

# Milk Wagon Upset And Milk Flowed Freely

Bobcaygeon, Sept. 28.—Mr. Andrew Watson, who draws milk from Lindsay road to Bobcaygeon cheese factory, met with an accident Monday morning, as he was turning in off the main road to the factory. The left hind axle broke, upsetting his load of about 3,000 lbs. He lost about half the load.

Mrs. Thos. Nicholls and family, who have resided here during the past three and a half years, leave this Friday for Vancouver, B. C., where Mr. Nicholls has been during the past year. We are quite sorry to lose them, but that is the way of

the west—constantly drawing from our best citizens.

Mrs. Jos. Robinson and son came into town Thursday evening for a few days visit.

Harry Reid is visiting his father for a few days.

Quite a number attended the Kinmount fair on Tuesday, and report a pleasant day and a good exhibition.

The church of England are holding their annual harvest home services this evening.

A good crowd from both village and county are attending the Lindsay county fair.

# The Indians That Once Inhabited the Scugog

The following extracts published in "Canadian Pamphlets" in the year 1854 give some very interesting information regarding the Indian tribes that once roved about and inhabited the country in the vicinity of Lindsay:

## SCUGOG LAKE BAND.

These Indians formerly occupied a reserve of 1,206 acres in the township of DEXLEY on Balsam Lake. Having become dissatisfied with the climate and quality of the soil in their locality, they were permitted to purchase out of the proceeds of their annuity, 600 acres in the township of Cartwright, on the shores of Lake Scugog.

The improvements in their former farms were to be sold for their benefit, but, though repeatedly advertised for sale, no purchasers have as yet appeared for the land. This seems to have disheartened them, for although they bought their present reserve for the purpose of improving in agricultural pursuits, they have only cultivated about thirty acres.

On these they have raised wheat, oats, Indian corn, potatoes, etc., but not in sufficient quantity to supply the band with food.

They possess as public property eight log houses, and a school house, built in the same way, but the last is in very bad repair. They have neither school-master nor missionary resident among them.

The band has dwindled since 1844 from 96 to 61, and this latter number comprises only 12 children of an age to go to school.

The revenue of these three bands is \$2,966, arising solely from their annuity, as the 1,269 acres which they have surrendered not yet being sold, are still unproductive.

As doubts have been started respecting the Indian claim to the islands in Rice Lake, it may be well to remark that if the time of the surrender of the country from the head of the Bay of Quinte to the river Etobicoke, in 1788, Rice Lake was expressly reserved, and does not seem to have been subsequently ceded. It is true that there was much informality in the execution of this treaty that Lieutenant-Governor Simcoe declared it not to be binding except as far as the good faith of the Indians recognized it. They have carried out their share of the bargain, and we conceive that their claim to the islands in Rice Lake should consequently be admitted.

## THE MISSISSAUGAS OF RICE, MUD AND SCUGOG LAKES.

These bands, members of the same tribe, surrendered the greater part of their possessions in 1818 for an annuity of \$2,960 (780). The tract so ceded contains 1,951,000 acres, situated in the Newcastle District.

## RICE LAKE.

The Rice Lake Indians occupy 1,350 acres of land, of which 1,120 were granted in 1834 to trustees for "the benefit of the Indian tribes in the Province, with a view to their conversion and civilization."

They have subsequently purchased 430 acres in addition out of their own funds, 200 acres in Otonabee are also held in trust for the joint benefit of the Rice and Mud Lake Indians.

These tribes are all christianized. The Rice and Scugog Indians adopted the Methodist form of belief, while the Mud Lake tribes are under the superintendence of the New England Co. Their present minister is a Baptist.

The Rice Lake Indians number 145, being a small increase within the last fifteen years. The village contains 26 houses, all but one of which are built of logs, 13 barns, of which 11 are frame structures, a frame church, a school house, a council house and schoolmaster's house.

The school is at present kept by a white woman, and the usual attendance is reported to have reached 30. During the past winter it averaged about half that number. The total number of children of an age to attend school is given at 40.

