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Manufacturer of Lumber and Shingles. Lumber and Shingles wholesale and retail.
Bill Stuff and Timber cut to order, any length or size. Lumber of all kinds kept on hand and Shingles.
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Public Warning.

All persons are hereby notified not to remove Earth, Rock or Loam, or Green Sward off any road in the Township of Ops, or they will be prosecuted.
79-3 E. H. HOPKINS, Reeve.

To Rent at Sturgeon Point.

Two Cottages, with ice house attached. Per year, $20 each. For particulars apply to
79-1 J. M. KNOWLSON.

Engine and Boiler For Sale.

Boiler 10 horse power, Engine 35 horse power; both almost as good as new. Also one Boiler, 30 horse power, and Engine 16 horse power, in good order. For particulars apply to SYLVESTER BROS. MFG CO., Lindsay, Ont. 78-tf

Strayed.

Came into Lot 17, Con. 4, Mariposa, on Tuesday, 23rd April, a ROAN COLORED COW, giving milk. The owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take her away. DAVID THOMPSON.
76-4

Thoroughbred Durham Bull For Sale.

A one year old Durham Bull, registered in Dominion Herd Book, is for sale by the undersigned, on Lot 24, Con. 7, Ops, Lindsay P.O. For particulars apply to JOHN B. GRAHAM. 76-4

Telegraph Poles Wanted.

I will pay cash for any amount of long Telegraph Poles forty to sixty-five feet long, delivered at stations in car lads along G. T. Ry during the coming winter. For full particulars apply to F. H. HARVEY, Concord, purchasing agent for H. D. McCaffrey Owego. 56tf

Farm for Sale

The subscriber offers for sale that fine farm containing 74 acres more or less, being composed of the North part of Lot 19, in the 8th Con. of Mariposa, situate 14 miles east of the Village of Oakwood. Good buildings and all necessary conveniences. Terms reasonable. For particulars apply to the owner on the premises, or by letter to Oakwood P. O.
77-tf JOHN WALLIS.

Shingle Mill for Sale.

A good shingle mill, capable of cutting from 30,000 to 40,000 shingles per day; also an engine 20 horse power and boiler 25 horse power. The foregoing are all in good working order, with everything complete, Jointer, Rotter, etc. For further particulars as to terms and price apply to the owner, on Lot 2 in 10th Con of Ops, or if by letter to Omemee P. O. A quantity of good shingles for sale at 50 cents per thousand. J. FRIR. 77-4

Farm for Sale in Fenelon.

The undersigned offers for sale West Half Lot 11, Con. 5, Fenelon, 100 acres of good land, 90 cleared and in good cultivation. Nine miles from Lindsay, eight from Fenelon Falls, five from Cameron and two from Cameron railway station. For further particulars apply on the premises. JOHN MARK.
Cameron P. O September 10th 1887.—92-tf.

For Sale.

Park Lots 22 and 23, Dennistoun street, LINDSAY. Six acres of land. There is on the place a good frame house of eight rooms, well finished, with stone cellar, and woodshed attached; also a frame barn with stable in one end; a good well and pump; a young orchard of 35 trees besides other small fruit. This place is all complete and will be sold cheap. For further particulars apply on the premises. JOHN H. PEEL.
Lindsay, Jan. 5, 1889.—66-tf.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

T. BEALL, LINDSAY.

Farms for Sale in Ops.

The West Half of Lot 4, Con. 1, Ops, bordering on Mariposa, consisting of 103 acres, will be sold on favorable terms. There are on the property a good brick house with kitchen and woodshed attached; two barns, one with stone foundation 36x60 feet, the other 30x60 feet; good horse and cattle stables; well fenced, straight fences, ten acre fields; 95 acres cleared and under cultivation and 8 acres of good hardwood bush, three good wells of water; two acres of orchard. The farm is distant 6 miles from Lindsay, 3 miles from Mariposa Station, 1½ miles from Valentia, 1½ miles from a public school, 1½ miles to Methodist church. For further particulars apply on the premises to JOHN NESBITT, Valentia P. O., May 6th, 1889. 77-9

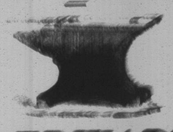
Farm for Sale.

Lot No. 5, on the North side of Wellington St., South, containing half an acre more or less. There is on the lot two good frame houses well finished, one two and the other one and a half stories high. There is a stoned well 30 feet deep, not in good working order at present. On the south end of the lot is a building belonging to John Makins, for which he pays a ground rent of $40 per year, the building to be removed at the end of the year's term if so desired by giving one month's notice. This property fronts on William St., is on the bank of the Scugog river, and it would be a good place for a grist mill, the swing bridge across the river being south of the lot with a good supply of water from the river. The above valuable property will be sold for $1600, of which $1300 is required down, balance may remain on interest at 4 per cent. For further particulars apply to the owner, JEREMIAH MURPHY, Mount Horeb, P.O. or JAS. HAMILTON, Lindsay. —74-tf.

