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FOR SALE.—A good, quiet young horse for sale. Splendid roadster. Dr. HERRIMAN, Cambridge street. Lindsay, Dec. 4, 1884.—46

NOTICE TO PAY UP.—Dr. W. L. HERRIMAN requests all parties indebted to him to call and pay up at once, as he is leaving Lindsay. Accounts not paid will be placed in other hands for collection and costs may be incurred. Lindsay, Dec. 4, 1884. 46.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Ontario at its next session for an act to authorize the Trustees in whom is vested all and singular Lot Number Six, in the Fourth Concession of the Township of Eldon, in the County of Victoria, in trust, to hold the same in and for the benefit of the Presbyterian minister for the time being incumbent of the Presbyterian Church of Scotland, erected in the said Township of Eldon, TO SELL the same save and except a certain portion thereof reserved for a burying ground and manse, and to authorize the said Trustees TO ERECT A MANSE for the use of the said incumbent out of the proceeds, and the residue of such proceeds to invest on interest. THOMAS STEWART, of the Town of Lindsay, Solicitor for Applicants. Lindsay, November 25th, 1884.—46-6

BY-LAW NO. —

To open up or continue Main street through Lot 13, on the corner of Thomas and River streets, and Lot 14, fronting on Main street, to Thomas street, in the Village of Bracebridge.

Whereas, the Northern and Pacific Junction Railway Company have made it appear to the satisfaction of the Municipal Council of the Village of Bracebridge, that it would be to the interest of the public generally, and also of the said railway company, if a new street, being a continuation of Main street through Lots Thirteen and Fourteen, were opened through said lots of land to the Northerly side of Thomas street, in said Village of Bracebridge, and that the said railway company are now, or are about to become, the owners in fee of said Lots Thirteen and Fourteen.

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Village of Bracebridge, in the County of Victoria, therefore enacts as follows:—

1. That on, from and after the 12th DAY OF JANUARY, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, the following street in said Village of Bracebridge, being a street ninety links in width, and being a continuation of Main street through to Thomas street, in said village, and which may be better known and described as follows, that is to say, commencing at the south-westerly corner of Lot Eighteen, on the easterly side of Main street, in the said Village of Bracebridge; thence southerly in the direction of the easterly side of Main street produced ninety feet more or less to the northerly side of Thomas street; thence south-westerly along the northerly boundary of Thomas street eighty-five feet more or less to a point where the westerly side of Main street produced would strike the northerly side of Thomas street; thence Northerly along the westerly side of Main street produced one hundred and forty feet more or less to the northerly boundary of Lot Fourteen, and thence easterly along the northerly boundary of Lot Fourteen ninety links more or less to the place of beginning, be and the same is hereby opened and used for the purpose of public travel.

NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE that the foregoing is a true copy of a proposed By-law which will be taken into consideration by the Municipal Council of the Village of Bracebridge on the SIXTH DAY OF JANUARY, 1885, being more than four successive weeks after the first publication of said By-law, the date of which first publication is as follows:—In the Muskoka Herald, a newspaper printed and published in the said Village of Bracebridge, the Twenty-seventh day of November, 1884, and in THE VICTORIA WARDER, a newspaper printed and published in the Town of Lindsay, in the County of Victoria, the Twenty-eighth day of November, 1884; AND ALSO TAKE NOTICE that the said Municipal Council on the said Sixth day of January, 1885, will hear in person, or by counsel or attorney, any one whose land may be prejudicially affected by the foregoing By-law, and who petitions to be so heard.

JAMES BOYER,
Clerk of the said Municipality.

46-4.

STRAYED.—Into the premises of the undersigned, Lot 2, in the 13th Con., Emily, on or about Nov. 1st, 1884, A RAM. Owner will please call and prove property and take it away. JAS. MACGAHEY, Lindsay P. O., Nov. 28th, 1884.—46.

