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THURSDAY, SEPT. 26th, 1895.

### TOWN AND COUNTY.

#### LITTLE LOCAL LINES.

-Cherries, Berries, Pineapples and Water-Melons at Fox's.

-Read the new card of Mr. Gross, Dentist, and see what he can do for you.

-October is the best month in the year for putting out young fruit bushes, grape vines, etc.

-A return baseball match was played between the Athletes and the Junior Pumpkin Hollow nine on Friday evening last and resulted in favor of the Pumpkin Hollows by a score of 10 to 5 and an innings. The batteries were: Pumpkin Hollows—W. Huggan and R. Martin; Athletes—S. Shannon and R. Bell.

-The woods are beginning to put on their autumn tints. So far only the soft maples seem affected, but they are so badly struck that one cannot but think of the complaint:

"The melancholy days have come,  
The saddest of the year."

It makes one think of death, the death of the leaf, the death of the season, the death of the year, our own death. The wise man of course will not stop there but will go on to the spring, the resurrection, the undying life. Thus silent nature has its voice if we only have ears to hear and wisdom to interpret them.

-A lawyer in a court room may call a man a liar, scoundrel, villain or a thief and no one makes a complaint. If a newspaper prints such a reflection on a man's character there is a libel suit or a civil action. This must be owing to the fact that the people believe what an editor says and what the lawyer says out no figure.

-Mr. W. R. McRossaie of Kingston, who recently returned from New York, saw the yacht races between the Valkyrie and Defender. He says the English yacht was the smartest and would have won the cup if given a show. It was not intended that the Valkyrie should win, however. The captain of the boat on which Mr. McRossaie was said the Valkyrie would be sunk before she would be allowed to win the cup.

-For weeks past the name of Lord Dunraven's yacht has been on every lip and its pronunciation almost as varied as the lips which speak it. The name is pronounced Val-ky-ree, with the accent on the second syllable. The word signifies 'chooser of the slain.' It comes from the Icelandic Valkyria, more familiar in the German form, Walkure. In the Norse mythology it means one of the virgin attendants of Odin, who carry to Valhalla heroes slain in battle.

-The editor of a weekly journal lately lost two of his subscribers by accidently departing from the beaten track in his answers to correspondents. Two of his subscribers wrote to ask his remedy for their respective troubles. No. 1, the father of twins, wrote to enquire the best way to get them over their teething, and No. 2 wanted to know how to protect his orchard from the myriads of grasshoppers. The editor framed his answers upon the orthodox lines, but unfortunately transposed their two names, with the result that No. 1, who was blessed with twins, read in answer to his query: "Cover them carefully with straw and set fire to them, and the little pests, after jumping about in the flames a few minutes, will speedily be settled." While No. 2, plagued with grasshoppers, was told to "give a little castor oil and rub their gums gently with

-Oysters? Fresh and nice, on ice at Fox's.

-Nice Sweet Cider—just fresh from the press—at Geo. Fox's.

-R. CAMPBELL, Insurance Agent, office second door north of WATCHMAN printing office.—28-4.

-About 1250 parcels of land in the city of Toronto are to be sold for taxes in December next.

-As we remarked some weeks ago, this is a great year for nuts of all kinds, and from this date out the woods will be as full of boys every Saturday as if they are of chipmunks.

-The criminal court of Texas has decided that there is no law in the state to prevent pugilistic exhibitions. As a consequence the fight between Corbett and Fitzsimmons at Dallas, Texas, will come off on Oct. 1st.

-Mr. Fred Lindsay now of 136½ Bloomfield-ave., Newark, N. J., in renewing his subscription writes, "I am always anxious to get your newsy, reliable paper. "If you see it in THE WATCHMAN its so" is my motto."

-There will be an auction sale of farm stock and implements on the farm of Mr. Richard Corley, lot 26, con. 5, Ops, on Thursday, Oct. 10th. Some valuable stock will be offered. Mr. Geo. McHugh is the auctioneer. Sale at one o'clock.

-Mr. Alf Arnell of Owen Sounds is the happy possessor of a big flask of French brandy which he claims to be 64 years old. Next month he is going to pull the cork and have it sampled. An excursion has already been arranged from Peterboro.

-Last Saturday was the date of the autumnal equinox, when the sun crossed the equator going south, and when day and night was of equal length throughout the world. We are now midway between the longest and shortest days of the year each succeeding day growing shorter until December 21st next.

