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The Watchman.

THURSDAY, OCT. 7th, 1897.

LOCAL NEWS-LETTERS

REABORO.

Special to the Watchman. CANTATA.—A missionary cantata will be given in the Union church or Orange hall, Reaboro, on Monday evening next, at 8 o'clock, by some of the young ladies of St. Paul's church, Lindsay. All are cordially invited.

WOODVILLE.

Special to the Watchman. PHRENOLOGY.—Prof. Dean, phrenologist of Lindsay, graduate of the American Phrenological Institute, New York, will be at the Queen's hotel, Woodville, on Monday afternoon and following days of next week. The professor is skillful and a clever delineator of character.

BOBCAYGEON.

Special to the Watchman. The Missionary committee of the Epworth League, held their open meeting on Monday. Papers were read and addresses given by Misses G. McClelland and Lobb and an address by Rev. J. W. Shier. Special song service was rendered by the Epworth League choir. The chair was ably filled by Rev. A. H. Foster.

FRANKLIN.

Special to the Watchman. NOTES.—The harvest is settled in in this part and threshing has commenced. The weather has very beautiful for the past month. Our market has opened out here and Mr. R. Touchburn is back again. Mr. John McFrory is erecting a new verandah around his house, which adds quite an appearance to his residence. Quite a number from this part took in the Lindsay fair and all seemed well pleased with the day's sport.

PERSONAL.—Mrs. John McGill of Midland is visiting her sister Mrs

W. J. Fallis. Mr. Tom Fallis of Lindsay is holidaying at home. Dr. W. E. Tilly, school inspector, visited our school last week and was much pleased with the work. That speaks well for our teacher, Mr. A. W. Bradburn.

OBITUARY.—We are sorry to announce the death of Miss Etie Irvin, who passed away on Thursday morning. She had been ill for about a year and all that medical aid could do was of no avail. Her home being in Blenheim, her remains were taken there for burial.

BASKET SOCIAL.—The members of the Independent Order of Foresters of this part intend to have a basket social at the residence of Mr. W. S. Fallis on Friday evening, the 15th inst at which will be a good program, don't miss it. Everybody welcome.

RED ROCK—VERULAM.

Special to the Watchman. ANNIVERSARY.—Providence congregation at Red Rock will hold their anniversary service on Sunday and Monday, Oct. 10th and 11th. There will be two services on Sabbath, at 2.30 and 7, conducted by the Rev. T. P. Steel of Fenelon Falls. On Monday tea will be served in the dining hall adjoining the church, and afterward a programme, consisting of a lecture on "Culture" by the Rev. L. S. Hughson, B. D., of Lindsay, special singing by the choir, and other items of entertainment.

GLANDINE

SCHOOL REPORT.—The following is the standing of the pupils for the month of September. Fifth class—Florence Webster, Lila Eagleson, Carrie Eakins, Edwin Honey, Arthur Webster. Fourth class—Mable Pogue, Ida Graham, Nelson Graham, May Eakins, Chas. Webster, Etie Eagleson, Willie Eagleson, Nettie Eakint, Violet Jewell, Stafford Sennett, Mable Irvin, Bernard Sennett, Meud Ray, Mabel Keefe, Willie Cory, Leslie Woolcott, Third class—James Davidson, Norman Eagleson, Milla Webster, Percy Davidson, Fred Davidson, Gladys Johnston, Albert Keefe. Second class—Florence Eagleson, Edith Jewell, Lewis Irwin, Albert Eagleson, Martha Woolcott, Joyce Pogue. Second part—Tommy Cory, Eddie Woolcott, Tommy Davidson, Flossie Cory, May Cory. First part—Stanley Johnston, Susie Graham, Eugene Sennett, Alfred Woolcott.

CHURCH.—Last Sunday evening our pulpit was occupied by the Rev. Mr. Reil of Woodville. He preached an able and effective sermon. He is certainly an eloquent and powerful expounder of the truths it is revealed in Christ. On Tuesday evening of this week it is expected that a series of revival meetings will commence. It is to be hoped that much good may be done.

LITERARY SOCIETY.—The literary society is still going to the front. The last meeting was a grand success. The program was all up-to-date but of course the debate was the centre of interest. The subject, "Resolved that prohibition is better than a system of license," was ably debated by Messrs. N. Connolly and E. Reid on the affirmative and Messrs S. A. Davidson and W. Davidson on the negative. All acquitted themselves creditably, but an excuse for the young ladies winning might be found in the fact that the young man who gave the decision might not have been entirely insusceptible to the charms of these brilliant young ladies. Some changes have been made in the seating arrangements of the hall, more seats have been added and a number of chairs procured so that in future all may enjoy a comfortable seat. If you live near Glandine and are not a member of this society, why not come and join?

