.

New Advertisements. CITUATION WANTED .- A Middle aged Lady wishes a situation as Working sekeeper where there are no children. No ction to country. Apply to THE POST.

STRAYED.—Came into the premises of the undersigned, Elizabeth st., Cobecank, on Nov. 30th, one RED STEER CALF. Owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take him away. ALEX. McGREGOR, Coboconk. Dec. 3rd. 1889.—78-3pd.

ESTRAY HEIFERS—Came into the premises of the undersigned, Lot 19 in lat Con. of Carden, about the lat of June, TWO HEIFERS one year old. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying ex-penses. JAMES O'NEILL, Carden P.O. Dec. 3, 1889.—78-8pd.

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is Collector and Canvasser for THE CANADIAN Post and is authorized to grant receipts for subscriptions, etc., and transact ordinar; sust-

The Canadian Post.

TO EDGAR ALLAN POE. [The brilliant but exceedingly erratic author of "The Raven" is said to have died with the words "O God. Lenore!" on his lips.

> Hark! from the purpling sky Comes music exquisite. A dove immaculate, Fluttering with silvery cry Swiftly, from the star-lit Cloisters of paradise.

On the cold earth below Lieth the poet weird-Dying, but she hath heard The prayer of Callio-She, chaste Lenore: "There is in Gilead balm, Knowest thou who I am?' "O God, Lenore!"

They up to paradise Mount through the echoing skies. GERALD L. MARSTON POGUE. St. Alban's Ward, Toronto, Nov. 29, 1889.

On Reading Paul B. DuChalliu's "Vicking Flercer than Death, impassive, standeth he. *"Athwart the sunrise of our western day;"

Lo, his eyes burst with flame! Keep well His arm is strong—this lord of the dark sea! With winged helm, and good blade sounding

Singing aloud, through many a furious fray, He comes like tempest-see, he burns to

Back!—or this day thy last on earth shall be! Swift falls the axe, and swifter falls the oath Wild-"By the battle sword of mighty Thor! -His only music is the stalwart roar Of the storm-and the wierd war-songs that

Drave the gods on to combat. Nothing loth We move aside and let the giant war. GERALD L. MARSTON POGUE. I am indebted for this line to Mr. Ernest

St. Alban's Ward, Toronto, Nov. 15, 1889 STANLEY NEARING HOME. Expects to Reach Zanzibar on Thursday

-Captain Cazati Heard From. ZANZIBAR, Nov. 30.-Henry M. Stanley. writing from Wikesei, November 26th, says his party are all well and enjoying the luxuries sent by Major Wissmann. Stanley complains that his mails had been lost or stolen, but in a postscript he announces that he received the consular letters, and everybody rejoiced to hear that the queen is still reigning. He wants newspapers in order to learn the eyents of the past

three years. He expects to arrive at Bagathree years. He expects to arrive at Bagamoyo on Thursday.

Rome, December 1.—The Riforma publishes a letter from Captain Cazati, dated Tongura, March 25th, 1888. Describing his arrest in January by order of King Kobrega, he says he was cruelly bound and driven from village to village towards the country of Chief Kokora, who gave orders to his people to kill him. After eight days of suffering and fast he was rescued by Emin Pasha, but lost evertthing, ivory. Emin Pasha, but lost everything, ivory, papers and letters included. "My grief thereat," he writes, "is so strong, I feel annihilated. A merchant named Birl, who was residing with me, suffered the same

fate, and it is reported he committed suicide on the road. King Kobrega is sending soldiers to intercept Stanley." Valuable Geographical Discoveries.