-A few evenings ago Joe Hand, while trolling in the river, caught a maskinonge just at the Wellington-st bridge. Some one remarked that it was strange that the fish could be caught right in town. An Irishman, who was looking on spoke up and said, "It served that fool of a fish right to be caught here. Where taxes are 25 mills on the dollar, and a dog extra, shure it's no place for a stranger to come to."

-Mr. Wm. Weese, the local horse buyer, has been busily engaged for the past five or six weeks making considerable improvements to his residence and as a natural consequence his time was fully occupied. He has however resumed the purchase of horses for the season, and on Saturday last shipped a carload of superior animals. In the lot were two or three good rosters and the remainder consisted chiefly of heavy draught and good work horses.

"It pays to go west." So said Horace Greeley, and those who buy at Robson's West End stores will agree with us that Horace knew what he was talking about. Since branching out into dry goods and boots and shoes trade has been brisk for a dull season, and patrons of this well-known house assure us that no better values are offered anywhere than at Robson's. There is a repair shop in connection with the boot and shoe department, which will provide a great convenience to west end residents.

-We have been interviewed personally and by letter very frequently with the past month by patent medicine concerns to accept advertising matter at certain rates they offer. These rates are always about 50 per cent. lower than the rates invariably charged by THE WATCHMAN to local advertisers hence the absence of patent medicine advertising in these columns. Of course there is certain quack medicine advertising that would not be admitted on any terms. The foreign concern whether it be patent medicines or jawsharps that don't pay full local rates can't advertise their wares in the columns of THE WATCHMAN. We don't have to accept patent medicine advertising at half rates.

-The editor of the North Bay Dispatch has been served with a writ for libel, owing to an alleged misstatement in a paragraph of country correspondence. The editor has published a disclaimer and probably that will be accepted as sufficient. In the present day an editor holds an unenviable position between the devil and the deep sea. He is far too easy a target for those who are always loaded for bear. It is safe to say that no human being can gather material enough to fill a weekly issue of a live newspaper and verify every item so far as to be mathematically certain of its accuracy. Heaters to the public, who insist on having the latest news and he should be protected when he does unintentional injury. When the publisher of a newspaper has done the best he can to rectify any wrong as soon as he discovers it, that should be sufficient to protect him from costly litigation.

"Do you want your pants stretched, and a crease put in them?" asked a spruce looking young man as he stepped into THE WATCHMAN sanctum Friday last. We said no—that our trousers wouldn't stand stretching, and as for the "crease" if he had something that would increase the amount of filthy lucre in the pockets of them he could put us down for one at a dollar and we would send him THE WATCHMAN, the best paper published in this or any other town, and The Weekly Globe or Weekly Mail from now until January 1st, 1897, in pay therefore. In the course of a few minutes conversation he informed us that Lindsay was the worst town he ever struck to sell pants stretchers—even the bank dudes refused to buy, and when he couldn't sell to a bank employee he knew he might as well get out of town. In Peterboro he sold over one hundred; everyone there wanted a "crease" in his pants, while at Port Hope and Cobourg business was nearly as good. He was longing for the advent of bloomers, when he heard to be able to return after one trip over the country.

-Mariposa Court of revision will be held on Oct. 21st next.

-The Oshawa Reformer boasts of an apple 13½ inches in circumference.

-F. C. Taylor, Insurance Agent. Office on the ground floor of the new opera house, Lindsay-st.—8.

-New York now enjoys a "dry" Sunday. Under the new laws and new police instructions every hotel in the city remains closed from Saturday night until Monday morning. This is a wonderful change for New York City, but all things are possible when the right men are at the head of affairs.

-Wild ducks seem to be a thing of the past on the Lindsay river. The shooting over the Scuzog preserve must have been a tame shoot; the birds did not come this way in any great numbers. It is just possible they have been too well preserved up there this season.

-There are few towns in Ontario of equal size that are enjoying the passenger and freight train service Lindsay is at the present time. If we had evening postal service with points on the west—Oakwood, Little Britain, etc.—there would be little cause left for complaint.

-The R. C. Church at Downeyville, which has been undergoing repairs and improvements for some time past, will be reopened on Sunday next by the Bishop, assisted by several priests of the diocese. Lunch will be served in the grounds adjoining for the accommodation of those from a distance. A large number from Lindsay purpose attending.

-Remember the auction sale of farm stock, implements, etc., the property of Mr. Wm. Stewart, north half lot 21, concession 4, Mariposa, on Friday, Oct. 4th. The list of horses, cattle and pigs is large, and as Elias Bowes will wield the hammer a successful sale may be looked for.