Valuable Farm for Sale or to Rent in Fenelon.

The following valuable farm property, being the west half of Lot No. 8 and the west half of the east half of Lot No. 7, in the 7th Con. of Fenelon, will be offered for sale or to rent (sale preferred). This farm, formerly owned by Mr. James B. Graham, contains 150 acres, of which 130 acres are cleared and in a good state of cultivation. There are on the premises a comfortable dwelling house and two frame barns, one 30x72 with good stabling and stone cellar for roots underneath. The farm is well fenced with cedar rail fences. The property is situated one mile from Cameron village, three-quarters from Cameron Station, six miles from Lindsay by rail, or nine miles by road, and three miles from Sturgeon Point. Terms:—$1,000 may remain on mortgage at six per cent., balance cash. Plowing possession given this fall after harvest, and full possession after 1st March, 1890. For further particulars apply to C. CHIPPICK, Lindsay, May 14th, 1889.—78-tf

NEW GOODS



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Navy Wheelbarrows,
Garden Rakes and Hoes,
Rubber Hose,
Manilla Rope,
Iron Pipe, sizes ¼ in. to 2 in.

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Sign of the Anvil

WOOL WANTED
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Those having Wool to Sell or Exchange should inspect our well-assorted stock of Yarns, Sheetings and Flannels of our own manufacture, which we guarantee to be made from Good Wool and free from shoddy and pickings. In Yarns we have over 25 different shades and sizes, and we are confident we can please you in Quality and price. We are paying the Highest Market Price for Wool and 2 cents per lb. extra in trade. Wool made up to order. All lots of 25 pounds and over kept separate.

HORN & SONS, MARIPOSA

Linden Valley P.O., May 22, 1889.—79-2

Important Auction Sale
OF VALUABLE
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
AND EFFECTS.

I am instructed by
MRS. JOHN W. LEE
to offer for sale by Public Auction on the premises, No. 2, DUNCON'S TERRACE, Wellington street, on

TUESDAY, MAY 28

The following Household Goods and Effects:

PARLOR.
1 Piano, 1 Parlor Suite
1 Walnut Centre Table
1 Mirror 30x60 1 Carpet, 30 yds
1 Fancy Table 2 Pair Lace Curtains
2 Spring Blinds, Vases, Brackets and Pictures
1 Pair Felt Curtains, Pole and Rings
DINING ROOM.
1 Extension Table 6 Chairs (Dining)
1 Side Board 1 Lounge
1 Drum Stove and Pipes
1 Hanging Lamp 2 Small Tables
2 Pair Curtains, Crockery, Cutlery and Glassware
1 Willow Rocker 1 Tapestry Carpet, 40 yds
1 Fancy Lamp 1 Clock
60 Books and Book Shelves, Brackets, Pictures etc.
Flower Stand, Plants etc.
2 Camp Chairs
HALL.
1 Sultana Coal Stove
1 Hanging Lamp 1 Mahogany Hat Rack
3 Pair Drape Curtains, Poles and Rings
1 Stair Carpet
BEDROOM No. 1.
1 Bedroom Suite 1 Spring 1 Mattress
1 Mahogany Work Table
1 Ottoman 1 Rocking Chair
1 Mirror 30x50 1 Toilet Set 1 Clock
2 Pair Curtains, Ornaments, Brackets and Pictures
1 Wool Carpet 2 Lamps and Brackets
SEWING ROOM.
1 Sewing Machine 1 Sewing Table
4 Chairs 1 Boston Rocker 1 Carpet
BEDROOM No. 2.
1 Bedroom Suite, Springs and Mattress
2 Chairs 1 Toilet Set 1 Walnut Towel Rack
1 Pair Curtains 1 Brussels Carpet, Pictures and Vases etc.
BEDROOM No. 3.
1 Bedstead, Springs, and Mattress
1 Wash Stand 1 Toilet Set 1 Wool Carpet
1 Pair Curtains and Blinds 1 Rocking Chair Pictures and Brackets
KITCHEN.
1 Cook Stove and Furniture
1 Fall-leaf Table 6 Kitchen Chairs
1 Clock 5 Lamps 3 Wash Tubs, Tin ware and ordinary utensils.

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock.

TERMS OF SALE.—All sums of $20 and under cash; over that amount four months' credit by parties furnishing approved paper. Sale strictly unreserved as Mrs. Lee is removing to Toronto.

