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The Victoria Warder

THURSDAY, OCT. 31, 1878.

MUCH ADO ABOUT NO THING

The Opposition press, as we have now to speak of the organs of the late Ministry, are taking a great deal of unnecessary concern just only about the formation of the new Cabinet but about other matters which might very fairly be left to those who have been called upon to administer the affairs of the Dominion. Because one was taken into the Cabinet and the other one left out, because the one was appointed to a certain portfolio and that one wasn't, seems quite enough to cause gravity to the distressed out organs. Their attention not may seem to be purely equally divided between the National Policy, Catholic representation, and Sir John's shape of a lounge in Ottawa for three years only. The latter is supposed to have much significance. Sir John is to find the Government for three years; and then retire into some gay country to Lookout Point in Dr. Foster. The moment he is gone he is to be no more. Parliament is to be dissolved, and Sir John is to lead the Conservatives to victory in a little while yet under Sir John. Our Grit contemporaries may put as well possess their souls in patience for they will neither reach nor hasten legislation by all the fuss they are making just now. As they must have something to discuss, it is just as well to let them go on their way, although they are only making much ado about no thing.

THE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

Now that the excitement consequent on the general election has passed down it might not be amiss if we directed a little attention to our civic government. There is a good deal of truth contained in what "A Ratepayer" says in a communication on another part of this issue. By far too little interest is taken in municipal matters by the men who have the most at stake. Not only so is it the case here but the same is found to be so everywhere. The natural result of which is that a host of candidates crop up about election time who if, though legally eligible are for want of better men allowed to creep into the Council. One may want a building in front of his lot or another may want a sidewalk in front of his house and he thinks the quickest way to have it done is by being elected a Councillor. So far as we know there is nothing to be said against the Councillors elected last January. As a set of men they are probably quite as respectable as any similar body to be found in any other town, at the same time the ratepayers would like to know what they have done and what they have left undone. Perhaps like the members of Mackenzie's Government "they could find nothing to reform," if so, it is saying a good deal for the Council of the previous year. But with a view to bringing about a better state of things in regard to matters municipal we think the suggestion in the latter part of "A Ratepayer's" communication a very good one. Thank goodness we have no such "rings" as are to be found on the other side and which are a disgrace to the communities in which they exist. For the absence of such a state of things here we have reason to be thankful. But we cannot overlook the fact that our taxes are steadily increasing year by year. Should they go on increasing as they have done during the past few years, goodness knows where they or we will end. There is a matter that concerns every ratepayer in the town and one that is very dangerously brought to mind when the collector starts out periodically on the war path. There is no doubt whatever about it that it is the plain duty of those men who have large interests at stake to take a greater interest in matters that personally concern themselves instead of leaving it to those who have little or no interest themselves and who care still less about the interests of others. To the suggestions of "A Ratepayer" carried out they might post to be a great amount of good, at least they would do no harm.

EDITORIAL NOTES

Havana is making every preparation for the reception of the Marquis of Lorne and Princess Louise, who are to receive a welcome in every way worthy of them.

The nomination of candidates to represent Centre Huron took place at Seaforth last Saturday. Mr. Carp will be opposed by Mr. Sawyer, Tory, a prominent salt manufacturer of Goderich.

King Alfonso of Spain was lately fired at while driving through the streets of Madrid, but fortunately escaped being shot. The would-be assassin was immediately seized by the soldiers and taken to prison.

The Ottawa *Free Press* lectures its Opposition brethren on the childish folly of attacking the new Ministry in advance of the measures they propose to introduce, in fulfilment of the promises made to the country.

The *Mail*. "We have good grounds for stating that it is not likely the Local elections will come off before May or June. There is therefore no need of precipitancy in making nominations. For organization should be proceeded with vigorously and zealously, so as to be prepared for any emergency."

Montreal *News*. "It is announced that, already, the sickle has been thrust into the appointments made by the retiring Government. In one instance, we have been cancelled, and others are likely to follow. If all reports be true, there is ample room for amendment, particularly in the harmonious of customs and Inland Revenue."

There is a good deal of fuss in Tory Newspapers over Americans come over to witness the Victoria and other races, when all need to have British purses and pays upon American soil, and in consequence of which a Revenue had to pay no small amount. The proceeds of what considerable hospitality was also most spent in Tory hands, and yet Russian officers have been allowed to be made and fitted in one of the United States, there being but slight attempts made to disguise the fact that they were for the purpose of carrying on operations against Great Britain. The Marquis of Salisbury has taken on the subject of a rupture and has addressed a strong note to the authorities of Washington, in which they are informed of these things in connection with the equipping of vessels and the unauthorized sale of arms for a Government with which war does not exist, or which is very remote from emergency.

