

The Watchman-Warder

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Dr. Oronyhathka, whose death took place on Saturday afternoon last, was undoubtedly a great organizer. The history of the Independent Order of Foresters will be inseparably associated with his name. That order will find it difficult to fill his place. In his own field he showed an ability quite equal to that of men who have been accounted great in politics and in finance. He demonstrated that the Indian, being a full-blooded Mohawk, is not incapable of high intellectual development.

Mr. J. J. Preston, the member for East Durham in the Ontario Legislature, introduced a bill giving municipalities in which liquor licenses have been cut off by local option power to bonus temperance hotels, but it was cut out by Provincial Secretary Hanna. The aim of the bill was good, but the method proposed questionable. If every man who does not use intoxicants were willing to pay the extra price needed to supply meals and lodging without the profit from the sale of liquors the problem would easily be solved. The trouble is that a great many of them are not willing to do so. Whether or no long education in receiving meals at hotels selling liquor at prices on which there is little or no profit has dwarfed their vision it is an undoubted fact that many people who are very loud in their denunciation of liquor, grumble when it comes to pay a fair price to the man who does not sell it. If it costs 35, 40 or 50 cents to furnish a meal at a fair profit where liquor is not sold, while it might be got at 25 cents if liquor were sold, why should not the non-user of intoxicants, cheerfully pay it? Let every man stand on his own bottom.

A True Heroine

In the midst of an age which is said to be given over to the greed for gold there are now and again occurrences which constrain us to believe that there are those who live for something higher, those who live for others, and not for themselves. One thing that stands out most clearly above the recent calamity in Montreal, in which sixteen little children lost their lives in the fire which

destroyed the Hochelaga school, is that the Principal, Miss Sarah Maxwell, gave her own life to try and save them after having rescued forty others. Whether a public memorial should be erected for this brave girl or not, her name and her heroic deed should not be forgotten. It ought to be enshrined in the hearts of Canadians, yes of the civilized world, and be inscribed on the roll of fame with Grace Darling and others. "She counted not her life dear unto herself." That she might save them was almost certain to be fatal, as it proved to be. She hesitated not. She went on to what she deemed her duty, inspired by a ray of hope that she might add others to the list of the saved, and doubtless determined that if perchance they must, she would perish with them as she did. Words are feeble things with which to speak in appropriate terms of such unselfishness and heroism. It cannot be done. Surely it may be said of her, as was said of another woman, by the great exemplar, "she hath done what she could." Her example ought to be an inspiration to unselfishness and noble living to many others. It can scarcely fail to be, especially among those who were rescued by her, and other pupils who attended the school.

Prison Labor

The question of prison labor is undoubtedly a most difficult one to deal with. If it comes in contact with free labor there is naturally and justly a complaint on the part of the latter. Yet, there should be some plan provided whereby the prisoner should earn his own maintenance. The former Government of Ontario, as Provincial Secretary Hanna pointed out when the subject was debated in the Legislature the other day, were very unsuccessful in regard to this matter, through thirty-three years in office, both under the contract system and under the system of charging the cost and crediting the product of the labor of the inmates of the Central Prison in the public accounts.

There are four hundred prisoners, one hundred of whom are employed in making articles necessary to be used in the prison. The present Government, as a temporary expedient, contracted for the labor of the other three hundred in making woodware for Taylor, Scott & Co. This gave rise to criticism on the part of those opposed to the Government, but Mr. Hanna stated in his speech on the subject that the question was being inquired into with a view to obtaining a solution which will be satisfactory. Mr. Hanna intimated that

a possible one seemed to be the removal of the Central Prison to a locality where land could be obtained for the prisoners to be engaged in agriculture, and the establishment of a new prison in Northern Ontario where the prisoners could be employed in making roads. To this scheme the Government is, of course, not committed, and it is quite proper that action should be deferred until the question is thoroughly investigated as was decided in the first division of the session by a majority of 37 for the Government.

