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The Watchman, THURSDAY, MAR. 10th, 1898.

## TOWN NEWS

**LITTLE LOCAL LINES**

-Special attention paid to Repairing of Watches and Jewelry at HUGHAN & CO'S.

-A Sunderland lady writes Dr. Neel, and that he made her a successful fit after having eight sets of teeth made in Toronto and elsewhere. -17-1f.

-Under the provisions of the New Act, Marriage Licenses are issued by Mr. THOS. BEALL at his residence, Albert-st. and 11 p.m.; also at his office in G. W. Beall's jewelry store during business hours as usual. -8-1f.

-Dr. Broa's new stable has turned out to be a thoroughly convenient and comfortable structure. There is room in the stable for eight horses. His Clydesdale stallion "Knight of St. Andrews" has wintered well and is in the pink of condition.

-A couple of sleighloads of young people drove to Drummond's bay on Friday evening by the river route and attended a Baptist social at the residence of Mr. Francis Brien. They returned about twelve o'clock, all signifying in the usual way that the evening had been pleasantly and profitably spent.

-The choir of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church were entertained by Mr. Alex. Jackson at his residence on Thursday evening last. Mr. Jackson is the popular leader of that musical organization and for some years a similar gathering has been an annual occurrence. This last was conceded to be the most enjoyable he'd.

-The frequency with which runaway horses have the right of way on our streets is both perilous and annoying. People who own horses should take more pains to see that they do not threaten the lives of our citizens in that fashion. We can sympathize with an unavoidable runaway, but they are becoming far too common.

-Best word cats have their own troubles. It is reported on good authority that they are on the verge of extermination as a result of the tireless pursuit of a local dealer in furs. His lodge-pole is said to be struck with the pellets of unfortunate felines. In our section this individual would be regarded as a benefactor of his kind, but east warders have views of their own on the point and threaten dire vengeance on the destroyer of their pets.

-On Thursday evening last a good crowd witnessed the match race between Dusty and McLean at the skating rink. The terms were the best two of three heats for a purse of \$20. Dusty proved the winner in two straight heats. McLean was not in good form and was quite ill during one heat. Between the heats Messrs. LePage and Taylor gave exhibitions of fancy skating.

-The provisional directors of the proposed Minden and Muskoka railway met at Minden last week, when the following officers were elected: President, Chas. D. Curry, M.D.; secretary, John H. Delamere; treasurer, Wm. Fielding, M.P.; solicitor, R. J. McLaughlin, barrister, Lindsay. A deputation will shortly interview the Dominion government, and if possible secure a bonus for the road.

-Wm. Sanders, director of the Experimental Farm at Ottawa, has issued his annual circular to farmers throughout Canada, giving instructions by which they can obtain samples of wheat, oats, barley, field peas, Indian corn and potatoes. Three pounds of any one of the above, but not more than one, will be sent to each applicant. Letters should be addressed to the "Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa," and need no postage.

### LITTLE LOCAL LINES

-A chance for a good business man with small capital is offered in this issue. See advt. on page 2.

-JACOBS Parcel Delivery positively meets all trains. Leave orders at Morgan's Drug Store. -3-1f.

-Careful phrenological examinations made by Prof. Deau, Lindsay, graduate of the American Institute of Phrenology. New York. -4-1.

-The regular monthly meeting of the McAll Missionary society will be held at the residence of Miss Taylor, Mill-st., on Thursday, March 17th, at 3 p.m., prompt. A full attendance is requested.

-Capt. Crandell gave notice at Monday night's council meeting that he would introduce a by-law at the next session relating to the privilege of butchers, not residing in town, to sell on the market.

-A very successful entertainment and basket social was held under the auspices of the C.O.O.F. in their rooms on Tuesday evening. The baskets sold well and a splendid program was rendered. Proceeds \$20.00.

-The winter races at Port Perry last week were fairly successful. Little Hector was by odds a favorite and won in one, two, three order. Spauk was a doubtful winner, while Mr. Bennett's Cooper captured the named race.