THE TREATY A FAILURE

ENGLAND CONGRATULATES A PRIMMER ON HIS SUCCESS.

London, Oct. 28.—A Vienna despatch says England has addressed a protest to Russia against her non-observance of the Treaty of Berlin.

The *Times*, while admitting that the time has come when some steps must be taken, thinks the collective representation of the Powers will be most offended, and believes France, Austria and Germany will not hesitate to unite with England in protesting the provisions of the Berlin Treaty.

The Porte has asked Prince Lobanoff to explain the return of the Russians to the positions recently evacuated, and also the refusal to remunerate Turkish authorities in the District between Eshorlon and Adrianople.

Sixty thousand Russians have entered Roumelia by way of Bourgas.

The St. Petersburg (*Globe*) says if the Russian people were consulted as they would unhesitatingly decide for a renewal of the struggle. Despite the expedients of diplomacy to meet the natural sense of historical development, it is evident that an inevitable crisis in the Eastern question has arrived. There is no apparent prospect of completing the organization of the Balkan peninsula on a basis of humanity and justice without a fresh war."

The *Pall Mall Gazette* declares the Treaty of Berlin is a failure, and that it will be impossible to arrive at a peaceable solution on its lines. "Peace," it says, "cannot be commanded by commanding the arrest of the reckless power which has kept Europe in commotion for years past, and now threatens to break away from all law and all restraint."

A despatch from Vienna says England has confidentially directed the attention of Austria to the serious aspect of affairs in Turkey, but has not yet made an attempt to bring about common action by the Powers, although she has brought forward the matter individually at St. Petersburg.

THE ATTEMPT ON KING ALFONSO'S LIFE.

Madrid, Oct. 28. The assassin who attempted the King's life fired from the sidewalk in front of a house not far from the secret entrance to the Plaza Mayor. He aimed too low, as the ball passed through the hand of a soldier standing on guard on the opposite side of the street. The King saw the flash and with an involuntary movement checked his horse momentarily. He then rode magnificently onward towards the palace. Several women standing near pointed the criminal out. He was at once secured and did not make the slightest attempt to escape. The prisoner displayed great coolness during his commitment, as he insolently drew a cigar from his pocket, which he coolly lit and began to smoke. He is a very thin man, and of medium height. General Grant was standing at the window of an hotel a short distance from the scene of the attack, following with his eyes the Royal cavacade and clearly saw the flash of the assassin's pistol. The General had already 'booked' for Lisbon by the night train. To Senor Silvera, Minister of State, who accompanied him to the railway station, Grant expressed his sympathies, and regretted that he was unable to postpone his journey that he might personally call upon his Majesty.

COMPLIMENTARY SUPPER TO HECTOR CAMERON, ESQ., M.P., AT FENELON FALLS.

A HAPPY GATHERING.

Thursday evening last was the occasion of a very pleasant gathering at Fenelon Falls, of the friends and political supporters of Mr. Hector Cameron, M.P., for North Victoria. The assemblage consisted of large numbers from all parts of the Riding, comprising the representative men of the various municipalities, in addition to whom there was a good sprinkling of villagers and about thirty from Lindsay. The train from Lindsay, on which was the guest of the evening, was met at the station by a large concourse of people and a procession at once formed headed by the Fenelon Falls Brass Band. The banquet was held in the spacious dining hall of the McArthur House, and reflected great credit on the new proprietor, Mr. Rutherford. About 160 sat down to supper, amongst whom were noticed Messrs. J. J. Power, James Agnew, H. F. Heming, T. Roberts, Dr. Bryson, T. Mares, Capt. Kennedy, A. A. McDonald, Fenelon Falls; John Daniel, Reeve, J. D. Naylor, ex-Reeve, Fenelon; Wm. Ashman, Deputy Reeve, Eldon; Wm. Honey, H. Perdue, Fenelon; John Fell, Reeve of Somerville; J. McTaggart, Kirkfield; S. McKenzie, James Armstrong, Woodville; Dr. Pitcher, Sheriden; W. L. Russell, Warden of the County, A. Hudspeth, Samuel Irwin, E. Votich, H. Walters, R. Leary, R. Wilson, M. Sanderson, P. Brady, E. Flood, editor of THE WARDER, Lindsay; A. McQuade, M.P., Omemee; Hon M. C. Cameron, Hector Cameron, M.P., and T. A. McLean, Toronto. The chair was occupied by Mr. John Fell, Reeve of Somerville, who had on his right Mr. Cameron, the guest of the evening, and Mr. McQuade, M.P. and on his left Hon M. C. Cameron, M.P.P., and Mr. Adam Hudspeth. The vice chair was filled by Mr. W. L. Russell, Warden of the County. After full justice had been done the viands, the chairman proposed the following toasts:

The Queen and Royal Family. "National Anthem by the band.

