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The Victoria Wardeer FRIDAY, MARCH 20 1896.

THE REMEDIAL BILL. Special to The Wardeer. OTTAWA, March 20th, 1896. 3.30 a.m. The second reading of the Remedial Bill carried by a majority of 18. Mr. Laurier's "six month's hold" defeated by a majority of 24. Hughes, of North Victoria, McGillivray, of North Ontario, and Ross, of Dundas, voted against the government. EDITORIAL NOTES. Major Hughes' amendment is in the right direction.—Huron News-Record. If the Abyssinians continue to kill off the Italians there will be a scarcity of organ-grinders in the future. The pages of history of the latter part of the 19th century will never lose the red stains of the Armenian massacres. Up at Ottawa the members are shouting themselves hoarse over the remedial bill, and yet the world goes on in the same old way. A nail factory has been started in Brantford, with the latest and most improved machinery. Another evidence of the value of the N.P. The various war scares have not affected the functions of the peach prophets. It will be noticed that the peach crop has been damaged the usual 50 per cent. Rev. J. W. MacMillan's sermon on athletics last Sunday evening was in the right line. A few more such sermons and a decided change for the better will be noticed in the Lindsay street loafer. For the past few years the commercial value of the fisheries of Canada have exceeded \$20,000,000, and for the best available year (1894) were subdivided in the different provinces as follows:— Nova Scotia.....\$ 6,547,387 New Brunswick..... 4,351,526 British Columbia..... 3,950,478 Quebec..... 2,303,386 Ontario..... 1,659,968 P. E. Island..... 1,119,738 Manitoba and N. W. Ter..... 797,087 Total.....\$20,719,873 The above does not include the large quantity of fish consumed by the Indian population of British Columbia and N. W. Territories, estimated at about \$3,000,000. The above showing is not so bad for five millions of people. A meeting of those interested in fruit growing will be held in the council chamber, Lindsay, on Wednesday March 25th, at 2 p.m. for the purpose of arranging with Mr. Pettit, of Grimsby, regarding some spraying experiments. As Mr. Pettit's time is limited it is hoped that those attending will be punctual. Messrs Britton Bros., Opticians, have been testing the eyesight of the school children this week. Out of one room two were pronounced to have real good eyes, and the proportion is about the same throughout the town schools.

MURDER.

A RESPECTED CITIZEN SHOT DOWN IN GOLD BLOOD.

Sad Ending to St. Patrick's Day. We have grown accustomed to read accounts of murder almost daily. Of late America has been interested in the Holmes affairs, Birtchell, McWhitell and other famous cases. We may have been struck with the recklessness, the coolness, the seeming nerve and cleverness of the murderers. The murder committed in the east ward on Tuesday night, by which a well known and respected citizen, in the person of James Agnew, lost his life, appeals in no way to these senses, but stands unparalleled as the most brutal deed ever committed in town, the shooting and killing of another man for his money. Picture to yourself an old, but hale hearty man, 75 years of age, living retired with his wife in a comfortable home, the occupants well-to-do, happy and loved by a large circle of friends; then again think of the old man killed, his sorrowing widow left to mourn him without even the sympathy of a son or daughter to soothe her troubles and in some way fulfil the position of a kind husband. Picture all this and you will feel in some degree the surprise and indignation with which Lindsayites heard of the foul deed. James Agnew, the murdered man, was a retired farmer, having lived in Lindsay for some 10 years, coming from a good farm in Ops, which he had obtained possession of away back in the fifties, cleared, worked and derived a tolerable profit from, allowing him to take a well earned rest in town. Previous to taking to farming, Mr. Agnew had lived for a time in the States, but his native land was Ireland from which he had emigrated when but 23 years of age, leaving with his brother, now of Ops, to seek home and fortune in the far west. Tuesday evening as was his habit about 9 o'clock, Mr. Agnew took his lantern and a bunch of keys and went out to attend his horse and lock up. An hour elapsing and Mr. Agnew not returning his wife went out to call him and was horrified to find him lying at the stable door, to all appearances dead. Hurrying across to a neighbor Shannon's, she roused the household on arriving at the scene, Mr. Shannon saw that Agnew was dead and that a murder had been committed, as a bullet wound in the left side of the head, just back of the ear showed. The deceased's pocket books were lying on the ground, the one generally used for money being empty. His watch was also gone, snatched from the body in a hurry as the broken guard lying on the body would show. Dr. Clarke and Chief Bell were notified and were on hand about 2 o'clock Wednesday morning. After viewing the body and getting all the particulars, Chief Bell had the remains removed into the house. On examination the chief found foot marks around the stable showing where the murderer had walked to get the most advantageous place to commit his cowardly deed. The chief then supposes as Mr. Agnew was closing the stable door the murderer stepped out from behind a corner of the stable and shot him. After doing the deed the fiend robbed the body. The patrol was close to the head when fired as the face was blackened with powder. That the murder was the work of one well acquainted with Mr. Agnew's habits is evident. Since being notified of the murder, Chief Bell and his able staff have been working like Trojans on the case. Wednesday morning they arrested "Jack" Carney on suspicion of being the murderer, and in the afternoon they arrested "Pat", Jack's brother, as being an accomplice. Just what evidence the police have against Jack Carney is not known, but it is said that Jack gave to his brother money of the murdered man, and also a 32-calibre rim fire pistol, the calibre of which corresponds to the one used in killing Agnew. It is true however that the police discovered all these articles under "Pat" Carney's house, and to say the least of it, the case looks bad for Carney. Jack Carney is but 13 years old and was on suspended sentence, being implicated in the late robberies. He is what is known as a young "tough" and was beyond all control of his parents. The inquest held at the Agnew homestead was adjourned, after a considerable mass of evidence had been taken, till to-night (Friday) in the council chamber. Thus the opening chapters of another of those dark deeds are added to Canada's already too long list. LITTLE BRITAIN. BUSINESS CHANGE.—Mr. J. B. Weldon proved the dark horse in the recent contest, securing the township clerkship, and will wind up business here. ROADS are in a deplorable state here, business consequently dull. CITIZENS are preparing the boats, as they expect a repetition of Noah's flood, on a small scale. THE ice harvest is about completed. FARMERS' institute meeting here was a great success. Many were unable to get in to the hall. A new bus driver is to take the reins next week. Drive level Ben. Our telephone line is being constructed. "Hello, is that you Toronto." The longest train which has left Lindsay for some time went to the June 10th Tuesday night. There numbered sixty-two cars drawn by two engines and from their speed at a certain part of Victoria ave. grade, a spectator was of the opinion that a shove of the shoulder either way, would have settled it.