A Satisfactory Showing

Col. Matheson, Provincial Treasurer, had a budget of a cheerful character to present to the Legislature last week. There was a cash surplus on the transactions of 1906 of \$429,299. This makes a total excess of revenue over expenditure in the two years which the present Government have been in office of \$1,050,000. This will be available for the completion of the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway. At the same time ordinary expenditure has been met from ordinary revenue. The receipts of last year were \$7,149,478, and the expenditure \$6,720,179. For 1907 the receipts are expected to reach \$7,612,287, and the expenditure \$6,519,181, giving another surplus of over a million.

Some of the receipts of last year may be regarded as somewhat abnormal, such, for instance, as the large sum received from the sale of Cobalt mining properties, but there is evidence that sound business principles have been applied to the administration of the finances since the present Government took charge of them. Instances may be noted. A better system of disposing of pulpwood concessions has been inaugurated, through which in one case, \$900,000 was received instead of awarding the limits to favorites at a nominal figure. The taxation on railways has been increased, and it has been done in such a way as to enable the Government to reduce the cost of maintaining asylums, the municipalities not suffering thereby, because the small amount they are asked to contribute comes out of the railway tax, and yet a considerable sum was left out of this tax to be distributed among the municipalities.

The expenditures have increased to some extent, but this is natural in connection with the development of the Province, and the people will not complain as long as the Province more than pays its way as it goes. One direction in which there has been addition, with further increase this year is that of the expenditure for education. Hereafter for every \$100 over \$300, which rural sections pay their teacher they will receive \$40. The grant to public schools will be increased this year from \$107,000 to \$380,000. Expenditure for education is wise expenditure if good results are obtained. Altogether the Provincial Treasurer is to be congratulated on the flourishing condition of the finances, so satisfactory that the Opposition critic Mr. Pense, could find little fault, but had to hark back to the cry that it was the Liberal Government which laid the foundation for such conditions.

MONTHLY MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

A TEMPORARY APPOINTMENT MADE OF JUNIOR ASSISTANT IN THE COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE—CONSIDERABLE ROUTINE BUSINESS.

The regular meeting of the Board of Education was held on Tuesday evening last.

Present, Messrs. T. Stewart, chairman, A. Jackson, J. W. Anderson, A. McIntyre, W. Matthews, J. G. Edwards, D. R. Anderson and Dr. White. The last named was, however, called away before any business was transacted.

Principal Harstone's report of attendance at the Collegiate Institute for February showed an enrollment from Lindsay of 135; County of Victoria, 66; other counties, 18; total average, 185.

Principal Harstone also presented a report of the C. I. Library for 1906, showing a total of 1089 volumes, valued at \$1,461.05. From 1890 to 1905 only 10 volumes had been lost.

Principal Broderick's report of Public school attendance for February showed 826 registered, 646 average, percentage of average to enrolled 78.

Communications were received from the secretary of St. Mary's Public School Board asking the Board to join the delegation to the Ontario Government to ask increased grants for urban schools, from secretary of County Board of Examiners, stating that when Mr. McFadyen certified to John Simpson and Charles Paton having passed Part first of entrance examinations they would be granted certificates without further examination, from Town Clerk with resolution of Council asking return to system of collecting C. I. fees monthly, from V. K. Greer declining to meet Board, and from Miss Wilkinson accepting position on P. S. staff.

The chairman and Mr. J. D. Flegelle were appointed to join delegation to wait on Government in regard to the increased grant to urban schools.

Parents of the boys referred to will

HOCKEY NOTES

The C. L. S. are winners of the Town League Championship and of the Phil. Forbert cup. They defeated the Y. M. C. A. team on Wednesday night of last week by a score of 10 to 7. The victorious team is composed as follows: Goal, McGrath; point, Back, Spratt; centre, L. Cote; right wing, F. Cote; left wing, J. Cain.

The cup donated by Mr. Forbert is a handsome one of silver, of which the cut below is a representation.