The Queen's Representative," Sir Patrick McDougall. Song by Mr. H. Walters.

Army, Navy and Canadian Volunteers. Song "Red, White and Blue," by Mr. Hudspeth, and responded to by Capt. Kennedy.

Our Guest. Mr. Cameron on rising to respond was greeted with long and loud cheers which continued for several minutes. He said that on the present occasion he might be pardoned for feeling somewhat difficult as his heart was too full for making a speech. He felt that it was not to himself alone but to the whole Conservative party that honor was being done this evening. Although in the general election he said the most sanguine could not have prophesied such a glorious result, and that the idea of there being a majority of 50 in the House would have been classed as preposterous, but the 17th of September told the tale. He referred to the responsibility entailed on the members of the new Government but felt confident that Sir John would do what was right. The clamour of the "Globe" and other Grit organs to bring in the National Policy at once was absurd. The alteration of the tariff was a difficult task. Mr. Cartwright had attempted it but had made a miserable failure. Many things had to be considered very carefully by the new Administration. He himself had no doubt but the Government before very long would be prepared to lay before the people a plan for alleviating the existing depression, and that Sir John's restoration to power would prove of incalculable good to the country. Alluding to what had been said of himself not being taken into the Cabinet he begged to assure them that he was quite satisfied with matters as they were. He concluded that the power and influence of the "Globe" and Mr. Brown were gone. He alluded to Mr. Brown's visit to Oakwood during the campaign and was of the opinion that it had done much more harm than good for the Reform party. In speaking of his first political connection with Victoria Mr. Cameron said it commenced about twenty years ago. His late uncle then represented the Riding and he succeeded to it he supposed by inheritance. In 1867 he contested the South Riding but was unsuccessful. In 1874 he was again offered the nomination but declined it. He referred to the loss to the party of the late Mr. Staples through the wiles of the scoundrel Mr. S. C. Wood. In the late election he was determined to fight it out to the bitter end. He spoke of the former contested election and the falsification of votes against him but he was triumphantly returned and now they had done him the honour of elected him again by a majority of 170. In conclusion Mr. Cameron said he had fulfilled his promise of visiting the constituency as often as he could and he would continue to do so. He was delighted at having his friend the Hon. M. C. Cameron here tonight but regretted the unavoidable absence of Mr. D'Alton McCarthy, of whom he spoke very highly. Mr. Cameron resumed his seat amid applause.

The Dominion Government and the Commons." Mr. McQuade, M.P., in response expressed his thanks for the kind manner in which the toast had been received and the very great pleasure he felt in being present on this joyous occasion. He eulogized Mr. Cameron to whom he was indebted for such a substance. He prophesied great success for the National Policy and on taking his seat was loudly cheered.

"Her Majesty's Loyal Opposition and the Legislative Assembly." A song in French by Mr. St. Michel.

Hon. M. C. Cameron in responding to the toast said that it afforded him great pleasure to address the electors of the North Riding. In the course of his remarks he alluded in a very humorous manner to a meeting he attended at Lamb's School House during the contest in the South Riding four years ago. He spoke of the complete overthrow of the Grits at the late election and paid a high tribute of praise to Mr. Hector Cameron. He touched upon the debt of the Province and the manner in which the Government had falsified its pledges, and given contracts without asking for tenders. Mr. Cameron's speech was listened to with the greatest attention and on concluding was greeted with tremendous cheering.

The remainder of the toasts were proposed by the vice chairman and in the following order:

"The Learned Professions," Responded to by Mr. Hudspeth, who in the course of a very impressive speech showed up the wire-puller in the North and South Ridings during the late contest and the object he had in keeping Mr. Cameron in the Riding. He characterized Mr. McLennan's candidature as a farce.

"The Material Interests of Canada" manufactures and agriculture. Responded to by Mr. J. D. Naylor, Mr. John Daniel and Mr. T. A. McLean, Toronto.

"The Press." Responded to by Mr. E. Flood of THE WARDER.

"The Ladies." Response from Mr. Ingram.

The proceedings shortly afterwards terminated with the National Anthem.

Mr. E. H. Brennan of the Victoria Railway kindly ran out an engine and coach himself to enable the party from Lindsay to return the same night.

VICTORIA FALL ASSIZES.

(Mr. Justice Gwynne presiding.)

CIVIL CASES.

