GRISTING & FLOURING

The undersigned having leased the

Davidson Flour and Grist Mill

For a term of years, and having thoroughly overhauled and repaired the same, is prepared to do

ALL KINDS OF GRISTING AND CHOPPING

at the shortest notice and guarantee satisfaction. Give us a call

WM. LITTLEFROUD, Miller.
JAMES BEARDEN, Prop.

Bethany, 17th July, 1883.—1874-3m.

The Victoria Warder

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1883.

Local Jottings.

(Continued from fifth page.)

New raisins, this year's fruit; call and try them at A. Campbell's.—88.

ARRIVED the past week one car load of all kinds of furniture at the Auction Mart, Russell & Lennox.

KEEP your eye on G. A. Weese's clearing sale. He means business and cash payers can save money on their dry goods, clothing or boots.

THE regular meeting of that august body the school board takes place Wednesday evening, when several matters of varied interest are to be taken up.

LARGE quantities of timber and cedar posts are being shipped over the Midland to Toronto. It is drawn mostly from Haliburton county and North Victoria.

THE Central Football Association of Ontario is desirous of having a club organized in Lindsay. The time is rather late in the season for introducing new sports. However, we have one.

We read in an exchange of a young lady having been made crazy by a street car kiss. This should teach young ladies to be constantly expecting something of that kind, and to be prepared for it when it comes.

GRAIN buyers appear to be now having a busy time on the market. A large quantity has been received during the week, notwithstanding prices are low and still declining. Considerable barley has also been received.

THE business of Messrs. Blackwell and Highland appears to be growing rapidly judging from the heavy shipments they make each every little while. They are also receiving very large consignment of groceries, liquors, etc.

THE St. Charles' restaurant, Charles Pedger, proprietor, is now open. He has everything fixed up very neatly and is steady beginning to do a trade. In addition to all eatables, he carries quite a stock of confectionery, cigars, canned fruit, etc.

KENT street has been cleaned up and put into shape for the winter season. This is a good move as it keeps the gutters and drains open for any sudden thaw during the winter season, and if what Mr. Vennor says be true we shall have a good deal this winter.

THE cab recently brought into town by Mr. G. Cain, appears to be in constant demand and we are pleased to learn he is doing well with it. To many persons such a conveyance, especially when desiring to reach a private residence, is much preferable to the hotel bus.

THE framework of the new Midland station is progressing, and the roof is now on. It will make a very neat looking shed when completed, and as the doors open to the south the rays of the sun will be a great assistance in warming the interior during the winter season.

THE new railway bridge is now fully completed and yesterday the track was being laid across it. It is, we are informed, to be tested today. The Missing Link is also being pushed ahead and will be completed next week. Trains will then begin running over it at once.

MR. C. C. Smith, the new surveyor for this district, appears to be getting himself established. He has on hand the big drain in Ops and several other jobs of surveying, all of which are done expeditiously and to the satisfaction of those employing him. He will doubtless soon work up a splendid connection.

So far it appears there are about thirty subscribers to the Bell Telephone Co., in Lindsay, fifty in Port Hope and sixty-two in Peterborough. There are also connections in Omemee and Millbrook. The business of the company is increasing rapidly and for short distances will supersede telegraphy to a great extent.

MR. Trevelyan Ridout, barrister, of Toronto, and who it will be remembered filled the duties of registrar at the late protest trial here, swearing the witnesses, etc., has been missing from his residence for some days and it is supposed he has made away with himself. He was of a peculiar disposition and it is said some love affair is at the bottom of it.

THE $10,000 stolen from the express office in Port Hope turns out to be only $1,000 all in one dollar bills, and consigned to one of the local banks in that town. We should have liked to have seen the face of the thief as he found out his mistake, for from the size of the package he could not but expect it to be much larger. But it was a very fair haul even then.