STRAYED.—Into the premises of the undersigned, 1 two year old Heifer, red with white spots. Owner can have it by proving property and paying expenses. JOSEPH McCAUGHEY, Lot No. 2, Con 2, Dalton, Uphill P. O., Dec. 4, 1884.—46.

STRAYED.—Into the premises of the undersigned, Lot 16, in the 5th Con., Ops, some time in October last, THREE YEARLING CALVES. Owner will please prove property, pay expenses and take them away. A. W. PARKIN, Lindsay, Dec. 1st, 1884. 46-3.

STRAYED.—Into the premises of D. Campbell, Lot 28, in the 9th Concession of Ops, on Saturday, the 29th November, 3 Heifers and 2 Cows. Owner will please prove property, pay expenses and take them away. DAVID CAMPBELL, Ops. Dec. 4, 1884.—46.

NOTICE.—All parties indebted to me by either note or book account will please call and settle immediately. All accounts not paid before JANUARY 1st, 1885, will be placed in other hands for collection. JAS. BRYSON. Cameron, Nov. 29, 1884.—46.

STOLEN.—From my premises, on the night of 24th November, 1884, A NOTE in favor of Thos. Nugent, Lindsay, for $150, bearing interest at 8 per cent., dated March 1st, 1882, payable in 12 months, and made by Samuel Nugent. Parties are hereby warned against negotiating said note as payment has been stopped. THOS. NUGENT. Ops, Nov. 28th, 1884.—46.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that all debts due the estate of the late ROBERT ARMSTRONG, late of the Township of Mariposa, in the County of Durham, must be paid to the undersigned on or before the 1st DAY OF FEBRUARY NEXT, 1885, and all claims against the said estate must be handed in by the above date to MARGARET R., widow of the late Robert Armstrong, Janetville, or DR. McALPINE, Lindsay.—44.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—Notice is hereby given that the partnership existing between C. S. Blackwell and R. J. Lightfoot trading under the name of Blackwell and Lightfoot, grocers, wine and liquor merchants, Lindsay, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. The business in future will be carried on by C. S. Blackwell to whom accounts due the late firm will be paid and who will settle all claims against the said firm.

C. S. BLACKWELL.
R. J. LIGHTFOOT.

Dated at Lindsay, this 2nd day of December, 1884.

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JOHN McSWEYN,
1446. Barrister, Lindsay.

L. BARTHOLOMEW,

District agent for the Agricultural Insurance Company, of Watertown, New York, and the Confederation Life Association of Canada. Office at residence corner of Russell and Georgian streets, Lindsay, Dec. 4, 1884.—46.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

T. BEALL, LINDSAY,

Agent for County of Victoria.

Lindsay Sept. 15, 1881.—1330.

TENDERS FOR WATER SUPPLY

For Town of Lindsay.

Tenders will be received up to TUESDAY, 2ND DAY OF DECEMBER, for the supply of water for fire and other purposes for the Town of Lindsay. Parties so tendering will state in what way they purpose to supply the same. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

GEO. CRANDELL,
Chair F. & W. Com.

BY-LAW NO. —

For stopping up and sale of Margaret street and part of Main street, in the Village of Bracebridge.

Whereas, the Northern and Pacific Junction Railway Company have represented to the Municipal Council of the Village of Bracebridge that the whole of Margaret street and part of Main street, in said village, is required for the track and for station grounds and sidings for the said railway, and that the said railway company are now, or are about to become, the owners in fee of the lots of land in the immediate neighborhood of the street and part of street to be closed up and that Margaret street is unnecessary for the purpose of public travel by reason of a better and more commodious street being opened and laid out in lieu thereof, and have requested the Municipal Council of said village to close up the said Margaret street and part of Main street, in said village.

And whereas, it will be for the interest and benefit of the inhabitants of said village and the public generally that such request should be granted.