NEW YORK, Dec. 4. - In a letter to the Herald dated Mruwah, Nov. 30, Henry M. Stanley says: "I am in perfect health and teel like a laborer of a Saturday evening reto-morrow is the Sabbath. Locking back over what has been accomplished I see no reason for any heart's discontent. Over and above the happy ending of our appointed duties we have not been unfortunate in geographical discoveries. The Aruwimi is now known from its source to its mouth. The great Congo forest, covering as large an area as France and the Iberian peninsula, we can now certify to be an absolute fact. The Mountains of the doon, this time beyond the least doubt. have been located, and Ruwenzori, "The Cloud King," robed in eternal snow, has been seen; and its flanks explored, and some of its shoulders ascended. Mounts Gordon Bennett and MacKinnon cones being but giant sentries warning off the approach to the inner area of "The Cloud King." On the south east of the range the connection between Albert Nyanza lake and the Albert Nyanza river has been dis-covered and the extent of the former lake s now known for the first time. Range after range of mountains has been traversed, separated by such tracts of pasture lands as would make your cowboys mad with envy. And right under the burning equator we have fed on blackberries and bilberries and quenched our thirst with crystal water fresh from snow beds. We have also been able to add nearly six thousand square miles of water to Victoria Nyanza. Our

naturalist will expatiate upon the new species of animals, birds and plants he has discovered. Our surgeon will tell what he knows of the climate and its amenities. knows of the climate and its amenities. It will take us all we know how to say what new store of knowledge has been gathered from this unexpected field.

The explorer then relates how the rear column disobeyed his orders to march from Yambuva, Aug. 17, 1887, the result being that three fourths of them died of slow poison, their commander was murdered, their second officer died of sickness and grief while another, wasted to a skeleton, returned house.

eturned home.

The Herald Commissioner Meets Stanley. LONDON, Dec. 3.-The New York Herald ommissioner sends the following: I have just met Henry M. Stanley, Emin have just met Henry M. Stanley, Emin Pasha, Casati, Lieut. Stairs, Mr. Jephson, Dr. Parke, Nelson and Bonny and 560 men, women and children. I have found Stanley looking exceedingly hearty. He wears a Prussian cap, linen breeches and canvass shoes. I presented him with the American flag with which I was entrusted and it is now flying from Stanley's tent. The great explorer's hair is quite white and moustache is iron gray. Emin Pasha is a slight, dark man. He wears spectacles. In a short conversation which I had with him he told me that he did not wish for any honors for what he had done.

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LOCAL NEWS-LETTERS

UPTERGROVE. [Correspondence of The Post.]

WANTED.—We will give either cash or trade for any quantity of Turkeys, Geese, Ducks or Chickens. Must be dry picked and have empty crops. No matter what other people off-ryou for them, get our prices before you sell. We sell the chespest and best goods in Canada. J. T. PORTER & Co., Orillia,—78-1.

ding by throwing open the hospital doors of their spacious residence on Front-ave., and giving their many friends an opportunity to spend an enjoyable time in honor of the event.—[Journal.

SILVER WEDDING. On Friday night of last week Mr. and Mrs. Jos. E. Gould celebrated the 25th anniversary of their wed-

KIRKFIELD. [Correspondence of The Post.]
Business.—Mr. W. A. McRae, stove merchant, is doing an unusually active trade in his line this season. Dealing with the leading manufacturers, Mr. McRae has worked up a fine business. He keeps all the latest styles of coal stoves, and his stock of wood stoves are unexcelled. The greater number of the pumps used in this section are supplied by Mr. McRae.

BRECHIN. [Correspondence of The Post.]

LOOK UP Mara correspondence and read what J. T. Porter & Co. have to say this week. This is an exterprising firm, with lots of experience in buying the right goods cheap. They buy for spet cash, and if there is any bargains in the market they get them. Don't fail to look Porter & Co. up next time you are in Orillia.

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FREE EXHIBITION AT THE BRECHIN EM PORIUM.—D. M. SMITH has received his new fall stock and is selling first-class goods cheaper than any bankrupt trash. Don't be deceived by any samples of rags sent by mail. They are easily beaten in price and quality at D. M. smith's New goods arriving weekly. Go with the crowd to the Brechin Emporium. Christmas goods to hand. D. M. SMITH, prop.—72-1.

PETERBORO.

