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32 bars Soap	1 00
Men's Coarse Shoes	1 00
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Women's Button Boots	1 00

May 18th, 1887.—19-6

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THE STEAMER
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Will run daily on the following Time Table:
Leave Bobcaygeon..... 6.40 a.m. and 3.15 p.m.
Arrive Lindsay at..... 9.00 " " 5.30 p.m.
Leave Lindsay at..... 11.20 a.m. and 5.45 p.m.
Arrive Bobcaygeon..... 1.45 p.m. " 8.00 p.m.
Calling at Sturgeon Point each way.
On Saturdays leave Lindsay at 8.30 p.m. (instead of 5.45 p.m.), on arrival of Toronto train.
Single Tickets between Lindsay and Bobcaygeon, 75c. Return ditto $1.25.
Single Tickets between Lindsay and Sturgeon Point, 35c. Return ditto 50c.
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Family Tickets and Excursion Tickets at reduced rates can be procured at the Express Office, Lindsay; at the Post Office Bobcaygeon, and on the boat.
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The Victoria Warder
FRIDAY, JUNE 24, 1887.

COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE VICTORIA WARDER, LINDSAY, ONT., June 23rd, 1887.

Lindsay Markets

Fall Wheat, per bushel	0 70 to 0 73
Fife do do	75 to 0 80
Spring do do	75 to 0 78
Goose do do	0 65 to 0 70
Flour, Spring, $ 100	2 40 to 2 60
do Mixed, do	2 10 to 2 30
do Fall, do	2 40 to 2 60
Flour, new process	2 40 to 2 60
Flour, mixed, roll	2 20 to 2 40
Strong bakers	2 30 to 2 50
Barley, per bushel	0 35 to 0 35
Peas, do	0 45 to 0 50
Peas, largedo	0 00 to 0 65
Oats, do	0 28 to 0 30
Potatoes, per bushel	30 to 0 35
Apples, perbag	0 00 to 0 00
Butter per lb	0 10 to 0 12
Beef	4 00 to 5 00
Eggs, per dozen	0 00 to 0 13
Salt, per barrel	1 00 to 1 00
Straw, per load	2 50 to 3 00
Wool	0 22 to 0 24
Hides	0 00 to 5 00
Wood	2 00 to 4 00
Bacon per lb	00 10 to 0 00
Mess Pork, per bbl	16 00 to 16 00
Hay perton	8 00 to 9 00
do extra Prime	
Dressed Hogs, per100 lbs	5 00 to 5 75
Live Hogs, " "	4 00 to 4 50
Rye	0 00 to 0 50
Bran per ton	13 00 to 15 00
Shorts per ton	15 00 to 17 00
Lambskins	0 20 to 0 25
Sheepskins	0 80 to 1 00
Flax seed per 100	3 00 to 4 00
Red Clover	5 00 to 5 50
Alsike	4 00 to 5 50

Toronto

June 23rd.—Fall wheat, $0.80 to $0.81; spring wheat, $0.80 to $0.81; barley, 40c. to 57c.; oats, 31c to 35c.; rye, 60c to 0.00.; peas. 56c. to 00.57; dressed hogs per cwt. $6.50 to $7.00; chickens per pair, 40c. to $0.70 ducks per pair, $0.55c. to $0.70 geese, each 00c. to $0.00; turkeys, $0.00c. to 0.00c.; butter, rolls, 14c. to 16c. butter, tub. 00c. to 00c.; eggs per doz., 14c. to 15c.; potatoes per bag, $1.00 to $1.10; hay per ton, $9.00 to $14.00; wool per lb. 00c. to 00c.

Toronto Cattle Market.