The Municipal Council of the Village of Bracebridge, in the County of Victoria, therefore enacts as follows:—

1. That on, from and after the TWELFTH DAY OF JANUARY, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, all and singular that certain parcel or tract of land situate lying and being in the Village of Bracebridge aforesaid, consisting of a street ninety links in width, known as Margaret street, and described as follows, namely:—Commencing at the south-westerly angle of Lot Twenty-one on the easterly side of Main street, in the said Village of Bracebridge; thence southerly ninety links more or less to the north-westerly corner of Lot Twenty on the easterly side of Main street; thence easterly along the southerly boundary of Margaret street one hundred and sixty-one feet and nine inches more or less to the north-easterly corner of Lot Twenty; thence in a north-easterly direction seventy-five feet more or less to the south-easterly corner of Lot Twenty-three on the northerly side of Margaret street; thence westerly along the northerly side of Margaret street one hundred and ninety-eight feet more or less to the place of beginning.

And also all and singular that certain parcel or tract of land situate lying and being in the Village of Bracebridge aforesaid, consisting of part of a certain street known as Main street, one chain in width, and described as follows, namely: Commencing at the north-westerly corner of Lot Eleven, on the easterly side of Main street, in the said Village of Bracebridge; thence southerly along the easterly boundary of said Main street three hundred and ninety-six feet more or less to the boundary between Lots Six and Seven; thence westerly at right angles to the easterly side of Main street sixty-six feet more or less to the westerly side of said street; thence northerly along the westerly side of said street three hundred and ninety-six feet more or less to the southerly side of Charles street; thence easterly along the line of the southerly side of Charles street sixty-six feet more or less to the place of beginning, be and the same are, and each of such streets between the points above named is, stopped up and closed as to public travel.

2. That after the said Twelfth day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, the Municipal Council of said village will sell the said road allowances or streets so stopped up as aforesaid in the manner directed by law.

NOTICE.

TAKE NOTICE that the foregoing is a true copy of a proposed By-law which will be taken into consideration by the Municipal Council of the Village of Bracebridge, on the SIXTH DAY OF JANUARY, 1885, being more than four successive weeks after the first publication of said By-law, the date of which first publication is as follows:—In the Muskoka Herald a newspaper printed and published in the said Village of Bracebridge, the Twenty-seventh day of November, 1884, and in THE VICTORIA WARDER, a newspaper printed and published in the Town of Lindsay, in the County of Victoria, the Twenty-eighth day of November, 1884; AND ALSO TAKE NOTICE that the said Municipal Council on the said Sixth day of January, 1885, will hear in person, or by counsel or attorney, any one whose land may be prejudicially affected by the foregoing By-law, and who petitions to be so heard.

JAMES BOYER,
Clerk of the said Municipality.

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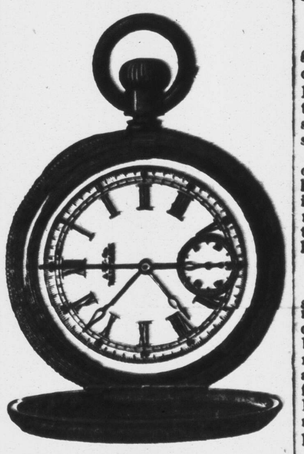

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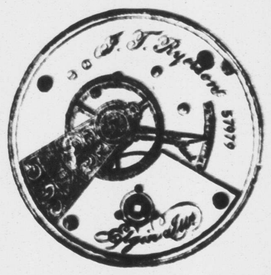

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TOWN COUNCIL.

The regular meeting of the town council took place Tuesday evening. Members all present. Minutes of former meeting read and approved.

PETITIONS.

A petition was read signed by Mr. Dougall Sinclair and others engaged in the carriage making business praying that Mr. Hamilton be not allowed a remittance of taxes on his new carriage workshop, it being unfair to all engaged in the same business.

A copy of a resolution from the board of health was also read suggesting that the health inspector be not averse to accepting an increase of salary owing to the much greater multiplicity of duties pertaining thereto since passing the recent health act.

TENDERS FOR WATERWORKS.

The clerk read tenders received for the supplying of the town with water according to the request of the fire and water committee. The first one read was from Mr. Thomas Fee, offering to supply the necessary power to throw four fire streams and to do the street watering each year for the sum of $1,300, for twenty years. He would keep everything in first class repair and put in only the best of steam power.