LITTLE BRITAIN.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.—J. B. Weidon, issuer of marriage licenses, Little Britain.—12th.

ACCIDENT.—Our enterprising young mill man, Mr. Frank McArthur, had scarcely recovered from the loss of two fingers when on Friday last by some mishap his shoulder was dislocated. Dr. Hall was summoned, placed it in its former position, and found it there.

PERSONAL.—We were pleased to see Miss Stratton able to ride out once more. Rev. Mr. Terrill returned to town on Saturday after a two week's vacation in the east. He will now travel on four wheels instead of two, having left his bike, and brought back with him a horse and carriage. Mr. Hill left on Saturday after spending a couple of weeks in this section in the interest of the Guelph Organ Co. We understand some sales were effected. Rev. Mr. Stratton was absent last Sabbath morning preaching at Salem. This pulpit was ably filled by Rev. Joseph Archer of the Hamilton conference, who is holidaying for a season at his brother-in-law's, Mr. Thos. Western, s. r. Thos. Yerex has returned from Hamilton, and is again employed in his brothers mercantile establishment. Jas. Fraze has so far recovered as to be able to converse rationally and walk about doors. Dr. Hall has again resumed practice after his long and serious illness. Dr. Morris, who attended to the wants of his patients during his illness, left on Thursday for his new hold of operation in the west. Miss L. Swain of Valentia went last Sabbath at the parsonage. Mrs. David Thompson of Valentia is at her father's in this village under the doctors care. She has been very low, but is reported better. Miss A. Yerex of Bellwood ave., Toronto, who has been visiting relatives here for the past week, returned home yesterday.

MILLINERY.—Miss Milo Pogue has fitted up a commodious room over her father's store, with her usual good taste

and decorated her tables with all classes of head gear of the latest style. Her millinery opening was on Thursday last. The display was excellent. REOPENED.—The lecture room of the Methodist church here was reopened on Monday night by a capital entertainment given by the Epworth League of Christian Endeavor. The night was beautiful, audience large and appreciative and program excellent. Rev. Mr. Stratton occupied the chair. Prayer was offered by Rev. A. R. Dolve, junior pastor of last year. The vocal music was rendered by Master Frank Rusland and Mr. M. Swain of Lotus. It is needless to say it was good. The naxos of the parties are a sufficient guarantee. Mrs. R. A. Bennett and son of Iowa, Lucy Thompson and F. Rusland took the rostrum, and held the attention of the audience by the rendition of some fine selections. Instrumental music rendered by Miss Ada Ye. on the organ, Miss Bunny on the autoharp and the Misses Nickett on mouth organs, formed no small factor in this evening's enjoyment. Possibly the greatest interest centered in the debate. "Resolved, that the United States is a better country to live in than Canada." The affirmative was ably sustained by Mr. Thos. Westcomb and Miss Libbie Smith; the negative by Rev. Mr. Terrill and Miss Netherton. Time occupied in all 40 minutes. The judges, Messrs Isaac McKee, F. Hardy and A. Stacy, gave the verdict in favor of the affirmative. After the program tea was served on small tables in a god social way in the lecture room. All were delighted with the whole affair, and especially with the improvements made by the exchange of benches for chairs, huge wooden pillars for iron ones, and paint and paper on the walls instead of bare unstained boards and plaster. The proceeds at 10 and 15c amounted to over \$25.

OBITUARY.—A large number from this vicinity attended the funeral of the late W. Tremere at Salem on Thursday last. Mr. Tremere had been one of the leading men for years in the church and at the time of his death was superintendent of the Sabbath school. From some unknown cause he had been falling for some two weeks and on Tuesday eluding the vigilance of his family he crept into the barn and hung himself. The funeral was very large. The services were conducted by his pastor assisted by Revs. Stratton and Archer. Mr. Tremere had \$1,000 in the Maccabees and also in the I.O.F.

ADDRESS.—Mr. Whale of Toronto, inspector and grand organizer in the I.O.F., gave a fine address on Forestry in the Yerex hall on Saturday. He was summoned at the instance of Mr. Hemphill, who has been seeking to organize an I.O.F. court in this place for the last month. Some staunch men are being entered and it is expected that a large court will soon be established. Mr. Whale intends returning in about a week to attend a public meeting of ladies and gentlemen, and complete the work begun.

