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New Advertisements.

LADIES' BICYCLE FOR SALE.—High-Grade English Wheel, Royal Enfield. Good as new. \$25 cash—a bargain. Apply at this office. —41-3.

FOR SALE.—Brick house, with one acre of land; good stable; young bearing orchard; good water; location central. Apply to C. CHITTICK, Lindsay. —31-3mos.

TEACHER WANTED.—Applications will be received up to 25th November for position of Assistant Teacher of S.S. No. 4, Fenelon. Female preferred. JNO. B. POWLES, Secretary.—43.

TEACHER WANTED.—For School Section 18, Mariposa, holding second or third class certificate. Duties to commence January 1st, 1900. W. H. ROGERS, secretary, Little Britain P.O.—42-3.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—One and a half storeys high, frame, 1/2 acre of land with stable. Apply to JOHN MCGIBBIN, 5 Division-st., South Ward, Lindsay.—25-11.

WANTED.—Experienced teacher for S.S. No. 16, Mariposa. Second or third class certificate. Application, with testimonials, will be received up to Nov. 6th. ANGUS GILLIES, Sec.-treas, Cambray P.O.—42-3.

NOTICE.—Strayed into the premises of the undersigned, N. E. 1/2 Lot 1, Con. 15, Mariposa, One Ewe and Two Lambs, on or about the 1st of August. The owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses JOSEPH HILL.—42-3.

FARM FOR SALE.—The north half of lot 5, con. 4, Mariposa. About 88 acres cleared and in good state of cultivation; 12 acres of good bush. A comfortable log house and frame barn, with good well convenient, are on premises. For particulars apply to F. MOONEY, Uxbridge, or J. S. BRABAZON, Sunderland.—43-4.

FARM FOR SALE.—That valuable farm situated at the North-East Quarter Lot 8, Concession 7, Mariposa, containing 50 acres, more or less, in a high state of cultivation. Good buildings, with two fine orchards; well watered. For terms and other particulars apply to W.T. SHEARER, Oakwood.—41-3.

FOR SALE.—I offer my choice farm of 200 acres, all under cultivation, to rent or sell. This farm joins the Town of Lindsay, where there is a creamery in full blast, and the best market for everything a farm can produce. There is a fine bearing orchard of nearly 1,000 trees, and three never-failing wells. A brick house, also bank barns that are not beaten in the country for capacity. Apply to THOS. FEE, on the premises, box 353, Lindsay.—37-11.

TENDERS will be received up to the 30th day of October, 1899, for the erection of a frame barn with stone stabling underneath, according to plans and specifications, on the South half of Lot Number Sixteen in the Ninth Concession of the Township of Mariposa in the County of Victoria. Work to be fully completed by the 30th day of June, 1900. No tender necessarily accepted. The said plans and specifications can be seen by parties desirous of tendering at the office of the undersigned. Dated the 17th day of October, A.D. 1899. D. R. ANDERSON, Solicitor for Executors.—42-2.

FOR SALE.—30 h.p. Engine and Fire Box Boiler; 30 h.p. Return Tubular Boiler, 25 h.p. Engine; 25 h.p. Horizontal Engine and Boiler; 15 h.p. Horizontal Engine; 6 h.p. Vertical Engine and Boiler; 2 1/2 h.p. Vertical Engine, Yacht Engine \$25; 50 h.p. Engine, Return Tubular Boiler; Steam Fire Pumps, one 7 x 6 x 5, Air Compressor fit for Mining or Fire purposes, suction 2 1/2 x 2 1/2; discharge; one Cyclone Hand Lever Force Pump, 1 1/2 suction and discharge; Two Shingle Packing Boxes, new; Inspirators, Projectors, Fittings, Saw Mill Fittings, Mill repairs of all kinds. J. McCREA, William-st. north, late Makins'.—39-3mos.