Mr. J. McWilliams offered to erect a first class new brick engine house and pump house either above or below the locks for $3,000 and to take charge of them and furnish water, etc., for $2,000 per annum.

Mr. Franklin Crandell tendered as follows: To build engine house, tanks, reservoirs, etc., and to put in first class pumping machinery capable of giving four first class fire streams. He would maintain a continual pressure on the pipes and prepared at a moment's notice to increase it for fire purposes to the highest point compatible with safety to pipes and pumps. The pumps which he proposed to put in would be independent of those already ordered by the town, but he would accept and use the same as an auxiliary power providing that upon trial they prove satisfactory. He proposed to have the first named pumps placed in position and connected with the mains before removing the pumps to be put in Saddler, Dundas & Co.'s mill, so that no damage might occur from their removal. He would guarantee to keep pumps and works in first class order and to keep a man continually on watch in the pump house. Would also give the town a lien on the works to guarantee the carrying out of the foregoing proposition. The town would be asked however to pay him an amount equal to what it now costs for maintaining the present works and for street watering, which last named work he agreed to do in first class manner. The town to exempt the works from taxes and to make connections of proper size to pumps which he proposes to put in, and to allow him to use the mains for the purpose of supplying the citizens with water for domestic and other purposes. He would enter into an agreement to carry out the above proposition for 20 years, at the end of which time the town may assume the whole works after making him a reasonable compensation for same.

Mr. Eugene Fee made application to rent the old fire hall for fifteen years at 40 cents per foot frontage.

After some discussion the application of Mr. Fee was referred to the town property committee and the tenders for the waterworks were referred to the fire and water committee to report to the mayor, who will then call a special meeting of the council to take the matter into consideration.

REPORTS.

Col. Deacon presented the finance report recommending the payment of sundry accounts and the remission of $32 on Mr. Hamilton's taxes. Rev. Mr. Rogers' were also remitted, being a superannuated minister. He moved the adoption of the report.

Mr. Sinclair to exception took the report as read. He wanted the paragraph referring to Mr. Hamilton's taxes struck out. It was unfair to him and others in the same business and he had reason to believe the full average of employes had not been kept up.

After considerable discussion on the subject it was decided to strike the clause out of the report and leave the matter in abeyance till some of the committee had an opportunity of calling on Mr. Hamilton and looking over his pay roll.

Report was adopted.

The fire and water committee made a brief report, stating they had authorized the mayor to telegraph for a new pump on trial and that they expected it in a few days.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Col. Deacon asked for a special committee to be appointed to draft a by-law for the purpose of securing to Mr. Sylvester his rights and privileges as promised from the local legislature with respect to the land on which his new building now stands. The mayor, reeve, deputy-reeve and councillors Bryans and Connolly were appointed as a committee.

Col. Deacon drew attention to the fact that though he had agreed to exempt Messrs. A. W. Parkin & Son from taxation for ten years if they rebuild their saw mill a by-law to that effect had not been brought in and the year was nearly ended To make matters right in the meantime he would move that Messrs. Parkin & Sons' taxes be remitted this year.—Carried.

The by-law for the municipal elections was next passed and a by-law for the appointment of a street and road inspector was read in committee and reported, after which the council adjourned subject to call of mayor.

JANETVILLE.

Correspondence of the Warder.

FOWLS.—Mr. James Morrow, of Lindsay, purchased a large number of fowls here lately for which he paid a remunerative price. Our village presented a lively scene on Friday morning of last week while a train of wagons all laden with hen-coops passed through with their loads of fowl to be delivered in Lindsay in time for the trains, and all the purchase of Mr. Morrow. We are glad to say he has not taken all; there are still some left for others when they come along. We wish Mr. Morrow every success in his venture for he has saved the farmers' wives a good deal of trouble in dressing them for market.