Cattle—Export, 1,200 lbs. and upwards per lb	$4 25 to	$4 85
Butchers' choice "	0 03¾	0 04
" Good, "	0 03	0 03½
" Common, "	0 02½	0 03
Springers, "	25 00	60 00
Milch cows, per head	25 00	60 00
Sheepand Lambs—Choice, per head about 125 lbs	5 00	7 00
Secondary quality, per head, 100 lbs	2 00	2
Store, per cwt	3 00	5 00
Stags and sows per lb.	0 02½	0 03
Calves—Per head	6 00	10 00
Common	1 00	5 00

Bethany & Franklin.

Fall Wheat	0 75	to	0 80
Spring Wheat	0 65	to	0 70
Goose Wheat	0 65	to	0 70
Barley	0 45	to	0 50
Peas	0 55	to	0 60
Peas—Large	0 65	to	0 00
Oats	0 25	to	0 28
Potatoes	0 30	to	0 35
Butter—Fresh	0 12	to	0 14
Butter—Pickle	0 12	to	0 00
Eggs	0 12	to	0 00
Rye	0 45	to	0 50
Hay	10 00	to	12 00
Straw, loose	6 00	to	7 00
Shorts	0 00	to	0 00
Bran	0 00	to	0 00
Hard Wood	4 00	to	4 50
Soft Wood	3 00	to	3 50

Strawberries and Cream all the go at A. E. Tenney's.—76-2.

ARGUMENTS FOR COMMERCIAL UNION.

The chief arguments advanced by the advocates of commercial union are those exploded years ago on the various battle-fields where the National Policy triumphed so often. True the prospect was not then opened up of a removal of the Yankee forty-foot wall against Canada, but the arguments were exploded all the same.

The public were somewhat surprised to hear Mr. Lownsbrough, and other advocates of commercial union, arguing on the barley duty's removal. That gentleman poses as a strict temperance man, yet grows barley to sell to make beer. Now, he must surely know that temperance is largely increasing in the United States, and that artificial means are becoming largely employed which render American or inferior barley as good for malting purposes as the Canadian. Hence commercial union, or annexation, cannot prevent the destruction of Ontario's barley market. The Ontario farmer must look about for products which can find consumption in Canadian towns, and in England.

Mr. Lownsbrough repainted in more glaring colors the old picture of the gain to Ontario farmers by the removal of the barley duty. One would have thought that Canada, instead of the United States, imposed that duty.

The commercial union speakers all seemed also to ignore the fact that the present Canadian government have twice made proposals tending to reciprocity with the United States.

But they seemed obeying the dictates of the Ontario Patent Combination rather than exercising common sense.

Quarter Sessions.

LINDSAY, June 17.—The following case was tried before his Honour Judge Dean at the sessions held here last week. It was an indictment against Abraham Deleury on two counts, first for assaulting Chief Constable Thomas Bell, on the 4th of January, whilst in the execution of his duty; and second, for a common assault on Bell on the same occasion. It seems that the Chief Constable of Lindsay has been taking very sharp measures against the Salvation Army in consequence of their usual habit of stopping on the public streets for prayer, addresses and singing. They held a watch night service on last New Year's eve, and came out on the streets immediately after it, with their accustomed demonstrations. The Chief Constable was prepared with a force of special constables. He and his assistants pounced on the nocturnal disturbers, arrested twenty-seven of both sexes and put them in the lock-up. A number of them were afterwards fined and imprisoned. This action created considerable excitement in the town, as many people felt undue harshness had been exercised, and that if the by-laws were being broken, summonses would have served every purpose.

A GREAT RUCTION.

On the 4th January the Salvation Army marched out in the evening, stopped on the main street, and knelt down in prayer. They were under the command of a young women named Bertha Smith, who holds the rank of captain in the Salvation Army. Owing to the recent occurrences a report had got abroad that the police would try some more arrests. Consequently, a large crowd assembled to see the fun, and the street was blocked from side to side. Sure enough, Constables Bell and Clunan with some specials, approached the head of the kneeling column, where the captain and three other women were down on the snow praying with arms locked together. He requested them to get up and move on. They took no notice. He took Bertha Smith by the arm and tried to lift her up. This was the beginning of a great ruction, and there are a dozen different versions of what occurred afterwards. For the Crown the evidence was that Deleury and others shouted "Bell, you can't take that woman to-night," that the crowd pressed in upon Bell, a general attack was made with sticks on the police, and amongst others Abraham Deleury struck Bell a severe blow on the wrist with a short oak club, and which he drew from its hiding place in his left sleeve. It was a piece of a waggon spoke, and a most handy weapon.