-Mr. Geo. Wilder is conducting the ticket business for the G.T.R. with his usual vigor. He is very painstaking and obliging and deserving of the patronage of every passenger travelling for the coast and other points this spring. His combination of railway and steamship tickets enable him to sell passages to all parts of the world.

### COMING

DR. JEHL, Eye Specialist, and inventor of the famous Recherche Optometer, the latest and the most improved instrument known to modern science for pointing out every defect and disease of the eye and sight. Consultation and examination free. Will be at Morgan's drug store March 10th only.

### THE WEATHER

[From the Lindsay Observatory.]  
Report for week ending Saturday night March 5th, 1898.

**TEMPERATURE.**  
Highest. . . . . 35.80 Friday  
Lowest. . . . . 2.00 Monday  
Warmest day, mean of . . . . . 22.85 Friday  
Coldest " " " " " " 14.45 Monday  
The week " " " " " " 13.22

**PRECIPITATION IN INCHES.**  
Greatest fall of rain in one day 0.0  
Rain fell on 0 day.  
Greatest fall of snow in one day 0.0  
Snow fell on 0 days.  
Total rain fall and melted snow 0.00

**THOS. BEALL**

### CLEOPA

A strong tale of slavery days, written by Mr. William McDonnell of this town, will be published in THE WATCHMAN, beginning next week. It will probably run in five issues after which it will appear in book form. . . . .

In connection with the above an able Toronto critic, in his review of "Cleopa," says: "The damnable practice of slavery is one that yields many excellent subjects for the poet, the dramatist and the novelist, and your plot brings out clearly the horrible inhumanity of the custom, backed as it was by 'divines' and so-called divine authority. On the whole I regard 'Cleopa' as very beautifully showing this. . . . ."

A very competent literary man of Lindsay writes to Mr. McDonnell, the author, as follows: "I don't know how I can so suitably for your kindness in permitting me to read your 'Cleopa.' There are so many truths expressed in truthful numbers that I can only express my delight that we have in our midst one who is possessed of the divine afflatus, as is shown in your 'Cleopa.' Other approving notices could be added, so look out for the commencement of the poem of 'Cleopa' in THE WATCHMAN next week."

### A GREAT VICTORY

The elections are a great surprise to the whole country, but it sinks into insignificance when compared to the surprise that awaits those who are attending the big sale of the Army and Navy Clothing Co's. Great is Gough and great is the bargain. Cheap Man's, and judging from the rush he is having and the happy and contented smile on Mr. Gough's face, victory is certainly perched on his banner. Mr. Gough part we do not wonder at. Nor can any thoughtful man wonder, for the push, pluck and perseverance Mr. Gough displays in offering this great Bargain-Benefit Sale to the public is nothing less than a business marvel. There is no uncertain sound about Mr. Gough's announcement. The sign on his store, which is the largest ever erected in Canada, covering 2,000 square feet, speaks for itself. Prices are cut in two—so say those who have attended the great sale of the Army and Navy Clothing Co's. stock, which Mr. Gough bought at 25 cents on the dollar. No doubt it is a chance of a life time to buy cheap and to the thoughtful bargainer-hunter we would call attention to his half-price advertisement in this issue. It is giving the public at the big sale of the Army and Navy stock.

### ACADEMY OF MUSIC

-Mr. W. E. Ramsay gave most interesting entertainments in the Academy of Music, Saturday evenings. Glimpse of views, Saturday evenings, songs make up the program. The views deal especially with the jubilee procession and are particularly clear and life-like. Mr. Ramsay's songs and stories were admirable and merited much larger houses.