Thompson vs. Georgian Bay Lumber Co.—Action brought to recover back money paid for timber limits to which the defendants had no title at the time of sale. The jury found that the sale was made by the agent of the defendants, knowing that he was selling the right to cut wood on lands not included in their license, and brought in a verdict for the plaintiff for $1128, which the judge reduced to $372 on his ruling that the jury had exceeded their powers and the law was against the plaintiff's rights to recover more than that amount. M. C. Cameron, Q.C., H. O'Leary and F. E. Burnham for plaintiff; D'Alton McCarthy, Q.C., for defendants.

Dwellen vs. Town of Lindsay.—Action to recover damages from town owing to injury to plaintiff from defective sidewalk. Verdict for plaintiff, $50 and certificate for County Court costs. Ketchum & McDonnell for plaintiff; Hudspeth & Barron for defendants.

McFayden vs. Town of Lindsay.—Action for damages alleged to have been sustained by plaintiff falling off Wellington Street Bridge at the east end, between the swing and the adjoining part of the bridge, which plaintiff alleged was, by negligence of the defendants, in an unsafe condition. Plaintiff swore that after falling into the river he waded across it and was taken out at Robson's tannery. Defendants, besides denying their liability to repair the bridge, alleged that plaintiff did not fall off where he says he did, as he could not have waded across the river, which the evidence sustained. It was also proved that the bridge was not out of repair, it being shewn that it was in the same condition it was left by the Government when they built the swing in. Verdict for defendants. Jay Ketchum for plaintiff; P. S. Martin for defendants.

Bay vs. McNab.—Action for encroachment for part of Lot 29, Concession 2, Fenelon. The main question was the identity of the Patentee of the Crown. Defendants also claimed title by length of possession, which they failed to establish. H. Cameron, Q.C., and P. S. Martin for plaintiff; Hudspeth & Barron for defendant.

Brown vs. Ashman.—An action brought by plaintiff to recover damages for defamation of character and libel. Settled between parties, each paying costs equally. Hudspeth & Barron for plaintiff; P. S. Martin and H. Cameron Q.C., for defendant.

Sangster vs. Jones.—Action of ejectment. Verdict for plaintiff with leave reserved to move against it in Term. Hudspeth & Barron for plaintiff. M. C. Cameron and A. A. McDonald for defendant.

National Investment Co. vs. Northern Insurance Co.—The plaintiffs in this case were mortgagees of a house in Cobourg owned by Hugh Deviny, which was burned down last spring. It was at this fire that the three Cobourg firemen were killed. Deviny had insured the house for $5,350 in the Northern Insurance Company, and had made the loss, if any, payable to the plaintiffs. It was proven that in order to get the house insured for this amount, Deviny had valued it at $8,000, as the Company would only insure for two-thirds of the value. The house, which was new, had only cost about $5,800, and a number of witnesses swore that it had cost too much. About $2,000 worth of the building remained after the fire, notwithstanding which Deviny swore in his claim papers that the building was a total loss. Two valuators, one appointed by him and one by the Insurance Company, had appraised the loss at $3,336, and this amount the insurance Company offered to pay, but Deviny and the plaintiffs refused to accept anything less than $5,350. After the defendants had offered this amount some questions arose about a former fire in a building of Deviny's, and a suit was commenced by another Insurance Company to recover back from Deviny the money which they had paid him for his loss in the former fire on the ground that he had set fire to the building. In that case the Court of Chancery ordered him to pay back to the Insurance Company the amount he had received, it being proved satisfactorily that he had caused the fire. All the above facts came out in the present trial and the jury found that Deviny had acted fraudulently in obtaining the policy for so large an amount, that he had further been guilty of fraud in swearing to a larger loss than he had actually sustained, and that the defendants were not liable on their policy and gave a verdict in their favour. M. C. Cameron, Q.C., and Mr A. C. Hoskin, of the firm of Cameron, McMichael & Hoskin, for the plaintiffs; H. Cameron, Q.C., and Mr. Holman, of the firm of Blake, Kerr & Boyd, Toronto, for the defendants.

CRIMINAL CASES.

Queen vs. Jas. Halley.—The prisoner was indicted for indecent assault on Sarah Cashmore, who was the only witness. The jury, however, failed to agree the prisoner was discharged. P. S. Martin for the prisoner; A. P. Devlin for the Crown.