FOR THE DEFENCE.

Mr. Fullerton and Mr. Moore submitted to the court that the Lindsay town by-law against obstructing the streets had no statutory authority to back it, and was therefore ultra vires and of none effect; also, that there was no statutory or common law authority for a summary arrest of the members of the Salvation Army under circumstances such as these. The Crown Attorney, Mr. Devlin, was not prepared to successfully contest this view of the case, and he therefore abandoned the first count. The matter was then gone into as one of common assault only. Several witnesses swore distinctly that Cadet Lily May, one of the kneeling girls, was struck on the head with a baton by Chief Constable Bell because she would not get up, and that Bell was raising his baton to repeat the blow when one Ichabod Gardner caught the baton and prevented its descent. The crowd, it is said, became greatly angered because a woman was struck, and this was the alleged cause of the

GENERAL ATTACK ON THE OFFICERS.

Bell positively denies having struck Miss May, but says that Deleury's club may have caused it to rebound and strike Miss May's head. In charging the jury, his Honour said that if they believed that Bell deliberately struck the girl they might hold that Deleury's interference was justified, he having a right to prevent a breach of the peace; but if they accepted the evidence of the constables, Deleury was clearly guilty of an assault. The jury acquitted Deleury. Five other indictments had been found against different persons for participation in the same row; but on seeing the result in the above case Mr. Devlin decided to offer no evidence, and the five other defendants were accordingly acquitted.

The following cases in which indictments were found, but in which the Crown produced no evidence, and consequently the verdict of "not guilty" was returned in each case, were before the court.

The Queen vs. Isaac Rea.
The Queen vs. George Deleury.
The Queen vs. John Rea.
The Queen vs. John B. Hardwick.
The Queen vs. James Lindsay.

Mr. Moore defended the prisoners in each case.

THOMAS BELL VS. BERTHA SMITH.—This was an appeal from a conviction made by the Police Magistrate of the town of Lindsay on the 3rd Dec. last. The information was laid by Chief Constable Bell under the town by-law against Captain Bertha Smith of the Salvation Army for stopping to pray on the streets. The offence as charged by constable Bell against Captain Smith was for having loitered and stood idle on the street so as to obstruct its free use. Captain Smith was fined by the Police Magistrate $2.00 and costs with the alternative of ten days in gaol. From this conviction the Salvation Army appealed. On the appeal being heard it was objected by the respondent that the appeal Bond was insufficient on the ground that it had not been entered into by the appellant within four days after her conviction. The question on this point of law being uncertain the hearing of the appeal was adjourned till the fall sessions in order to settle the practice in the future. Mr. Moore for appellants and Mr. Martin for respondent.

SCRIVEN VS. CORSON.—The plaintiffs made an agreement with the defendants to burn lime for five years, the defendants covenanting to reline the kiln if it became necessary. The kiln broke down and owing to difference between the defendants the kiln was not relined for one month, whereby the plaintiffs suffered damages for which this action was brought. The defendant Captain Corson admitted plaintiff's claim and asked an order that defendant John Corson pay all costs occasioned by the suit. The defendant John Carson disputed plaintiffs right, and also contended that captain Corson alone was liable. Judgment reserved. Hudspeth & Jackson for plaintiff; Martin & Hopkins for defendant; Captain Corson, W. Nesbitt of Toronto and H. B. Dean for defendant John Corson.