-The Robertson-Douglas company gave a fine rendering of "The Man in the Iron Mask" below a very large house on Tuesday night. This play is a companion to "The Three Guardsmen" and among the finest work from the pen of Dumas. It deals with the most interesting period of French history and vividly portrays the splendor and misery of the reign of Louis XIV. The first two acts are bright and interesting, but of no great common strength. The capers of a frivolous waiting maid created a levity at times that is wholly unaccountable at that stage of the night. Before the last scene the tremendous strain on the sympathies demonstrated the author's skill even in this. From the time the imperious Louis condemns his unknown twin brother to wear an iron mask as prisoner in the Bastille because of his resemblance to the king, the interest to an awful climax. This grows steadily to its consummation, his imprisonment he entered a convent. Through mutual recognition after ten years is the most dramatic situation that has been seen here for a long time. The play is especially rich in moral and even religious sentiments on a belief in immortality which is especially touching. This is a feature that deserves mention as showing a decided improvement in the stage. As an historical drama this play is of interest; it illustrates the customs and costumes of a period when one man could say "I am the state" and survive. Besides, the Dreyfus who-to-morrows in an iron cage, mentions as showing a decided improvement in the stage. As an historical drama this play is of interest; it illustrates the customs and costumes of a period when one man could say "I am the state" and survive. Besides, the Dreyfus who-to-morrows in an iron cage, mentions as showing a decided improvement in the stage.

-While working at a buzz saw in J. P. Ryley's sawing factory on Monday morning Mr. Ed. Letcher's right hand came in contact with the saw. The result was that the ends of the fingers were bitten off in an instant and were shipped off in an instant. The wounds were dressed by Dr. Jeffers, and are now healing nicely.

-Fishing through the ice on Lake Senzoo is quite a popular sport with the lake shore natives, and now that the ice breaks are over the bass are said to be biting ravenously. All that is required is a stout line, the proper kind of bait, and the good stock of patience. The fish do the rest.

### CHEAP READING

THE WATCHMAN to January, 1898. . . \$ 75  
" " and the Son. . . . . 1 00  
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and Chambers' Encyclopaedia, 700  
pages, 1000 Illustrations. . . . . 1 00  
THE WATCHMAN and Weekly Mail. . . 1 25  
" " and Weekly Globe. . . . . 1 50  
" " and Family Herald. . . . . 1 30  
" " and Farming. . . . . 1 55  
" " and Westminister. . . . . 2 50  
" " and Toronto Daily . . . . . 1 75  
" Star. . . . . 1 75  
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THE WATCHMAN and the Orange Sentinel, together with the new Orange Chart. . . . . 1 50  
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### CHURCH CHIMES

-The Rev. H. C. Dixon, who last summer had charge of the fresh air fund and work, which gave one hundred and seventy-five poor children nearly two weeks holidays each out in the country, and brought back the glow of health to many cheeks, and which also gave a short outing to five hundred poor mothers, begins a ten days mission in St. Paul's church next Sunday.

-Mr. Dixon, who is so well known in Toronto for his Christian and philanthropic work, has been appointed diocesan missionary by the Bishop of Toronto, and has lately held missions in Hamilton, London and other places, last week being in St. George's church, Cameron. He preaches the truth with power and fervour, and from his wide and varied experience is able to illustrate what he says.

On Sunday he preaches at St. Paul's church, evening and evening, and in Reabors in the afternoon; also having a service in St. Paul's each evening during the week except Saturday. We are sure many will attend these services.

### RUNAWAYS

-When the town returns came in on the evening of polling day, that old valiant conservative nag who distributes the various appetizing edibles bought at Terry's became unmanageable for some reason, political or otherwise, and ran away. He galloped pretty much over all the streets in his immediate vicinity, and after developing a furious pace on Kent-st. was overhauled and returned to the two scared boys he had left sitting in a light sleigh on William-st. He was damaged so badly that Mr. T. had him on dry dock ever since.

-On Friday evening Messrs. Murphy and Riley were driving around town after a spirited horse. As they were turning into Kent-st. at Brooks' hotel the band began to play and the frightened horse bolted. His intentions were thwarted by a telephone pole, which felled him to the ground. In his fall he hit on an hitching post which penetrated his body just back of the ribs, inflicting an awful wound. The animal had been under treatment for heart trouble for several weeks, and this injury is likely to cause its death.