## MUD LAKE BAND.

These Indians are so called from their settlement on Mud or Chemong Lake, where they have been located upwards of twenty-five years.

They occupy a tract of 1,600 acres in the township of Smith, which was given for them in trust to the New England Company in 1837. Their present clergyman, the Rev. Mr. Gilmore, has allotted to each family a parcel of ground varying from one to four acres. They number 96 individuals, holding 70½ acres of land, all of which are cleared. Their public property consists of a log church, and a small quantity of farming implements and stock. They possess seventeen houses and six sheds or barns, all of which are made of logs.

## SUBSCRIBER WRITES.

A subscriber writing from Edmonton, N.W.T., says, "I see by the label on my paper that my subscription is due, so I herewith enclose \$1 for another year. Every paper is just like getting a letter from home." Scores of letters similar to the above are received at The Watchman office, showing how The Watchman is appreciated by those who once lived in Lindsay, but have since moved away. Perhaps you have a friend, a relative or a member of your own family who would be pleased to receive a daily or weekly letter from home, in the form of The Daily or Weekly Watchman, and the cost will be much less than you imagine.

# HAD TRIED MANY REMEDIES FOR CONSTIPATION

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# UNENVIABLE NOTORIETY

TWO ALLEGED MURDERERS TO  
BE TRIED AT PETERBORO.

Peterboro, Sept. 28.—Peterboro county is gaining considerable notoriety as a crime centre. Not long ago Robert Henderson was hanged here for the murder of Miss McPherson at Norwood, and now there are two prisoners likely to come up before Sir John Boyd at the high court here on Oct. 25, on the charge of murder. They are James Gorham, of Peterboro, who shot and killed his mother while firing at a policeman, and Hugh Deline of Belmont, the alleged wife murderer. G. N. Gordon of Peterboro is retained to defend Deline.

## SERVANT GIRL PROBLEM.

Ladies, let The Daily Watcher secure a good general servant girl for you. Already this week four girls have been secured for Lindsay ladies. A small want ad placed in The Watcher columns does the trick.

## GOT IN HIS EYE.

Mr. Fred Warren, of the Scotch Line, Verulam, met with a nasty accident last week. He had a horse with a sore shoulder, and was given a solution to put on it. He was doing this with a syringe, the solution splattered back in his face, some of it entering one of his eyes. It contained a strong acid, occasioning a bad burn, the injury to the eye being somewhat serious.

## LINE COMPLETED.

The Bancroft Times says: Bancroft is now the terminus of the Irondale, Bancroft and Ottawa Railway. The first train over the new line rolled into "Union Station" on Monday, and Superintendent Derbyshire and his crew were given a hearty reception by the citizens who turned out en masse to do honor to the occasion. A regular service has been inaugurated. The train leaves here every morning on the arrival of the C. O. train from the south, and is due here at 7 p.m. This gives us a splendid railway connection, and the trip from Toronto can be made in one day.

## WILL DELAY THE OPENING.

The Ontario Legislature will not meet until March owing to the delay in the building of the west wing of the Parliament buildings. The roof is not on yet, and after it is a great deal of interior work remains to be done. For this reason the meeting of the Legislature will be postponed from January until two months later. Work on the new heating plant in the new north wing is being rushed to completion. It is understood no writ will be issued for a bye-election in South Wellington until Sir James Whitney has returned from Great Britain.

**DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT**

**PILES**

See testimonials in the press and ask your neighbors about it. You can use it and get your money back if not satisfied. Dr. Chase's Ointment is sold by J. H. HARRIS & Co., Toronto.

# Corn Week at Powles' Corners

Powles' Corner, Sept. 19.—Locally this week might be termed "The Corn Week." Corn-cutting commenced to-day and for some time it will be the daily occupation of the sextette of farmers in our vicinity who have silos. Ensilage has proven itself such an excellent fodder for cows that an ever-increasing acreage of corn is under cultivation annually.

Mrs. J. B. Powles and her daughter Miss Hazel spent a week end visit with Eldon friends.

