

The Victoria Warder

FRIDAY, SEPT. 9, 1886.

SIR JOHN'S RETURN.

We enjoyed the pleasure of being present at the grand impromptu reception given by the people of Ottawa to Sir John and Lady Macdonald last Monday evening.

A CONTRAST.

Messrs. Blake and Mowat both spoke in Ottawa on the evening of Monday last, the day of Sir John's return.

IS CIVILIZATION ADVANCING?

Many modern writers and speakers seem to take it for granted that men's natures in older times were more depraved, more vicious, more barbaric than those of to-day.

For example let us examine the conditions of life surrounding people in parts of almost any country, but in one specifically, Canada.

But it will be said, have not these people brains, intelligence, tender feelings, and so on, and family affections. True, but so have heathen, or any other division of the animal kingdom.

Wherein is the man who grows through life day by day getting and grubbing, it may be, kind to his family, but who takes no broad interest in his country's concerns, or in the general welfare of the community at large?

Many people fondly dream, in imagining themselves superior to their neighbors, that it is now impossible to relapse into a state of barbarism, or for a nation to fall back into decay.

generations of war, or of oppression under tyrannical rulers, either by or clerical, would effectively remove many traces of civilization. It has been done in the past, and may be done in the future.

Therefore it is each man's duty to study diligently the constitution of his country, and to endeavor by all the just means in his power to improve and perfect that constitution.

The Toronto World says:—"A few of the more intensely stupid Grit organs are charging Sir John A. Macdonald with 'employing spies and informers' to watch the fenians during the border troubles some twenty odd years ago.

The senior member of the great tea firm of Fraser & Co., of Japan, China and New York, has been spending a few days in Montreal, where he publicly expressed the opinion that the C. P. R. is destined to eclipse all competitors for the Asiatic tea trade.

The Globe party with its usual duplicity caused a rumor to be circulated that liquor selling was to be unrestricted in future in the North-West Territories.

It appears Mr. Hart, the roman catholic guard, who was removed from the Central prison after the investigation last year for caballing against Mr. Massie, has been comfortably provided for in another branch of the public service.

The little man, the Woodville Advocate, got up on his stilts last week, and went for his rough shed. Evidently we tickled him in an itchy spot the previous week.

Our esteemed contemporary, the Gazette Mercury, emphasizes the fact that Mr. David Mills, among his other qualifications, counts that of preacher, and says:

"It is to be regretted that there are so few politicians like Mr. Mills, who, a thorough Christian himself, and his multitudinous duties, find time to point others to the way of salvation."

We do not wish to seem lightly to impugn Mr. Mills' religious purposes and Christianity, and may therefore perhaps account for the falsehoods about those telegrams that went two ways at once, and the "numbers of Conservatives" who made those candid admissions, as being written in his capacity of a politician, and not of a member of the gospel of truth.

"Lindsay Evening Op." 50 cents per copy. For the year, \$5.00. Some colored copies for 50c. per pair.

Swipes on Matters and Things.

DEAR SIR.—The existence of a danger or combination is now no longer doubted. It is apparent to everyone and that it is composed of men of very slender ability and of very weak conceptions in regard to truth or honesty.

They do say that while discussing the Riel question at Hagerston last Thursday evening, Dalton McCarthy flayed J. D. Edgar, and of course the horns and the hoofs go with the hide.

It is the opinion of the public that appointments have been made without any regard to fitness, to public or party interest, that they have been made upon family considerations, or as a return for private personal favors.

REVENUE.—We are sorry to have to lose our school teacher, Mr. McMillan, on account of the stubbornness of some of the boys of our section.

ACCIDENT.—A serious accident took place here on Sunday evening to Mr. Robert Grady, son of Mr. Samuel Grady of Yelverton.

RETURNED.—Mr. Jas. Anderson, who has been visiting his friends for some time back, has returned to his employer in New York.

MR. TOMMY ALFORD, one of our citizens, is missed very much. He is away visiting his friends in Cambridge, expect him back soon.

STONELINE HAZARD.—At the residence of the bride father, King St., Bowmanville, on the 25th inst., by the Rev. C. E. McIntyre, Mr. S. J. Sinclair, of Marysville, to Mary Emily, eldest daughter of Mr. Geo. Howard.

WASHTON.—At the residence of the Rev. Mr. McArthur, on the 19th inst., by the Rev. E. Roberts, Mr. Stephen Washington to Miss Harvey Pollard, both of Dartington.

DEATH.—At Lindsay, on Tuesday, Aug. 21st, 1886, Wm. John Lewis, aged 57 years and 6 months.

DEATH.—In Emily, on Wednesday, Sept. 1st, 1886, William John, son of Henry Hamilton, aged 1 year, 3 months and 19 days.

DEATH.—At Newville, on Aug. 28th, James McArthur, aged 72 years.

"For ten years," says James M. Harter of Westborough, Ont., "I did not see a well day—was all broken down with dyspepsia, liver complaint, catarrh and debility. Three doctors abandoned hope for me, when Dr. Wood's Kidney Pills came to my rescue. It is the best medicine I have ever used. I give this for the benefit of all suffering as I did.—37-2."

able pastor, and friends immediately wheeled into line and became the thick and thin supporters of Mr. Wood, and it is believed these appointments were the price of their disinterested and independent vote.

LEAVING.—Elder Willoughby, pastor of the Christian church, leaves for his new field of labor at Stratford on Tuesday next. The reverend gentleman leaves behind a host of friends who sincerely regret his departure.

THE BAND.—The members of the band are arranging for a picnic and general entertainment on Wednesday evening in Mr. Whitfield's woods.

TEMPORARY.—Mr. Smith, who kept the hotel here, closed up finally as a house of entertainment last week.

OUR NEW TEACHER, Mr. Shearer, of Oakwood, re-opened the school Monday.

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To Be Sold in TORONTO

The Dry Goods and Clothing Stock

BRADBURN & CO.

Will be sold in Toronto in bulk on or about September 1st.

We are busily taking stock, and from now until 1st September will offer the Goods at such prices that economical people will see that this is a grand chance to supply themselves with

Dry Goods, Clothing, etc., at one-half regular prices.

The chance will last for only three weeks. Don't put it off till it is too late, but grasp the opportunity now, as everything in the two large stores will be offered for sale in Toronto on Sept. 1st.

P. S.—Mr. Bradburn leaves Lindsay Sept. 1st: All notes and accounts not arranged for before that date will be placed in court for collection.

Bradburn & Co.

The Large Double Store.

COFFEES.

PURE, FRAGRANT, AND AROMATIC.

The Best in the Market.

GROUND TO ORDER.

JOHN DOBSON.

LINDSAY CENTRAL EXHIBITION,

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Sept'r 28th, 29th and 30th.

NOTICE TO

Intending Exhibitors, Farmers and the Public.

WE ARE DAILY RECEIVING FRESH SUPPLIES IN

General Groceries | Crockery, Glassware, Sugars, Teas, | Fruit, Provisions, Coffees, Spices, | Flour, Feed, &c.

See our Stock and secure Bargains while the boom continues.

ARCH. CAMPBELL.

Wholesale and Retail Grocer, Kent St., Lindsay.

N.B.—Salt your butter with Ashton's Fine Salt.

The Victoria

FRIDAY, SEPT. 9

LOCAL JOBS

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