Queen vs. J. Tyrrell.—The accused was indicted for embezzlement by Henry Hughes. It appeared that when the volunteers went into camp at Lindsay in September last, Hughes, who is a Quarter Master, opened what he called a "canteen," into which he put two hundred and twenty five gallons of beer and porter, with ginger ale, apples, biscuits, tobacco, &c., in charge of which he placed a man with an assistant. The man, it seems, becoming inebriated for business, was discharged after the first day, and Tyrrell placed in charge. At the close of the camp, Hughes considered he did not receive enough profit out of the concern and charged Tyrrell with appropriating the funds to his own use. When the evidence for the prosecution was heard the case fell through, County Attorney Devlin admitting that he had no case. From the evidence it appeared that the camp, instead of a season of exercise and drill, was one scene of carousal, and His Honor Judge Dean, who presided in this case, (it being the last, His Lordship having to leave by the noon train,) in addressing the jury dealt severely upon the manner in which the camp was conducted, stating that he learned even the Sabbath was spent in drinking, and that liquor was not only supplied to volunteers, but also to those over called for it, and that night was "made hideous" with their carousals. He directed the case to the notice of the License Inspector, and said he would be glad to have the matter brought up for adjudication, hoping thus such scandalous proceedings would be put a stop to. Mr. A. Hudspeth ably defended the accused; Mr. A. P. Devlin, Co. Attorney, prosecuted.

Tax Quashes vs. Jamie Sharpe.—Prisoner was charged with shooting one George Hughes, of Somerville. The parties lived on bad terms, and on the 19th instant as Hughes and his father were passing by prisoner's place they engaged in conversation which finally led the parties to use sticks and stones on each other; prisoner then sent his son for a gun, and when he got it shot at Shehee. Verdict guilty of "common assault." A. P. Devlin, for Crown; Hudspeth & Barron, for prisoner.

PRESENTMENT OF THE GRAND JURY.

To His Lordship Mr. Justice Gwynne:

May it please your Lordship:—

We, the Grand Jurors of Our Sovereign Lady the Queen, present,

In conformity with your Lordship's suggestions we have inspected the County Gaol, and have to state we found the entire premises a model of good order and neatness. On enquiry we ascertained that the prisoners expressed their satisfaction with the treatment they received.

The small number of criminal cases which we have been called upon to investigate is a cause for satisfaction.

The increase in the number of charges for criminal assaults on females, which appear at our Courts, leads us to express our belief that a more general infliction of corporal punishment upon such criminals would exercise a greater deterring influence.

In conclusion we would express our thanks to Mr. Sheriff Kemet and the County Attorney for their usual courtesy and assistance in the performance of our duties.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JOS. COOPER,
Foreman.

VICTORIA COUNTY MODEL SCHOOL INSPECTION.

On the 23rd inst. Mr. Tilley, Inspector, County Model Schools, examined the teachers-in-training (26 in number) at the Model School, in the methods of teaching Arithmetic, Grammar, Reading, Drawing, Writing, Calisthenics, Class Management, and in criticism on the work done by each. The students were called upon to teach Arithmetic, including Objective Counting, Development lesson on Fundamental Rules, Integral and Fractional Notation; Grammar, including parts of speech and grammatical use of words; Reading in First, Second and Third Books; Drawing, including Designing in Geometric Forms. At the close of the examination the Inspector made an able and eloquent speech bearing upon the difficulties in the profession, the influence of the teacher for good or for evil in the community, and upon the result of his inspection, in regard to which he stated that while the class as a whole evinced aptitude to teach, &c., equal to the average he had examined, the subjects of Writing, Drawing and Calisthenics were disposed of in a manner which far exceeded anything he had witnessed in the Province.

On the 25th inst. the Model Students assembled in the Model School Room prior to their Professional Examination and presented the following address to J. H. McFaul, Head Master:—

To Mr. J. H. McFaul, Head Master, Lindsay Model School:

Sir,—We, the undersigned students, take this opportunity of expressing our sense of the kind, gentlemanly and favourable treatment we have always received from you, and the earnest zeal you have displayed for our mental and moral improvement.

We recognize that under your tuition we have made much real progress, and that our labors have been greatly lightened by the unwearied industry and faithfulness that have characterized your efforts in our behalf, efforts upon which were skaycalculated to interest and never failed to instruct, for these we beg to thank you.

We consider our professional training equivalent to at least three years' actual teaching, under ordinary circumstances, in any rural, village, or city school.

Permit us to wish you every success as a master, and may your energy, perseverance and genial deportment continue to render you as esteemed and respected by all your students in after life as you have been by those of the third session of the Lindsay Model School, 1878.

