



The Woodville Advocate.

"Pro Bono Publico."

WOODVILLE, MAY 19, 1881.

THE patent medicine men are trying harder than ever to convince the people that the regular doctors don't know much, and they are having excellent success. The income of one in Rochester last year is said to have been \$250,000, and others reach still higher figures. So long as the doctors will not advertise, patent medicine men will keep the lead, whether their decoctions are good for anything or not. It is the advertising that causes the sales and brings in the money.

THE English Press is about to be relieved from wanton actions for libel in the exercise of their public functions, a bill for their protection having been read a second time in the House of Commons. We hope the Canadian press will obtain like relief, and cease to be at the mercy of any adventurer, egged on, perhaps, by some impecunious legal fledgling, who chooses to take an action which nine times out of ten cannot stand in a court of justice.

By the terms of Earl Beaconsfield's will, the whole of his property goes to his nephew, Coningsby Ralph Disraeli. The estate is strictly entailed, with reversion to the female heirs, provided the successor the latter take the name of Disraeli. The Earl's papers are left to the custody of Lord Rowton. As there is no special direction that his correspondence with the Queen should not be published without her consent, it is probable the world will yet know somewhat of the esteem in which Her Majesty held one who did so much to uphold and perpetuate the glory of Britain.

THE standard height, according to the latest rulings for the British infantry, is five feet six inches, and chest measurement thirty-four inches, being a higher standard than is required by any other continental army. The class of recruits enlisted into the ranks of the army have greatly improved over that of former days. In 1873 there were in every 1,000 men in the army 412 under 5 feet 7 inches, and 588 over that height; in 1880 the numbers were 398 and 902 respectively. The education of recruits has been equally noticeable for the better.

THE demand for common Canadian wool this year is likely to be very limited, and the price paid at the opening of the market, which will be in about two weeks, is not expected to exceed 25 cents per lb, this being two or three cents less than was paid at the opening of the market last year. The great demand, of late, is for a finer grade of wool, and if the farmers would only raise Leicester and Southdown sheep the wool would command from five to ten cents per lb more than the common wool, which most of them now produce. It would be well for farmers to consider this fact. Those who have discarded the coarse breeds and commenced raising a finer class of sheep, find it more profitable. At present the dealers in this town find it very difficult to dispose of the common grades of wool at anything like paying prices.

THROUGHOUT the World the prospects seem to be good for this year's harvest. In England the calamity of wet seasons and their legacy of weeds seems to have been overcome and the farms are in excellent condition; one authority holds that the agricultural lands of England are worth this spring fifty million dollars more than they were two years ago. The weather seems to be most fortunate here in Canada. We have had it dry—too dry they say—for sowing, and now comes the warm, genial rain, and all nature seems springing suddenly into young life. The forest and the field alike are clothing themselves with delicate tints, which are visibly ripening into summer green. The reports from the North-West are similar. They seem there to be, if anything, a little ahead of ourselves in their operations. Altogether, so far as we can judge, there seem to be a year of prosperity before us.

MARIPOSA TOWNSHIP COUNCIL.

