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The Watchman.

THURSDAY, JUNE 4th, 1896.

### LOCAL NEWS-LETTERS

#### DUNSFORD.

Special to the Watchman

**POLITICAL.**—There was quite a political pow-wow on Wednesday of last week. There was a full house. Great interest was shown in the political doings of the country. The speakers were Mr. George Graham, who gave us a decidedly religious talk, and Mr. George McHugh, who explained very fully his position, and what he intended to uphold. The third speaker was Mr. Thos. Stewart, of Lindsay, who gave a full and concise history of the past 17 years. There was no opposition, so he could say what he liked.

**A GOOD WORK.**—On Saturday last the members of the Presbyterian church, masculine and feminine, turned out and made quite an improvement in the looks of the church property, both inside and out, by the building of a new fence, laying a new platform and cleaning up things in general. I think others ought to follow the example.

**EXCURSION.**—The 17th annual excursion of St. John's S.S. will be run to Washburn's island on Tuesday, 9th inst., per Str. Crandella. A good time is expected to be had along and enjoy the first excursion from this side. See posters for particulars.

**ADVICE.**—I say, Fred, don't get discouraged; your show may be better next time. Remember the old adage, "If at first you don't succeed, try, try again." Eggs actively.

#### NO 9-OPS.

**THE 24TH.**—A large number of our young people passed the 25th in Omeme and Peterboro. Several enjoyed a drive home on the 26th.

**PERSONAL.**—The Misses Cuthbert, Levy and Mitchell, and Messrs. Davies and McArthur, of Lindsay, attended the queen's birthday celebration in Omeme.

.....Mr. R. G. Cornell, of Lindsay, passed through here on his bike Monday last. Miss Tate Thurston and Mr. McWaters, of Lindsay, passed through here on Monday on their way to Omeme.

Well, Tote, we hear you brought a box of hot bars to feed McWaters. Miss B. Moore, of Hebron, spent Monday with Miss Pogue. Miss Mary McGeough spent Sunday and Monday in the Queen City.

.....Mrs. H. Shaw has returned home after spending an enjoyable visit with her daughter, Mrs. Hinds of Peterboro. Miss E. Pogue, teacher, enjoyed the 25th under the parental roof.

**IMPROVEMENTS.**—Mr. Arthur N. Pogue is laying a stone foundation under one of his commodious barns. Mr. J. Beatty is doing the mason work and no doubt it will be a complete job. Mr. Silas Rea has completed his gangway, which improves the appearance of his barn very much.

#### PRIMROSE.

**GELERT AND THE NORTH.**

**EATL FRUIT.**—Strawberries are ripe. Several persons picked a few before May was out. There will be an abundance of delicious berries this season.

**THE HAY AND GRAIN CROP.**—Last week was a week of rain. So far the season has been exceptionally warm. The rains and cooler weather of the last ten days will almost insure a good hay crop. Grain crops are looking well, and farmers have been engaged during the past week putting in potatoes and corn.

**DIPHTHERIA.**—We are pleased to be able to state that the cases of this disease in our vicinity are out of danger. Harry Clarke, who was very ill a week ago, is rapidly recovering, under Dr. Curry's treatment. None of the rest are in danger.

**BUILDING.**—Messrs. Robt. and Tommy McElwain are erecting additions to their barns. The frame work is up and the buildings will be completed during the summer. Nothing like having all grain and hay under cover.

**POLITICAL.**—The first meeting of the campaign in this district was held on Thursday evening in the interest of Mr. McLaughlin, the reform candidate. Mr. Delamere, the independent nominee, also being present. Mr. Peck, secretary for Mr. McLaughlin, opened the meeting by briefly noticing three of the main questions, 1st. Bribery and corruption, 2nd. the tariff, 3rd. the school question. J. H. Delamere followed, and in a neat speech occupying three-quarters of an hour stated his views. Mr. Delamere seemed to have a considerable number of friends in the meeting, and was warmly applauded. R. J. McLaughlin, in a speech occupying about one hour and a quarter,

recited a few of the misdeeds of the present government, putting special emphasis on what he designated as the corruption of the conservative government regarding public works which had been let out to friends of the ruling party. Mr. McLaughlin in the course of his remarks stated that Mr. Delamere's platform seemed very similar to his own, both being opposed to coercion, and at one in condemning the actions of the present government, and that Mr. Delamere had better join forces and help him to carry the election. Mr. Delamere—"That would be nice for you." Mr. McLaughlin made the speech of the evening. Neither Major Sam Hughes nor a representative of his was present. It was evident to the meeting that Mr. Herron was for Mr. Delamere. Mr. A. Donnelly occupied the chair. The meeting was very orderly throughout.

