

## Local Matters.

**Fine harvest weather.**  
**Frequent but not heavy showers** last week.  
 10 plugs tin foil Tobacco for 25 cents, at Gilchrist's.  
**Eldon Township Council met** as a Court of Revision on Tuesday last.  
**The Rev. Mr. McDonald, of Cambay,** is expected to preach in the Presbyterian Church, next Sabbath.  
**Returned.**—Mr. E. R. Irish, J. P., has returned from his trip to the States looking better for his holiday.  
**Steam Thrashers.**—Two of these machines have recently been purchased in Point Mara, by Messrs. Ritchie and Kennedy.  
**Crossing.**—A new crossing has been put down at the Eastern entrance to the Church grounds, which is a decided improvement.  
**Good for Business Men.**—Voters' lists will prove valuable to business men hereafter. The law now requires the post office address of every elector to be given on the list.  
**Removal.**—Dr. McKay has removed to his new residence and office, next to Messrs. J. A. Mitchell & Co., and is making great improvements in the house and grounds.  
**Bee.**—A bee was held, on Tuesday, to clean up the Mause grounds, and fix up the place for the reception of Mr. Ross and his family. The trees were trimmed, the fences repaired, and the whole place renovated.  
**Sutton Times.**—Two weeks ago the firm of Mortimer & Kewney, publishers of the *Times*, Sutton, was dissolved, Mr. Kewney carrying on the business. We trust the present proprietor will meet with that success he well deserves. The *Times* has been reduced to a seven column paper.  
**Quarterly Services.**—The regular quarterly Sacramental services in connection with the Methodist Church of this District, will be held here, on Sabbath next, commencing at 10.30 a. m. The quarterly business meeting will be held at Hartley, on the Saturday previous, at 2 o'clock p. m.  
**Subscribe at Once.**—Don't delay sending in your names. We offer THE ADVOCATE, free of postage, for three months at 25 cents; six months at 50 cents; or one year at \$1.00, cash. Send your money by registered letter at our risk. We will mail THE ADVOCATE promptly on receipt of either of the above amounts.  
**Excursion.**—The annual excursion of the Presbyterian Sabbath School, of this place, will leave the Junction this morning at 7.45, for Sturgeon Point. The Midland Railway will carry excursionists to Lindsay where they will embark on the steamer for the Point. The fare for the round trip is 50 cents for adults, and 30 cents for children under twelve years of age.  
**Crops in Thorah and Mara.**—Mr. G. B. Fotheringham, after a trip of two weeks through the Townships of Thorah and Mara, reports the crops as follows: Fall Wheat first class; Barley good; Hay, extra heavy; Potatoes, good; Turnips, a good deal eaten by fly; Spring Wheat, where early sown, good, but late will be about half crop. Through Mara the midge is doing a great deal of damage, particularly in Club Wheat; some few fields, owners say, will not be worth cutting. The joint worm is also doing some damage, but not to any extent. Peas are a heavy crop. He was shown a straw of Fall Wheat that measured 6 feet 5½ inches, grown on the farm of Mr. Henry Furness, Point Mara.  
**Fatal Accident.**—While a number of men were engaged raising a barn on the farm of Mr. McNevin, east half Lot No. 9, 6th Con., on Saturday last, one of the beams fell, instantly killing one man, and seriously injuring several more. It appears that the beam had been raised to its place, and, as they supposed, securely braced at both ends, but the nails snapped and it fell, knocking the men in all directions. The unfortunate young man, Malcolm McArthur, son of Mr. John McArthur, fell with his back against a plate and the beam striking him on the chest, killed him instantly. Several others were slightly injured but are rapidly recovering. The sad affair has cast a gloom over the whole community.  
**Entrance Examinations.**—Mr. L. Gilchrist, head teacher of the Woodville Public School, accompanied nine of his pupils to the late entrance examinations at the Oakwood High School, and he must feel well pleased at the creditable manner in which they acquitted themselves. The following is a list of the successful candidates and the marks they obtained:—Donald McLeod, 303; Thomas Smith, 323; Annie Campbell, 393; Mary Campbell, 375; Elizabeth C. Gilchrist, 286; Lillia Silverwood, 343. Robert Nesbitt received the requisite number of marks to entitle him

to pass, but owing to some irregularity he was debarred. The following candidates from Grant's School Section were also successful:—John H. Grant, 309; William Grant, 366; Norman McCrimmon, 325; Alex. McCrimmon, 309; Dougald McDougall, 299.  
**Fine White Granite Tea and Chamber Sets,** at Gilchrist's. Cheap!  
**A Pen Worth Recommending.**—We have been favored with samples of the celebrated Spencerian Double Elastic Steel Pens, and after trying them feel justified in highly commending them to our readers. They are made of the best steel, and by the most expert workmen in England, and have a national reputation for certain desirable qualities which no other pen seems to have attained in so great perfection, among which are uniform evenness of point, durability, flexibility, and quill action. It is thus quite natural that the Spencerian should be preferred and used by professional penmen, in business colleges, counting-rooms, government offices, public schools, and largely throughout the country. Indeed, so popular have they become, that of the "Number One" alone, as many as eight millions are sold annually in the United States.—The Spencerian Pen may be had, as a rule, from any dealer; but, when not thus obtainable, the agents, Messrs. Alexander Buntin & Co., 345 St. Paul Street, Montreal, will send for trial, samples of each of the twenty numbers on receipt of twenty cents.