HUNT.—A lively hunt took place on Saturday last. The boys had a good time while it lasted, but only one of a large flock of deer was brought down, and that by a rifle ball from Mr. T. Paul's gun. There is a number of deer here and while the hunting season lasts the boys intend giving them no rest.

LIFFORD.

Correspondence of the Warder.

TEMPERANCE.—The last regular monthly meeting of the M. C. Temperance Association, of Lifford, was held on Friday evening, 28th ult. There was a fair attendance. The building which was formerly known as the Lifford east Methodist church being for sale was purchased by the society for the sum of $105, and in which hereafter they intend to hold their meeting. The next regular meeting will be held on Friday evening, 19th inst., which will be considered the opening of their new hall, when a grand, musical and literary entertainment will be given.

ISLAY.

Correspondence of the Warder.

SOCIAL AND CONCERT.—A grand social and concert is to be held in our school house, on Friday evening, 12th December. A magnificent and varied programme has been arranged, consisting of vocal and instrumental music, solos, duets, comic recitations, dialogues and readings in addition to our local talent a number of first class professionals from Lindsay and elsewhere are engaged for the occasion. A number of talented clergymen are expected to be present. I might also say that ample stable accommodations are provided for those coming from a distance. As the committee appointed are all naturally enthusiastic and energetic a stone will not be left unturned to make the evening's enjoyment a gem that will be preserved in memory's casket for ages to come. A cordial invitation is extended to all to come and participate in the superfluous enjoyment that is expected, and the heaps of merriment in store for the evening of Dec. 12th.

PORT HOPE.

A BARN BURNED.—Between eight and nine o'clock on Thursday night a barn on the premises of Mr. James Kerr, just east of the town park, was discovered to be on fire. The building with its contents were completely consumed. It was supposed to have been set on fire. The contents were insured for $250 in the Royal.

BURGLARY.—At an early hour on Friday morning Mr. Galletly, of the Montreal bank, sent his servant down town and notified the chief of police that his residence on Charles street had been burglarized, a quantity of silver plate gone and $25 in cash taken from a servant's bedroom. Mr. Douglas was promptly on hand and made a thorough survey of the whole premises and came to the conclusion that if a burglary had been committed it had been by an inmate of the dwelling. The servant's purse together with one of her skirts, were found under her bed-room window outside, where it had been dropped, but there was no money in it. A search was made for the cash but it did not turn up; the silver plate, however, was found hidden in the cellar. The servant who said she had been robbed was then arrested on suspicion and put in the lock-up.

ROSEDALE.

Correspondence of The Warder.

ROSEDALE is not dead but forgotten. Quite a number of changes have taken place round here of late, the first being the action of Lewis Clark, who had Mr. A. Dundas' farm rented, and who skipped across the lines to the sorrow of his landlord and others which he left to mourn their loss, not his.

REMOVED.—Mr. W. Porteous has removed from here and gone to Ops. We wish him prosperity in his new home. He paid us a short visit since and he looks hale and hearty.

MOVED IN.—Mr. W. Dundas, or better known as the Irish gentleman, has moved to his own place for the purpose of starting a sheep ranch and keeping a few thorough bred horses. He has purchased that famous brood mare, Ranger, from Mr. E. Lee, for a handsome price no doubt. When the farm seeds itself he will be able to show fine stock.

HOLD THE FORT.—As the Salvation army has made an attack on Cameron, and seeing two men of the Latter Day Saints a week or so ago around to see if they could get a place to hold their meetings in and try what kind of a bottom the lake had, the proprietor of the Snow-Ball house is determined to hold the fort. Even if they do "roll the old chariot along" they will leave him behind.

OUR LOCK MASTER.—Our sturdy little lock master is still on the warpath when there is anything for him to do in the way of swinging the bridge and which I believe he has done a few times this summer. But never mind, "I be getting my salary all the same. That is the way the public money or part of it is squandered now. You lovers of penmanship, beware, I be goin' to find out who the Rosedale correspondent is when Porteous is gone."