JAMES H. LENNON, Auctioneer.
May 15th, 1889.—78-2.

Important Auction Sale
OF
Valuable Household Furniture.

I have received instructions from
MR. W. E. MURPHY,
to offer for sale by Public Auction on the premises, third house East of Curling Rink, on Russel street, Lindsay, on

Thursday, 6th June,

the following valuable Household Furniture and Effects:

PARLOR.
1 Parlor Suit 7 pieces 1 Centre Table
1 Tapestry Carpet, 30 yds
1 Hanging Lamp 7 Pictures
1 Large Bracket
DINING ROOM
1 Extension Table 1 Sideboard with Mirror
1 Lounge Hair Cloth 6 Cane Chairs
1 Cane Rocking Chair 1 Willow Rocking Chair
41 Yards Carpet 1 Round Wood Stove and Pipes
8 Pictures 1 Hanging Lamp, Crockery Glassware and Cutlery.
HALL.
Oil Cloth, Hall Rack, 1 Hanging Lamp
1 Stair Carpet and Rods
BEDROOM No. 1.
1 Bedroom Suite 1 Bedstead 2 Mattresses
1 Spring 1 Toilet Set 2 Chairs, Curtains, Blinds and Pictures
30 Yards Carpet
BEDROOM No. 2.
1 Bedstead, Bureau, Washstand, 1 Mattress
1 Spring 1 Toilet Set 1 Chair, Carpet Curtains, Blinds and Pictures
BEDROOM No. 3.
1 Bedstead 1 Bureau 1 Washstand
1 Mattress and Spring 1 Toilet Set
1 Chair, Carpet, Curtains, Blind, and Pictures
BEDROOM No. 4.
1 Bedstead 1 Springs 1 Mattress
1 Washstand 1 Toilet Set
KITCHEN.
1 Cook Stove and Furniture
1 Kitchen Table 6 Kitchen Chairs
1 Clothes Horse 7 Lamps, Tubs, Pails Tinware and Kitchen utensils
YARD.
1 Top Buggy Nearly New made by J. Hamilton. 1 Road Wagon made by D. Sinclair. 1 Cutter Nearly New
1 Set Single Harness 1 String Bells
1 Grey Driving Mare Rising Nine Years Old
1 Driving Horse 4 Years Old
A quantity of Wood and Lumber.

Sale to commence at 1 o'clock sharp.

TERMS OF SALE.—All sums of $15 and under, cash; over $15 four months' credit will be given to parties furnishing approved paper. Sale strictly unreserved, as Mr. Murphy is leaving Lindsay for the West. Goods on inspection the day previous to sale.

JAMES H. LENNON, Auctioneer.
Lindsay, 24th May, 1889.—79-2.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Town Hall and Site For Sale at Victoria Road.

Tenders for the purchase of Bexley Township Hall and site, consisting of half an acre of land, will be received by the undersigned until NOON of MONDAY, JUNE 10th, 1889. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

NELSON HEASLIP, Reeve of Bexley.
Victoria Road, May 20th, 1889.—79-2.

Farm for Sale in Mariposa.

The subscriber offers for sale that splendid farm, being the North Halves of Lots 13 and 14 in the 1st Concession of Mariposa, 100 acres each. On Lot 13 there is a good frame barn with stone stables underneath, driving house, and a good frame dwelling house. On Lot 14 there are two frame barns, and stable, and a log dwelling house. The above farms are convenient to school and church, and distant from the Village of Little Britain three miles. They will be sold either separately or together. For further particulars apply to the owner on the premises, or if by letter to Little Britain Post Office. GEORGE W. STORES. Mariposa May 18th, 1889.—79-tf.

NOTICE.

Is hereby given that all communications in respect to matters affecting the Department of Indian Affairs, should be addressed to the Honorable E. Dewdney as Superintendent General of Indian Affairs, and not as Minister of the Interior, or to the undersigned. All Officers of the Department should address their official letters to the undersigned.

L. VANKOUGHNET, Deputy Superintendent-General of Indian Affairs.
Department of Indian Affairs, Ottawa, 11th May, 1889.—79-13

Court of Revision.

A Court of Revision for the municipality of
Laxton, Digby and Longford
Will be held at the
Town Hall, Head Lake,
Township of Laxton, on
Saturday, the 1st day of June next
at the hour of Ten o'clock in the forenoon. All parties appealing against their assessment are hereby notified.

WILLIAM MAXWELL, Township Clerk.
Head Lake, May 18th, 1889.—79-1

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Young men fitted for Custom Cutters.
All kinds of Block Patterns cut for the Trade. Private lessons to ladies at their own residence.
Charges moderate.
1676-tf. **W. H. POGUE**

Salvation Army Notes.