The Whitty Intermediates came over to Lindsay last Friday night and were defeated by the Lindsay Juniors by a score of 7 to 3, in a very good exhibition game. The line-up was as follows: Whitty—Goal, Guinette; point, Smith; cover-point, McGillivray; centre, C. Blanchard; right wing, Watson; left wing, A. Blanchard; Lindsay—Goal, Sullivan; rover, Koyl; cover-point, Newton; centre, Stoddard; centre, Lane; right wing, Randall; left wing, Cote.

On motion of Messrs. Edwards and D. R. Anderson, applications for positions on teaching staff will hereafter be examined by Advisory Committee, as well as Principal before being submitted to the Board.

Mr. J. W. Anderson reported loss by recent fire at Union school as adjusted at \$100 on furniture and \$496.40 on building, the latter not yet paid on account of some technicality in regard to one of the policies.

The Management Committee, was instructed to bring in a report or invoice on all school buildings.

Dr. Blanchard and Mr. J. Staples were appointed to represent the Board at the meeting of the Trustees' section of the Ontario Educational Association in Toronto, April 2, 3, 4.

The application of Mr. R. M. Stevenson for position of junior assistant in Collegiate from Easter, or as soon thereafter, as possible, till July, was accepted. Mr. Stevenson can only fill the place temporarily, and a permanent appointment will be made later.

Births.

SUTTON—At Lindsay, on Thursday, Feb. 28th, to Dr. and Mrs. Sutton, a son.

HUMPHREY—On the 26th, in Dundas, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Humphrey, a son.

SPARLING—On Friday, March 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Sparling, Lindsay, a son.

SHEA—On March 3rd, to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Shea, east ward, a daughter.

Marriages

ROEBUCK—VEALS.—At the residence of the bride's mother, Franklin, Ont., on Wednesday, Feb. 27th, 1907, by the Rev. G. R. Welch, B.A., of Lindsay, Lewis Alfred Roebuck, of Houley, Sask., to Lillian May Veals.

BARRY—MARK.—On Wednesday, February 20, by the Rev. B. Grottrix, at the Methodist Parsonage, Mr. John Barry to Miss Edith Rachel Mark, all of Port Perry.

REESOR—NEILL.—At 227 Carlton street, Toronto, on Tuesday, Feb. 26th, 1907, Miss Jennie Neill, of Brantford, to B. F. Reesor, of Lindsay, by Rev. S. Shorey, of Oshawa.

Deaths

FRISE.—In Mariposa, on Sunday, Feb. 10th, 1907, Philip Frise, aged 74 years, 10 months.

JACKSON.—In Lindsay, on Saturday, March 2nd, 1907, Henry Jackson, aged 87 years.

BRAITHWAITE.—In Lindsay, on Sunday, March 3rd, 1907, Howard Roy Braithwaite, beloved son of Henry and Susan Braithwaite, aged 3 years, 11 months, 9 days.

SANDS.—In Ops, on Sunday, March 3rd, 1907, Mary Sands, relict of the late W. J. Logie, aged 80 years.

ARMOUR.—In Bowmanville, Feb. 25th, Mary Eleanor, relict of the late William Armour, of Cavan, aged 84 years.

WRIGHT.—At Toronto, on Saturday, February 23rd, 1907, Stella Tugman, wife of Mr. Frank J. Wright, artist. Deceased was a sister of Mrs. Thomas Shane, of Fenelon Falls.

SWANTON.—At Cookston, Minn., U. S., on Monday, February 25th, 1907, Frederick William, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Swanton, of Fenelon, aged 36 years, 4 months and 6 days.

FIELDER.—In the township of Somerville, on Tuesday, February 26th, 1907, Mary Elizabeth Fielder, aged 42 years, 3 months and 10 days.

CROWE.—In Cavan, on Thursday, Feb. 28th, 1907, Mary Jane Johnston, relict of the late John Crowe, aged 88 years.