### BORN.

At Woodville, on Tuesday, July 29th, the wife of Mr. D. Grant, of a daughter.

**WHAT THEY SAY OF IT! A FEW FACTS FOR THE PEOPLE.**—There are but few preparations of medicines which have withstood the impartial judgement of the people for any great length of time. One of these is Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Read the following and be convinced:—Thomas Robinson, Farnham Centre, P. Q., writes, "I have been afflicted with rheumatism for the last ten years, and have tried many remedies without any relief, until I tried Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil and since then have had no attack of it. I would recommend it to all."—J. H. Earl, Hotel Keeper West Steeple, P. Q., writes, "I have been troubled with liver complaint for several years, and have tried different medicines with little or no benefit, until I tried Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, which gave me immediate relief, and I would say that I have used it since with the best effect. No one should be without it. I have tried it on my horses in case of cuts, wounds, etc., and think it is equally as good for horse as for man."—A. Maybee, Merchant, Warkworth, writes, "I have sold some hundreds of bottles of Electric Oil, and it is pronounced by the public, 'one of the best medicines they have ever used; it has done wonders in healing and relieving pain, sore throats, etc. and is worthy of the greatest confidence.'"—Joseph Rusan, Township Percy, writes, "I was persuaded to try Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil for a lame knee which troubled me for three or four years, and I never found anything like it for curing lameness. It is a great public benefit."

**Beware of Imitations.**—Ask for Dr. Thomas Electric Oil. See that the signature of S. N. Thomas is on the wrapper, and the names of Northrop & Lyman are blown in the bottle, and Take no other. Sold by all medicine dealers. Price 25 cents. NORTHROP & LYMAN, Toronto, Ont., Proprietors for the Dominion.  
**NOTE.**—Electric—Selected and Electroized 115

## BY-LAW No. 240.

A BY-LAW TO PROVIDE FOR THE DRAINING OF CERTAIN LANDS IN THE TOWNSHIPS OF MARIPOSA AND ELDON, AND FOR BORROWING ON THE CREDIT OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF MARIPOSA THE SUM OF \$1998.58 FOR COMPLETING THE SAME.  
 Provisionally adopted the Seventh day of July, A. D. 1879.

WHEREAS, a majority in number of the owners, as shown by the last Revised Assessment Rolls, of the property hereinafter set forth to be benefited by the drainage of said lands, have petitioned the Council of the said Township of Mariposa praying that said Council would take the necessary steps to drain certain lands, embracing part of Lots Nos. 10, 11, 12, 13 and 14, in the 15th Concession of Mariposa, and Lot No. 1 in the 5th Concession, and Lot No. 1 in the 6th Concession of Eldon, and for procuring the necessary funds therefor in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Act, Cap. 174, of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, in order that certain lands situate in the Townships of Mariposa and Eldon may be improved by said work.

AND WHEREAS, thereupon the said Council procured an examination to be made by James Dickson, Esquire, Provincial Land Surveyor, being a person competent for such purpose, of the said locality proposed to be drained, and has also procured Plans and Estimates of the work to be made by the said James Dickson and an assessment to be made by him of the real property to be benefited by such drainage, stating as nearly as he can the proportion of benefit which in his opinion will be derived in consequence of such drainage by every road and lot or portion of lot; the said assessment so made and the report of the said James Dickson in respect thereof and of said drainage being as follows:—

"I certify that I have made a survey of and located the proposed drain and also made a survey of the lands to be benefited thereby, and have also made an estimate of the cost of construction and incidental expenses connected therewith, as follows, viz.:

SECTION.	RODS.	LKS.	PER ROD.	
1	200	14	at \$2.50	\$501.25
2	306		2.60	820.08
3	61		2.75	167.75
4	130		1.25	162.50
5	40		1.30	52.00

Survey and estimates,..... 175.00  
 Letting and Superintending, ..... 50.00  
 Printing,..... 50.00  
 Township Clerk's fees,..... 20.00

\$1998.58

AND WHEREAS the said Council are of opinion that the drainage of the locality is desirable, Be it therefore enacted by the Municipal Council of the said Township of Mariposa, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter one hundred and seventy-four of the Revised Statutes of Ontario,

1st.—That the said Report, Plans and Estimates be adopted, and the works connected therewith be made and constructed in accordance therewith.