IT is rumored that some of the employes and other creditors of the Lindsay paper mill are not satisfied with the offer of fifty cents on the dollar and intend fighting their claims in court. How true it may be we have not learned, but from the various statements made it is just possible an investigation would result in an advantage to the creditors, and in any case it could do no harm. Workingmen especially should not be asked to stand as regular creditors and asked to accept a percentage of their earnings in lieu of the full amount, for to no creditor is the week's wage of so much value as it is to the day workmen, nor can anyone be so incommoded by its non-payment as they. The company should pay the men's wages in full at all events.

BRANCHING OUT.—Last week we learn Mr. Walter Darling, agent for the Dominion Bank here, and Mr. John A. Barron, visited Fenelon Falls for the purpose of seeing what inducements the business men there would be prepared to make for the establishment of a branch bank in that village. From what we can learn no definite conclusion was arrived at, but decision will be known in a few days. It was at one time thought to rent a building and have an agent attend there two days a week, but we believe an effort is to be made to either establish a duly equipped branch or none at all. The fear appears to be that the business to be done in the village over and above that transacted by the bank here would not be sufficient to meet the necessary expense in opening a new branch.

COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE VICTORIA WARDER,
LINDSAY, ONT., Oct. 26, 1883.

LOCAL BUSINESS.

This has been another quiet week in grain; but although the movement is yet backward prices have ruled steady. The chief receipts are wheat and barley, the former at 81 and the latter at 57 cents for best. Pork is yet lowering and will be low all the season. Deliveries of dairy produce have been extensive and prices are firm.

ENGLISH GRAIN TRADE.

A leading weekly grain circular says:—"The dullness in the wheat trade has been intensified by the downward movement of American quotations. At the British markets prices were maintained for the best native samples. Foreign were in poor demand and were lower to sell. At today's market there was a small business in wheat. Fine qualities realized about the late rates. Indian sorts, owing to the pressure to sell, declined 1d. to 2d. Flour was in restricted enquiry and was barely steady. Corn was in moderate demand."

BREADSTUFFS.

The wheat markets in England is in the mid-ocean of depression, cargoes off coast being heavy and on passage very inactive. Spot wheat in London was easier, interior markets were cheaper, and spot offerings in Liverpool dull. It is to be hoped that some kindly breeze will spring up and start things on a steadier course. If prices at one time went above their intrinsic value, it would seem that they are dipping below it now, although the price of red winter wheat off coast to-day is no lower than at this time last year, namely 43s. Farmers' deliveries of wheat in England during the past week were liberal, amounting to 65,000 @ 70,000 quarters, showing a decrease of 10,000 quarters as compared with those of the week previous and an increase of 10,000 quarters as compared with those of a year ago. The position of maize was fully as weak as that of wheat, cargoes on passage being extremely inactive, while spot stuff was easier in London and Liverpool. The French markets, however, were steady for both wheat and flour.

HOG MARKET.

The market has been quiet and steady for Western mess pork, sales of jobbing parcels transpiring at $14.75. Lard was quiet at 10c to 10½c for city rendered, as to brand, and at 11c to 11½c for western in pails. Scarcely anything is being done in smoked meats, and prices are more or less nominal.

The Chicago hog market was firmer, and prices advanced 10c to 20c per 100 lbs, light grades selling at $4.75 to $5.25, mixed packers' $4.25 to $4.70, heavy shipping grades $4.75 to $5.20. Estimated receipts were 12,000 hogs, against Saturday's actual receipts of 8,639 head and shipments of 4,562 head.

BUTTER AND EGGS.

There is a good demand for butter and prices rule steady. The best qualities bring 18c to 21c; medium 17c to 18c and inferior 12c to 14c.

In eggs there is a good demand at from 18c to 20c.

CHEESE.