FIERVILLE.

Correspondence of The Warder.

MR. Isaiah Piers' house is nearly completed. Who the young lady is we do not know. It is whispered around that some one is preparing a house for one of the Mount Horeb girls. We are led to mention this simply through a desire to give the boys a chance to get their cowbells and old muskets ready. We trust that the Mount Horeb correspondent will consider our object in mentioning. This is a sufficient apology for having trespassed on his territory.

SOME of the people round here are undecided as to whether winter has already set in or not. Indications, however, seem to strengthen the idea that it has. The wind blows cold, and the mind of the average man is filled with painful forbodeings. He is harrassed with the thought that the hole in his pants is below the tail of his coat.

THE readers of THE WARDER here were considerably interested in that controversy which took place between two of its correspondents, on "the dance," and would like to know if the incisive logic of the Oakwood correspondent has vanquished his puerile opponent. The propriety of keeping up the dance is a subject upon which we may say nearly the whole civilized world is divided. One party maintained that dancing, as it is now practised, is a barbarous custom; that it is decidedly immoral in its tendencies, and should therefore be discouraged. The other party contends that dancing is an innocent means of amusement, having no evil results in its train. Discussion on this, as on any great question, cannot fail to excite a certain degree of interest, and we might learn much by a continuation of this controversy, therefore, Oh! ye champions take off your "smocks" and "go in."

MANVERS.

Correspondence of The Warder.

FRIDAY evening a number of friends of Mr. S. Ferguson assembled at his residence for the purpose of spending a pleasant evening and they spent one. The usual dance was indulged in and all had a great time.

MATTERS municipal are yet quiet. It is expected the old council will be re-elected.

MOUNT HOREB.

Correspondence of the Warder.

SCHOOL REPORT.—Below is the report for November: Fourth class—Maggie Skuce 280, Walter Lee 273, Diana Skuce 221; third class—Bertha Lee 312, Annie Southam 298, Wilbur Robinson and Sid. Skuce 254; senior second—Ida Skuce 311, John Reynolds 309, Isaac Skuce 298; junior second—Robert Nugent 265, Willet Crawford and Levi Murphy 254, Richard Crawford 213: senior part II—Allan Murphy, David Pogue; junior part II—Celia Scullion, Willie Sweeney part I—Ellen German, Mary Ann Beamish.

FRANKLIN.

OBITUARY.—The news of Mr. W. R. Maguire's death at Franklin on Saturday, November 28th, after a long illness, will be received with sorrow by all who knew him and particularly among the officials and employees of the Midland railway, on which road he held the position of station agent and operator for a number of years. Deceased was a young man of about 30 years of age, a true Christian, always working in the church and Sabbath school to promote the interests of the same. Genial, kind-hearted and sociable, he had many friends and no enemies. He died happy, trusting in Him for whom he labored and served from youth. His remains were laid to rest in the Bethany cemetery, on Monday.

FLEETWOOD.

Correspondence of The Warder

OBIT.—It is with regret we have this week to chronicle the demise of Mr. Wm. Maguire, jr., of Franklin. The deceased young gentleman was for a number of years station agent on the Midland R. R. at Franklin and by his courteous and obliging manner won the esteem of all who knew him. His life from his youth up was strictly moral and religious and his character was above reproach. He is now gone to receive his reward after about twelve months of constant suffering. His remains were conveyed on Monday to Graham's burying ground followed by a large concourse of sorrowing friends, neighbors and acquaintances, where they will remain until the last trump shall call them hence. May we die the death of the righteous and may our last end be like his.

WARNING.—The people of Fleetwood may look out for a wedding in high life in a short time.

THE roads are good now and wheeling splendid, and people are taking advantage of it to do their marketing.

KINMOUNT.

Correspondence of the Warder.

DEER HUNT.—We had quite a time here Saturday. Mr. S. Scott went into his garden and saw a deer standing and looking at him. He gave chase, followed by nearly all the men and boys in the village, Mr. Dunbar following with a horse and cutter. After quite an exciting chase the deer was shot from Mr. Dunbar's rifle. Mr. Dunbar is a splendid shot.