Duck season opened last week and almost daily the "boom" (?) of the shot-gun is heard. Quite a number of local sportsmen have been successful in securing a few of these dainty bipeds.

Mr. Nathan Day, one of our most progressive stockmen, has had a beautiful pine grove on his farm surveyed for a summer resort. The resort is on an exceptionally good site on Lake Sturgeon and should prove very enticing to next year's tourists.

Mr. Reid, of Fenelon Falls, accompanied Mr. Bedford on his pastoral duties to Victoria church on Sunday last.

Miss Clara Powles is visiting with friends in the cataract village. Miss J. Knox has returned to her home here after an absence of a few months in the West.

On Thursday last a chicken roast (or broil) was enjoyed by many of the young people of this section at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Cooper. We presume that this indicates to a marked degree that the local anniversary services will be a thank offering this year, as too much feasting might prove injurious to the health.

# WEEKLY MARKETS.

The market this week was better attended than it was last week, but the prices have somewhat varied. Butter has gone up some, but eggs remain about the same price. There is a general increase in the meat market.

- Flour, best Manitoba, retail \$3.10
- Rolled oats, retail, \$2.45
- Shorts, retail, \$1.20.
- Bran, per cwt. \$1.10.
- Fall wheat, 88c bush.
- Goose wheat, 88c bush.
- Spring wheat, 85c bush.
- Large peas 85c bush.
- Small peas 76c bush.
- Buckwheat 45c bush.
- Barley 48c bush.
- Oats, 81c bush.
- Rye, 54c bush.
- Eggs, per doz. 22c.
- Dairy butter 25c lb.
- Creamery butter 25c.
- Potatoes 60c bag.
- Celery 5c bunch.
- Celery 10c bunch.
- Onions 5c bunch.
- Parsley 5 cents bunch.
- Sage 5c per bunch.
- Mint, 5c bunch.
- Honey 10c lb.
- Live hogs, \$8.75 cwt.
- Little hogs, per pair, \$8.
- Veal 6 to 15c per lb.
- Lamb, 12c and 18c lb.
- Beef, 8c to 18c.
- Pork, 18c.
- Rib roast, 14c.
- Sirloin steak, 18c.
- Spare ribs, 8 lbs. for 25c.
- Beef cattle, \$5 to \$6.75 per cwt.
- Pea straw, \$1.50 per load.
- Straw \$5 load.
- Cream per quart 80c.
- Lard, 22c pound.
- Chickens 16 to 18c pound.
- Hens, 10c lb.
- Ducks \$1.15 pair.
- Turkeys, 18c lb.
- Geese 16 to 18c lb.
- Hides, \$9 to \$9.50.
- Head cheese 10c per lb.
- Asparagus, 10c bunch.
- Tomatoes, 25c basket.
- New hay, per ton, \$9 to \$13.
- Turnips 20c bush.
- Carrots 5c bunch.
- Beets 5c bunch.
- Cheese 17c lb.
- Peaches 65c to 90c basket.
- Plums, 50 to 70c basket.

# LAST CALL TO OUR SAMPLE SHOE SALE



## A WARNING

On Saturday evening the curtain will fall on the last act of our Sample Shoe Sale. Hundreds of shoe buyers have satisfied their wants and provided themselves with a good stock of different styles of footwear. We can not afford to continue the Sample Sale longer and so we make this last call to our Sample Shoe feast

# Plenty of Splendid Bargains Left. Look!

- LOT NO. 1**  
Misses' black dongola kid boots, blucher, lace and button styles, size 12, 13 and 1, every pair worth 1.35 and 1.50. Sample Sale Price..... **99c**
- LOT NO. 2**  
Women's dongola and box calf, blucher, extra good value, finely finished in every part, worth 1.50 and 1.75. Sample Sale price **1.29**
- LOT NO. 3**  
Men's box calf and dongola kid, blucher style, solid leather sole and heel, strongly made, boot worth 2.50 and 3.00. Sample Sale **2.00**
- LOT NO. 4**  
Boys' box calf blucher school boots, the kind they like to romp around with all solid leather—a boot we can recommend, regular 1.75 and 2.00. Sample sale price... **1.50**

# FELIX FORBERT

## LINDSAY FAIR NOTES

From Thursday's Daily.