An improved feeling was noticeable in cheese, buyers being more inclined to operate on the present basis of cost than for some time past. Several interior points report a short October make in comparison with that of last year. Prices in Liverpool advanced, the public cable moving up to 57s 6d, and private cables quoted better figures still, which induced a healthier tone here. We quote August 10c to 10½c, and September and October 11c to 11½c, the best combinations holding for a better figure. The receipts in New York last week were 41,000 boxes, leaving 17,000 boxes over, after deducting shipments.

CATTLE MARKET.

At Point St. Charles, Montreal the demand for export cattle was fair, and prices were quoted at from 5c to 5½c per lb choice, sheep at 4½c to 5c per lb, and hogs at $5.50 to $6.00 per 100 lbs, live weight. About 400 head of cattle were offered for sale at the Vigor Market, the best quantity being sold at 4½c per lb; ordinary to fair at from 3c to 4c. Six hundred sheep and lambs met with a fair demand, the latter selling at from $2.50 to $4.50 each, and sheep at $4 to $8. A few calves were disposed of, and prices were quoted at from $3 to $15 each, according to size and quality.

THE HORSE MARKET.

Business has been very dull for the past week, the markets being well supplied, but there is no demand. Mr. Kimball, of the Montreal Horse Exchange, has just returned from Boston, and reports that the market there is full of horses and the demand is light, but that a pretty fair business is doing in the smaller towns around Boston. Mr. Kimball shipped a carload of horses about a week ago to Lawrence, Mass, and they are nearly all sold already; he will ship another carload in a few days. He sold one bay mare for $175 and one pair of horses for $400. Mr. Maguire of the College Street Market, sold one brown horse, 6 years old, weighing 1,300 lbs for $160; one pair horses, 7 and 9 years old, for $210; one brown mare, 5 years old, weighing 1,080 lbs, for $120; one horse for $65, and one horse for $115.

LINDSAY MARKETS.

Fall Wheat, per bushel	$ 90 to 100
Spring do do	95 to 100
Arankta do do	00 to 0 85
Flour, Spring, ⅌ 100	2 60 to 2 80
do Mixed, do	2 60 to 2 80
do Fall, do	2 60 to 2 80
Flour, new process	2 70 to 2 90
Barley, per bushel	0 45 to 0 55
Peas, do	0 60 to 0 65
Peas, largedo	0 60 to 0 65
Oats, do	0 30 to 0 32
Potatoes, per bushel new	0 45 to 0 55
Apples, per bag	75 0 to 1 25
Butter per lb	0 16 to 0 17
Beef	5 00 to 7 50
Eggs, per dozen	0 19 to 0 20
Salt, per barrel	1 30 to 1 40
Straw, per load	3 50 to 3 00
Wool	0 17 to 0 19
Hides	3 00 to 5 00
Wood	3 00 to 4 50
Bacon per lb	0 8½ to 0 10
Mess Pork, per bbl.	00 00 to 1300
Hay per ton	0 00 to 8 00
do extra Prime	0 00 to 0 00
Dressed Hogs, per 100 lbs	5 00 to 5 00
Live Hogs, " " "	4 00 to 4 25
Rye	0 00 to 0 55
Bran per ton	13 00 to 1300
Shorts per ton	17 00 to 1700
Lambskins	0 55 to 0 65

Toronto.

OCT. 25.—Fall wheat, $1.00 to $1.10; spring wheat, $1.00 to $1.12; barley 50c. to 70c.; oats, 30c. to 40c.; rye, 62c. to 65c.; peas, 74c. to 76c.; dressed hogs per cwt., $6.00 to $6.50; chickens per pair, 30c. to 50c.; ducks per pair, 60c. to 65c. geese, each 50c. to 70c.; turkeys, $1.00c. to 1.70c.; butter, rolls, 22c. to 24c.; butter, tubs, 16c. to 20c.; eggs per doz., 22c. to 23c.; potatoes per bag, $0.90 to $1.00; hay per ton, $8.00 to $14.00; wool per lb. 18c. to 30c.