Council met this 2nd May, A.D., 1881, pursuant to adjournment. Members all present.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Moved by Mr. Bowes, seconded by Mr. Lownsbrough that the petition of Mr. Whiteside and 43 others praying this council to have a bridge built across the stream in the 13th Concession be received and laid over for future consideration.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Bowes, seconded by Mr. Parkinson that the following abatements be made Thomas Smith, Collector for 1880: Catherine Johnson, \$1.24; Albert Scamman on personal property, \$1.10; Elizabeth James, \$1.86; John McLory, \$2.32; Sylvia Taylor, \$1.52; Robert Wallace, \$1.86; Edward Sloggett, \$1.51.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Lownsbrough, seconded by Mr. Bowes, that the Reeve give his order on the Treasurer in favor of T. Smith for the sum of \$60.00, salary as Collector for 1880, and \$2 for postage and extra service.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Broad, seconded by Mr. Bowes, that the Reeve give his order on the Treasurer for the sum of \$60.00, in favor of Thomas Wallis, salary as Collector for 1880, also the sum of \$2.00 for postage and extra service.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Bowes, seconded by Mr. Lownsbrough, that the following abatements be made T. Wallis, Collector for 1880: Adna Rimmerfield, \$1.89; John Mollon, \$1.50; Lucy Ramsay, 37cts.; Mary Fuzier, 95cts.; George Walleit, \$2.87.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Lownsbrough, seconded by Mr. Bowes, that the Reeve give his order on the Treasurer in favor of W. Northcott for \$34.00, account for six new scrapers and repairing one.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Bowes, seconded by Mr. Broad, that W. Parkinson, Esq., and Charles Reeder be appointed to enquire about a gravel pit on the 7th Concession and report at the next sitting of Council.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Bowes, seconded by Mr. Lownsbrough, that the Clerk be instructed to prepare By-law for issuing debentures for School Section No. 14 Mariposa, in accordance with application of the trustees of said section.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Broad, seconded by Mr. Lownsbrough, that the moneys paid to the Morrison family in future be placed in the hands of R. Adam in place of J. Murray.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Lownsbrough, seconded by Mr. Broad, that the Reeve give his order on the Treasurer in favor of James Chidley for the sum of \$5.00 for making a ditch in Oakwood, the same to be paid out of the rents received from streets in said village.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Broad, seconded by Mr. Bowes, that whereas one Murdoch McDougall having been notified by this Council to remove his fence off the side line between Lots 5 and 6 in the 5th Concession, and the same Murdoch McDougall having refused to remove his fence off said road, the Reeve is hereby instructed and required to take legal proceedings against the said Murdoch McDougall for refusing to remove his fence of said road.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Broad, seconded by Mr. Parkinson, that the Clerk be, and is hereby instructed to give notice in accordance with Sec. 506, Chap. 174 of the Revised Statutes, that the Council will at the next meeting pass a By-law to close up and sell part of Perry and Flora streets and the whole of Susan street in the village of Oakwood in accordance with a petition presented to this Council from A. Cameron and 27 others.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Bowes, seconded by Mr. Parkinson, that By-law No. 269 being a By-law to amend By-law 268, the same being a by-law to appoint overseers of highways for the year 1881 be received and read a first time.—Carried.

By-law No. 269 after passing through committee was read a third time and finally passed.

Moved by Mr. Bowes, seconded by Mr. Parkinson, that the Reeve give his order on the Treasurer in favor of the following indigent persons: Blew's family in care of A. Cameron, \$3.00; John Rodd, \$2.00; John Edwards, \$2.00; Mrs. Morin, for wood, in care of E. Bowes, \$1.25; Mr. and Mrs. Lowe, in care of D. Webster, \$6.00; John Woodridge in care of W. Rodgers, \$5.00; John Kennedy in care of W. Parkinson, \$10.00; also J. Sailes for \$9.25, as per account for funeral expenses of Lanson Wallace.—Carried.

Moved by Mr. Parkinson, seconded by Mr. Bowes, that this Council now adjourn to meet at the call of the Reeve.—Carried.

JOHN F. CUNNINGHAM, Clerk.

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SEVENTH DIVISION COURT, COUNTY OF VICTORIA.

List of cases tried at the sittings of the Seventh Division Court, of the County of Victoria, held at Victoria Road, on the 26th day of April, 1881. His Honor Judge Dean presiding. The bar was represented by Messrs. McIntyre, Martin, McDonnell, of Lindsay, and N. F. Paterson, Port Perry.

Bailey vs. Roach—Judgment for plaintiff for \$3.41.

Millar vs. Morrison—Judgment for plaintiff for \$3.45.

Millar vs. Skahill, et al.—Judgment for plaintiff for \$3.45.

Stuart vs. Silverwood, p.d. Judgment for gar. for gar.