QUEEN VS. ASHMAN.—Indictment for obstructing highway. The defendant admitted the charge and undertook to remove the fence part of which he had already removed. Ordered that he pay a nominal fine of 20 cents and remove the fence. A. P. Devlin for the Crown; Martin & Hopkins for defendant.

QUEEN VS. HENRY MATHEWS.—The defendant is teacher of the Downeyville school, and was charged with giving a son of George Mulcahy's an excessive whipping. The grand jury threw out the bill. A. P. Devlin for the Crown; Martin & Hopkins for defendant.

QUEEN VS. JAMES NICHOLLS.—The defendant is owner of a mill on Burnt River and was charged by Boyd & Co. with taking their logs. The grand jury threw out the bill. When the matter was in the police court the defendant's Counsel insisted strongly that no case was made out and if the matter was sent for trial the grand jury would throw the bill out which they did. A. P. Devlin for the Crown; Martin & Hopkins for defendants.

Victoria County Council.

The summer session of the council was held last week, beginning on Tuesday 14th inst. There was a large attendance of the members, E. D. McEachern Esq., Warden, presiding. The Warden addressed the council briefly and refered to several matters that had engaged his attention during the period since the former session. The estimates for the year, the report and statements of the auditors, and a number of other documents were laid before the council and referred to the respective committees.

Dr. Cornwall brought in a report of the committee on contingencies which was adopted, granting $50 to the Lindsay Game Preservation Association to assist in carrying out the purposes of the association.

Mr. Cameron moved a resolution to grant $25 to the West Victoria Farmer's Institute which was referred to the finance committee.

Col. Deacon addressed the council respecting the action of the deputation which waited on the government during last winter, with a petition, asking that the Muskoka municipalities should be separated from the county.

The report of the special committee appointed at the January session to prepare a congratulatory resolution to be sent to Her Majesty the Queen on reaching her jubilee year, was brought in by Mr. Fell. On the report being adopted the council rose and sang "God Save the Queen" led by Mr. J. H. Knight.

On motion of Mr. Hopkins a resolution was adopted and referred to the finance committee to grant the Victoria Rifle Association $50. Mr. Sam. Hughes addressed the council in the interest of this association.

A deputation consisting of the Warden, Messrs Broad, Daniel, Fell and Swanton was appointed, and proceeded to Ottawa the same evening, to urge on the government the necessity of making a larger grant to carry on the Trent Valley canal works.

Mr. Smyth gave notice of motion favoring commercial union with the United States, to be discussed on a future day.

SECOND DAY.

The council resumed on Wednesday morning. In the absence of the Warden at Ottawa, Mr. Adam E. Staback deputy reeve of Eldon was called to the chair, and justified his appointment by the ability with which he presided.

The places on committees vacated by Col. Deacon's retirement were filled by the appointment of Mr. Hopkins on education, Mr. Bryans on contingencies and Mr. Lownsbrough on finance; and Mr. Smyth was also placed on the latter committee. After several other items had been disposed of the council adjourned.

THIRD DAY.

The Warden resumed the chair on Thursday, having returned with his colleagues on the Trent Valley deputation that morning, and gave a short resume of what had been done at Ottawa. A number of documents were referred to committees.

Mr. Hopkins brought in the report of the Equalization Committee which was adopted. The total value of the county has reached this year $10,995,514. A by-law to confirm the commitee's recommendations was afterwards passed through all its stages.

Mr. Bowes brought in the report of the printing committee recommending payment of a number of accounts, which was adopted.

Several motions proposing grants for roads and bridges were referred to the committee, and a resolution moved by Mr. Smyth looking toward concerted action, by municipalities interested in railway debts, to induce the Dominion and Provincial governments to assume the liabilities, was referred to the railway committee.

FOURTH DAY.

Friday's proceedings began at 10.30 under the presidency of the Warden, who has following up most commendably the efforts of his predecessors to have the council work as promptly as possible at the hour to which it had adjourned.