GRAIN & WOOL

The undersigned will pay the

Highest Cash Price

—For—

BARLEY, WHEAT, PEAS & OATS AND WOOL,

Delivered at Baker's old storehouse or at Whitby & Lindsay Railway storehouse.

W. D. MATTHEWS & Co.

Lindsay, March 1, 1883.—1876.

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BUGGIES, SLEIGHS, WAGGONS, ETC.,

Having now completed all the improvements required in his new premises, **formerly Mowry's Foundry, next to Carr's Hotel, corner of William and Russell streets,** the above has facilities for executing all work in the above lines, which cannot be excelled.

He respectfully solicits a call from those requiring anything in his line, and will be glad to show them over his new commodious premises.

L. O'CONNOR being the oldest practical man in this section of the country is enabled to guarantee a **FIRST-CLASS JOB** in any department, and every article turned out will be warranted as A 1.

Every piece of work in this establishment is done by hand, and far superior, as is acknowledged, to that done by factory make—a fact proved at the South Victoria Exhibition, where I received three first-class prizes, although I did not get up my work for prize exhibition, and they obtained for me sales and orders quite unexpected and unprecedented.

All repairs done cheap and promptly.

A few second hand buggies for sale.

L. O'CONNOR.

BY-LAW NO._____

A By-law to provide for draining parts of the Township of Ops, and for borrowing on the credit of the Municipality the sum of Two Thousand, Seven Hundred and Ninety-Eight Dollars and Ninety-Three Cents, for completing the same.

Provisionally Adopted the 22nd day of October, A. D. 1883.

Whereas, a majority in number of the owners as shown by the last revised assessment roll of the property hereinafter set forth to be benefitted by the drainage, have petitioned the council of the said Township of Ops, stating that there is a large tract of land which is low, wet and swampy in the Township of Ops, south-east of Lindsay, almost worthless, but which by a proper system of drainage could be made available for agricultural purposes, and praying that those lands should be drained under the provisions of the Municipal Drainage Act.

And whereas, thereupon the said council procured an examination to be made by George Smith, junior, P.L.S., being a person competent for such purpose, of the said locality proposed to be drained, and has also procured by-laws and estimates of the work to be made by the said George Smith, jr., and an assessment to be made by him of the real property to be benefitted by such drainage, stating as nearly as he can the proportion of benefit which, in his opinion, will be derived in consequence of such drainage by every road and lot or portion of lot, the said assessment so made and the report of the said George Smith, jr., in respect thereof and of the said drainage being as follows:—

To the Reeve and Council of the Township of Ops:

GENTLEMEN,—In accordance with your instructions to me I have made an examination of the lands proposed to be drained in the Sixth, Seventh and Eighth Concessions of the Township of Ops, and have made a survey of the drains necessary to carry out your purpose, and herewith furnish you with a plan of such survey, together with a profile showing the levels and cutting of the same; also a specification of the work to be done in the construction of each drains, and a schedule showing, in my opinion, the proportionate benefit derived by every road and lot or portion of lot of such lands so drained. My estimate of what the work should cost is as follows:—

CONSTRUCTION OF DRAIN.

According to specifications (see details)	$2511.18
Surveying expenses (see details)	177.75
Passing work	15.00
Solicitor's fees, drawing contract	5.00
Clerk's fees, drawing by-laws and striking rate	30.00
Printing, advertising, etc	60.00
	$2798.93

I have the honor to be, gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
GEO. SMITH, P. L. S.,
Township Engineer.

Lindsay, October 11th, 1883.

SCHEDULE.

Concession	Lot or Part of Lot.	Acres.	Value of Improvements.
6	10	200	$ 23 50
7	S hf 9	100	34 30
7	N hf 9	100	89 70
7	S hf 10	100	148 40
7	N hf 10	100	183 90
7	W hf 11	100	436 20
7	E hf 11	100	242 40
7	E hf 12	100	269 00
7	W hf 12	100	325 00
7	S E pt 13	10	11 00
7	E pt 13	90	305 20
7	W hf 13	100	209 00
7	W hf 14	100	212 40
7	W hf E hf 14	50	197 70
8	N W qr 11	50	20 90
			$2708 60
Chargeable to Municipality for Roads			90 33
			$2798 93

GEORGE SMITH, P. L. S.,
Tp. Engineer.

