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About a month ago HARDWARE, STOVES and TINWARE took a tremendous advance; especially in the Stove Line.

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OPS LEGISLATORS MEET

THEY HEAR A NUMBER OF RATE PAVERS.

ABOUT VACCINATION—STATUTE LABOUR—WIRE FENCES—PAYING THEIR DEBTS—MAKING ROADS—OTHER THINGS.

A circular from the Provincial Board of Health urging upon local boards throughout the province the expediency of providing means and taking measures for a general vaccination of school children and other unvaccinated persons...

THE HOLMES CASE. In compliance with the advice of the township solicitor a compromise was effected with Mr. Holmes and an agreement made with Mr. Jno. Byrne owner of a lot 11, con. 7, averting further litigations about said water-course.

ON MOTION BY MESSRS. CURRISS AND BYRNE, PATHMSTER MILLIGAN and PHILIP MEAGHER were heard in reference to the disputed statute labour. Mr. Meagher said he thought his statute for 1898 had been done until he got his tax bill.

BETTER ROADS. Mr. Jas. Kennedy, owner lot 7, con. 7 on being asked his business said he had come to ask the council to grant, say \$25 to make the 6th con. line west of his place passable as a winter road, that he would do the work for that sum, that \$4.50 had been received for timber taken off the roadway, but was not expended on it as promised.

TO SAVE TIME. The waste of time thus caused prompted the following resolution.—Moved by Mr. Byrne and seconded by Mr. Calvert, that ratepayers desiring the attention of the council in session, present their business in writing so as to prevent unnecessary delay or waste of time during council meetings.—Carried.

CRUSHED STONE. Messrs. J. Murtha, J. Graham, H. Paterson, J. Patten and Chas. Hartley, addressed the council asking that about 60 cords of stone be crushed and put on Downeyville road this year since there is no gravel available for said road.

WIRE FENCE. Mr. W. Graham, pathmaster beat No. 5, stated that Chas. Minty, owner of a lot 23 con. 2, would build a good wire fence along the first con. line if the council would assist him. Mr. Graham said the place drifted frequently. Mr. Hickson moved, seconded by Mr. Calvert, that the usual grant be allowed Chas. Minty on his building an approved wire fence as stated.—Carried. Mr. D. Hunter said he would build 60 rods of approved eleven wire fence along end of lot 26 con. 3, under the wire fence by-law, and on motion of Messrs. Curriass and Hickson he was permitted to do so.

Moved by Mr. Hickson, seconded by Mr. Byrne, that Mr. Calvert dispense charity to a few indigent families in his division, supplying what is really necessary during the present year.—Carried.

pay the operator of the crusher as provided by the conditions of the agreement of last year. Mr. Bryce moved, seconded by Mr. Calvert that the contract between council and Mr. Hart be left over for further consideration and that the reeve be empowered to arrange the matter with Mr. Hart, or use his judgment in advertising for tenders again if he prefers doing so.—Carried. The reeve handed the clerk \$3.50 for 35 loads of sand taken from the township pit by Mr. F. Gibbs. Moved by Mr. Curriass, seconded by Mr. Bryce that the following bills now passed be paid: Jas. Greer, supplies Wm. Gold, \$3.15, L. Powers, (charity) \$4.50, \$7.65; Miss M. Neeson, treat. Home for the Aged, acc. of L. Finnegan, \$18.45; G. W. Beall, 2 half rems of paper, \$3.50; D. Sinclair, per acct. Dec. 31st 1898, \$5.99; W. Greer and J. Downey, auditors, \$7 each, \$14.00. On motion of Messrs. Bryce and Hickson, the council adjourned at 6 p.m. to meet on March 27th prox.

CHEERFUL IN ADVERSITY

THE CURLERS WERE WELL RECEIVED ON THEIR RETURN FROM WINNIPEG.

A CROWD AT THE STATION—SPEECHES AT THE RINK—THE MAGNIFICENT FLAYING OF THE LINDSAY RINK—INENSE COLD AND UNKIND FORTUNE.

Lindsay people have become experts at arranging and carrying out receptions for their victorious curlers. On Friday night there was evidence that they know how to conduct themselves in adversity and admire their curlers just as much when they carry home no silverware as when they capture all the trophies on the list.

When the train pulled in on Friday evening the curlers got off and were greeted by all the evidences of welcome that proper regard for decorum would permit, and escorted by a crowd of admirers to the rink where boys, ladies and old men jostled the stalwarts for a preferred position in the Club's quarters.