FOR SALE BY TENDER.—Valuable Farm Property. Sealed tenders, addressed to the undersigned, will be received up to 12 o'clock, noon, of Saturday, 4th day of November, 1899, for the purchase of that valuable farm property, viz: Lot 2, Con. 5, Emily containing 200 acres all cleared except 15 acres; 150 acres in good state of cultivation. On the premises are three good frame barns, under two of which are stone cellars. Good comfortable dwelling with all conveniences. Driving shed and hog pen. This farm is situated about two miles from Omamee. TERMS AND CONDITIONS: A marked cheque for \$100 must accompany each tender, which will be returned in case the tender is not accepted. The terms of payment of the balance of the purchase money may be ascertained upon application to the undersigned. Tenders must be on forms, which will be provided by the undersigned on application and which will contain the full conditions of sale. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Dated at Lindsay this 20th day of October, 1899. J. E. WELDON, Solicitor for Mrs. Thos. Robinson.—41-3.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In the matter of James Little of the Town of Lindsay, in the County of Victoria, Harness Maker, Insolvent: The above Insolvent has made an assignment to me under R.S.O. 1897, Chap. 147 and Amending Acts, of all his estate and effects in trust for the benefit of his creditors. A meeting of the said creditors is hereby convened and will be held at the office of Donald R. Anderson at the said Town of Lindsay, on Thursday, the 2nd day of November, 1899, at the hour of 2 o'clock afternoon, to receive a statement of affairs, to appoint inspectors, and for the ordering of the affairs of the estate generally. Creditors are requested to file their claims with the Assignee with the proofs and particulars thereof required by the said Acts, on or before the day of such meeting. And notice is further given that after the 2nd day of November, 1899, the Assignee will proceed to distribute said estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been given, and that he will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim he shall not then have had notice. DUNCAN RAY, Assignee. DONALD R. ANDERSON, Assignee's Solicitor. Dated the 24th day of October, A.D. 1899.—43-2.

New Advertisements

FOUND.—About two months' ago, on the road between Lorneville and Hartley, a sum of money. MISS MARY KELSEY, Woodville, Ont.—41-3.

LOST.—On Sept. 25th, between Cambray and Lindsay, a chain bracelet with the letters A M S. engraved on the padlock. Finder will be well rewarded upon leaving it at this office.—43-2.

TEACHER WANTED.—For S.S. No. 2, Fenelon, third or second class certificate. Applications will be received up till the 20th day of November. Apply, stating salary, to JOHN CURRINS, Sec.-Treas. S.S. No. 2, Fenelon, Uxlay P.O.—43-3.

FOUND.—Dec. 13th, 1898, in a dry goods store in Lindsay, a purse containing upwards of five dollars. In July, 1898, a purse containing nearly fifty cents and a child's "baby" pin. On Dec. 24th, 1898, one prayer book and monogram brooch. The above properties can be had upon proving ownership. Enquire at Watchman-Warder office.—3.

The Watchman-Warder

THURSDAY, OCT. 26th, 1899

VICTORIA'S OFFERING

The Shire of Royal Name sends Men to Fight for Britain.

FIVE MEN GO—THE CITIZENS' HEARTY GOOD-BYE—BRAVING PERILS FOR BRITAIN—THEY WILL SAIL ON TUESDAY.

Military and patriotic feeling which has been growing rapidly of late, reached its climax on Tuesday morning, when this county's contribution to the Canadian contingent left for the seat of war. They were:

Pte. George Williams, Lindsay.
Pte. Henry Corbeir, Lindsay.
Pte. McGregor, Lindsay.
Lient. Suddaby, Burnt River.
Corp. Dodd, Burnt River.
Sargt. McCrae, Omamee.

At 10.30 the 45th Battalion band struck up a lively marching time and swung out of the market square into Kent-st. It was followed by a small body of military composed of Sergt. Maj. Martin, Maj. Sylvester Col. Deacon and the volunteers. Next came the Institute cadets 100 strong, carrying their rifles. The occasion roused the enthusiasm and patriotic emotion of the crowds that lined the streets or followed in the rear of the procession. The war had not seemed so real before, and feelings were stirred that one does not experience at a holiday parade, as the brave young red-coats marched along on their way to the scene of England's war and what yet will be the grave-place of many a valiant soldier.

A great throng had gathered at the station and the young volunteers had whatever encouragement there is in the assurance of the hearty appreciation and love of the people from whose midst they went. There was no extravagant demonstration, no unseemly effusiveness. The populace seemed to realize that they were presenting their sacrifice at the altar of their country and observed a decorum appropriate to the deed.

The few minutes before the train arrived and during its stay, were busy and trying ones for the soldier boys. The good-byes and handshakes were neither few nor formal and when at length the train pulled out amid the strains of Auld Lang Syne the crowd gave expression to their goodwill by rousing cheers and with these ringing in their ears the boys set out on their long and perilous journey, to the seat of war where they will bear the weight, famed cheers of the British regulars, such cheers as called victory from the deathly slopes of Dundee and Elandslaagte.

Major Sylvester went with the volunteers as far as Montreal where they will join the rest of the contingent and go aboard the troopship Sardinian, which will sail next (Tuesday) for Africa.

BIRDS OF ALL FEATHERS.