Major Glover, leads meetings at the barracks Saturday and Sunday 25th and 26th inst.

The Weather.

Report for the week ending Saturday night, May 18th, from Lindsay observatory:—

TEMPERATURE.

Highest	85°.00	Saturday
Lowest	36°.00	Wednesday
Warmest day mean of	71°.15	Saturday
Coldest " "	46°.00	Wednesday
The week "	58°.31	

PRECIPITATION, IN INCHES.

Greatest fall of rain in 1 day .46, Thursday
Rain fell on 4 days.
Total rain fall .71.

THOS. BEALL.

Our English Letter,

A TRIP THROUGH NORTH CORNWALL—HARTLAND.

Continuing our pleasant peregrinations and looking at our map we find that we are six miles from Clovelly and thirteen from Bideford, in the nice little village of Hartland. Looking around for a place of interest we come upon the parish church, a capacious building standing near the sea, about a mile and a half from the town, and may be observed from a distance. It has lately been restored, partly at the expense of the parish and partly by the present lord of the manor, Sir G. Stacley, Baronet. On Hartland Point, called by the historian Ptolemy "Hercules Promontory" and by Camden "Harty Point" has recently been erected a lighthouse with a revolving light, showing alternately red and white lights in intervales of a minute, and proving of great service on the coast.

Hartland Abbey, the seat of Colonel Stacley standing in a narrow vale, whose sides are profusely mantled with hanging woods, and formerly one of the richest in Devonshire, was founded by Githa, wife of Earl Godwin, in honor of St. Nectan. A herd of noble deer dot the park, through which a lovely stream of water winds its silent course to the sea. The tourist may reach Hartland by the main road, following the line of telegraph posts on the right. If at all clear, he will have a magnificent view of the North Devon headlands, whilst far away at sea may be discerned the long dark outlines of the Welsh coast.

Near the chancel door of the church, a tomb is said to have borne the following quaint inscription:—

Here lie I outside the chancel door;
Here I lie because I am poor,
The further in the more they pay;
But here I lie, as warm as they.

Lundy Island may also be very distinctly seen for a very long distance along the route. The island, about 200 acres in extent, contains the ruins of Moriseo's castle and St. Ann's chapel, the former being strongly fortified in the reign of Charles I. and held by Lord Say for the King. The lighthouse built in 1819 is 80 feet high. Large granite quarries were formerly worked on the island, but are now abandoned. The rocks around the island are very grand, but offer an almost unsurmountable barrier to landing, except in very calm weather. There are a few houses here and part of the island is under cultivation.

Passing over Woodleigh Burrow, we trace the source of the river Torridge and Tamar, which "keep company" as it were, for some distance, and then part as many lovers do, one to run a wild course of 50 miles, until it empties itself into the Bristol channel at Appledore, and the other to follow its winding way for about the same distance to Plymouth.

Town Council.

Monday, 20th.—The Mayor took the chair at 8 o'clock, all the members being in their seats.

The following communications and petitions were read:

From Messrs. McIntyre & Stewart, asking for $10 witness fees, allowed in the appeal of Mr. Cowan re taxes. Referred to finance committee.

From R. D. Thexton, asking leave to put in a siding on Victoria avenue north of Colborne-st., from east side of main railroad track. Referred to street and bridge committee.

From the assessors, asking an increase of salary owing to an increase of work by reason of the Provincial Franchise Act; also that the salary is not as large as that paid by other towns not having as large a population as Lindsay. Referred to finance committee.

From A. Hudspeth Esq. and others, asking the council to appoint fence viewers. Referred to legislative committee.

From Britton Bros. and others, asking that the following names be added to the committee re the proposed water supply:—Messrs. A. F. D. Macgahen, Dr. McAlpine, T. B. Dean, E. Benson, Dr. Coulter, Arthur O'Leary, T. McConnell, S. Irwin, E. Veitch, Squire McDonnell, Rich. Sylvester, J. J. Daly, R. J. Matchett, Dr. Burrows, J. R. McNeillie, T. Matchett, Robt. Bryans and Geo. Mills. A motion complying with the prayer of the petition was passed before the council adjourned.

From R. Parker and others, asking that Dennistoun-st. from St. David-st. to George-st. be opened; also that steps be taken to remove the town dumping ground. Referred to committee on town property.

The special committee on parks and gardens reported having planted 111 trees in the agricultural grounds, and had given instructions to the caretaker to water and attend to them. Adopted.

The finance committee reported, recommending the payment of several accounts, which was adopted.