**PERSONAL.**—Miss Edith Curry, of Omeme, is visiting friends in Minden and Geleert. Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Miles returned to Cleveland, O., this week. Mr. Miles had quite a successful sale on Friday last, to dispose of farm implements and household furniture. Messrs. Robt. and Will Ritchie commenced work on Hwy & Co.'s drive last week. Mr. Robt. Grigor arrived in Minden last Thursday evening, on a visit to his mother and sister. Mr. Grigor, who has been living in Chicago, shortly sailed for "Bonnie Scotland," his native land, where he will spend about three months renewing old acquaintances. Mr. S. Devitt, dentist, representing Dr. Neelands, of Lindsay, spent a few days in Minden last week on professional business. Mr. Archie Scott, who recently returned from South Africa, met with a slight mishap last Tuesday. While returning from Minden the horse suddenly swerved to one side, and the rig coming into violent contact with a boulder Archie quickly found himself on the road. Fortunately, beyond a few slight bruises he was uninjured, although the buggy was badly used up by the time he succeeded in bringing the horse to a standstill. Mr. Scott returns to Africa in July to wind up his business in connection with the mines, after which he will probably settle in California.

#### NO. 6 OPS.

—Mosquitos are about through presenting their bills, which generally fall due about this time a year.

—The air is full of election talk and a general belief exists, that all politicians are devoid of wings and are more inclined to grow hoofs and horns of late years. This belief tends to develop a number of Mugwumps through the township, and it will be almost impossible to induce them to vote unless a composition of pure gold dust in large quantities or its equivalent is shook within the threshold of their doors before election day. To think of the effect a few grains of the glorious stuff would have is simply intoxicating.

—We have read of a farmer called Hoax Jagley, who had a hen that laid two eggs per day for six days and three on Sunday. This we cannot vouch for, but we can assert for a fact that Mr. Albert Peel, who lives near the boundary of Ops and Emily, has a Lang shan which prepares a piece of fruit every day as large as any goose, without crease or crinkle, and piles in three yelks and every one a whopper.

—A freight engine ran down two sheep that were inspecting the track near Cunningham's corners on Friday last. They had a break run, and held their own fairly well till they attempted getting off the ties. It was then the engine caught them and brought them up on a round turn.

—The two young daughters of Mr. Hugh Gunn, who were so badly injured by the runaway on Saturday last, are still under the doctor's care and showing signs of improvement. Both of the young ladies received a bad shaking up, and one of them suffers from an ugly cut on the back of her head. Mr. Gunn would like to know the young man who ran into him, and it is most likely he will make his acquaintance before many days. This being the second fatality to one of our neighbors, and all are unanimous in declaring that the bike should be placed under ground with electric wires or on the railroad track, and a civil war is talked of. To mention either path is taking a heavy risk on oneself, and I doubt if they don't use it at the municipal election in January.

#### OAKWOOD.

Special to the Watchman

**POLITICAL MATTERS** are just beginning to warm up. The meeting in the town hall on Tuesday was well attended. The speakers, in addition to Hon. Oliver Mowat, were Messrs. McHugh and Barron, of Lindsay. The chair was occupied by Mr. Wm. Lowinsbrough. Both parties are confident of success, but in my humble opinion the man who gets the most votes will be elected.

#### LINDSAY MARKETS

Considerable grain was brought into town during the past week, but the bottom has evidently fallen out of the market. Prices for all kinds of grain are down several notches, as will be seen by the list below. The wool market is dull. In Hamilton the price stands at 15c to 16c, and in Toronto 17c to 18c. In Lindsay, owing to the strife between the buyers, the price has been well maintained at 18c to 20c. Farmers are consequently receiving more for their wool on this market than if they sent it to the city.