Signed by

1	S. W. Boyd,	Undergraduate, Toronto University, Intermediate Grade B.
2	J. Campbell,	Intermediate Grade A.
3	J. Agnew,	do Grade A.
4	W. Harrington,	do Grade B.
5	Clara Hoy,	do Grade B.
6	Ella McMurray,	do Grade B.
7	George S. Pitts,	Certificate, 3rd Class.
8	Wm. Purdy,	do do
9	D. McDougall,	do do
10	E. Yerex,	do do
11	D. Barfoot,	do do
12	Wm. Doyle,	do do
13	J. Rennie,	do do
14	G. Stanley,	do do
15	G. Landers,	do do
16	E. Culbert,	do do
17	J. Rooney,	do do
18	W. Fox,	do do
19	W. Sibley,	do do
20	Maggie Junkin,	do do
21	Eliza Gertley,	do do
22	Hattie McWatters,	do do
23	Melvina Townsend,	do do
24	C. Lochead,	do do
25	Florence King,	do do
26	Howard Irwin,	do do

Lindsay, October 25th, 1878.

The Professional Examination was held on Friday, October 25th, and following day, when third class certificates for 3 years were awarded to the following candidates:—

Argue, John	Sibley, William
Balfour, David jr.	Staples, George W.
Broad, Samuel W.	Suttie, George
Campbell, John	Turton, William
Culbert, Edgar	Yerex, Edwin A.
Earle, William E.	Gertley, Eliza
Fox, William H.	Holtorf, Clara
Harrington, Michael	Junkin, Maggie
Irwin, Howard T.	King, Florence M.
Lindsay, George H.	Lochead, Charlotte E.
McDougall, Donald	McMurchy, Ella
Rennie, George	McWatters, Hattie
Rooney, John J.	Townsend, Melvina

BANK ROBBERY BY MASKED BURGLARS.

New York, Oct. 27.—Between six and nine this morning masked burglars entered the Manhattan Savings Bank building, corner of Broadway and Bleecker streets, and after handcuffing the janitor, made him, under threats of instant death, reveal the combination of the safe and deliver up the keys of the Bank. The officers of the Bank admit that the janitor possessed the combination to the vault. It was given him months ago so he could take out the books and make ready for business. The Bank officers state that securities were stolen to the amount of $1,757,700. Of these $1,506,700 were registered in the name of the institution, and are not negotiable; $168,000 are made payable to it; $73,000 are in coupon bonds and $11,000 in cash. For the purpose of preventing loss to depositors no payments will be made without 60 days' notice.

New York, Oct. 27.—The stolen securities include $500,000 U. S. fives of 1871, $200,000 U. S. sixes of 1871, $600,000 U. S. 10-40's, $320,000 various New York city securities, $30,000 State sixes, $25,000 Brooklyn coupon bonds. All the stolen bonds were registered, except $48,000 5-20 bonds, July, 1865, and $25,000 Brooklyn City Water Loan coupon bonds. All persons are notified not to purchase or negotiate the securities.

MURDER TRIAL AT WELLAND.

John Whitby Sentenced to be Hanged on Nov. 25th.

Welland, Oct 25.—The trial of John Whitby, otherwise known as Jack Smith, for murder, took place in the Welland Court House to-day before Mr. Justice Burton. A verdict of guilty was returned by the jury, and the prisoner was sentenced to be hanged on November 25th. The evidence on behalf of the prosecution was ample and conclusive, and was to the following effect:—That the prisoner and a man named Allan left Stevensville on the morning of April 13th, and proceeded along the Fort Erie road in the direction of Victoria; that up to a certain sugar bush between the 6th and 7th concessions they were seen together, the prisoner wearing a peculiar scarf and trowsers conspicuous by large black patches over the knees, and carrying with him an umbrella and an axe; that on the other side of the bush the prisoner was seen alone without the scarf and umbrella, and having on a pair of trowsers without patches; that on the afternoon of the same day the dead body of a man was found in the sugar bush with the prisoner's trowsers imperfectly drawn on, and with the scarf and umbrella close by the corpse; that the body, being buried, was exhumed on May 4th, and conclusively recognized as that of Allen, who had left Stevensville with the prisoner. This circumstantial evidence was strengthened by the confession of the prisoner on different occasions that he had killed his companion in a fit of passion. Mr. Crerar prosecuted for the Crown, and Mr. Van Norman, of Welland, gratuitously defended the prisoner. The evidence, however, was so conclusive that he had to admit the crime, and urge on the jury to reduce it from murder to manslaughter. After his lordship's charge the jury retired, and after one hour's deliberation brought in a verdict of guilty, with a strong recommendation to mercy. In passing sentence the Judge said he was but the mouthpiece of the law, and had no option but to pass sentence of death upon the prisoner, although he would lay the jury's recommendation before the Executive. He warned the prisoner to prepare to meet for his awful doom. When the Judge asked for a calendar the crowded court room was ominously silent, and continued so until the prisoner was formally sentenced.