-As Mr. Timothy Callaghan of Downeyville was driving down the hill of Kent-st. eastward the mill, the whiffletrees striking the heels of his spirited team caused them to run away. They had not gone far when the sleigh struck a wood-pile and Mr. Callaghan was thrown violently against it, cutting a nasty gash in the back of his head. The horses proceeded in their wild career till they were caught near the old pump house. The injured man's wounds were dressed by Dr. Shier, and though badly shaken up, will be around again before long.

### PERSONAL

THE WATCHMAN invites its readers to hand in any item of a personal nature for this column. If you are out for the evening with you or relatives, please jot down the particulars and send to this office, or ring up telephone No. 97.

-Mrs. J. Bates of the north ward left last week for Winnipeg, on a visit to friends.

-Mr. R. R. Weir and family have removed to Orlia.

-Miss Eagan of Toronto is at present the guest of Mrs. W. Bingham, Kent-st.

-Miss Edna Moore of Mount Horeb is the guest of her grandparents, town, this week.

-Mr. Foster Thompson of Stayner spent the past week visiting friends near Cambury.

-Mr. A. C. Graham, the popular secretary of the North Victoria Agricultural Society, gave THE WATCHMAN a call on Tuesday.

-Mr. Andrew Parker, blacksmith at Hamilton's carriage works, is recovering, after two weeks illness with appendicitis.

-Miss Helena Shannon left on Tuesday morning last for a short visit with Toronto friends.

-Miss Nettie Henderson visited the millinery openings in Toronto recently and left this week to assume a position at Ayr.

-Miss Bannon spent several days of last week in Toronto, attending the millinery openings and selecting her new spring stock.

-Mrs. W. L. Russell and daughter, who have spent the winter in Toronto, returned to town last week.

-Miss Eva Rowan of Onemee is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Henders, town, for a couple of weeks.

-Mr. John Braden of Boboyscon spent a few days of last week in the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Alex. Fisher.

-Mr. John Tamlin of Souris, Manitoba, who has been visiting friends in Lindsay and Cambury for the past three months, left for the prairie province on Tuesday morning.

-Misses Jamieson and Bin of Miss Mitchell's millinery room returned Wednesday morning, where they had been attending the openings.

-Messrs. J. A. Brown of Reaboro cheese factory and O. J. B. Yearsley of the Little Britain factory are putting in a term at the Kingston Dairy school.

-Mr. John Tinney of Glenora called on THE WATCHMAN on Tuesday, and exchanged ideas on ensilage and turnips for fodder purposes.

-Mr. Herbert Skitch, who has been hovering between life and death with appendicitis for several weeks, now shows signs of being able to pull through. We sincerely hope he will.

-Mr. Arthur Grantham, son of Mr. C. H. Grantham who rusticates every summer at Sturgeon Point, was married recently to Miss McKenzie, daughter of Mr. Wm. McKenzie, independent of the Toronto street railway.

-Mr. Ernie Houghton was in town over Sunday. He has had a phenomenal run of success with the Raycle and stands at the head for sales in Canadian territory. Ernie knows a thing or two about wheels and everything about the Raycle.

-Mr. Francis Smallwood and family of Oakwood will remove to Bates P.O. Manitoba, about week, at which point Mr. Smallwood took up land last summer. Their many friends in Mariposa will wish them every prosperity in their new western home.

-Mr. W. R. Wright and family of Orlia have taken up their residence in town. The family papers report their departure, Mr. Wright having been active workers in church and society circles. . . . Mr. Wright succeeds Roadmaster J. Carey, who has been transferred to Hamilton.

### HARDY WON'T GO.

THE GOVERNMENT COMES TO TIME SERENELY—A CLOSE CALL—MAJORITY FIVE OR SIX—NOTES OF THE CONTEST.