#### GRAIN.

Fall Wheat per bushel..... 0 68 to 0 68  
Fyfe Wheat do do..... 0 68 to 0 68  
Spring do do..... 0 63 to 0 63  
Goose do do..... 0 50 to 0 50

#### COARSE GRAIN.

Buckwheat..... 0 30 to 0 30  
Barley, per bushel..... 0 25 to 0 25  
Rye..... 0 00 to 0 40  
Oats..... 0 20 to 0 20  
Peas, small..... 0 46 to 0 46  
Peas, Mummies..... 0 46 to 0 46  
Peas Blue..... 0 46 to 0 46

#### VEGETABLES.

Potatoes per bag..... 0 20 to 0 25

#### MEAT, POULTRY AND DAIRY PRODUCE.

Chickens, per pair..... 0 30 to 0 50  
Ducks, per pair..... 0 45 to 0 60  
Geese, per lb..... 0 06 to 0 07  
Butter per lb..... 0 12 to 0 13  
Eggs, per dozen..... 0 09 to 0 10  
Turkeys per lb..... 0 08 to 0 10

# GRAND SUCCESS!

Tuesday and Thursday Bargain Days and our "Special Hour Sale" on Saturdays a Howling Success.

## WE'LL KEEP ON AT THE GOOD WORK

Last two Saturdays we've had trouble. Too many people to wait on. The hours for special prices were up before we were served. We said the prices were for those hours, and we do as we advertise—so some of our very good friends feel sorry at not being able to get all they wanted at the ridiculously low prices we were asking. However, for the benefit of those unfortunates who didn't get a chance at our bargains, we'll continue the sale for two weeks longer.

## SATURDAY SNAPS

<b>SNAP No. 1.—From 11 to 12 a.m.</b>	<b>SNAP No. 2.—From 12 to 2 p.m.</b>	<b>SNAP No. 3.—All Day.</b>
\$2.00 All-Wool Pants for 98c	150 Odd Sizes \$2.00 Hats for \$1.39	35c Flannellette Shirts for 15c
\$1.50 Pants 89c	119 " " \$1.50 Fedoras 90c	10c Sox for 5c
\$8.50 Suits 5.75	10 per cent. off all Straws.	\$1.75 Hat for Sweater 89c
\$7.50 Suits 4.50	15 per cent. off all other Hats in the store.	\$10.50 Waterproof 59c
15 per cent. off all Boys' and Childrens' Suits.		

Cuts all over the store. Can't name them all. Don't be a clam. Be wise. Come in and Buy.

## TUESDAY BARGAIN DAYS. THURSDAY

Our new departure is a great big go. The people who have come in and dealt with us are astonished. The way our slaughter goods was a revelation to the myriads of customers who went away wondering what Gough would dare do yet, but we're not at the end of our tether. We've sold goods cheap the last few Tuesdays and Thursdays. Well, one last spring before the light goes out.

**OUR GRAND FINALE.**—For the next two weeks on Tuesdays and Thursdays—goods at exact cost. No humping. We mean it. Just come in and see what it means. Come to us. We have knocked the prices in two in this town. We surely deserve well at the hands of the people of Lindsay.

# "ALWAYS GOOD AT GOUGHS."

# GOUGH BROS.,

The Wonderful Cheap Men, Lindsay, Peterboro and Port Hope.

Hogs, live weight, per cwt	3 00 to 3 50
Lamb, per lb.....	0 05 to 0 06
Dressed Hogs.....	4 00 to 4 50
Beef.....	3 00 to 5 00

GENERAL.	
Hay, per ton.....	8 00 to 8 00
Honey per lb.....	0 07 to 0 08
Maple Syrup per qt.....	0 30 to 0 30
Cream per qt.....	0 20 to 0 20
Corn per bush.....	0 00 to 0 05
Sage per lb.....	0 09 to 0 10
Lard per lb.....	2 00 to 2 50
Straw per load.....	0 18 to 0 20
Wool, washed.....	0 10 to 0 11
unwashed.....	0 10 to 0 11

Toronto Live Stock Market.	
Milk cows, each.....	\$20 00 to \$30 00
Export cattle, per cwt.....	2 75 to 4 00
Butchers' choice cattle, cwt.....	3 90 to 3 00
Butchers' good cattle, cwt.....	2 50 to 2 75
Bulls, per cwt.....	2 25 to 3 25
Stockers, per cwt.....	2 25 to 2 50
Feeders, per cwt.....	3 00 to 3 25
Sheep, per cwt.....	4 00 to 5 00
Yearlings, per cwt.....	2 75 to 3 25
Lambs, per cwt.....	2 00 to 4 00
Calfs, per head.....	4 10 to 4 13
Choice bacon hogs, cwt.....	3 75 to 4 00
Store hogs, cwt.....	3 90 to 4 00
Thick fat and light hogs, cwt.....	3 00 to 3 10
Sows, per cwt.....	2 00 to 2 05
Stags, per cwt.....	2 00 to 2 05

**The Price of Beef in England.**  
Last week's cables as to prices for beef in Liverpool were the lowest yet, and it looks as if the Canadian trade is all going to pieces. The prices at dressed weight were 4d, as against 9d this time last year. Australian mutton sells as low as 1 1/2d per pound.