The committee on fire and water reported that H. Miller be permitted to erect a frame house, to be veneered with brick, as asked in his petition; that T. McConnell be permitted to erect a frame shed, it to be covered with corrugated iron; and that leave be not given to the Bell Electric Light Co'y to put up poles on the streets until after 1st June. Adopted.

Committee on town property reported as to some needed improvements required around the market and lockup. Adopted.

Police committee reported that the report of the chief constable for March had been examined and found correct. Adopted.

The committee on town property reported that there be expended for repairs of sidewalks in the north ward $359.56, south ward $282.80, east ward $319.50, and that the sum of $1500 be placed at the disposal of the committee for general purposes unenumerated.

This report gave rise to some discussion of a varied nature, as the non-existence of a sinking fund in reference to the debentures heretofore issued by the town, the collegiate institute, the competency of the chairmen of the street and bridge committee, the chairman of the financial committee, and the local improvement scheme. All came under review. The first part of the report was finally carried by the casting vote of the mayor, the latter being referred back to the committee for further consideration.

Reeve Crandell preferred a charge against Coun. Parsons, charging him with malfeasance of office in regard to cedar furnished the town by Joseph Wilson, who, Reeve Crandell claimed, was an agent for Coun. Parsons in the transaction. The charge was referred to a committee composed of the Mayor, Messrs. Fleury, Comstock, Bryan, Williams and Dean.

The following notices of amendments to by-laws were given:—

By Mr. Comstock to amend the by-law re rebate on payment of taxes.

By Mr. Crandell to amend the fire by-law.

By Mr. Brown to amend the cow by-law.

By Mr. Williams that he will introduce a local improvement by-law.

A by-law to amend the billiard by-law was introduced and read a first time, and the council went into committee of the whole, when after some discussion the committee rose and reported progress.

Council adjourned.

Society Notes.

The Grand Orange Lodge of Canada will meet in Goderich on Tuesday next, 28th inst. The Grand Black Chapter will meet in the same place the day previous.

Regular meeting of Home Circle No. 34 on Monday evening. There should be a large attendance as business of importance is to be transacted.

School Notes.

The following is the standing in conduct, punctuality and attendance of the senior pupils of S.S. No. 1, Manvers, for April:—Nettie Kerr, Stanley Magill, Robt. Magill, Wilbert Magill, Effie Magill, Minnie Henders, Meda Leaton and Minnie Spencer (equal), Harry Seaton, Ellen Fowler, Blanche Magill, Ida Ramm, Mansel Maguire, Vinie Porter and Susan Gardiner. J. L. VEALE, teacher.

The following are the names of pupils in senior department S.S. No. 8, Mariposa, for the month of April. Names are arranged according to number of marks obtained at weekly examinations:—4th class — Addie Pilkey, E. Finley, Ida Mark, Ada Yeo, Nellie Briden, J. Culbert, (G Henderson, Rose Finley, equal.) Sr. 3rd—H. Culbert, Sarah Rogers, H. Metherell, Frances Cooper, Mabel Mark, Evelena Sparks, Ida Smith. Sr. 3rd—Eva Wickett, Mabel Smith, equal, Edith Finley, Alma Wickett, Fred Allen, G. Rusland W. Gee, P. Gee, Mila Pogue, Nellie Wills, Editn Sparks, Mabel Mark.

The Lifford School Question.

To The Editor of the Warder.

SIR,—I have noticed in your paper several letters from parties apparently interested in this question, and which are calculated to create a wrong impression, the writer being apparently of the opinion that the character and reputation of some of the parties was the chief question at issue.

This was an ordinary case of a disputed school election. The election had been keenly contested and each party endeavored to bring in every vote. The result was a majority of one for Mr. Wetherald; but exception was taken to four votes by Mr. Grandy, who acted as a scrutineer for Mr. Foster. As to two of these the objection was, that they were on the list as farmers' sons and resided outside of the section. They claim the right to vote because their fathers had land within the section.

The chairman having taken these votes, Mr. Foster appealed to the Inspector under section 32, of the "Public Schools Act." The Inspector after taking the evidence reserved his decision, and not only consulted the authorities but also got the ruling of the education department on the point. The result was, that he decided that these votes should not be taken, and that Mr. Foster was the trustee elect. There is no appeal from the Inspector's decisions, and the only thing for those who are dissatisfied is to abide by it until the next election.

There was a very interesting point of law in issue, that is, "Is a farmer's son residing with his father outside of the section entitled to vote because his father owns land within the section?"

There is no separate voters list or separate definition of farmer's sons on the "Public Schools Act;" but section 7, of the former Ontario Elections Act, and section 79, of the Municipal Act creates this franchise in Provincial and Municipal elections. In both cases the franchise is purely residential. It follows therefore by analogy, that in school elections also, the farmers' son's franchise is intended to be residential and so it was decided.