During the trial Whitby appeared in a large measure indifferent to what was going on; when the verdict was returned tears was noticed in his eyes, and the gaoler asserts that he was exceedingly nervous before leaving his cell in the morning. When asked what he had to say why the sentence of the Court should not be passed upon him, he simply remarked, "No, I don't know what to say." He was taken to his cell immediately after being sentenced, and there he was quite indifferent to his position. The artless manner in which he filled his pipe and smoked away showed how unconcerned he was of his approaching doom. He burst out laughing two or three times, and said he did not want his parents to know of it. He enquired if it was not the 25th of next month, and remarked on another occasion that every man had to die once. Whitby is 33 years of age, and says he is the son of an Indian woman and a coloured man. He has lived among the Six Nations all his life, and among them he was celebrated for his athletic attainments. The man he murdered was unknown, except that his surname was Allan, and that he was a shoemaker tramping through the country. It is rumored that a petition is to be circulated to have the sentence reprieved, but the Indian is credited with saying that he prefers death to a reprieve. Great interest was manifested here in the trial, which concluded the business of the Court.

LORD DUFFERIN IN IRELAND.

Londonderry, Oct. 28.—Lord Dufferin, late Governor-General of Canada, arrived to-day, and was welcomed by the mayor, High Sheriff, and a number of other gentlemen, who presented an address and the freedom of the city. Earl Dufferin, in returning thanks, said he had left Canada as contented and loyal as Great Britian could desire.

CAUTION.—Sundry promissory notes drawn in favour of Mrs. Catharine Collins, and by the following persons, have been either lost, stolen, or mislaid:—Edward Murphy, Patrick Murphy, Joseph Curtis, John Darcy, Patrick Kenney and James Miller. The public are cautioned against negotiating for any of the above notes, no value having been received therefor.

CATHARINE COLLINS.

Lindsay, Oct. 30, 1878.—1128-3*

DR. F. J. DUGGAN, Graduate Toronto University, Member College Physicians and Surgeons, Ontario. Office and residence in C. L. Baker's old stand, Corn William and Peel Streets, Lindsay. 1126-1y

Where to Buy Your GOODS,

Is a question often asked, and we answer not where long winded accounts are encouraged and goods marked for such.

Nor where old goods are allowed to remain on the shelf and become stale, sooner than reduce the price.

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Has a large stock of Carriages, Buggies, Cutters and sleighs, of the latest designs, which will be sold at the lowest possible prices, in order to make room for winter stock.

The Best Bargains ever offered in Lindsay. Material all first-class, and work warranted for two years.

REPAIRS done with promptness.

P. S.—All accounts are requested to be settled by the first of December, in order to save the unpleasantness of placing them in other hands for collection.

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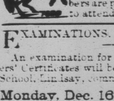
1043 Lindsay St., Lindsay



O. F. B. LODGE, No. 15.

The Regular Meeting of the Lodge will be held on Monday Evening next, 4th inst. Members are particularly requested to attend. By order W.M.

EXAMINATIONS.

An examination for Second Class Teachers' Certificates will be held at the Town School, Lindsay, commencing on

Monday, Dec. 16th, at 1:30 p. m.

Candidates are requested to notify one of the undersigned Inspectors not later than November 10th. Forms can be had on application.

An Examination for Entrance to the High Schools will be held in the School Houses at Lindsay, Omemee and Oakwood, commencing on

Tuesday, Dec. 17th, at 9 a. m.

Candidates are requested to notify the Head Master not later than November 9th.

J. H. KNIGHT, } P. L. Inspectors.
H. REAZIN, }

Lindsay, Oct. 19th, 1878.—1127-2

TEACHERS WANTED.—In School Section No. 8, Mariposa, for one year 1879, a 2nd and 3rd class teacher wanted. Applicant to state salary and send testimonials. Address Dr. VROOMAN, Little Britain, Ont. Little Britain, Oct. 22, 1878.—1127-2

FARM FOR SALE.—A good farm for sale, on easy terms, within 6 miles of Lindsay, E. ½ of 11, Con. 2, Ops. 100 acres, highly improved. For particulars apply to PATRICK MATHEWS, on the premises, or to P. S. MARTIN, Barrister, Lindsay. 1127-4*

FARM FOR SALE.—West half lot 22, in the 6th concession of Verulam, containing 100 acres, more or less; high land; good creek running through the middle. There is a shanty on the lot. Convenient to school house; situated about six miles from Fenelon Falls and the same distance from Bobcaygeon. Soil good loam with clay bottom. For further particulars apply to JOHN H. HALL, Lindsay, P. O., or to HUDSPETH & BARRON, Lindsay. 1126-3m*

