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THURSDAY, DEC. 15, 1892.

Town and County

Baking Powder.

The leader is GREGORY'S Baking Powder. Always pure and fresh. Good housewives will have no other. Price 30c per pound.

Fancy Goods for Christmas.

Friend Hettger has on hand a large stock of handsome goods, which he offers at cost, as he wishes to clear all off before new years.

An Extraordinary Almanac.

We have just seen a copy of the Star Almanac of Montreal. It is decidedly a hit and the public seem to know it, for it is in big demand.

New Flour and Feed Store.

The undersigned has opened a Flour and Feed store at 17 William street, Lindsay, where he will keep on hand a stock of all kinds of Flour, Meal, Feed, Chop, Hen Feed, &c., which will be sold at the lowest prices for cash.

Pictures, Frames, &c.

Mr. W. A. Goodwin is now exhibiting splendid stock of pictures, frames, cards, booklets, &c., which will be found very moderate in price, and cannot be excelled in variety. Take a look at stock and prices, and you will be sure to buy your Christmas presents from him. Immediate-East of the Post Office.

Sermons & Lecture.

On Sabbath last two excellent sermons were preached in the Presbyterian church, by the Rev. Dr. Parsons of Toronto, and on Monday evening the Rev. Dr. delivered an eloquent and extremely interesting lecture, the subject being "The Second Coming of Christ." We need hardly say that the congregations were large, as Dr. Parsons' name is always sure to draw large numbers in Lindsay as well as elsewhere. It is expected that he will shortly again visit this town.

Another Rousing Temperance Sermon.

Temperance is in the air. The W. C. T. U. are hard at it, and the ministers speak out very plainly. A week ago the Rev. Mr. Johnston roused St. Andrews congregation on the subject, and the same day the Rev. Mr. Campbell not knowing Mr. Johnston was at it, announced to his congregation for the following Sunday evening, "The Slaughter House," for them. Accordingly Sunday night last Mr. Campbell read for his text Prov. 7:22 "As an ox goeth to the slaughter," and then reading it a second time, added so goeth the man to the bar-room. He described the bar-room as an institution legislated into being and form by our Christian civilization, the very first principles of which are, the protection of human life and the promotion of man's welfare. He denounced in scathing terms the inconsistency of governments which legislate for the protection of human life against disease and danger, and then legalize this engine of destruction to waste our population, and antagonize every true interest of men. The divisions of his subject were: 1st the slaughter of human life. 2nd the slaughter of home. 3rd the slaughter of virtue. Under these several heads the speaker marshalled facts and arguments in strong array, and furnished examples and illustrations from his own observation of the fruits of the liquor traffic. The sermon while intensely earnest, was yet thoroughly rational, and from first to last commanded the closest attention and approval of the large congregation.

Church Notes.

In the Queen st. Methodist church, the pastor will preach on Sabbath evening on the subject "How to Spend a Happy Christmas."

School Entertainment.

An interesting school entertainment will be given by the school in section No. 6. Ops on Thursday, Dec. 22nd. An excellent programme is being prepared, and there is no doubt a pleasant evening will be enjoyed. Miss Orvell will preside at the organ. Tickets 15 cents.

Wonderful!! Interesting!!!

The Tennysonian Concert in connection with the Lindsay Collegiate Institute, on December 16th. One of the main features of the evening will be the reading and recitation of some of Tennyson's most famous works, as "Lady Clare," "The Victim," "The Northern Cobbler," "The

Personals.

Mr. John Cameron, agent for T. B. McLean, publisher of the trade journals, Toronto, gave us a call on Monday. He reports being successful in his canvas in this section.

Dr. Curry, of Minden, paid us a short call on Monday. The Dr. is doing well in his northern home, and is popular. He is an old "pupil of ours," having served some time in his younger days at the "art preservative," but fortunately for himself gave it up in favor of Esculapius.

Fatal Accident.

Mr. D'Alton McCarthy was summoned to Port Hope on Monday evening to the death of his grandson, Philip Pepler, the 10-year-old son of F. E. P. Pepler of Barrie. Young Pepler, who was attending Trinity College School, was playing in the gymnasium a week ago last Saturday, when he fell down the well of the stairs, striking on his feet, the concussion breaking the base of the skull. The best medical aid was secured, but without avail. His mother, who is a niece of Lady Macdonald and a stepdaughter of Mr. D'Alton McCarthy, was sent for and has been in constant attendance.

Our Municipal Elections.

The nomination of candidates for the various municipal offices for 1893 takes place on Monday, 26th inst., and the election on Jan. 2nd, the Monday following. There does not appear to be as much interest taken in these matters so far, as on former occasions, which is perhaps evidence that the ratepayers are fairly well satisfied with what has been done during the year. It is to be hoped, however, that between now and nomination day a sufficient number of good candidates may be prevailed upon to stand. Unless proper encouragement is given to such in time, some of the better offices may go by default to the wrong parties. This is an important matter and should not be neglected by our leading citizens.

A Splendid Offer.

To be issued shortly, the finest Almanac ever published in America, entitled "The Star" Almanac, consisting of 400 pages of information of the most absorbing interest, together with 6 colored maps, constituting one of the most valuable works of the kind ever published in any part of the world. A compendium of statistics covering a multitude of important subjects. A book of reference for all Canadians and Americans, and having a special value for all strangers in all lands desirous of knowing about Canada and Canadians. We will give the Montreal "Family Herald and Weekly Star" and Almanac, with the Lindsay WATCHMAN for one dollar and thirty cents (\$1.30). This is the cheapest reading ever offered to the public. Send in your names to this office at once.