Yours etc., FACT.

[But pray, what clause of the statute law, or any other law gave an Inspector, or even the august George "Washington" Ross, Minister of Education, power to decide who are and who are not voters? The courts of this province are for that purpose. ED. WARDER.]

East Victoria Teachers' Convention.

Thursday and Friday, last week, found the teachers of Mr. Knight's inspectoral district in Council in Lindsay. There were in attendance:—President J. C. Harstone, Inspector Knight, besides James Cummings, W. H. Rice, S. J. Green, Joseph H. Sheppard, Wm. Hickson, W. J. Hallett, Sam Armour, Geo. E. Broderick, S. J. Simms, Wakefield Fenton, John Malone, Neil A. McEachern, James Allen, Robt. Cummings, Geo. F. Blackwell, P. Lahy, Chas. V. Bennett, Paul J. Maloney, Wm. Blackwell, W. F. O'Boyle, M. O'Brien, besides W. S. Milner B.A., W. H. Stephens B.A., A. S. Hardy B.A., J. Head of Lindsay Collegiate Institute, and J. McGregor B.A., and W. Orr of Omemee high school. Messrs White of Cambray, L. Macdonald, J. Corner and many students of the collegiate institute also attended. Mr. Moyer exhibited special school apparatus.

The following ladies were present:—Misses Susannah Staples, Hattie Gibbs, Marion B. Prior, Caroline Bonne, Mary Hall, Ida Graham, Ida V. Switzer, Anna McCres, Annie Stephenson, Zina Ward, Martha Kennedy, Mary J. Wray, Clara Holtorf, Josephine Buck, Ester A. Sharpe, Sarah Twamley, Bertie Deacon, Alice Fanning, Tina McQueen, Alena Ward, Olivia Mark, Jennie A. Mitchell, Caroline Lang, Susie Maloney, Maggie Keith, Dorcas Stinson, Luella J. Connell, Charlotte Heaslip, Minnie Magill, J. Jackson, Aletta E. Marty, Miss Rowe, and others.

These are the officers for next year:—President G. E. Broderick, Lindsay; Vice-Presidents, W. H. Stevens B.A., Lindsay; and W. Hickson, Bobcaygeon; Sec.-Treas., J. Head, Lindsay; Librarians, S. Armour and Miss McQueen, Lindsay.

This report was adopted:—

(a) In the fall there should be two township, or group of townships conventions, one at Kinmount, one at Lindsay.

(b) For $1.25 from gentlemen, and $1 from lady teachers the association grants membership, the Educational Journal, and McLennan's Psychology.

(c) A teachers' reading circle should be formed for the study of standard professional works, McLennan's psychology to be the work this year. The committee shall meet in September to select what portions are to be studied, and to appoint persons to conduct these subjects in discussion.

As usual, the programme printed was an imposing looking affair, and as usual, nearly everyone had an excuse for not being prepared with his or her part.

Miss Caroline Bonne, an unassuming young lady from South Verulam, was a noble example to the contrary. She agreed to prepare a paper and she carried out her agreement to the letter. It will appear next week in full, and will amply repay perusal.

Though having illness in his family, Mr. W. F. O'Boyle performed his part, showing how to teach arithmetic. He gave practical examples with a class.

Mr. Moloney gave a synopsis of the various systems of marking lessons.

Mr. Hardy's paper on the "influence of surroundings" contained some useful ideas, and was well delivered.

Mr. Stevens in his paper, "Science in Public Schools" showed how useful as well as interesting the subject might be made. It was a good as well as an instructive lecture.

President Harstone's opening address was well prepared and contained much of interest to teachers and students.

Mr. R. Lewis of Toronto was present, engaged by the Association, to illustrate and to teach "Reading and Speaking." Many useful points were brought out and explained; but too much time was lost in dwelling on what should be and what is familiar to every modern student of reading. Mr. Lewis made a mistake in underestimating the attainments of his audiences, and reminded them too often of what "none of them could do," and what he could. This culminated on Friday in an interesting discussion or interrogation by Mr. Broderick on how to teach reading. The debate did not result adversely to Lindsay. During the discussion, which by the way became quite lively, Messrs. Lewis, Broderick, Orr and Fenton took active part. There is too much disposition on the part of teachers in convention and in schools to bow humbly and tamely to new fangled, often old fangled, ideas, of paid lecturers or inspectors. There is material in East Victoria teachers to make their conventions interesting, lively and instructive. The incident of Friday should serve as example for every subject for the future. Indeed, scarcely any discussion was aroused on a single subject, and only a few, Messrs. Fenton, Armour, Knight, Broderick, O Boyle, O'Brien, Orr, Harstone and Allen joined in asking questions or making suggestions.