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Fuller returns indicate that the Hardy government is not in such straits as was supposed when we went to press last week. A few places that were doubtful then through incomplete returns, have elected supporters of Mr. Hardy, and as such nearly as we can judge since the official count on Friday the above figures represent the present political complexion of the province. It may be said that the Patron, Mr. Tucker of W. Wellington, will support Mr. Whitney and Mr. Beatty, the Independent member for Owen Sound, will take his place behind Mr. Hardy, so that the non-partisan vote will be evenly divided, and not affect the relative strength of government and opposition. The election for Russel, the vacant seat, takes place on the 18th inst., and while it is claimed by Conservatives as a probable gain for them, the fact that it was Reform by nearly 800 last election justifies the Liberal hope of another supporter from there. There will probably be several re-counts. A re-count is only possible where a majority is less than 80. The Liberals have six and the Conservatives seven in this list, the latter having a few with a very narrow margin. It is impossible, however, that the strength of either side will be affected much in this way. Protestors are threatened in some ridings, but this is too remote to be considered at present. In 1883 Mr. Mowat had his majority cut down to 8, but as time went on he gained in bye-elections and other ways till his support was quite ample. Whether Mr. Hardy can do likewise remains to be seen.

### NOTES.

-Mr. Fox's official majority is 72.

-The remarks of Mr. Moore's dogs at the Opera house meeting seemed to suit the crowd exactly.

-This election has stirred up the least bitterness of any for a long time. Victors and vanquished have showed that politicians can be gentlemen still.

-When the defeat of the Hardy government seemed certain on the evening of election day a tired Reformer was heard explaining to his mate that there would be a "collision" government if Hardy got left.

-Groups of smiling Tories were sunning themselves on every corner the day after the election. They were as much in evidence on that occasion as they were out of sight on a certain cold day in June two years ago.

### PROF. SYMONDS ON DANTE

The fifth lecture in the collegiate lecture course will be given by Rev. Herbert Symonds, M.A., Peterboro, in the assembly hall, Tuesday, March 15th, on "Dante." Mr. Symonds is a graduate of Cambridge university, and was formerly professor in Trinity university, a scholar and speaker of high standing. His subject is a great one and his lecture will be an adequate treatment of it. Lecture begins at 8 p.m. Cloak rooms.

### WHAT ADVERTISING IS

Real good advertising is just real good hard sense, honestly expressed, and it's within any man's power to become an advertiser who reaps results. It only means getting down to the real earnestness of the matter, eliminating all unnecessary forms and restrictions, and studying it and planning it just exactly with the same measure of good judgment as you do the other parts of your business.

LECTURE THIS EVENING

-Rev. Alex. McMillan, M.A., of Toronto, will lecture in St. Andrew's church this evening (March 10th) on "The Homes and Haunts of Sir Walter Scott," under the auspices of the Women's Foreign Missionary society. The subject is a deeply interesting one, and no doubt the church will be well filled. The admission is free; collection in aid of W.F.M.S. library.

### SALE REGISTER.

TUESDAY, MARCH 15th.—By Elias Bowes, auctioneer, credit sale of farm stock and implements, the property of Thos. Bell, lot 6, con. 1, Verulam. Sale at one o'clock and without reserve, as Mr. Bell is giving up farming.

### Editorial Notes.

It is said the independent vote is increasing. No wonder if it is. There is one chief cause for it. When a man takes up nearly any leading political paper and wants to find out the news he is greeted with such misrepresentation and mud-slinging that it is no wonder if he becomes an independent or quits politics entirely.

When a publisher uses his columns to boom a party instead of stating the facts the average man ceases to be interested. The people want the facts, not the editor's distorted and rehearsed version of them. When they have them they are intelligent enough to form an opinion quite as good for their purpose as the newspaper man's.

The mock zeal and nauseating bitterness of the party press is making independents faster than anything else.

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