FARM FOR SALE.—The east half of lot 23, in the 4th concession of Verulam, 100 acres. There are about forty-five acres cleared and in a good state of cultivation. There is a good frame barn 30 x 50 with stabling underneath and a log house on the premises, and a creek runs through the farm. Five miles from Fenelon Falls. This farm will be sold cheap and on easy terms of payment. Apply to WM. WINDRIM, on the farm, or to E. D. ORDE, Esq., Lindsay.—1123-4

DESIRABLE FARM FOR SALE OR TO LET.—East Half of Lot 23 in 1st Concession Fenelon, County Victoria, one Hundred Acres, 45 acres cleared, balance woodland (dry). Good view of Balsam Lake from off the premises. A very desirable rural residence. Convenient to schools, churches, Post Office, markets, &c. For further particulars apply to the owner personally on W½ of Lot 22 in the 3rd concession of Fenelon, or by letter to THOS. SMITHSON, Glenarm P.O., and to P. S. MARTIN, Esq., or to JOHN MCSWEYN, Esq., Solicitors, Lindsay. 1124-tf

FARM FOR SALE.—Will be sold cheap, North half lot 12, Con. 3, Township of Somerville; about 96 acres, 40 cleared, balance good hardwood, station of Victoria Railway on the lot. For particulars apply to JAMES SIRED, on the premises. Address Burnt River P. O.—1123-2m

FARMS FOR SALE.—The west half of lot 24 in 7th concession of Verulam, 112 acres, 60 acres cleared, log house. The west part lot 32 in the 5th concession of Verulam, 115 acres, 60 acres cleared, log house. The east half lot 29 in 5th concession of Verulam, 97½ acres, 45 acres cleared, log barn. Above lots are well situated within easy distance of Fenelon Falls and Bobcaygeon. Excellent soil. Terms very easy. Apply to E. D. ORDE, Lindsay, 25th Sept., 1878.—1123-tf

FARM FOR SALE.—A first-class farm in the Township of Emily, composed of east half lot No 5, in the 11th concession, containing 100 acres, more or less, of first-class soil. There are 90 acres cleared, balance mixed timber; well fenced with cedar rails and under good cultivation; free from stumps, with a large amount of fall ploughing done and ploughing going on; on the lot there is a good log house, frame barn 70 x 32 with cellar and stable underneath, stone wall full size 7 feet high, workshop 28 x 32; 2 good wells; large young orchard and trees all bearing fruit. Farm 6 miles from Lindsay and 6 miles from Omemee, 14 miles from Downeyville; good gravel road leading each way. Terms to suit purchaser. For further particulars apply to EDMUND PIGOTT, on the premises.—1120-tf

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NOTICE.

The undersigned begs to inform his friends and customers that he has decided to wind up his business in Lindsay and move to the West early in the spring. He will therefore close his books on

Friday, First Day of November Next

AND

SELL NO MORE GOODS ON CREDIT.

The Stock is very large and complete and will be sold at

GREATLY REDUCED PRICES FOR CASH ONLY

GOOD BARGAINS

May be expected as the whole must be disposed of before leaving.

All those indebted to me are respectfully requested to call and settle as soon as possible. This is necessary in order to complete my arrangements in the West, and I trust this notice will save the unpleasantness of calling on any one, but all accounts must positively be settled before this

1st of December Next,

OR COSTS WILL BE INCURRED.

C. L. BAKER.

Lindsay, 8th October, 1878.—1126.

VICTORIA MARBLE WORKS.

R. HUNTER & CO.

Beg to intimate that they have succeeded to the business formerly carried on by Messrs. Hunter & Patterson, known as the

VICTORIA MARBLE WORKS,

Lindsay, and intend arriving in the business in all its branches. They feel confident they can guarantee

Perfect Satisfaction.

as given by the late proprietors, from the fact that none but first class workmen are employed; and also from the fact that Mr. Hunter, of Lindsay, formerly of Bobcaygeon, is well known as a reliable agent. A continuance of patronage is respectfully solicited.

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AUCTION SALE OF

Valuable Property

in the

TOWN OF LINDSAY.

Pursuant to the power contained in a Mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be sold by

PUBLIC AUCTION

at the Auction Rooms of William L. Russell, in the Town of Lindsay, in the County of Victoria, on

Saturday, 16th of November, 1878

at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, the following property:

That valuable parcel of land, with the dwelling house and shop erected thereon, immediately south of the shop occupied by F. J. Ayres, being composed of the North Part of Lot Number Three, East Lindsay Street, in the Town of Lindsay, as more particularly described in said mortgage.

Further particulars, terms, and conditions of sale can be had on application to WILLIAM L. RUSSELL,

Auctioneer.

or to

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