Best Ontario Orangemen.

The grand orange lodge of Ontario East met in Norwood on Tuesday, there being a large attendance of delegates. N. C. Wallace M.P., grand master and sovereign, came up from Ottawa on Tuesday and addressed the lodge, leaving at midnight. The grand lodge, headed by the Norwood brass band, met the grand master at the station and escorted him to the town hall, where the grand lodge was held. On Wednesday morning Major Sam Hughes M.P. came up from Ottawa, leaving at noon. Major Hughes, in his address, stated he would vote against Mr. Laurier's motion for a six month's hold as well as against the second reading of the bill. The session was brought to a close on Wednesday night, the following being elected officers for the ensuing year:— Grand master, J. W. Bell, Desmond; deputy grand master, Albert Bradley; Executive, junior deputy grand master, John H. Dovic; Blackbook; grand chaplain, Rev. W. S. Barker, Campbellford; grand treasurer, Robert Gordon, Tweed; grand secretary, F. M. Clarke, Belleville; grand lecturer, W. H. Craig, Tweed; grand director of ceremonies, E. J. Hughes, Carp; deputy grand secretary, Geo. McCartney, Bothany; deputy grand chaplain, Rev. Wm. McLean, Lyndhurst; Rev. F. Bliss, Stafford; Rev. John McLaren, Carp; Rev. S. A. Dupran, Redville; Rev. W. W. Quicke, New Edinburgh. Pictou was chosen as the next place of meeting. The grand black chapter opened on Monday afternoon, concluding on Tuesday forenoon. The following are the officers elected:—Grand master, W. H. Craig, Tweed; first-deputy, G. M. Albert Bradley, Hazel Dewar, second-deputy, G. M. John Earle Halliwell, Stirling; grand chaplain, Rev. W. Moore, Lyndhurst; grand registrar, Lechlan McGoun, Napanee; grand treasurer, James Clark, Ottawa; deputy-grand registrar, Charles Riley, Camden East; deputy-grand treasurer, John McKelvy, Norwood; grand lecturers, E. K. J. Stewart and J. McGee, Madoc; grand standard-bearer, Thos. O'Brien, Campbellford; E. J. Hughes, Carp; grand censor, James Freeborn, Purple Hill; G. A. Potts, Ivanhoe; grand purveyor, W. H. Cook, Corbyville; grand committee, Wm. Wray, Tweed; T. Colthart, Cannanore; John Park, Renfrew; Wm. Givan, Bobcaygeon; Francis Thompson, Thos. Burg, Geo. Townsend, Rupert; Francis Whitley, Brockville. Bro. John Kelley, of THE WARDEE staff, P.C.M. of Victoria, was in attendance at both the grand chapter and grand lodge. KINMOUNT. OBITUARY.—We have this week to chronicle the death of Mr. W. S. Scott, son of Mr. G. Scott of the Northern hotel and proprietor of the Minden hotel. "Sear" as he was always called, was well liked by all who knew him and his untimely end has cast a gloom on the village. He was brought home from the general hospital, Toronto, on Thursday of last week where he had an operation performed, but the trouble proved to be a cancer, and nothing could be done but await the inevitable. After his arrival here he gradually sank until Saturday morning, when death ended his sufferings. The funeral on Monday was largely attended by the True Blue, Independent Foresters and Oddfellows, he being a member of all three associations. The Kinmount brass band also turned out and played several pieces on the way to the cemetery. The deceased was a member of the brass band for a number of years. Rev. E. Soward read the beautiful and impressive service of the church of England at the house, and will preach the memorial sermon on Sunday next in St. James' church, at 10.30 a.m. The late Mr. Scott leaves a widow and five children to mourn his loss. Much sympathy is felt for the bereaved in the hour of their affliction. THE township fathers have a gang of men at work repairing Kinmount bridge. SAY isn't it laughable to hear the grins, (the supporters of Sir Oliver's notorious amendments to Ontario's separate schools) crying "Hands off Manitoba." Was there ever anything so absurd? Is there any consistency in such a crowd? We think not. FENNELON FALLS. From our regular special correspondent. ON SATURDAY morning a deep gloom was cast over our village when it became known that Mr. John Jordan had died during the night. Mr. Jordan had been ill for a little over two