



The Woodville Advocate.

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Local Matters.

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better men and women at heart as a whole, but even here we are staggered by the perpetration of crimes which in atrocity no other age has ever equalled. We repeat, let us learn humility, and be sure in it, doing our best and most, but let us not use the words of the ignorant vaunter.—Guide

We have been spoken to during the past week as to the advisability of forming a Literary club in the village. We cannot conceive of anything which would be more conducive to the intellectual benefit of the community than a society of this description, and will certainly give all the aid at our command to its promotion. Belleville has been wrestling with the same matter, and the Intelligencer after considering in a general way the merits of such an organization throws out the following suggestions, for carrying it on:—"The plan to which we allude is the formation of a reading circle, or miniature literary society, to meet, say, once a week at the houses of the members. The membership should not exceed twenty or twenty-five, and all the members should know one another well and be on friendly terms. When the society is organized, a regular plan of what it is proposed to do should be agreed upon and properly arranged. A hundred different kinds of programmes may be devised. The society could take up the life of a great author and discuss it, each member telling what he knows of his life, character and writings, and select readings could be given from his works. Or a subject could be chosen for an evening—a branch of science or art, an abstract quality, a great event, a celebrated locality, a hero or heroine of history, a new theory, or a subject which would afford scope for the exercise of fancy— and the subject could be dealt with in short essays of ten to fifteen minutes length by persons previously appointed, or could be generally discussed, or both—each member bringing some contribution, either an original idea, the opinion of another, an appropriate illustration, a selection either in prose or verse—anything which will serve to elucidate the subject under consideration. Or the productions of some classic writer could be read by the members—say one of Shakespeare's plays, Milton's "Paradise Lost," "The Spectator,"—any celebrated work, either old or new, and the text could be discussed, everyone offering his or her opinion; hidden meanings would thus be brought to light and new meanings given to well-known passages, which could be done in no other way. Or the programme for each evening could be of miscellaneous character; one could contribute a short essay, another a reading, another perhaps an original poem, and an occasional song or piece of instrumental music could be added to lend variety. Two or three societies of this kind flourished in town last winter, and the results were most satisfactory. If our young folks were to meet together in this way for mutual improvement as well as entertainment, instead of going to each other's houses to spend their evenings without any definite object in view, they would enjoy themselves a great deal better, and they would be surprised at the end of the winter to find what an amount of valuable they had acquired, how their taste for good literature had improved, and how their critical faculties had been sharpened and strengthened. Try it. The experiment is at least worth the test.

"Must say it's the nicest thing I ever used for the teeth and breath," says every one having tried "FRABERRY" the new toilet gem. Get a five cent sample.

The county of Simcoe has been offered thirty cents on the dollar for the stock it holds in the Northern Railway. This would realize \$83,000.

If you are suffering with a cold do not fail to try HAGYARD'S PECTORAL BALSAM; it is daily relieving its hundreds throughout our Dominion. It is pleasant and palatable.

ORILLA has been settled for over fifty years and the recollection of the oldest inhabitant is that there never was a murder committed within her confines. Long may she be able to say so.

A. M. Hamilton Warkworth, writes:—"For weeks I was troubled with a swelled ankle, which caused me much pain and annoyance. Mr. Maybee, of this place, recommended Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil for it. I tried it, and before one bottle was used I was cured. It is an article of great value."

Mr. T. R. FULLER, of Toronto, has made a proposition to the town Council of Lindsay, to establish in that town a wooden ware factory. A bonus of \$5,000 is required and the people of the town are expected to take \$15,000 worth of stock, on which condition Mr. Fuller proposes to put in \$5,000 cash and \$10,000 worth of patents as paid up stock.

YORKVILLE is to be annexed to Toronto. "PINK EYE" has made its appearance among the horses of Port Hope. MOSES OATES is now on the staff the Toronto World. THE new Methodist church at Midland will be dedicated on Christmas day. THE Cannington Methodist Sunday school will have a Christmas tree on December 26th. "There was a sound of revelry by night," And joy unmixed had added its delight, And history graced its grateful record when The Esterbrooks brought out their Falcon Pen.

The congregation of All Saint's Church, Whitby has had two new furnaces placed in the basement of the church to more fully warm the building. The church is also undergoing repairs, and will be fitted up with handsome chandeliers and side lamps in the chancel.

An honest medicine is the noblest work of man, and there is no remedy that is more justly meritorious in curing the ills that flesh is heir to than Burdock Blood Bitters, The Great Blood Purifier and System Renovator. It cures Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Scrofula, Kidney Complaints, and all troubles arising from impure blood, constipated bowels or disordered secretions, and the best Nervine and Tonic in the world.

A MAN named Carmichael, employed by Mr. Thos Short, a short distance west of Little Britain, had his leg accidentally broken on Monday the 7th inst. He was logging at the time of the accident.

PORT HOPE is now considering an offer to establish a cotton factory in that town, if the people will raise \$50,000 in stock, and the town will supply the land necessary for the site, and grant exemption from taxes for ten years, foreign capitalists will embark \$150,000 in the enterprise.



CORPORATION OF THE COUNTY OF VICTORIA.