WINN.—In Lindsay, on Wednesday, Feb. 27th, 1907, Mary Walker, beloved wife of Mr. Richard Winn.

CRABTREE.—On February 24th, in Boboconk, Samuel W. Crabtree, aged 31 years.

MACDONALD.—In Lindsay, on March 1st, 1907, John MacDonald, aged 68 years.

L.C.I. Notes

The regular meeting of the Literary Society was held in the Assembly Hall, Friday, afternoon, March 1st. The program opened with an instrumental solo by Miss Allin. Then followed a debate, "Resolved that steam is more beneficial than electricity," the speakers for the affirmative being Messrs. Fulton, Stewart, Burton, and Workman, and for the negative, Messrs. Jobbitt, Gray, Hutton, and Hickey. The third number was a solo by Miss Elder, Mr. Walks, in behalf of the judges, then gave the decision in favor of the negative, and the meeting closed with the National Anthem. Miss Allin's instrumental, and Miss Elder's solo were much appreciated by the students, and the debate was good.

Two Presentations

The Port Hope Guide of Monday says: At the close of the service at St. Mary's church, Sunday, the Rev. Lynch was presented with an address and a beautiful gold chalice, and Rev. Father Collins was presented with a well-filled purse of gold. Father Lynch and Father Collins left on Monday for Peterboro, where the former will make his future home. It is expected that Father Collins will be stationed at Lindsay.

Advertising Competition

Attention is called to the advertisement of the Board of Trade in another column, offering prizes for the best advertisement of Lindsay, setting forth its advantages as a manufacturing and residential centre. It is open to all residents of the County of Victoria. The honor to the winners will, perhaps, count for more than the money value of prizes, but a spirit of loyalty to the town, and a desire to see it advanced should act as a stimulus in producing a keen competition.

Parting tokens of esteem to Rev. Father O'Sullivan

The parish hall of St. Mary's church was filled to the doors on Tuesday night, when farewell was bid to Rev. Father O'Sullivan, the popular curate, on the eve of his departure for Port Hope. The departing clergyman has been assistant to Ven. Archdeacon Casey for the last five years, and has by his kind and genial manner, endeared himself to all classes of the community, and was held in the highest esteem. Addresses by the congregation and Bible class, accompanied by a substantial gift in money were presented. The address from the boys of the Bible-class was read by Ed. Kingely, and the presentation made by Vincent Dwyer, while the address from the congregation was read by Mr. L. V. O'Connor, and the presentation made by Mr. W. F. O'Boyle.

Father O'Sullivan was very much affected by this expression of good will, and thanked the donors in appropriate terms, after which addresses were made by Ven. Archdeacon Casey, Rev. Father O'Sullivan, of Victoria Road, Mr. B. U. Gough and others. Father O'Sullivan left for his new charge at Port Hope on Wednesday.

HYMENEAL REESOR—NEILL

A quiet wedding took place in Toronto, on Tuesday, February 26th, the contracting parties were Mr. B. F. Reesor, Managing Director of the Georgian Bay Power Co., with headquarters at Owen Sound, and Miss Jennie Neill, a former resident of Lindsay, but lately of Toronto. The ceremony took place at 2 p. m. at the residence of the bride's sister, Mrs. Phin, No. 227 Carleton-st., officiating clergyman being Rev. S. J. Shorey, of Oshawa. Mr. and Mrs. Reesor left the same evening for western Ontario points on a short wedding trip, and on their return will reside in Lindsay for a time.

WOODVILLE and KIRKFIELD.

One of the firm of Neelds & Irvine, dentists, Lindsay, will be at the Queen's Hotel, Woodville, on Tuesday, March 12th, and at Campbell's Hotel, Kirkfield, on Wednesday, 13th. Keep the dates in mind.

BOBCAYGEON.

Mr. H. Harris, Holth's Harris, wife and family, leave for British Columbia this week. We wish them every success in their new home.