Lindsay, October 11th, 1883.

And whereas, the said council are of opinion that the drainage of the locality described is desirable.

Be it therefore enacted by the said municipal council of the said Township of Ops, pursuant to the provisions of "The Consolidated Municipal Act of 1883":—

1. That the said report, by-laws and estimates be adopted, and the said drain and the work connected therewith be made and constructed in accordance therewith.

2. That the Reeve of the said township may borrow on the credit of the corporation of the said Township of Ops the sum of Two Thousand Seven Hundred and Ninety-eight 93-100 dollars, being the funds necessary for the work, and may issue debentures of the corporation to that amount in sums of not less than $100 each, and payable within fifteen years from the date thereof, with interest at the rate of five per centum per annum, that is to say, one of such debentures, including interest, to be payable at the Ontario Bank at Lindsay on the Fourteenth day of December in each year for fifteen years.

3. That for the purpose of paying the sum of Two Thousand Seven Hundred and Eight 60-100 Dollars, being the amount charged against the said lands so to be benefitted as aforesaid other than roads belonging to the municipality and to cover interest thereon for fifteen years at the rate of five per cent. per annum, the following special rates over and above all other special rates shall be assessed and levied (in the same manner and at the same time as taxes are levied) upon the undermentioned lots and parts of lots, and the amount of the said special rates and interest assessed as aforesaid against each lot or part of lot respectively shall be divided into fifteen equal parts, and one such part shall be assessed and levied as aforesaid in each year for fifteen years after the final passage of this by-law during which the said debentures have to run:—

Con.	Lot or Part of Lot.	Acres.	Value of Improvement.	To cover interest 15 years.	Total Special Rate.	Annual Amount for 15 yrs.
6	10	200	$ 23 50	$ 17 62½	$ 33 96	$ 2 26
7	S hf 9	100	34 30	25 72½	49 57	3 30
7	N hf 9	100	89 70	67 27½	129 64	8 64
7	S hf 10	100	148 40	111 30	214 47	14 30
7	N hf 10	100	183 90	137 92½	265 73	17 72
7	W hf 11	100	436 20	327 15	630 42	42 03
7	E hf 11	100	242 40	181 80	350 33	23 36
7	E hf 12	100	269 00	201 75	388 77	25 92
7	W hf 12	100	325 00	243 75	469 71	31 31
7	S E pt 13	10	11 00	8 25	15 90	1 06
7	E pt 13	90	305 20	228 90	441 09	29 41
7	W hf 13	100	209 00	156 75	302 06	20 14
7	W hf 14	100	212 40	159 30	306 97	20 46
7	W hf E hf 14	50	197 70	148 27½	285 73	19 05
8	N W qr 11	50	20 90	15 67½	30 21	2 01
			$2708 60	$2031 45	$3914 60	$260 97
Chargeable to Municipality for roads			90 33	67 75	130 55	8 70
			$2798 93	$2099 20	$4045 15	$269 67

For the purpose of raising the sum of Ninety 33-100 Dollars, being the total amount assessed as aforesaid against the roads of the said municipality and to cover interest thereon for fifteen years at the rate of five per cent. per annum, a special rate of Eight Ten Thousandths part of a mill in the dollar shall over and above all other rates be levied (in the same manner and at the same time as taxes are levied) upon the whole rateable property in the said Township of Ops in each year for the period of fifteen years after the final passing of this by-law during which the said debentures have to run.