DUNDAS AND FLAVELLE BROS. ARE FEEDING THEM FOR THE ENGLISH MARKET.

The greatest poultry exhibit ever seen on the Agricultural grounds is to be seen there now. The building in which the feathered species usually are displayed would not begin to hold it, so the main structure is utilized. The birds are there 80 strong and fresh company is arriving daily, so that before long considerably more than 1000 will be taking their meals in that commodious dining room. These meals, which form a very important part of the chicken existence, are served with the greatest regularity at 7, 11 and 6 o'clock. The bill of fare is ground oats, moistened with water. This mixture is placed in small troughs attached to the coops in which the birds are imprisoned. These coops are ranged throughout the entire length of the building, about three feet from the ground, and when these thousand heads are pushed out between the slats the moistened oatmeal disappears with astonishing rapidity.

These fowls have been collected from all parts of the county, and Mr. Bert Silverwood who has spent the summer in buying and gathering them up tells us that they are about all the available birds in the county. They are of no particular breed and in many instances very inferior fowl. This year, however, the feeding was undertaken as an experiment and such chickens

as could be got had to be used. The good work of instructing the farmers on the advantage of growing the right sort has been carried on in connection with the buying, and next year it is expected that a finer class of fowls will be available in large numbers. More discrimination will be shown next year and only fowl weighing four or five pounds and upwards will be bought. It costs the firm no more to feed the larger sort and the profits are double. There are no really first-class birds being fed this year, and Mr. Silverwood says there are only two or three really good flocks in Mariposa.

The firm will have eggs for sale next spring so that farmers will be able to get into the birds that are most suitable. These are the Wyandottes and Plymouth Rocks. Fowl with black legs are very undesirable.

It has already been proved that the experiment is a success and that an unlimited business in feeding chicken for the English market is possible in Canada. The old price of 40 to 60 cents is a thing of the past. The heavier fowl and bigger price—for the firm is paying 63 and 7 cents per pound live weight—will make fowl worth from \$1 to \$2 per pair. We were shown one rooster that was worth over \$1 at the firm's price. They have received an order for 100,000 birds and while they cannot possibly get more than a small fraction of that number it shows that the market exists and this should be an inspiration to farmers to co-operate in supplying this demand. The profits from poultry yards are destined to give the fat-stock pens a close run.

TEA MEETINGS.

SUCCESSFUL GATHERINGS AT CAMBRAY AND JANETVILLE.

The annual town dinner at the Methodist church, Cambray, was held on Monday night last. Although the weather was a trifle threatening a large number, drawn by the reputation of this event, were in attendance. Dinner was served in the basement and a sumptuous spread it was. The choicest dishes of roast fowl, brown gravy and boiled vegetables were supplemented by the daintiest things in pastry and batter. Shortly after eight o'clock the crowd repaired to the body of the church, where a most enjoyable program was rendered. The opening anthem by the choir was "Love Divine," Miss Westaway taking the difficult alto solos in splendid style. The Cambray quartette sang several selections that were just to the liking of the audience, as was a humorous reading by Mr. Hutchison, principal of the schools of that village. Miss Campbell, who teaches the young idea at Cambray was very happy in two recitations. Rev. F. J. Anderson of Plainfield was the speaker of the evening. Mr. Anderson preceded Mr. Snowdon as pastor on the circuit and from the large audiences that heard him preach on Sunday and the sympathetic attention and hearty applause accorded him on Monday night it was evident that he is still immensely popular in that district. He deserves to be, for the fame of his achievements while there has gone far beyond the borders of that circuit. Mr. Anderson's subject was "Wayside Ministerings" and was a powerful appeal for doing the little casual kindnesses that are possible day by day. Mr. S. Porter of Plainfield, who accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Anderson, sang "Just as the Sun went Down" in such fine voice and expression that the audience insisted on a recall. Later in the evening Miss Porter sang "Why Don't you Love Me as of Old." Nothing occurred to mar the evening's enjoyment, except perhaps when a few youths indulged the rustic instinct by throwing candy about the church. That species of cleverness however is growing beautifully less. The proceeds amounted to \$61, a sum that will fully pay for the papering and other repairs that have been done on the interior of the church. Rev. Pastor Snowdon made an ideal chairman. On Tuesday night a social was held and over \$10 realized.