ASSAULT CASE. -Th case of Colbeck McWilliams came up in the police court Monday morning. The plaintiff was represented by Mr. E. B. Edwards and the defendant by Mr. W. A. Stratton. The defence entered a number of objections to police magistrate Dumble trying the to police magistrate Dumble trying the case, alleging disqualification on the ground that the police magistrate was a member of the school board, was a friend and confederate of the teacher, and personally prejudiced against the defendant. The magistrate said he would not summarily try the case if it was not desired. But would simply determine if it should but would simply determine if it should go to a higher court. A large amount evidence was taken as to the horsewhipping in the collegiate institute a week ago, and finally the defendant was sent up for trial at the county court next week.

MARA. [Correspondence of The Post.] THIS INTERESTS YOU. -AN ITEM WORTH READING.—The following is a partial list of the many bargains offered by Orillia's Great Bargain House, J. T. PORTER & Co. The goods bear examination; the prices bear comparison. Fine 26 inch Twiled Pure All-wool Grey Flan-Flanel, only 15c a yard. 27-inch Checked Factory Flannel, only 20c a yard. Wide Fable Linen, a plum at 15c a yard. 54 inch Black Curly Lambskin. 31 a yard, worth \$1.50 wholesale. Fine plum at 15c a yard. 54 inch Black Curiy Lambekin, \$1 a yard, worth \$1.50 wholesale. Fine All-Wool White Twilled Cornwall Blankets, a rare bargain at \$2.10 a pair. Ladies' Heavy Merino Undervests, all sizes, only 40c each. Heavy Shiring Ginghams, fast colors, only 6c a yard. Heavy Brown and Blue Derrys, only 10c a yard, equal to any 15c line in Canada. Heavy Bed Comforters, large size, good strong cloth and nice patterns, only 75c each. Ladies' Heavy Fleece Lined Cashmere Jersey Gloves only 25c a pair, less than half-price. Something for the children: About 60) nicely illustrated Story Books, well bound, with from 200 to 500 pages, only 5c each, almost giving them away. Remember we are paying the highest prices for butter and eggs, also turkeys, geese, chickens and ducks. Remember the place, J. T. Porter & Co., Orillia, —78-1.

FENELON. [Correspondence of The Post.] SCHOOL REPORT. - Subjoined is the stand ing of the senior pupi's of s. s. No. 7, Fens lon, for November. Marks based on regular attendance, perfect recitations and written tests. Names inserted in order of meri: Fifth class: -Bruce Greer, Mary Willock. Fourth class: -Angelina Hay. John Kannedy, Rosie Hay, Angelina Hore, Leacen Irwin. Third class: Georgia Hore, Maggie Brien, Bert Brien, Thomas Brien, Fred Perrin. Second class: -Lottie Kennedy, Eva Hay. Willens J. Wagstaff, Albert Hore, Ida Endicott, Bertie Irwin, Jno, Hancock, Mary Irwin, Maggie Thoraton' Geo. Endicott, Joe Perrin, Thomas Wellington. Second class junior:—(1) Thomas Jackson, Annie Brien, Martha Thurston, equal; (2) Jno. Jackson, (3) Sammy End-cott. Second part: -Willie Greer, Willie lackson, George Kennedy, Lizzie Grey, Mebel Thurston.... Parents in examining the report will please remember that the regular attendance is indispensible to a good standing. S. C. Moore, teacher.

LITTLE BRITAIN.

[Correspondence of The Post.] A CHARMING PRESENT .- At an early hour on Sunday morning last, at the Queen's hotel, Mrs. Jenkins presented her husband with a daughter. We are giad to hear the young lady and mother are doing well, and that its happy fath r

is very proud of it. FAREWELL RECEPTION. - Miss Mark, laughter of our respected townsman, Mr. John Mark, who is about leaving for Lindsay, gave a farewell reception to her young friends on Monday evening last. Among those present we noticed Mr. G. Wallis, Mr. E. Prouse, J. Glass, Miss Mary Jane Robinson, Miss Metherell and others. Miss Robinson and Miss Metherell others. Miss Robinson and Miss Metherell entertained the company very much by their sweet songs. Mr. G. Wallis in feeling terms proposed the health of Mr. and Miss Mark. Mr. Mark suitably replied. The young people then left for their respective homes after having spent a very pleasant evening....Mr. Mark has leased the fine dwelling of Mr. John Blackwell in Lindsay converts the

John Blackwell in Lindsay, opposite the Lindsay collegiate institute.