Mr. Carpenter, of Brantford, Indian Reserve, is visiting at the home of Mrs. Crabtree.

Another old resident has passed away in the person of Mr. S. W. Crabtree. Mr. Crabtree was in his 82nd year and had been a tenant of Bobcaygeon almost continuously since 1858, occupying the position of Reeve of the village several years. He was very highly respected by all who knew him.

We are to have a real live butter factory, to be known as The Kawartha Dairy Co. The machinery has been ordered and it is expected the factory will be ready for operation about the middle of March.

The congregation of Knox church purpose holding their 25th anniversary on the 17th and 18th inst. Principal Gregory, of the Westminster College, Toronto, will deliver his interesting lecture on "The Man Who Wins."

Last week two rinks of curlers drove to Fenelon Falls for a friendly class cook. A gentleman one day declared after a good meal that he had cooked the dinner had proved himself a "cordon bleu" among cooks in other words, the master of his art. The title became quite the rage and is now always used to designate a good cook without the persons who use it knowing what it means or still less the origin of the title.

FOREIGN HOTELS.

They Differ in Many Ways From Those of Our Own Country. Hot water is not "laid on" (piped) at foreign hotels, says the Travel Magazine. If you hear a gentle tap on the door in the morning, you may interpret it as meaning that a copper ewer of hot water has just been set down outside for your personal use.

If you order a bath, it will be prepared for you accordingly, and a sweet voiced maid will give you notice when it is ready. You are not expected to operate the water valves at all, and it is doubtful if you would succeed if you tried.

From a variety of vacant rooms at a hotel shown you select the one you prefer, with a definite agreement as to price. You are not required to accept humbly and thankfully, in blind faith, whatever the clerk deigns to assign to you, as in America. It is expected, however, that you will order your breakfasts at the hotel, being free to get your other meals elsewhere if you prefer.

Electric light switches are not commonly turned on by a push button of a flat key, as in our buildings, but by a small brass lever. Many of the best hotels have a reading light in the headboard of each bedstead.

The Comfortable Fortune. "What is your idea of a comfortable fortune?" asked the ambitious youth. "One," answered the man of experience, "that is big enough to buy you everything you want and not big enough to attract the attention of the grand jury."

Doing Up a Shirt. "This bill is too high," said the customer. "Too high?" ejaculated the laundryman. "That's what I said—too high." "But man, do you know how long it takes to do up a shirt?" "Why, about four washings!"

The Sore. "I think Jones is one of the worst bodes that ever lived." "Why so?" "He broke right in and began talking about himself while I was telling about a thrilling experience I once had out."

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Im Auction

SATURDAY, Mar 1 stallion known Gentry, 2, 284, the fastest raised in Canada at age. Was second at L second at Stratford, 1 at Listowel, 2, 18; second, 2, 19 ever beat, taken record that year next race he started mix-up and met with the never recovered from best sire of road horse of the country. Three seen at Rea's List John R. Gentry will highest bidder, as his has sold out and is 30 horses large col signment. 1 in lot of Keepsake; 20 in lot mixed lot; 1 pair ro Governor Crouch, got excellent roadsters, extra good delivery, Black Mack, dam Keops road horse; by brood mare old, by Governor pair Jersey heifers red or 20 head cattle export year old steers expect truck wagon, 3 inch repair; 2 new buggy minion. Carriage of mounted single horse double rolled pair and new; 2 setts nickel harness, new; 1 dozen rags; 3 dozen woven light double driving a pony road wagon.

The Lindsay

Fall Wheat, bus. Spring wheat, bus. Goose wheat, bus. Oats, bus. Barley, bus. Rye, bus. Peas, small, bus. Blackeye Peas, bus. Live Hogs, per cwt. Dressed Hogs, per cwt. Butchers' Cattle, Calves, Butter, lb. Eggs, per doz. Turkey, per doz. Potatoes, per pair. Chickens, per pair. Straw, Hay, Wool, unwashed, Hides, Cream, Buckwheat.

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