MR. James Wilson recently purchased the McArthur homestead. The price paid is in the neighborhood of one thousand dollars. The property is situated close to the village on the west side. If the village grows that is the way it will go. I am informed on pretty good authority he has been offered $150 on his bargain, but refused, and says that he will not take $400 on it. If Mr. Crego and Mr. Wilson would open up a street from the English parsonage to the line between those gentlemen's fences and then run north to Mr. Wilson's barn on to the road of that gentleman's residence, this would make a nice drive around the village and be a great improvement on the value of their property. Let us hear from you, gentlemen. Don't you think you would sell lots enough at an advanced rate to the workmen in our mills to pay you for the street you would give to the public? But nevertheless I hope our postmaster's venture will prove successful. He must have confidence in the place for he is one of the largest real estate owners we have, and is always adding to it. Go ahead, James; may your shadow never grow dim.

FENELON FALLS.

SKATING RINK.—Messrs. Geo. Quibell and John Jones, jr., have formed a syndicate and are building a skating rink on the market square, having obtained permission from the council to do so. The rink is to be 35 feet wide by nearly 100 feet long, and there will be no difficulty about keeping it in first class order, as a never failing creek runs within a few yards of it. The walls are already up, and the roof will be put on and a dressing room added in the course of a few days.

FUEL.—The increasing popularity of coal stoves, of which twenty five or thirty are already in use in this village, is having a marked effect on the price of wood. In Lindsay, Monday, we saw some choice dry sawed beech and maple which was bought for $4 per cord, though that was said to be a trifle under the market price, and dry sawed hardwood is now offered in Fenelon Falls for $3 per cord. The farmers of this neighborhood made a mistake when they persisted in keeping wood up to the artificial price created by the snow blockade two years ago, the result of which was that a great many people took to burning coal, and the number is increasing every winter.

A MISTAKE.—In the proceedings of the provincial health board which met in Toronto on Thursday last, we find the following: "Dr. J. S. McCallum, of Fenelon Falls, in a letter to Dr. Bryce, said that a few weeks ago a lady residing in Toronto visited some friends in Fenelon Falls. She with her two or three young children, eight years of age, had an attack of diphtheria which proved fatal. Two or three weeks later the lady returned to Toronto with her children, one of whom was immediately attacked with the disease and died, and a second and even a third went the same way. Previous to returning she accepted as a present the deceased child's clothing." There is probably a mistake in the name of the place, as there is no Dr. McCallum in Fenelon Falls, nor have we lately heard of any case of diphtheria in the village.—[Gazette.

Oysters by the plate or glass at A. A. J. Soanes'.

VALENTIA.

Correspondence of The Warder.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS.—At the recent annual meeting of the L. O. L., No. 510, Mariposa, the following gentlemen were duly installed officers for the coming year: Worshipful master, Joshua Scott; dep. master, William Mark; recording secretary, William Casey; financial secretary, William Bruce; chaplain, William Pogue; treasurer, William Ellis; lecturer, John Littlejohn; first committee, David Sharp, second, Robert Bruce, third, John Taylor, fourth Richard Taylor, fifth, Alexander Casey; master of ceremonies, Robert Parkins.

HALIBURTON.

THE Fenelon pulp mills are buying considerable quantities of wood. This is a great help to us this year.

MR. Kellatt has a new organ. A very fine one. It is pronounced to be the best in the county.

ONE day last week the railway conveyed to this village twenty-six hogsheads of beer. More beer and less whiskey is now the order of the day. I may note that one day this week the train from Lindsay coming north consisted of twenty-four cars and coaches. It is wonderful what a lot of merchandise is sent into this back country.

MR. Harold Illman for many years one of our most respected settlers, was elected at the last election in Washington Territory, one of the three county commissioners for Snohomish county.

Several swell hunters from Toronto came up last week to have some deer hunting and partridge shooting.—[Independent.