Rev. J. W. Macmillan, chaplain of the Club—We may as well frank and say that we are sorry the rink has not brought back the usual prizes but it is much after the perils of frost and fire that they are back themselves. Nearly every day since they left we have read of railway wrecks but they were not wrecked. The joy of the parents when the sailor or soldier boy comes home safely is not much less because he has not been decorated with medals.

Mr. M. Kennedy said that he was not discontented at the result for they had prevailed among the best four rinks out of 121. The cold had been very trying. The temperature had ranged from 20 to 40 below zero with a strong wind. He would not take the whole bunch of prizes and endure it again.

Messrs. McMillan and Sisson made brief remarks. The former gentleman would hear none of ship Flavell's remark that his playing has been in the line of our speaker's own work in the grand challenge was as bad as any. An hearty rendering of "They're the Jolly Good Fellows" brought the proceedings to a close.

THE BOARD OF TRADE

IT HAS BEEN REVIVED AND IS NOW ON A GOOD WORKING BASIS.

A SLIM MEETING—ADJOURNED ON THURSDAY NIGHT—BUT ON MONDAY THERE WAS A GOOD ATTENDANCE—A COUNCIL AND BOARD OF ARBITRATION ELECTED—SUGGESTIONS FOR A CARRIAGE FACTORY.

A meeting of the Board of Trade had been called for Thursday night and a dozen members met. On motion Mr. A. J. Kerr took the chair but on account of the absence of President Flavell and the small attendance, the meeting adjourned till Monday night last.

On motion of Mr. J. L. Shannon was heard in reference to a bridge at the foot of Ridout-st. The matter was referred to the council of the Board.

Mr. R. Kylie addressed the Board on the present standing of carriage business in the West. Twenty five years ago every small town supported two or three carriage factories. About fifteen years ago the Taylor wholesale concern sprang up at Gananque and since that time he has followed and increased the retail shops. Lindsay has fared better than most places in that respect and has to-day about 50 hands engaged in the business with a wage roll of \$25,000.

Mr. Sylvester—I am not directly interested in the carriage business, but would like to see the town prosper. Mr. Kylie has talked common sense and if the citizens of the town take hold of the business and make the right goods they can get their share of the trade.

Geo. McHugh, M.P.—I was pleased to hear what Mr. Kylie said, especially that Lindsay has stood the competition of the West well. I travelled over the West last summer. I saw American wagons in use in lots of places.

Harry McNeil was called upon and said there was a very large field in the Northwest. The first thing to do would be to get some place in which to manufacture. Mr. Hamilton had sent up some goods but with increased capital a good deal more could be done.

The Board of Arbitration is composed of the following gentlemen: Messrs. W. G. Woods, R. Chambers, G. Lytle, J. Staples, Geo. McHugh, M.P., J. Carew, G. H. M. Baker, A. J. Kerr, Col. Deacon, J. D. Flavell, J. H. Southey and Capt. Grandall. In moving an adjournment Col. Deacon made several very complimentary references to the president not forgetting that he is a thorough-going sportsman, who in that way has spread abroad the fair fame of this town.

COMMERCIAL

THE LINDSAY MARKET

GRAIN. Fall Wheat per bushel... 0 68 to 0 68 New wheat per bushel... 0 00 to 0 68 Rye per bushel... 0 00 to 0 68 Spring do do... 0 00 to 0 68 Goose do do... 0 65 to 0 64

COARSE GRAIN. Buckwheat... 0 45 to 0 45 Barley, per bushel... 0 40 to 0 45 Rye... 0 00 to 0 50 Oats... 0 00 to 0 29 Peas, small... 0 65 to 0 65 Peas, Mummies... 0 00 to 0 65 Peas, Blue... 0 55 to 0 55 Blackeye peas... 0 00 to 0 75

VEGETABLES.

Potatoes per bag... 0 50 60 MEAT, POULTRY AND DAIRY. Chickens, per pair... 0 35 to 0 45 Ducks, per pair... 0 05 to 0 07 Geese, per lb... 0 14 to 0 16 Eggs, per dozen... 0 14 to 0 16 Turkey per lb... 0 09 to 0 10 Hogs, live weight, per cwt... 4 60 to 4 10 Lamb, per lb... 0 80 to 0 10 Dressed Hogs... 5 00 to 5 00 Beef... 5 00 to 6 00 Farmers' Hams per lb... 0 98 to 0 10

GENERAL

Hay, per ton... 4 00 to 5 00 Honey per lb... 0 06 to 0 06 Cream per qt... 0 10 to 0 20 Sage per bunch... 0 05 to 0 05 Lard per lb... 0 09 to 0 10 Straw per load... 1 50 to 1 75 Timothy... 1 25 to 1 50 Alsike... 3 50 to 4 00 Hides—Beef... 7 00 to 7 50 Red Clover... 3 00 to 3 50