The above is a true copy of a By-law to be passed by the Municipal Council of the Township of Ops, on Monday, the Nineteenth day of November, A. D. 1883, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the Council Chamber, in the Town Hall, Lindsay.

J. O'LEARY, Clerk.

COURT OF REVISION.

Take notice that a Court of Revision will be held by the Municipal Council of Ops, on Monday, 19th day of November, A. D. 1883, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to hear any complaints against the assessment set forth in the above By-law.

J. O'LEARY, Clerk.

PARTIES APPLYING TO QUASH.

Take notice that any person or persons intending to apply to any of Her Majesty's Superior Courts at Toronto to quash the above By-law, or any portion thereof, must within ten days after the final passage of the By-law, notify the Clerk and the Reeve of the Municipality of Ops of their intention so to apply, or failing to do so, their application cannot be received by such Superior Courts, and the By-law will thereafter be in full force and effect.

J. O'LEARY, Clerk.

Lindsay, October 23rd, 1883.—89-4.

BRADBURN'S BIG BARGAINS IN DRESS GOODS

CREATING A SENSATION!

We purchased a large stock of new and reliable Dress Goods at the closing of the wholesale season at about Half Price. We are, therefore, in a position to offer them less than the Original Cost. They add materially to our already splendid stock in this department. The continued increase in this branch of our business we attribute in no small degree to the appreciation of the efforts we put forth to meet the wants of those who give us their trade and confidence. We offer the assurance that nothing will be spared to maintain and if possible to raise the reputation we have attained for CHEAP GOODS.

Our Carpet Department is replete with all the new designs and textures.

We always lead the trade of Lindsay in Ordered Clothing.

Full lines of Fall and Winter Underclothing and Gent's Furnishings.
100 Buffalo Robes Cheap. 100 Grey, Black, White and Fancy Robes cheap.

Gents' Fur Coats in Coon, Goat and Dog cheap.
Ladies' Astracan Mantles a specialty.

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Offer superior value in

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It is not necessary to give details as to our TEAS. We are handling a larger quantity than we ever did before, and our prices will suit everybody.

SUGARS AND GENERAL GROCERIES

Just received in large quantities. In fact our assortment of all needful goods is just immense.

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Do you need Booting?

Well, if you don't you soon will, and it is very important to you to know there is no place in the Midland district where it can be more neatly, artistically and satisfactorily performed than at

MAGUIRE'S

Boot and Shoe Store.

The stock is simply immense, the varieties are numerous, the quality par excellence, if you know what that means, and the prices are suited to all pockets.

YOUR DUTY TO YOURSELF When reaching town, whether by railway or your own private conveyance, is to make tracks for Maguire's. If you don't know the place ask the first person you meet, and don't stop until you are inside, when you can be fitted and suited to your heart's content.

Do you propose taking a journey? I have any quantity of first-class Trunks and Valises to select from, and can suit you to a dot.

☞The prices are low, and the Terms Cash.

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A. CAMPBELL

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During the *Week of the Fair* we will give STARTLING BARGAINS in ALMOST EVERY LINE OF CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES. Note—16 lbs. Prime Valencia Raisins for $1. Teas, Sugars, and all other goods equally low.

CROCKERY, CHINA AND GLASSWARE.—In this department we cannot be excelled. Our stock is always the largest of any house in the County of Victoria, and as we receive our goods direct from the old country we are in a position to guarantee better goods and lower prices than can be offered outside of the city of Toronto. Our importing order this year was far more than double the usual quantity, and was placed prior to the heavy advance in prices. Those needing anything in this line should not, therefore, fail to make an early inspection and secure immense bargains.

We call special attention to our Fancy Tea and Dinner Sets combined, Plain Tea and Dinner Sets combined, China Tea Sets, Glass Tea Sets, Fancy and Plain Toilet Sets, Cream and Water Jugs, etc., etc.

Visitors during the Central Exhibition are cordially invited to attend.

A. CAMPBELL.

Lindsay, 20th September, 1883.