FENELON FALLS

Special to the Watchman. DISASTROUS FIRE.—Again the fire fiend has been at his evil work. On Saturday morning about 10 o'clock the whistle of the John A. Ellis Co. saw mill was heard to give the warning cry of fire, and at once all the other mills sounded the cry of distress. Everybody responded to the call and a wild rush was made with fire engines and reels to the lumber yards situated on the north corner of the town, on Cameron lake. On reaching the yards it was found that several piles of lumber in one of the long rows were on fire and burning at a fearful rate. The fire was first noticed by a woman on Fiddler's Hill, who immediately told a couple of men, who were working in the mill. If sufficient help had been at hand then it could have been easily put out, but when the crowd with appliances reached the spot it had gained too much headway. Willing hands were soon at work on the pumps and pulling down the piles trying to make gaps in the row so as to save the rest of the yard, but with no avail. Just then a stiff wind started to blow, and the whole yard was soon in a mass of flames. All hands were then directed to the saving of the mill, which had become endangered by the changing of the wind. For some time it was thought the mill was doomed, but the boys worked well at the pumps and about 12 o'clock the wind changed and all danger was over. All the lumber in the yard was lost but a few thousand feet, which was separated from the rest. The firm had just taken stock and the contents of the yard was reckoned at about one million eight hundred thousand feet, about a quarter of a million of which belonged to the Toronto bank, and about ten thousand feet was owned by Mr. John McDonald of Lindsay. The stock of John A. Ellis was valued at about \$12,000, insured for \$7,000. The lumber owned by the bank and Mr. McDonald was also insured. Besides the lumber the office, stables, blacksmith shop and about 500 cords of dry hard wood, belonging to John A. Ellis, were also destroyed. The origin of the fire is unknown, but it is thought that a spark from the train or from the smokestack of the mill caught in the sawdust and burned for long time before being noticed. The Grand Trunk railway, which runs through the yard, was badly damaged. The intense heat twisted the rails out of shape. The telegraph line was also disabled, and all communication with the north was stopped for a time; but a gang of men from Lindsay quickly repaired the track and the afternoon train went through on time. It is just about five years ago since Mr. Ellis had his mill burnt; that time the yard was very nearly going. The lumber yards of this town seem to fall a prey quite often to the fire fiend. Last summer over eight million feet of lumber was destroyed in the yards of the late firm of W. H. Howry & Son.

MILL ACCIDENT.—About 10 p.m. Saturday the steam feed which drives the No. 1 carriage in Bank of Toronto's saw mill burst and the piston rod was broken from the carriage and driven through the mill and down about one hundred feet into the river beyond. Luckily no one happened to be in the road of the bar or iron else a terrible accident would have been the result. As it was no one was injured, although several men were badly frightened by the tremendous noise of the explosion. No. 2 bandsaw will be shut down for a few

days, as some of the machinery had to be sent to Peterboro for repairs. ESCURSION.—On Monday the steamer Greyhound of Lindsay carried an excursion to Cobouk to attend the fall show in that place. Several of our townsmen took it in and reported a fine time. LOW WATER.—The water in Cameron lake has lowered 3 feet in the last ten days. If the fall still continues it is feared that the mills will have to shut down. DRY DOCKED.—The government steamer "Empire" broke her screw on Monday in the lower lake and was dry-docked in the canal for repairs.

PERSONAL.—Mr. John A. Ellis and Mr. F. Sandford spent Tuesday in Lindsay. Mr. G. H. Darnell, manager of Toronto Financial Corporation of this town, left on Wednesday for a trip to Toronto and Niagara Falls. POLITICAL.—On Tuesday, Oct. 12th, at 8 p.m. in the skating rink, Mr. James P. Whitney will address a meeting of the electors in behalf of J. H. Carnegie, M.P.P., liberal conservative candidate for East Victoria.

SALE REGISTER.

THURSDAY, OCT. 21.—By Geo. McHugh, auctioneer, unreserved credit sale of farm stock and implements, the property of Mr. Jacob Sales, lot 10, con. 8, Ops. Sale at one o'clock sharp and positively without reserve. As Mr. Sales has rented his farm for a term of years.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 20th.—By Elias Bowes, auctioneer, unreserved sale of farm stock and implements, the property of Mr. Irvine Johnston, lot 23, con. 7, Brock. Sale at one o'clock sharp.

SATURDAY, OCT. 23.—By Peter Brown, auctioneer, unreserved sale of valuable farm stock and implements, the property of Mr. F. Smallwood, lot 14, con. 8, Mariposa. Sale at one o'clock sharp.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 13.—By Elias Bowes and Peter Brown, auctioneers. Extensive credit sale of farm stock, implements, etc., the property of Mr. Wm. Short, lot 5, con. 11, Mariposa. Twelve horses, 16 cows, 29 other cattle from 3-year-olds to lambs, 31 sheep, 2 cows, 5 pigs. Implements to run four hundred acres of land. Sale at one o'clock sharp. Lunch at 12 o'clock.—41-1.

BIRTHS.

GILLIS.—In the township of Fenelon, on Wednesday, Sept. 15th, the wife of Mr. W. A. Gillis of a son.

PENHALE.—At Fenelon Falls, on Friday, Sept. 17th, the wife of Mr. S. Penhale of a daughter.