weeks, but during the latter part of last week had showed signs of improvement that strong hopes were entertained of his recovery. The easing of his suffering had, however, proved only temporary, and despite all that skill and attention could do, he passed peacefully to his rest on Saturday night. The deceased gentleman, who was the eldest son of Mr. Wm. Jordan, was a thorough favorite in every walk in life, and his loss will be felt heavily throughout the whole community. Gentle and hearty to one and all, our village loses one of her best citizens, while the loss to his family circle must be irreparable, and his sorrowing widow, his parents and brothers and sisters have the sympathy of all in their hour of deep bereavement. During the past few years Mr. Jordan has held the position of school master and also many years that of secretary of the school board. The funeral, which took place on Monday was very largely attended. The Rev. T. F. Steel of Fenelon Falls, and G. McCall, B.A., of Ottawa, headed the procession followed by A. Wilson, M.D., immediately after which a number of members of the Epworth League of C.E. of the Methodist church, of which Mrs. Jordan has been for some years president, then the public school trustees, the public school teachers and a large number of the pupils, after which the bearers proceeded to the house, all marching from the house to the cemetery. Then a number of sleighs followed containing a number of citizens and also many friends from other places, among whom we noticed Messrs. Flavelle, Barron, Wetherup, G. Gray and McLaughlin of Lindsay, J. W. Wood M.D., of Kitchener, and a great many others. Our village churches have been having a number of social evenings lately which all have been well attended. A basket social was held last week at the residence of Mr. E. Mitchell in Fenelon and another at Mr. E. Wain's home on Wednesday evening, both in aid of the Methodist church and both were well attended. On the same evening the ladies of the C. E. of the Presbyterian church held a social which was well attended and a most enjoyable evening spent. Another basket social is advertised for March 25th, at the residence of Mr. Wm. Sanderson in aid of the Presbyterian church. The third carnival of the season was held in the skating rink on Tuesday evening. The ice was in good condition and the attendance very good. It is expected that the Rev. Mr. Bellhouse of Toronto, and the Rev. Mr. McKinnon of Fenelon Falls, will exchange pulpits on Sunday next. Mr. T. Avery had the misfortune to injure his head last Sunday by an ice-bank. Had it not been for the heavy glove he was wearing at the time the bank might have passed through the head. As it was, the injury was so severe that the head had to be propped up the depth of these lectures on Saturday evening when which we mentioned it is progressing favorably.

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DEATHS. BURGESS—VIAL.—At the parsonage, Woodville, by the Rev. J. W. Wilkinson, on Wednesday, March 4th, 1896 Mr. William Burgess of Brock, to Miss Nellie J. Vial, daughter of Mr. George Vial of Toronto. MAXWELL—FORMAN.—On Wednesday, March 11th, 1896, at the residence of the bride's father by the Rev. J. W. Wilkinson, Mr. William Maxwell, to Ida M., youngest daughter of Mr. William W. Foreman, all of Eldon township. FISHER—POLLOCK.—At the residence of the bride's mother, Victoria Road village, by the Rev. J. W. Wilkinson, on March 11th, 1896, Mr. Mark H. Fisher of Eldon, to Charlotte Ester (Luttrell), youngest daughter of the late Henry Pollock Esq., of Eldon township. DEATHS. KINGSBORO.—In Kinmount, on Saturday, March 7th, 1896, of crop, Kathleen, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Kingsboro, by the Rev. J. W. Wilkinson, on Saturday, 14th March, Mr. Searle Scott, of Kinmount, in his 40th year. FARMERS, Attention. The undersigned has for sale, at the Parkin Mill, a large quantity of shingles, lumber and wood. Parties wishing building material will find it to their advantage to give a call. Prices very low. S. H. WILK Agent. Feb. 18, 1896.—31-4.

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