Dr. Cornwall presented the report of the Education Committee, which was adopted. Among the items of this report are $110 for Buckbridge Model School, balance of grant for 1885 and 1886, and $75 for the same school for this year, the latter on condition that no responsibility as to maintenance of the school is assumed by the council. The long and interesting reports of the inspectors of schools, east and west, are to be printed in the minutes. A by-law was introduced by Dr. Cornwall to raise the usual amounts for the public school fund of the county.

A deputation from the Board of Trade, Lindsay, waited on the council, and later in the day the deputation, consisting of Messrs. Porteous, Hughes, Barr, Kennedy and Sylvester, had an opportunity for bringing the question of improved roads to the county town, to the attention of the committee on roads and bridges. It is hoped that a project that has so much to commend it will yet meet with substantial recognition.

Mr. Swanton, who succeeds Col. Deacon in the chairmanship of the Finance Committee, brought in the report. The various recommendations were adopted by the council. Among them were:—Granting the clerk and treasurer for himself and assistant, in view of long, faithful and satisfactory service, an addition of $400 per annum to the amount now paid, beginning on 1st January last; ordering the payment of $610 towards enforcement of Canada Temperance Act in East Victoria, for year 1887-8; and $973.33 for same purpose in West Victoria; directing the county treasurer to renew demands for refund of amount paid last December, for the enforcement of the Act in Muskoka; grant of $50 to Victoria County Rifle Association; grant of $25 each to Farmers' Institutes in West and East Victoria. Subsequently Mr. Swanton introduced a by-law to provide for levying $27,489.00 for county rates, and the usual amount for sinking fund and interest on account of the railway debt on part of the county; also by-laws to give effect to the recommendation of the committee respecting clerk and treasurer, and making allowance to the sheriff for certain services under the jury law, all of which were passed.

Mr. Smyth's name was added to the Railway Committee in place of Col. Deacon.

Mr. Broad introduced a by-law, which was passed, for the appointment of Mr. W. E. Yarnold to act as engineer for the county, in deciding as to the sufficiency of the new road now being made to give access to the Manilla Junction station.

Among other motions brought before the council was one made by Mr. Berkeley for a grant of $100 for a union ploughing match. The discussion had the effect of carrying the memories of several members back, with pardonable pride, to the days when they themselves were competitors for prizes in trials of skill, in doing what may be called the groundwork of success in tilling the soil. The motion was carried, and the Warden, Messrs. Thos. Broad, T. H. McQuade, Nelson Heaslip, Isaac W. Reid, M. H. Berkeley and Chas. Fairbairn, were appointed to make all necessary arrangements.

The report of the standing committee on Roads and Bridges was presented by Mr. Heaslip. No action was recommended as to bridge across Muskoka river, on boundary Macaulay and Stephenson. A grant of $50 was made to township of Dalton to open a road and purchase Kehoe's bridge for public use. The Mill Pond bridge at Coboconk is to be replanked. Nothing is to be done relative to the Pigeon Creek floating bridge.

FIFTH DAY.

On Saturday morning the Warden took the chair at 10 o'clock. After routine, Mr. Heaslip moved, and Mr. Fairbairn seconded, that Lieut.-Col. James Deacon for many years a representative of Lindsay in this council, having been appointed to and accepted the position of County Police Magistrate, this council with very great pleasure desires to express their appreciation of his energetic and efficient services as a county councillor. His genial disposition and courteous conduct, combined with his admirable tact and liberal views on all public questions, have obtained for him the entire confidence and respect of this council. While regretting the loss of his able services in the capacity of county councillor, we congratulate the county at large on this judicial appointment, believing that Col. Deacon is thoroughly qualified for the position. The resolution was carried unanimously by a standing vote.