Y. M. C. A. Notes.

A special meeting of the board of directors was held on Tuesday evening to deal with some matters requiring immediate attention.

The 23rd annual convention of the Y.M.C.A. of Ontario and Quebec is announced to be held in Montreal, Jan. 26-29, 1893. The daily attendance of young men at the rooms is most gratifying. The membership roll is growing larger and the committees are taking hold of the work with vigor.

The men's meetings of the past four weeks have been unusually large in numbers and the addresses delivered have been of a high order. Last Sunday Rev. Dr. Parsons gave an intensely helpful address on "the Holy Spirit." There were 180 men present.

At the meeting next Sunday, Rev. T. M. Campbell will deliver the address taking for his subject "A Young Man's Opportunities."

A cordial invitation is extended to all young men. The service opens promptly at 4:15 p.m. Come.

The regular monthly meeting of the ladies committee will be held on Monday next the 19th inst., at 3 p.m. All ladies interested are invited.

The Franchise Act.

The News says:—"One of Premier Thompson's first acts was to appoint a sub-committee of council to draft a bill amending the Dominion Franchise Act. This legislation which has been considerably amended since it was first reached seven years ago despite showing opposition is not generally regarded as the crowning triumph of Conservative statesmanship. That the Act will be radically changed is undoubted. Provision is being made for an annual revision of the lists but this has been abandoned each session by an amending act. The cost for each revision is \$200,000, altogether too much if the revision took place annually."

BREVITIES.

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British Columbia Salmon can be had at SOANES' Fish Market.

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Fresh home made bread and buns daily, at A. MOORE'S, 17 William street.

German Felt Slippers, Over Shoes & rubbers, cheapest at PERKINS & Co., 52 Kent st. Lindsay.

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Ladies try our Dongola Waukeaghat Boots, the best and easiest Boots you can wear. PERKINS & Co., the leaders in low prices of Boots & Shoes Rubbers etc.

The young men who were arrested at Peterboro last week, on a charge of arson have been honorably discharged, no evidence whatever being forthcoming.

The ratepayers of the township of Reach will be called upon on Friday to cast their ballots for or against the sale of intoxicating liquors, under local option.

By a vote of 13 to 2 the London, Ont., city council have decided to submit to the popular vote a by-law to close hotel bars at seven o'clock every night in the week.

A very able speech will be delivered by Rev. R. Johnston, at the Collegiate Concert on a "Review of the Idylls of the King." Come and hear it, or you will miss a treat.

Hurry up and buy your Xmas presents from the loyeliest stock of imported Shoes & Slippers ever shown in Lindsay at JOHNSTON & SISSON'S, the great Shoe men of Lindsay.

Dean's Presentation Party will open in the Town Hall on Monday night next, for a short season. They give a long and refined entertainment nightly, and advertise to give away 100 handsome and costly presents, at each performance.

There will be several Tableaux given on scenes from Tennyson, as "The Passing of Arthur," "Elaine," "King Colphetux and the Beggar Maid," "Scene from the Princess." Remember December 16th, as the evening of the Collegiate Concert. Tickets only 15c.

A "county doctor" writing to the Globe suggests that diphtheria may in some cases be contracted from fowls. It is a well known fact that fowls sometimes suffer from a throat disease very similar to diphtheria, and there can be no harm in being careful when inflicted fowls are noticed.

Cheap Comfort—A few more cases of the following left, women's Rubbers at 25c, men's wool lined Overshoes at \$1.00, lumbermen's high buckle Rubbers at \$1.00, Moccasins, Felt Boots & Shoes at equally low prices. Buy quickly, JOHNSTON & SISSON, 1st door East of Daly House, Lindsay. 50c.

The pews in Rev. W. W. Carson's new church in Detroit have been rented. A price had been fixed upon each pew, ranging from \$50 to \$100 for ordinary pews in the auditorium, and from \$35 to \$50 in the gallery. Four of the six family pews in the auditorium were rented at \$200 each.

Here is a problem that will prove a hard one for some of our readers to give a correct solution of. A butcher has \$20 in his possession, and desires to buy sheep at \$4 per head, lambs at 50c per head and kids at 25c per head. The purchaser wishes to expend \$20 so that he will have 20 head in all at the above respective prices.

About 8 o'clock Tuesday morning the barn and outbuildings, with their contents, the property of Mr. Ed. Byers, who lives about 10 miles north of Bowmanville, were consumed by fire; partly covered by insurance. The origin of the fire is a mystery, as Mr. Byers had only gone over to a neighboring farm a short time before and when he left everything was all right.

Some of the best local talent has been secured for the Collegiate Concert, and you may expect something very interesting in the musical line, as "The Polish Dance," by Mrs. Roberts and Miss E. Ferris, "The Brook," by Miss Silver; "Home they brought her warrior dead," by Mr. D. McSweyn. "Crossing the bar," by Collegiate Pupils, "Break, Break, Break," by Miss A. Jackson; "Come into the garden Maud," by Mr. J. Smith.

Smuggling Chinamen from Toronto into the United States has received a set back. The celestials make that city a rendezvous from which to skip across the border a favorable points. A few days ago twelve of them were captured at Plattsburg, N. Y. The U. S. government has grown tired of sending them back to Canada. Therefore Commissioner Wheeler has ordered their return all the way to China, to make sure they will not cross again soon.

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