Rev. Dr. Williams attended on Friday forenoon and delivered a brief address; while Rev. C. W. Marsh was present in the afternoon, and gave a few brief practical words of encouragement.

On Thursday evening Mr. B. Lewis read selections from Shakespeare, Dickens, and other standard authors in the Opera house to a large and appreciative audience. Mr. Moyer relieved him for a few minutes by displaying a very interesting apparatus for the study of geography in all departments.

Before the convention adjourned the ministers of the inspectoral district of East Victoria were made honorary members of the Association. Mr. Sam Hughes of THE WARDER declined a similar honor, he preferring to set an example to lavmen to become regular members.

THE WARDER once more suggests the advisability of interspersing the "essays," and "lectures," with singing or reading. The time lost after each subject is finished could well be utilized by having one or other of the young ladies and younger gentlemen, those who do not join in discussions, do their part by offering a short reading, a solo, a duet. Try it next time just as an experiment. The talent is there, ready to be developed.

Brevities.

Toronto carried the by-law for a new court house; majority 1248.

Mr. W. E. Bradshaw of Montreal, inspector for the Atlas Insurance Company, was in town on Tuesday on official business.

A Sunday school convention of the presbyterian schools of Lindsay presbytery will be held here on 29th May inst. The presbytery meets on the 28th inst., here.

A smash up on the grade near Pickering, on Monday afternoon, caused the main line passenger trains to go through Lindsay from Montreal to Toronto, and vice versa.

Mr. Samuel Stewart of Cavan was this week visiting his brother-in-law, Mr. Wm. Jordan of Mariposa. THE WARDER respectfully acknowledges a call from Mr. Stewart.

Mr. John Devitt one of Cartwright's worthy sons, came to Lindsay on Saturday to trade. Lindsay welcomes the loyal sons of Cartwright Manvers or Cavan, as well as of Victoria.

Rev. W. D. P. Wilson of Janetville with the best looking delegate at the district meeting, Thos. McGee, Esq., were in town on Thursday. Mr. McGee, is a man of superior qualities.

Rev. Dr. Williams, and Rev. C. W. Marsh favored the teachers' convention of East Victoria by attending each, a session last Friday. If trustees would but attend also it would be encouraging to teachers.

Mr. Neil Morrison of the St. Catharines nursery, an old Eldon boy was in town on Tuesday on business, and gave THE WARDER a call. Mr. Morrison is amongst the oldest subscribers on THE WARDER list.

S. S. Ritchie was up to Toronto last week and purchased 85 men's tweed and black worsted suits at about 50 cents on the dollar, and is selling them at from two to four dollars a suit less than regular prices.—79-2.

Mrs. Dougall Sinclair, and her little daughter, after a tedious journey reached her brother's residence in Dakota on Sunday, 12th inst. Both were in good health, though tired. She found her relatives all well.

Mr. and Mrs. McCabe of Lotus drove in to hear Mrs. Scott-Siddons' readings on Friday evening last. They felt amply repaid for the trip. Lotus citizens generally would find it advantageous to visit Lindsay regularly.

We direct attention to the advertisement of Geo. S. Thompson and Co., in another column. The public who know Mr. Thompson will require no introduction; those who do not will find him a thorough gentlemen.

Rev. J. Wilkie, returned missionary from Indor India, delivered an address in St. Andrew's church on Monday evening under the auspices of the Woman's missionary society. The lecture was instructive and interesting.

At the recent fire in Winnipeg we regret that Thomas Lyons, son of Mr. John Lyons, of this town had his boot and shoe store burned. But with commendable pluck he purposes going on again, phœnix like arising from the ashes.

The regular monthly meeting of the church of England temperance society will be held in St. Paul's school room on Monday the 27th inst., at 8 o'clock p.m. An excellent programme of reading and singing will be rendered. All are cordially invited.

D. Ferguson Esq., of Sonya district did his trading in Lindsay last Saturday. Those worthy citizens of western and southwestern Mariposa, more and more find it advantageous to trade in Lindsay. And right well may Lindsay be glad to welcome such men.

The Lindsay district meeting of the methodist church was held in town on Wednesday and Thursday. The attendance was large. Rev. Dr. Williams, superintendent of the district, presided. Rev. M. L. Pearson, president of the conference, came up, and was also present.

Among the many rising and worthy ministers of the methodist church is Rev. Foster McAmmond B.A., of Fenelon Falls. Few surpass him in learning or depth of eloquence. He has been eminently successful in Fenelon Falls and Fenelon, and should be promoted this conference.