Mr. Heaslip presented the second report of the committee on roads and bridges. The following recommendations were made orders of council: The chairman, (Mr. Heaslip) is to accompany Mr. Hudspeth to Toronto, on the occasion of argument for appointment of an arbitrator for Peterborough, in the matter of Bobcaygeon bridges; a conditional grant of $100 towards making repairs on the Victoria Road, between the Portage Road and the third quarter line of Eldon; a conditional grant of $50 for opening up boundary between the Townships of Ryde and Morrison; a grant, with conditions attached, towards repair of Smith's Creek bridge on boundary between Eldon and Thorah; one half the cost of repairing damage to Rosedale bridge, by a scow loaded with wood coming in contact with it, the work to be done by the Government, and a demand to be made on the owner of the scow for the amount expended by the county.

A report submitted by Mr. Cameron, the chairman of the committee on Appointments to office, recommending the appointment of Dr. A. W. J. DeGrassi to the position of gaol surgeon made vacant by the death of the late Dr. Fidler, was adopted, and a by-law passed to confirm it.

Mr. Hopkins presented the report of the committee on county property. The chairman was authorized to have several needed improvements made about the Court House; provision was made for paying rent of judge's chambers to Mr. J. B. Knowlson pending further action as to permanent accommodation down town, and the sub-committee appointed at the January session in that connection was continued in office.

On motion of Dr. Cornwall a resolution and by-law were duly passed appointing John Daniel, Esq., reeve of Fenelon, an auditor of accounts for administration of justice instead of Col. Deacon.

Mr. Staback moved a resolution for the appointment of a committee, composed of Messrs. Smyth, Fell, Broad and Dr. Cornwall to revise the standing rules of the council, which was carried. The council then adjourned.

Not a Book Agent.

Mr. Higinbotham, Druggist, is not a book agent, but has the agency in Lindsay for Johnson's Tonic Bitters, which he can heartily recommend for any complaint to which a tonic medicine is applicable. This valuable medicine has been used with most astonishingly good results in cases of general debility, weakness, irregularities peculiar to females, extreme paleness, impoverishment of the blood, stomach and liver troubles, loss of appetite, and for that general worn out feeling that nearly every one is troubled with at some part of the year. Don't forget the name Johnson's Tonic Bitters 50c. and $1 per bottle at Higinbotham's Drug Store.—83.

Farmers' Institute.

West Victoria Farmers' Institute met in the Council chamber here, on Saturday, 18th June, 1887.

The following were elected officers:—

PRESIDENT, Donald Jackson, Woodville.

VICE PRESIDENT—E. H. Hopkins, Lindsay.

SEC.-TREAS.—James Keith, Lindsay.

DIRECTORS.—W. Cameron, W. Eyres, Thos. Broad, Thos. Beall, F. Dix, A. E. Staback, Geo. McHugh, D. Scully, W. Palmer, W. Lownsbrough, J. Connolly.

Mr. Reid reported on his visit to Toronto Institute.

A letter from John Campbell of Woodville was read.

J. P. Palmer made a speech before leaving for the train.

J. H. Knight on WARDER item.

Mr. Beall read a letter from V. Fuller, re the Central Farmers' Institute for Ontario.

Mr. Read moved, E. H. Hopkins seconded, "that a remoral of all restrictions on trade between the Dominion of Canada and the United States is desirable, either by Reciprocity Treaty or otherwise.

Wm. Cameron favored absolute free trade with the United States.

Chas. Fairbairn, Bobcaygeon, thought if Farmers' Institutes were properly conducted they would be a great benefit to the farmer. He dwelt at length on the question agreeing with much passed by the Central Farmers' Union, except the "Commercial Union" part of their resolution. That, he strongly opposed.

W. Eyres dwelt on the general aspects of the question.

Mr. Broad believed that free trade with all countries is the true principle, but to-day Canada was not ready for it, but one should not take selfish views. He would never consent to commence Union with States and keep up a barrier against England? Political parties were not ready yet for union or the trade question.

Mr. Lownsbrough spoke on the trade question and instanced old arguments concerning barley and other duties.