2nd.—That the Reeve of the said Township may borrow on the credit of the Corporation of the said Township of Mariposa the sum of \$1998.58, being the funds necessary for the work, and may issue debentures of the Corporation to that amount in sums of not less than one hundred dollars each, and payable within fifteen years from the date hereof, with interest at the rate of five per centum per annum, that is to say in annual payments, such Debentures to be payable at the Bank of Toronto, at the City of Toronto and to have attached to them Coupons for the payment of interest.

3rd.—That for the purpose of paying the sum of one thousand nine hundred and ninety-eight dollars and fifty-eight cents, other than roads belonging to the Municipality, and to cover interest thereon for fifteen years at the rate of five per cent. per annum, the following special rates over and above all other rates shall be assessed and levied (in the same manner and at the same time as taxes are levied) upon the undermentioned lots and parts of lots, and the amount of the said special rates and interest assessed as aforesaid against each lot or part of lot respectively shall be divided into fifteen equal parts (or there-about) and one such part shall be assessed and levied as aforesaid in each year for fifteen years after the final passing of this By-Law during which the said Debentures have to run:

TOWNSHIP OF MARIPOSA.						
Concession.	Lot or part of Lot.	Acres.	Value of Improvement	To cover interest for 15 years at five per cent.	Total Special Rates.	Annual Assessment during each year for fifteen years.
15 N ¼ 10	40		\$ 90.00	\$ 67.50	\$130.00	\$ 8.67
" S ¼ 10	25		132.65	99.49	191.59	12.78
" N ¼ 11	100		410.63	307.97	593.11	39.54
" S ¼ 11	60		131.37	98.52	189.75	12.65
" N ¼ 12	100		610.63	457.97	882.00	58.80
" S ¼ 12	20		77.12	57.84	111.40	7.43
" N ¼ 13	58		231.16	173.37	333.90	22.26
			1683.56	1262.66	2431.75	162.13
Charge for rds to be paid the 1st year out of the general funds of the Township .....			30.00			
TP. OF ELDON.						
5 E ¼ 1	30		90.00	67.50	130.00	8.66
6 W ¼ 1	53		225.00	168.75	325.00	21.70
			2028.56	1498.91	2886.75	192.49
Eldon & Mariposa for roads to be paid the first year out of the general funds of the Townships.....			15.00			
			\$2043.56			

4th.—That the drain when completed shall be kept in repair and maintained at the cost of land and roads assessed for contribution, said lands and roads paying to the same a relative proportion as the foregoing assessment; that the sum of \$45.00 assessed against the roads shall be paid out of the general funds of the Townships the first year after the Debentures are issued, or the order of the Reeve.

I CERTIFY that the foregoing is a true copy of the By-Law passed provisionally by the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Mariposa, on the 7th day of July, A. D. 1879, and to be published four consecutive weeks in THE ADVOCATE newspaper, printed at Woodville, previous to the final passing thereof.

JOHN F. CUNNING, Township Clerk.

## NOTICE.

Any person wishing to appeal against any part of the above assessment is hereby notified that the Council will hold a Court of Revision and appeal for that purpose, at the Town Hall, in the Village of Oakwood, on MONDAY, the ELEVENTH day of AUGUST, A. D. 1879, at the hour of 10 o'clock, a. m.

And further take notice that any person who intends to apply to have this By-Law or any part thereof quashed, must within ten days after the final passing thereof serve a notice in writing upon the Reeve, or other Head Officer, and upon the Clerk of the Municipality, of his intention to make application for that purpose to one of Her Majesty's Superior Courts of Law, at Toronto, during the term next ensuing the final passing of this By-Law, or he will not be heard in this behalf.

JOHN F. CUNNING, Clerk.  
 Oakwood, 9th day of July, 1879. 135

## \$10,000

TO LOAN AT FIVE PER CENT.  
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 Law Office, over Watson's Store,  
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	PER 1000 ft.	PER 1000 ft.
Mill Culls, .....	\$ 3 00	Barn, Stable and Shed Bills supplied at \$8 and \$8.50, according to quality of Sheeting.
Sheeting, .....	6 50	House Bills, including everything required, and of first-class quality, .....
do good, .....	7 00	11 50
Common Lumber, .....	8 50	Lath 17 cents per bunch.
do best quality, .....	9 50	Pickets, 1¼ in. square, \$1.50 per 100.
Flooring, .....	12 00	Common do, \$1 per 100.
do Clear and Pickings, .....	15 00	
Clear inch, .....	17 00	
Carpenter's Pickings, good, .....	13 00	
Clear 1½ and 2 inch, .....	20 00	

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 N. B.—The demands of our business have necessitated our removing to Toronto, to which place please address all future communications.

## WANTED.

Pasture for a mare and colt where there are no working horses pasturing.  
 Apply to,  
 Dr. McKAY,  
 Woodville, July 16th, 1879.

## Teacher Wanted.

WANTED, for the Junior Department of the Woodville Public School, a female teacher holding a second or third-class certificate. Duties to commence after the summer vacation. Applications stating salary, &c., will be received up to 1st August.  
 DUN. CAMPBELL,  
 Secretary-Treasurer.  
 Woodville, 15th July, 1879. 135

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