DUNSFORD.

Correspondence of the Warder.

THINGS are very brisk in all lines of business and all our villagers are doing well.

CHEESE MEETING.—Messrs. Cooper and Willson held a cheese meeting on Saturday night last for the purpose of getting a cheese factory in Dunsford. There was a fair attendance. Nothing definite arrived at.

BOW.—Our quiet village was almost a scene of bloody war, one man trying to deny the truth and the other would not let him, but made him take it all down. It all ended without any bones being broken.

SCHOOL.—Miss Gertley's school social will come off the 23rd of this month and promises to be the social of the season. Bobcaygeon brass band is expected present. Charles Fairbairn, Esq., reeve of Verulam, has kindly consented to act as chairman on that night which in itself is proof that all will be carried out in the best order.

MUNICIPAL.—Municipal matters are becoming the general conversation of the day. Messrs. Fairbairn and Kennedy will this year get about double the vote of last year as the affairs of the township have never been conducted so well and so much to the satisfaction of the ratepayers of Verulam, and we hope that all good and law-abiding citizens will on voting day go to the polls and vote for these two gentlemen.

PERSONAL.—Mr. James Bell, son and daughter, are gone to Toronto on business and pleasure combined. May they have a pleasant trip.

PERRIN.

Correspondence of The Warder.

I NOTICE the scribe who used to write to you from this place so often has of late forgotten you entirely. I guess the fellow has good reasons for being mum all this time. Perhaps he has lost his quill or gone cranky over the dancing question; but at all events I'll try and fill his place this time as well as the "prentice han'" of a rough farm lad could be expected; so here goes.

MR. Hugh McQuaig lost a good watch a few weeks ago, while, he thinks, he was in the act of giving some oats to a teamster on his way to some place near Peterboro. He had the watch in his vest pocket with no chain to it, and shortly after the said gentleman left he missed it. Search was made in every corner but it could not be found. Query—has the teamster the time-piece?

MR. John Shaw, daily mail carrier between Woodville, Perrin, Hartley, Islay and Glenarm, was run down he says by known parties in the long swamp. That is a beastly shame as poor John has a cork leg and an accident like that might prove fatal.

NO Sunday trains so times are dull. The Salvation army have attacked wicked Eden. O! may they scare the devil out of it, or at all events some "tight" cash. Perrin next. Sinners beware!

MR. Archibald McNeil, while driving over the Perrin railway crossing a short time ago broke a wheel of his wagon to pieces. Who is next on the list for this accident?

OUR grain house is still empty. Some parties from Woodville, we believe, tried to get it but the company would not give it to them. Messrs. Grant & Dundas are paying rent for it though not using it so as to keep others out. What a world we live in.

NOTES.—Mr. John McQuaig teaches in Hartley next year. A number of farmers are teaming to Lindsay. The Scott act is needed badly round Hartley if reports be true. In the neighborhood of Perrin are the homes of six successful teachers. What has become of the Islay man. We have not heard from him this long time. Wake him up. "Shindigs" are on the boom; five last week and more anon.

THE anti-dancing agitator, of Oakwood, still holds the platform. Wherever an opponent shows light he is crushed and humbled, i. e. if he is worth measuring swords with. Now, there are a great many dancers in Victoria, but I am surprised so few of them have the courage to speak up and defend their pastime from the onslaughts of this Oakwood agressor. He has insulted, I know, a large number of ladies and gentlemen who are quite able to resent it with the pen if they wish to bestir themselves to action and come to see the position he has assigned to them in society, a position that would not be envied by the lowest in the scale. This long silence implies that his charges have been so well founded and supported by eminent authority that to deny them would only make matters worse, or all have been a train of falsehoods supported by garbled extracts which I doubt very much myself. Dancers, rise up and let us have a spirited discourse on this subject. It concerns you entirely.

MR. P. Smith, of Perrin public school, packs for Toronto at the end of the current year.

WE are glad to see Mrs. Butler round again after her severe illness.