TORONTO FARMERS MARKET

Wheat, white... 0 73 1/2 to 0 74 " red... 0 73 to 0 74 " goose... 0 71 1/2 to 0 00 Rye... 0 54 to 0 00 Oats... 0 34 to 0 34 1/2 Peas... 0 60 to 0 65 Barley... 0 47 to 0 50 Hay... 8 00 to 9 50 Straw... 6 00 to 7 00 Dressed hogs... 5 00 to 5 15 Potatoes... 75 to 80

TORONTO LIVE STOCK MARKET

Milch cows, each... \$30 00 to \$45 00 Export cattle, per cwt... 4 50 to 4 85 Butchers' choice cattle cwt... 4 00 to 4 13 Butchers' com. cattle cwt... 3 00 to 3 75 Bulls, per cwt... 3 50 to 4 00 Feeders, per cwt... 3 50 to 4 00 Stockers, per cwt... 3 00 to 3 25 Export sheep, per cwt... 4 25 to 4 50 Lambs, each... 3 00 to 7 00 Calves, per head... 3 00 to 7 00 Choice sacon hogs, per cwt... 4 50 to 0 00 Light hogs, per cwt... 4 00 to 4 13 Thick fat hogs, per cwt... 3 75 to 0 00 Sows, per cwt... 3 00 to 0 00

The Cattle Market.

Although the trade in export cattle was a little slow in Toronto Tuesday, values were well maintained. Good animals sold from \$1.50 to \$1.80 and \$1.85, while some better very choice will go as high as \$2.50. Animals which bring this price weigh from thirteen to fourteen hundredweight. Export bulls sell at from \$3.50 to \$4, with \$4.12 1/2 as the outside. Butchers' stock is selling from \$3 to \$3.75 for middlings to fair, with good to choice at from \$3.75 to \$4.12 1/2. The lowest price is paid for poorly fattened cows, and the highest for smooth steers and heifers. Stockers are selling at from \$2.25 to \$2.80, with \$2.75 for the best. Good feeders bring \$3.75 to \$4. Only fair milkers are being offered. Such as are offered bring \$30 to \$45 each. Really good cows would fetch \$40 to \$50. Calves are selling at 4 to 4 1/2 per pound.

Choice to extra stockers sold in Buffalo, on Tuesday at \$4 to \$4.25; common to good do, \$3.50 to \$3.75; Jersey stockers, \$3 to \$3.50; stock heifers, \$3.75 to \$3.95; feeders, good to extra \$4.10 to \$4.35; common to good, \$3.85 to \$4.25. The best fat cattle, suitable for export to the old country, sold at \$5.00 to \$5.70; good to best, \$5.15 to \$5.35, and export bulls sold at \$4 to \$4.25. Good to choice butchers' steers sold at \$4.40 to \$4.80; common to good fat bulls, \$3.50 to \$4; feeders' bulls, \$3.25 to \$3.50; good to best fat heifers, \$3.00 to \$4.25; fair to good heifers, \$3.75 to \$4; mixed fat cows and heifers, good to choice, \$3.50 to \$3.75; fat cows, good to best, \$3.75 to \$3.95; common to good, do, \$2.50 to \$3. Fresh cows, with choice to extra good bags, sold at \$4; springers, good to extra, \$3 to \$3.50; calves, choice to extra, \$7.25 to \$7.50; good to choice, \$7; heavy fed steer calves, good color, \$4.25 to \$4.75; common, \$3 to \$3.75. In Chicago Tuesday stockers and feeders sold from \$3.50 to \$4.70. Fancy cattle brought from \$3.70 to \$5.90, and choice steers \$5.35 to \$5.65.

The Sheep Market. Very few sheep are being offered in Toronto, but such as are offered bring about 3 1/2 per pound. Bucks sell at 2 1/2 to 3c, and veiling lambs \$1 to \$1.40 and \$1.50 per cwt.

In Buffalo, on Monday lambs, choice extra, were quotable at \$5 to \$5.05; good to choice, \$4.90 to \$5; fair to good, \$4.75 to \$4.90; sheep, choice to extra \$4.25 to \$4.45; good to choice, \$4 to \$4.25; common to good, \$2.75 to \$3.75.

In Montreal Tuesday sheep sold at about 3 1/2 per lb, with lambs at 4 1/2 to 4 3/4. One spring lamb was bought at \$6.

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