Mr. W. M. Robson, who captured a number of prizes at the Toronto exhibition, has a beautiful display of grapes, pears, apples and plums. The grapes formed an exceptionally attractive sight. This is all the more noteworthy and commendable in view of the fact that Lindsay is not particularly adapted to grape cultivation.

There is no fair grounds in the province of Ontario that can compare with the local grounds this year. It simply stands in a class by itself. New buildings have been added, and old ones refitted. Paint has been used unsparingly, with the result that the general appearance of the whole enclosure is second to none in Canada.

The ladies' department has been tastefully fitted up for the occasion. The walls and buildings have been V-jointed so that the building is in letter shape for the display of the finer arts than ever.

Mr. T. J. Allen had a number of exhibits that will attract a great deal of attention and admiration. One that will be of untiring interest to the kiddies is a cage of young rabbits. He also has on exhibition a cage of six wild ducks. They are quite tame and seem to be thriving in their confined condition.

Following the usual plan smoking was not allowed in the grandstand. The directors however, with the keen perception which they have displayed in preparation this year saw this was going to be an inconvenience if not an absolute discomfort to many, so they prepared a sort of smoking room as it were just beside the judges' stand inside the fence. Benches have been placed here

and the smokers when feeling like an inhale of the weed, were merely to step down off the grandstand and they were among congenial friends who will take no offence at the tobacco fumes.

The old reliable ticket seller, William Galbraith, who has been at his post of duty for several years past, is again behind the wicket handling the admission pasteboards.

Many of the buildings have been re-shingled and are now perfectly water proof.

The new judges' stand catches the eye. It is a small, but handsome building, and one that was badly needed.

The new ticket office suits the ticket sellers. There is ample room inside, and the building is much more comfortable than in previous years.

The fence along the west side of the race track in front of the grandstand has been extended northward, thus preventing the crowds from running across the track under the wire at the judges' stand.

The Japanese acrobatic troupe will again give their celebrated high-class juggling and acrobatic performance this afternoon in front of the grand stand.

The Malvern troupe of finished acrobats, who are specialists in their class, will also give performances showing marvels of agility both of the old and young members of the troupe.

Mr. George Broddy, of Brampton, Ont., high constable for the County of Peel, and also a Provincial constable, was in town on Friday attending the fair in his official capacity. He leaves to-day for Campbellford. In conversation with a Watcher representative he stated that

he found everything all right at the Lindsay Central this year. Mr. Broddy was here two years ago and states, that the Lindsay Central Fair is one of the best in the Province.

**GOOD FOR BUSINESS.**  
The merchants report business as A-1, especially the grocers and the merchants selling fruit. One merchant disposed of about four hundred baskets of grapes.

**THE LARGEST TENDR.**  
The largest Durham bull on the grounds was owned by Mr. James Lisk, of Greenbank.

**COMPLETED THE SURVEY.**  
Mr. R. Stewart and his jolly bunch of surveyors have returned from Sturgeon Point and Pleasant Point, where they have completed the survey of all the cottages on Sturgeon Point and also on Pleasant Point. The survey was made for the Government.

**THOSE BABY BASS.**  
The baby bass sent by the Ontario Fisheries Department to be placed in the Kawartha waters arrived at Fenelon Falls on Wednesday noon in half a dozen large tanks which were taken up the lake on the government patrol steamer Naiad in the afternoon. Some of the fish were deposited in Cranberry Bay in Cameron Lake and the rest in the neighborhood of Rat Island, near Bobcaygeon Dr. Mason, M.P.P., who was instrumental in securing the fish for the local lakes, Fishery Inspector Jones and several other villagers were on board the Naiad when she left the Falls. The fish range in size from one to three inches in length, and were a healthy lot. In addition there were two or three parent bass of large size.

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