Notice is hereby given that the MUNICIPAL COUNCIL OF THE Corporation of the County of Victoria, will meet in the Council Chamber, at the Court House, in the Town of Lindsay, on Tuesday, December 13th, 1881, at 2 o'clock p.m., for the transaction of general business. By order T. MATCHETT, County Clerk's Office, Lindsay, Nov. 29th, 1881.

Pay Up! ALL debts due either by Note or Account, must be paid immediately, as changes have been made in my business. No excuses taken as my present business must be wound up. HUGH MCCORQUODALE, Woodville, Nov. 25th, 1881.

Strayed INTO the premises of the undersigned, North Hill Lot 7, Con. 3, Eldon, on or about Nov. 3rd, 1881, a TWO YEAR OLD BULL. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying expenses. FRANCIS WHETTER, Nov. 29th, 1881. Lorneville.

Strayed! FROM the premises of the undersigned, Lot 31, South Portage Road, Eldon, a TWO YEAR OLD BULL, red and white. Any person giving such information as will lead to its recovery will be suitably rewarded. JOHN McFADYEN, Kirkfield, Nov. 29th, 1881.

Strayed INTO the premises of the undersigned, East Hill Lot 9, 7th Con. of Eldon, in or about July, 1881, a YEARLING HEIFER. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying expenses. FINLAY McCUAIG, Nov. 25th, 1881. Hatley.

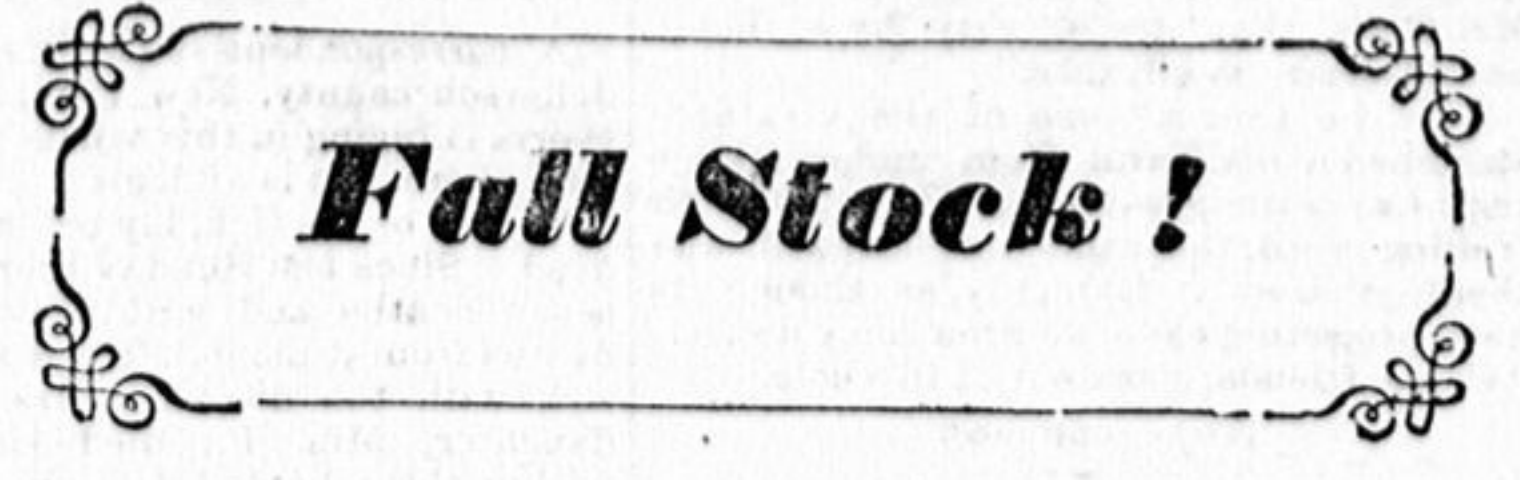
Clerk Wanted, ONE who can speak Gaelic fluently. None other need apply. McINTYRE & PRIOR, Nov. 16th, 1881. Woodville.

NOTICE. ANY party negotiating notes drawn in favor of Thos. Medcafe, Sr. and signed by John Medcafe, will do so at their own risk, as no value has been received and notes will not be paid. JNO. MEDCALE, Thorah, Nov. 12th, 1881.

LOST FOR or about the eighteenth of October last, in the village of Woodville, A PASS BOOK. The book is of no value to any but the owner. A suitable reward will be given by returning it to H. EDWARDS, November 12th, 1881. Woodville.

Strayed INTO the premises of the undersigned, Lot 1, Con. 1, Thorah, on or about the 1st of October, a YEARLING HEIFER. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying expenses. LAUCHLIN CAMPBELL, Thorah, Nov. 15, 1881. Woodville.

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Has just received the following goods which he will sell at a small advance on cost to CASH BUYER:

175 dozen Axe Handles, Oak, Hickory and Elm, 50 Cross Cut Saws, Lance Tools, 75 Boxes Axes, at all Prices, Rope, all sizes, Halters, Lanterns, American and Canadian, American Head Light Oil, the best and cheapest in the Market

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A Large Stock of BELLS, BLANKETS, and other Winter Necessaries. HARNESS OIL, the best in the Market. All kinds of DOUBLE and SINGLE HARNESS made to order, from the best material and at the shortest notice. Repairing promptly attended to.

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