Joseph Wilkinson favored a return to old times, and thought land cheaper now than then.

Mr. Thompson knew land to be dearer now than formerly.

Mr. Sam Hughes moved, in amendment to the original motion, and Mr. Thos. Beall seconded it, that all the words in the original motion after "that" be omitted and the following inserted:—trade relations between Canada and the United States should be in every way favorable to Canadian farmers, but that whatever privilege or concession be extended to the United States should first be granted to Great Britain; and that the details of such trade relations should be subject of mature and careful consideration.

Mr. Reed moved the adjournment of debate till 2 p.m., Saturday, 2nd July.—Carried.

SONYA.

Special to The Warder.

DARING BURGLARY.—On Monday evening, the 13th inst., the house of Mr. Richard Prouse, was entered by some villain, who it appears, was well acquainted with the house by the way he entered. He gained admission by an outside cellar door, and was by the bed side of where Mrs. Prouse and the hired girl was sleeping. Before being heard, there being no men around at this time, Mr. Robber had things all to himself, he only succeeded in getting some three dollars, a few biscuits, and a jar of preserves

FLEETWOOD.

Special to The Warder.

VISITING.—Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Baily, have been out here visiting friends. They returned to Head Lake on Monday, accompanied by Miss Bella Stacy.

There was a nice refreshing rain on Sunday morning. Everything looks invigorated after it. Teas and picnics are the order of the day.

Mr. Hugh Graham, our new pathmaster, has been improving the roads. He has done some good jobs on his beat.

JANETVILLE.

Special to The Warder.

HYMENEAL.—We take great pleasure in announcing the marriage of our young friend Mr. Wm. Hanna, brother of J. J. Hanna, Uxbridge, on the 15th inst., to Miss Retta Preston, daughter of Capt. L. Preston, late of the 46th battalion. The ceremony took place at the residence of the bride's father and was performed by the Rev. Mr. Curtis, Methodist minister, in the presence of a large number of friends who were invited to witness the ceremony. The presents were rich and numerous. We wish the young couple a happy union and a long life to enjoy it.

DRESS-MAKING.—The Misses Halladay, dress-makers of this village, are doing a rushing business. They have secured the services of Miss Marshall for the summer. They also wish to secure a second skirt trimmer so as to be able to attend to the press of work.

Miss Lena Maxwell, pupil of the Lindsay high school, has been visiting at her Aunts, the Miss Halladays.

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THE river drivers are troubling the waters continually, one drive following the other so quickly that they almost seem continuous. Messrs. Thompson & McArthur's got slightly mixed with Mr. Hazlit's and the sorting not proving satisfactory a dispute occurred, but no blood was spilt.

MR. Gould has a monopoly of loading railroad ties here and he makes it pay where the chance presents itself.

Mr. Harry Kelchier and family from Uxbridge and Miss McKinnel, a graduate of Ottawa Normal School, are the guests of Mr. Kelcher. They are enjoying the balmy breezes of Balsam Lake for a short time.

THE Presbyterian picnic on the 1st July is bound to be a success. The base ball team is practicing every night and expect to lower all former records. The concert in the evening will it is expected be the event of the season, as many noted vocalists from a distance are expected, besides our local talent.

MR. J. R. Moore has a flock of Leicestershire sheep, shearlings and breeding ewes that averaged nearly 9 lbs. a fleece. Some of them have been prize winners for the last 5 years. He has some very fine lambs.

One of our residents found a ladies' slipper in his boat the other morning, and the mate to it is anxiously expected.

Deaths.

GREGORY.—In Lindsay, on Saturday, June 18th, John Bennett, son of John Gregory, aged 10 years, 9 months and 28 days.

Marriages.

HANNA—PRESTON.—On the 15th of June, at Forest Hill Homestead, by the Rev. R. T. Curtice, Mr. W. J. Hanna of Cartwright, to Miss I. A. Preston, daughter of Isaac Preston, Esq., Manvers.