RETURNED.—We are much pleased to see RETURNED.—We are much pleased to see Miss Alma Metherell home again after spending a short time in the city.

PERSONAL.—Mrs. Thompson from Enfield, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Jenkins, of the Queen's hotel....Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Reeder of Lake City, Michigan, are visiting their brother-in-law, Mr. John Pearce. They speak well of Uncle Sam's country.

Uncle Sam's country.

RECRUTTING.—Mr. W. H. Pogue spent a
few days in town last week. We are glad
to see him so much improved in health.

This was agreed to and the peace.

It is rumoured that next summer about 10,000 of Canada's militia will be massed in Kingston, as an experiment, to see with what despatch a large body of troops can be gathered at one place.

Mrs. A. R. Edwards has been arrested at Woodstock and taken to Clinton, charged with having poisoned her first husband, Hugh J. Whitley. Whitley died in May of the present year, and about three weeks ago Mrs. Whitley was married to A. R. Edwards of Woodstock. The principal witness against the accused is a girl named Annie Johnson, who was employed as a domestic in Whitley's house during his illness. She swore that she saw Mrs. Whitley put arsenic in her husband's food on more than one occasion, and that she heard Mrs. Whitley eay it was no harm to kill such a man. Mrs. Whitley or Mrs. Edwards was committed for trial by two Clinton justices of the peace. lerable height in Edwards was committed for trial i

TERMS, \$1.00 PER YEAR PAYABLE IN ADVANCE.

A Fighting Campaign Premise

Speaking at the annual meeting of the

Toronto reform association Monday evening Hon. G. W. Rose referred in terms of gratification to the result of the recent campaign in West Lambton. They had been assured that the policy of the government was not approved by the liberals generally, but when the challenge came it was promptly accepted, and with results with which they had every reason to be satisfied, as it not only vindicated the government but returned to parliament a gentleman who would give a very good account of himself. would give a very good account of himself.

Mr. Ross proceeded:—"We intend to make
the next campaign a fighting campaign.
(Cheers.) I don't care for a campaign of any
other kind. We are not afraid of the conservative party or of any combination of their forces with the third party. We intend to show that the policy of the government is in accord with liberal principles; that if a third party is ecessary it must be for discont need conservatives and not for liberals. We intend to put forward our advocacy of provincial rights all along the line, upon which we have had to resist conservatives ever since 1878. We intend, (for without this we would not be liberals) to impress upon the people that there is no room in this province for intolerance or bigotry on lines of race or creed. If the conservatives are prepared to antagonise us on that ground, we know what the result will be, for our policy would win the support, not only of reformers but of thinking conservatives as well. We go to the country on our fiscal policy also, for we have spent about \$50,000,000 of public money for the benefit of the province, and out a dollar corruptly. Our course has been characterized by that judicious expenditure which is the true conomy. When the contest is declared, believe the people of O tario will respond in a manner which will perhaps astonish our opponents. We have a good policy and a good record. And we have a good leader. He is a leader who will lead. (Tremendous cheering.) His administration of public affairs commands the confidence and respect of the people of Outario. Mr. R :88 concluded by expressing his thanks for the kind reception accorded him.

The Christmas number of the Montreal Star is out, and a shining beauty it is. There are three art plates and forty-four pages. Every purchaser is entitled to a copy of the great picture, which cost the publishers three thousand five hundred dollars. The price is only 50c., and is a lovely thing for a Christmas present.