Millar vs. Mitchell—Adjourned.

Ganton vs. Silverwood p.d. Judgment for gar. for gar.

Butler vs. Ashby—Adjourned.

McCaughy vs. Baldrin—Judgment for defendant.

McCaughy vs. Tremear—Withdrawn.

McKague vs. Ferguson—Adjourned.

Hannell et al. vs. McDonald et al.—Adjourned.

Patterson, et al. vs. Admsomson—Judgment for plaintiff for clerk.

Fleury vs. Belfrey—Judgment for plaintiff for clerk.

Millar vs. Crawford—Judgment for plaintiff for \$2.00.

Calhoun vs. Dolan, et al, p. d. Jdgt. for gar.

McCarthy, gar. for gar.

Holsted vs. McRae—Settled out of court.

Ellis vs. Adair, p.d. Jdgt. against p.d.

Smith, gar. for \$23.40.

Stephens vs. Perkins, et al.—Adjourned.

Knobs vs. Kett—Judgment for plaintiff for \$56.00.

Kett vs. Kett—Judgment for plaintiff for \$32.00.

Martin vs. Wilson—Judgment for plaintiff for \$2.72.

Martin vs. McDonald—Judgment for defendant, new trial allowed and payment of costs.

McLean vs. Sprung, p.d. Washington and others against garnishees—Judgment against garnishees for \$22.28, subject to the clerk lien for costs on that sum in suit Sprung vs. Gilmour.

Kean vs. Kett—Judgment for plaintiff for \$27.14.

Kemp vs. Ferguson—Adjourned.

Millar vs. Humphrey defendant, Humphrey claimant—Settled.

Killingworth vs. Munro, et al.—Referred to clerk.

Calhoun vs. Eagleson—Judgment for plaintiff.

Calhoun vs. Dixon—Judgment for defendant.

Calhoun vs. Dunn—Withdrawn.

Calhoun vs. Wiley—Judgment for plaintiff for \$7.00.

Calhoun vs. Hutchinson—withdrawn.

A. C. Campbell vs. Cuthbert, et al, p. d. McKenzie gar.—Judgment for gar.

Dickson vs. Byrns—Adjourned to Dec. Sittings.

Dickson vs. Winter—Adjourned to Dec. Sittings.

Lepow vs. Munro, et al.—Non suit, deft. John. Judgment for plaintiff for \$11.77 after other defendants.

Perkins vs. Bowins—Non suit. New trial allowed on payment of costs.

McRae vs. Hipburn—Judgment for plaintiff.

McRae vs. Charles, et al.—Adjourned.

McDonnell vs. Wood, et al.—Judgment for plaintiff for Fred. G. Millar for \$49.85.

Martin vs. Reznia—Judgment for plaintiff for \$35.50.

JUDGMENT SUMMONS.

1st Case, no order.

2nd Case, defendant to be committed for 20 days.

3rd Case, adjourned.

McLellan vs. Graham—Suit brought for detaining plaintiff's goods. Verdict for plaintiff for \$50.00. Damages, H. T. W. Ellis Windsor and D. J. McIntyre for plaintiff, and N. F. Paterson for defendant.

Campbell vs. Campbell—Plaintiff sues on Covenant of Bond. Judgment for plaintiff for \$150.40. D. J. McIntyre for plaintiff, P. S. Martin for defendant, \$10.00 Counsel for plaintiff at once.

Thompson vs. Coworth, p. d. Washington garnishee—The n. d. account against garnishee is beyond the jurisdiction.

Next Court, 25th June, 1881.

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Municipality of Mariposa!

COURT OF REVISION.

THE Court of Revision to revise the assessment rolls of the Township of Mariposa for the year 1881, will meet at the

Town Hall, Oakwood, Thursday, June 2nd 1881.

At 10 o'clock, a. m. All parties interested will please govern themselves accordingly. JOHN F. CUNNINGHAM, Township Clerk. Clerk's Office, Oakwood, May 17th, 1881.

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