-An exchange says:—"Many cheap cigars are made from sunflower leaves." Possibly; but from the smell one gets on Kent-st. from some of the cigars of an evening many people would readily believe they are made from what the farmers spread over their land in the spring.

-On second page will be found an interesting account of the marriage of Rev. G. W. Mills at Vancouver B. C. Mr. Mills is well known in Lindsay and vicinity, having received his early training at the Collegiate, and later graduated with honors from Toronto university. His mother and two sisters reside in the south ward.

-The Ops council have very generously granted \$20 towards the annual Victoria County ploughing match to be held on Oct. 4th, on the farm of Mr. Beecroft, Eldon. If the other councils applied to will do as well, the finances of the association will be placed in good shape, and the prizes offered will be very liberal. . . . Mariposa council also granted \$25.

-Mr. D. B. McNab, of the McNab Lumber Co., of Ingoldsbys, gave THE WATCHMAN a call on Saturday last, and stated that the young man James Kellar, who was so badly hurt some two or three weeks ago while working at the edger table, in their mill is now in the Peterboro hospital. Very slight hopes are entertained for his recovery. He was an industrious young man, and much sympathy is expressed for him.

-The Peterboro business college has been removed to the new Bank of Commerce building, and is now in possession of one of the finest college buildings in the province, under the new management and with a new faculty. The new term opened Sept. 3rd. The principals are gentlemen who have the special qualifications to successfully conduct classes in the subjects which are included in the college curriculum. Besides being qualified as instructors, they are gentlemen who are pleasant and courteous to meet in a business way and will command the respect and warm esteem of their pupils.

-Probably the oldest dog in the district is the Scotch collie owned by Miss Adam, Lindsay-st. It was purchased over 18 years ago, by the late Thomas Adam from Humphrey Ward of Fleetwood and was carefully trained. Mr. Adam was noted for always having a well-bred cow in his possession and this cow "Collie" would bring from the pasture every morning and evening. The cow and the dog became great friends, and "Collie" always spent the nights in the pasture field, rain or shine. His peculiar bronchial bark is due to exposure and excessive barking. At the present time he is said to be cutting his third set of teeth.

"Great Scott! is Coxey's army coming?" was the remark of a Kent-st. merchant Thursday morning as a squad of about 30 "dagos" marched up William-st. from the station three abreast, en route to an up-town hotel. They were fine specimens of the world-pictured army of last year that marched on Washington. Our reporter asked them in well meaning and carefully modulated tones if they were part of Mr. Coxey's army. He didn't get any reply, that is in words—but you should have seen the 7-ply look the rear rank gave. They left for the shanties on the afternoon train.

-One evening last week a romantic couple drifted down the river in a canoe to Nigger Island. They were so intoxicated by each other's charms that the outer world was a blank and they did not see another canoe only a few yards distant from them. The other fellow took in the situation at a glance. The evening sun was sinking in the west, shedding its soft mellow rays of enchantment on a scene already too spooney, as the lady lisped out in tones of pure pigeon English, "Oh, darling Charlie, wherever are we drifting?" "Nigger Island," came in deep emotional tones from her companion, "how thoughtful you are," she answered, "my father fought for the freedom of the slaves; what a delightful spot to propose in." They reached terra firma and the other fellow heaved a heavy sigh and paddled for Lindsay. It is a selfish world after all.

-A farmer in the Souris district, Manitoba, reports a yield of 600 bushels of wheat from ten acres.

-W. R. Given of Bobcaygeon, has been appointed bailiff of the third division court of the county of Victoria, vice Thomas Cheetham, removed.

-Things are pretty evenly distributed in this world after all. The piano has spoiled many a good dishwasher, and many a dishwasher has spoiled a good piano.

-The regular monthly meeting of the W.C.T.U. will be held in the Y.M.C.A. rooms on Wednesday, Oct. 2nd at 3.30 p. m. A cordial invitation is extended to all women interested in temperance work.

-Mr. W. H. Simpson has purchased the popular stallion Sando, by Jay I. Case, by Phallas. This young horse will be put into active training for the ice races this winter no doubt. The big bay has lots of speed but wants work.

-The other day as Mr. W. W. Logan was driving up [street] a hack driver in turning the corner sharply collided with the hind wheel of Mr. Logan's vehicle an upset resulted. Fortunately a couple of persons standing standing near by caught the horse by the head and held it until the vehicle was righted.