"Handsome Harry" Lindley struck Lindsay like a cyclone on Wednesday evening. He left for Cannington last night, and will be in Beaverton on Queen's Birthday. Harry is right up to his old mark. He has spent the winter in the south, and is glad to get back among civilized folks again.

Messrs. Annis of Hartley; Walker of Fleetwood; White of Cambray; Mosgrove of Kirkfield; Simms of Bryson's; Burden of South Mariposa, G. Blackwell of Mount Horeb; W. Blackwell of McGee's, Emily; and others were in town on Saturday last. Saturday "conventions" are becoming popular.

The Band concert on Monday evening last was a success, considering the dampness. The bar and club swinging were not given owing to unavoidable absence of performers. The small foolish firecracker boys will be handed over to the tender mercies of Chief Bell. The Band mean to arrest all such in future.

Miss Rankin of Mattawa is visiting her friend Miss Deacon, daughter of Col. Deacon, in town.

The best dressed and the best looking ladies in town are those who buy their clothing at Ritchie's.—79-2.

Remember the kindergarten concert in aid of St. Paul's church organ fund, in the opera house on Friday eveneng, May 31st.

The Official Gazette contains the proclamation or order-in-council repealing the Canada Temperance Act, i.e. "The Scott Act." It bears date May 13th, 1889.

St. Andrew's presbyterian church is happy in the possession for a few weeks, of a talented young divine Rev. B. Canfield Jones, a graduate of Princeton college, N. J. He greatly pleases his audiences.

Dominion Illustrated this week contains sketches of the canoe camp at Lake Couchiching last summer. In one view the lithe figure of Sam Britton the popular canoest, and other Lindsay boys, is discernible.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lisle, after a most enjoyable visit to British Columbia and Washington Territory, returned home last week, much benefited by their experience. Both relate interesting stories of sights and scenes in the far west.

Mrs. Parker, wife of Rev. Caleb Parker of Kinmount, with her son and daughter left yesterday on a visit to her old home in Nova Scotia, where her parents still reside. The salt sea breezes will be a change from the rocky cliffs of Kinmount.

"Say Mandy, where are you going to buy the boys' clothes this spring?" "Dunno, Ephraim." "Well I've been thinging that neighbour Jenkins is putting on so much style since he begun to trade at Ritchie's, that we had better go there too.—79-2.

Manitoba Excursions. — Don't forget these excursions Return fare $28. June 4th, 11th. and 18th. For tickets, apply to F C. Taylor, ticket agent Lindsay.—79.1.

Mr. Wm. Brunker of Oakwood has established his son in business at Woodville, where he purposes keeping one of the best hotels in the county. Few men bear a better reputation for managing a comfortable village hotel than does our friend Brunker.

Congratulations to our friend Mr. John A. Chisholm, son of D. Chisholm, Esq., of Port Hope, on successfully passing his final examinations in law, and being called to the "Bar," where so many failed "to cross the hurdle." Mr. Chisholm deserves special credit for his high standing.

A heavy storm passed over this district on Sunday last, the lightning being vivid and the thunder heavy. The dwelling of Charles Veitch was struck but no serious damage was done. Mrs. Hallett wife of W. J Hallett of the central school, and a couple of the children received sharp shocks, but were uninjured.

Mr. Orlando Huggins son of Mr. W. Huggins of Salem, Ops, died of pleurisy on Thursday last, and on Friday his remains were interred in South Monaghan, whence the family recently came. The young man was extremely popular, as was evinced by the immense concourse of former neighbors and friends who, attended the funeral on a few hours' notice.

The railway committee of Lindsay Board of Trade visited Toronto on Tuesday to confer with Toronto Board of Trade re interviewing the Ontario government to revive the old order in council granting lands for the construction of the railway on to Mattawa. Pres. John. Dobson, Col. Deacon, J. R. Dundas, W. MacDonnell and Sam Hughes of THE WARDER formed the committee.

The steamer R. P. Ramsey of Detroit collided off Presqu Isle, Lake Huron, with the schooner M. F. Merrick on Friday morning at about 1 o'clock. The following were drowned on the schooner:—Martin Johnston of Detroit, mate; John Charlevoix of Detroit; Wm. Oms of Ashtabula; Pat Kanaly of Clayton; Mrs. Cole of Cleveland cook; Wm. Goodfriend, and Capt.

Bishop the famous mind-reader after a performance in New York one evening last week, went off into a fit as was his custom. Some doctors thinking him dead, within four hours cut him up for post mortem examination, and of course now declare he was dead. He has been as long as fifty hours in a fit, and ten or twenty was a common period. The New York doctors were too clever altogether.

Mr. Wm. Brown of Fenelon south of S