The Christmas Globe

The Toron o Globe's special Christmas number is one of the finest and handsomest produc tions of the kind ever published inCanada. In fact it is the best purely Cauadian work of its class. The illustrations are extremely creditable and are admirably executed. They will afferd great erjoyment in the nome circle. A large number of our foremost Canadian authors contribute poems, tales, exetches and other

Lindsay Board of Education

The board of education met Tuesday evening in the council chamber in regular monthly session. The members present were: Adam Hudspeth, chairman, and Mesers. J. R. McNeillie. J D. Fiavelle, Thomas Stewart, John Kennedy, Robert Kennedy, Thomas Waiters, A. O'Leary Principal Herstone and Inspector Knight occu-pied seats within the enclosure. After the pied seats within the enclosure. After the minutes of last meeting had been read and confirmed the usual attendance reports were read.
The number of pupils on the rolls of the public schools for November was 766, average, 669; collegiate institute, 203, average, 175. The report of the inspector of collegiate institutes, giving the rating of the Lindsay institute, was then read, and it reports highly antiferent to the read, and it reports highly institute, was then read, and it proved highly satisfactory to the board. The inspector gave it as his opinion that if the usual increase in attendance took that if the usual increase in attendance took place during the coming term an additional teacher would have to be engaged. The reports were laid on the table. The secretary read communications from Miss McQueen and Miss Deacon of the public school staff tendering their resignation; form Mr. H. Ferguson, stating that owing to largely increased duties it was impossible for him to devote proper attention to his position as trustee, and he therefore tendered his resignation, which was accepted later on. The report of the firmee committee, presented by Mr. McNeillie. Recommended the payment of a number of small accounts. Mr. Passmore by Mr. McNeilie. recommended the payment of a number of small accounts. Mr Passmore, collegiate institute justion, was given \$5 for extra work during July examinations. The report also stated that \$17.50 was due Mr. Armour owing to readjusting at 6 salaries, and recommended payment of same; also that Mr. Stevens salary be increased \$.00 from January is next, and Miss Marty's \$50 from same date. with regard to kindergarten can see the subject was being considered. Mr. Walters favored referring the report back for reconsideration as regarded the increase in salaries. It was highly important that the strictest even my should be practised in connection with the schools, as the rate was now very high; neither sid he think it wise for a board to wind up the year's duties by raising salaries. Considerable more money had been spent is connection with the collegiste in-stitute then expected, and the public expected the utmest element in the future. Mr Robt. Kennedy seconded Mr. Walters motion, and said one thing he deeply regretted was that he nad voter last summer to increase a teacher's salary. Hesaw how that it was merely getting in the thince are of the wedge; instead of rais-

crease it was kn wn that she had been offered as high a salary since her engagem ut, and the committee thought it wise to include her... Mr. stewart uphed the increases recummended as important to the welfare of the schools.... Mr. Walters said that if the teachers deserved the Walters said that if the teach as deserved the increases they should be given soon; he brought the discussion on so that the partie might understand the reason why.... Mr. Hudspeth referred to the course of the board mine past and said that certainly a good deal of mone; had been spent on the instruct, the result being that thindsay has a colestate institute that is a credit to the town and actisfactory to the department.... Mr. R. Kenn dy said he tour ht \$1,000; per annum supply sufficient for Mr. Stevens and the people thoughts to too. If that kind of thing went on it would be a ultimately kind of thing w. nt on it wou's lead ultimately to a discolution of the board, to prevent the public schools suffering in favor of the institute. ... Mr. walters offered to withdraw his amendment, but Mr. Kennedy, as seconder, refused. Upon a vote being taken the amendment was defeated and the report was declared and the report was declared and the defeated and the report was declared adopted. Considerable discussion then took place as to the advisability of closing the institute three considerable discussion then took place as to the a visability of closing the institute three days earlier than usual at the regular Christmas helidays in compliance with a request from teachers and pupils. It was pointed out that Mr. Harstone would be engaged with examinations, and the excitement attending the usual closing exercises would tend to demoralize the scholars for steady work tinally Mr. O'Leary hit the nail on the head by remarking that even if they did decide to close the school three days earlier the scholars would likely relax their efforts three days earlier still; consequently school had better go en—and so it was decided, Mr. Harstone concurring. On motion the resignations of Misses McQuein and Deacon were accepted and the secretary was instructed to advertise for three teachers—two to fill the vacanci scaused by resignation, and one in accordance with Mr. Broderick's report. The quistion of procuring snother teacher for the collegiate in accordance with the inspector's recommendation was discussed for some time.