-As will be seen by correspondence elsewhere the success of the Methodist church anniversary tea at Cambray was even greater than anticipated. Over 700 partook of dinner, and the receipts foot up the handsome sum of \$400. This leaves the church free of debt. The management are to be congratulated.

-The Toronto chief of police is in receipt of a letter from Thomas O'Brien, Galveston, Texas, who is desirous of opening up a correspondence with any of the relatives of his father or mother, Mr. and Mrs. Henry O'Brien, who were married somewhere in Upper Canada 60 years ago. Mrs. O'Brien's maiden name was Elizabeth Sewell.

-Here is a chance for some of Lindsay's many eligible bachelors to scoop in a fortune and a blushing bride at the same time. Hip Sing Lee, a wealthy Chinese merchant of San Jose, California, offers a half interest in his extensive business and \$5,000 cash to any reputable white man who will marry his daughter, Moi Lee. No postal cards answered.

"Potatoes and "Irish chickens"—herrings—promise to be cheap and plentiful this year, so that there is no danger of a famine. The former are already selling at 25c. a bushel in quantities and a month hence they will be even cheaper. The sample is very fine, large and smooth, and of excellent flavor. The best potatoes that are marketed in Lindsay come from Manvers.

-A meeting of the electors of the north ward is called for the 30th inst., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for the office of councillor for the balance of the year, in the place of the late J. L. Winters. Should there be more than one candidate a poll will be demanded, and the election will be held on Monday Oct. 7th. Mr. P. Nicolle is returning officer.

-Notwithstanding the fact that now scarcely a black squirrel can be found in any woods in the province, High Park, Toronto, is full of these little black beauties. The reason for this is that the boy and the deadly shotgun is never allowed within its precincts. Twenty years ago the woods throughout the province were full of black squirrels, but since that time they have almost been exterminated, and it is a rare thing to meet one of these fleetfooted little creatures. Our woods would be solemn places indeed were it not for the pretty singing birds and chirping squirrels.

### Steamboat Building on our Inland Waters.

- Subjoined is a list of the different steamboats that have been built in Lindsay, and on the waters adjacent during the past forty-five years. The data was kindly furnished by Capt. Geo. Crandell.
- 1851.—Steamer Woodman, built at Port Perry and owned by Geo. Crandell.
  - 1853.—Str. Ogama, built at Fenelon Falls, by Capt. Wallace.
  - 1855.—Str. Firefly, built at Bridgenorth, by Capt. Sawyers.
  - 1860.—Str. Scugog, built at Mud lake by Capt. Kelley.
  - 1861.—Str. Lady Ida.
  - 1863.—Str. Novelty, built at Ball lake, by Mr. Henry, who then owned the Scott limits.
  - 1863.—Str. Ranger, built in Lindsay by Geo. Crandell.
  - 1864.—Str. Anglo-Saxon, built by Capt. Crandell.
  - 1867.—Str. Victoria, now the Esturion.
  - 1867.—Str. Commodore, built in Lindsay by Geo. Crandell.
  - 1868.—Str. Champion, built in Lindsay, by Geo. Crandell.
  - 1870.—Str. Cobocook, built at Cobocook, by Hay and Treleavin.
  - 1870.—Str. Sampson, side-wheel, built in Lindsay by Geo. Crandell.
  - 1872.—Str. Sampson, stern-wheel, built in Lindsay by Geo. Crandell.
  - 1872.—Str. Mary Ellen, built in Lindsay by Geo. Crandell.
  - 1872.—Str. Victoria, built by Tate and Hall, now called the Historian.
  - 1873.—Str. Vanderbilt, built in Lindsay by Geo. Crandell.
  - 1880.—Str. Eva.
  - 1880.—Str. Beauvoage.
  - 1884.—Str. Maple Leaf, built by Park & Davis, now owned by Capt. Bottom.
  - 1884.—The stern-wheel steamer, Dominion, built at Port Hoover by Capt. Savage.
  - 1885.—Str. Stranger, built in Lindsay by Geo. Crandell.
  - 1885.—Str. Dominion, built at Lindsay by Burk Bros.
  - 1886.—Str. Water-Witch, built at Lindsay by H. Dunsford.
  - 1886.—Str. Alice-Ethel, built at Lindsay by Thos. Sadler.
  - 1888.—Str. Louise, built by Bowman, of Port Perry.
  - 1891.—Str. Crandella, built in Lindsay by Geo. Crandell.
  - 1893.—Str. Marie Louise, built at Lindsay by Joe. Parkin.
  - 1893.—Str. Columbian, built at Lindsay by Capt. McCamus.
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