MAYBEE.—At Fenelon Falls, on Thursday, Sept. 23rd, the wife of Mr. B. H. Maybee of a son.

FARRISH.—In the township of Fenelon, on Monday, Sept. 27th, the wife of Mr. J. C. Farrish of a son.

MARRIAGES.

PAQUETT—MENZIES.—At the Methodist parsonage, Fenelon Falls, by the Rev. T. P. Steel, on Tuesday, Sept. 21st, Mr. Thomas Paquet to Margery, eldest daughter of Mr. Robert Menzies, all of Fenelon Falls.

SULLIVAN—PERDUE.—At St. Luke's church, Downeyville, on the 4th inst. by Rev. Father Brechtgen, Mr. Thos Sullivan to Miss Mary Perdue, both of Emily township.

DEATHS. McMAHON.—In Lindsay, on Oct. 3rd, Bella May, daughter of Mr. John J. McMahon, aged 8 years and 9 months.

McARTHUR.—In Lindsay, on Friday, Oct. 1st, Dorothy McArthur, wife of the late Robt. Chamberlain, aged 27 years and 10 months.

COMMERCIAL.

The past week has witnessed a steady decline in the values of nearly all kinds of grain, wheat and rye suffering the most. This has been brought about in part by the increase in ocean freights. The markets are getting to a solid basis and we fancy will remain about the present prices and with chances favoring a slight increase in values. Cattle and sheep have suffered along with grain.

Toronto Live Stock Market.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Milk cows, Export cattle, Butchers' choice cattle, etc.

Lindsay Markets.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Fall Wheat, New wheat, Rye, Spring do, Goosie.

GRAIN.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Fall Wheat, New wheat, Rye, Spring do, Goosie.

COARSE GRAIN.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Duckwheat, Barley, Rye, Oats, Peas, small, Peas, Mummies, Peas Blue, Blackeye peas.

VEGETABLES.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Potatoes per bag, MEAT, POULTRY AND DAIRY PRODUCE.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Chickens, Ducks, Geese, Butter, Eggs, Turkeys, Hogs, live weight, Lamb, per lb., Dressed Hogs, Beef, Farmers' Hams per lb.

GENERAL.

Table with 2 columns: Item and Price. Includes Hay, Honey per lb., Cream per qt., Sage per bunch, Lard per lb., Straw per load, Timothy, Hides—Beef.

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Toronto Farmer's Market.

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STRAYED—Into the premises

of the undersigned, Lot 16, Con. 13, Mariposa, ONE WHITE PIG. Owner is requested to prove property, pay expense and take the animal away. THOS. FERGUSON, Canby P.O.—41-3.

TO RENT.—Two Hundred

Acres, being Lot 8, Con. 4, Eldon, (near Lorneville) 150 acres cleared; balance pasture land. On the premises are a frame house with stone cellar, a frame barn with stabling underneath. This farm will be rented for a term of years. Rent right to a good man. A. E. STABACK, Woodville.—38.

FOR SALE—The north-east

quarter of Lot No. nineteen, in the second concession of Ops, fifty acres more or less. There is on the place a log house and log barn, frame stable and shed. Two never-failing wells of water. It is first-class land and two miles from Lindsay, the county town. Enough left in this fall, possession next March, 1898. For further particulars apply to JOHN C. NAYLOR, or Miss C. Nayler, 22 Elgin-st., Lindsay.—37-8.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT—

The undersigned offers for sale her hotel and premises at Portage Road. The farm contains 102 acres, first-class clay loam, through which runs a never-failing spring creek. On the premises is a large building, formerly used as a hotel. A few new barns 40 x 60 is now in course of erection, also large comfortable stable. The Trent Valley Canal runs along the north side of the property. Will let sold or rented, as the proprietor is anxious to leave for California. Possession given in November. Apply to Mrs. JONES, on the premises, Elavoor P.O.—34.

TEACHER WANTED.—For

School Section No. 13, Mariposa, (Bown's). Teacher holding second-class certificate preferred. Duties to commence first of January, 1898. D. A. ANDERSON, Secretary, Oakwood P.O.—41-2.

HOUSE TO RENT.—A brick

cottage on Melbourn street, near the station. For particulars apply at the Central House to JOHN RICHARDS.—33.

TOWN PROPERTY FOR

SA.—Half acre lot on Cambridge-st., South, just across the track, on which are located three comfortable four-roomed houses, all occupied. A good investment. Will be sold cheap and on easy terms. Apply to JOHN McARTHUR, on premises.—33

FARM TO RENT.—The under-

signed will rent for a term of years the S. W. 1/4 of Lot 1, Con. 9, Emily. Immediate possession given. Good clay soil; all cleared and fenced. Frame house, log barn and stable. In good locality; five miles from Lindsay. WM. PIGGOTT, Executor, Downeyville P.O.—40-2.

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