#### BIRTHS.

**WHITE.**—In Mariposa, on Friday, May 29th, the wife of Robt. White, of a son.

**GRAHAM.**—In Omeme, on the 24th of May, the wife of Mr. I. Graham, of a daughter.

**BLOXOM.**—In Omeme, on Tuesday, May 26th, the wife of Mr. John Bloxom, of a daughter.

**DIED.**  
**SYER.**—At Toronto, on Friday, May 29th, Walter Syer, son of Mr. Thos. Syer, of Manvers, aged 24 years.

**ROGERS.**—In Lindsay, on May 28th, Thos. Rogers, aged 20 years.

#### BRIDGE TENDERS CALLED FOR.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned till **MONDAY, JUNE 15th, 1896,** for the building of a large

#### Stone Culvert at Hopkin's Creek,

on the Fenelon road, as the basis of a new bridge. Plans and specifications of the same may be seen at the clerk's office, in the Academy of Music. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. (By order of the Ops Council.)

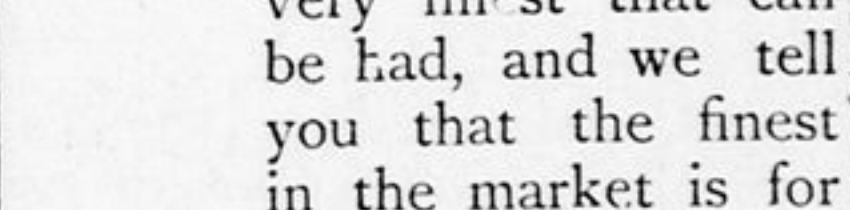
W. F. O'BOYLE, Tp. Clerk.  
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**The Steamer ESTURION**  
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CALLING EACH WAY AT  
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will run as follows until further notice:  
Leave Bobcaygeon at 6.40 a.m., and 3.10 p.m.  
Arrive Lindsay " 9.40 " " 5.30 "  
Leave Lindsay " 11.30 " " 8.45 "  
Arrive Bobcaygeon " 1.46 " " 8.00 "

Excepting Saturdays, when the steamer will leave Lindsay at 8.25 p.m. (instead of 5.45 p.m.) upon arrival of Toronto train.

Single Tickets between Lindsay and Bobcaygeon, 75c, return tickets, \$1.  
Single Tickets between Lindsay and Sturgeon Point, 50c, return tickets, 50c.

Family Tickets between Bobcaygeon and Sturgeon Point, 40c, return tickets, 50c.

Arrangements can be made on very favorable terms for excursions of from 100 to 200 persons, on regular trips of the boat.

For terms apply by letter addressed Secretary T. N.V. Co., Bobcaygeon.

J. W. DIAMANT, Purser, M. LANE, Captain.

## CONFIDENCE

A blind man could pick out a suit of Clothes, from \$2.65 to \$15.00, at our store, cut so well, and he has our word for the wear of the goods. The usual customer wants more—style, shape and (all wool) fit afterwards. But we assure you everything. 50 Odd Coats for Men, Good Tweed ones for \$1.25 each. Every Coat worth \$5.00.

## BOY'S SUITS

Our store is an emporium for Boys. Prices under cost in some suits. Come early this week if you can, and get the first selection of those dainty Muslins, Dimities, Prints, Challies and Lawns for Summer Dresses and Blouses; Silk for Blouses, that are lovely in design and moderate in price.

## CORSETS

We keep in stock the celebrated E. T. Corset, Bicycle Corsets, Maids' Corsets, Children's Corsets, and in fact the popular makes of the different manufacturers. Men's Bicycle Hose, Sweaters, Caps, Shirts. Remember our Carpet and Housefurnishing Bargains.

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