On Sunday last the annual anniversary services in connection with the Methodist church at Janetville were held. Sermons were preached morning, afternoon and evening by Rev. T. Brown of Bethany, the congregations being very large. On Monday evening a fowl supper was served in the basement of the church commencing at 5.30, and for three hours a fierce onslaught was made on the piles of roast fowl, and delicious pies and cakes that only the big-hearted matrons and fair maids of Manvers know how to provide. The tables were nicely decorated, and the service was perfect. At 8.30 all were seated in the church. The program was opened with music by the Valentia choir followed by prayer by Rev. Mr. Howard of Blackstock. The popular pastor Rev. A. L. Adam, after a few appropriate remarks, introduced the chairman of the evening, Dr. Nasmyth, who discharged his duties like a veteran. Then followed several selections by the choir—an organization that is a credit to any congregation—and a recitation by little Miss Ffife Hobbs in a captivating manner, after which Rev. Mr. Brown gave his popular lecture on "How to make a Success of Life." The rev. gentleman had his subject well in hand, and his remarks were listened to very attentively. At the conclusion of his address he was warmly applauded. The reading of the treasurer's report and a selection by the choir brought the entertainment to a close. The financial results are very satisfactory, \$102 being realized, the largest in the history of the church.

Marriage Licenses

Issued by BRITTON BROS., Jewellers Lindsay.—19.

TANGIBLE LOYALTY

The Council Votes Nearly \$300 for our Transvaal Men

A GRANT OF \$25 TO CCL. HUGHES— TWENTY FIVE DOLLARS TO EACH VOLUNTEER FOR EQUIPMENT— HEARTY EXPRESSIONS OF LOYALTY

The fact that a number of loyal sons of Victoria county had made application for membership in the Canadian contingent that go to join the Imperial forces for service in the Transvaal, and were to leave for Kingston for final medical inspection the next day, created a furor of excitement among our citizens. Everyone was interested, and the question that was heard on every hand was "What are we going to do about it?" Members of the aldermanic body were approached and urged to call a special meeting to consider the situation. The meeting was called for the town clerk's office, but the wet weather prevented a number of citizens from being present. Among those present were Aldermen Sootheran, Ingle, Crandell, Lennon and Jackson, and Messrs. J. A. Paddon, J. D. Flavelle, G. H. Hopkins, Robt. Sylvester, J. D. Graham, J. A. Williamson, John Short, Jss. Graham, Dr. Burrows and F. Knowlson.

In the absence of Mayor Walters, Ald Ingle was appointed chairman, and explained the business of the meeting.

Ald. Sootheran on being called upon stated that it was not until three o'clock that he knew for a certainty that the volunteers were sure of going the next day. Leading citizens expressed their opinion that something should be done. He met Capt. Crandell on the street and talked the matter over with him as to the wisdom of calling a special meeting which the captain approved. He telephoned other members and they were also favorable, and the meeting was called. Mayor Walters who was at Bobcaygeon telephoned his willingness to heartily co-operate in any plan for suitably recognizing the bravery of these young men. Personally he thought that steps should be taken to defray all the expenses of these young men. In speaking with a number of citizens he found that all favored generous treatment of the volunteers. It was suggested by some that \$200 be granted. The council were agreeable to this but wished to be backed up by the citizens generally.

Ex-mayor Taylor endorsed this view and thought it was their bounden duty to do so.

Mr. J. D. Flavelle heartily endorsed the proposal to grant the volunteers a sum of money by the town and the action of the Government in sending the contingent. He thought that Col. Hughes should receive \$125 at least, and the volunteers not less than \$25 each. This sum would not go far in an officer's equipment and none of the men had any to much wealth. They should not stint these men who were going out in defence of the Empire. As citizens we should all feel proud that an officer (Col. Hughes) second in command had been selected from our own county.

Dr. Burrows thought the young men should receive \$25 whether selected or not. They showed their loyalty and deserved recognition.

Mr. Paddon endorsed the scheme and thought it should come from the town in preference to private subscription.

A general discussion then followed and it was finally agreed that as it was impossible for any action to be taken in behalf of the young men outside the town, and as it would be too bad not to see them all on equal footing, that the council should grant \$25 to each of the volunteers and \$25 to Col. Sam. Hughes.

Arrangements were then made so that Major Sylvester, who accompanied the boys, could take the sovereigns with him and present the same to the young men at Kingston.

A Mammoth Barn

Mr. S. D. Webster of Glandine had a fine barn-raising. This was to replace the building burned by lightning last summer when so many head of live stock was cremated. The new structure is 58x55, hip-roof and designed after the very latest model. The north and south sides were captained by Messrs. Chas. Rich and Ed. Wickett respectively. Behind each were nearly 100 men, but the weight of the timbers and the height to which they had to be lifted made these seem all too few before the last was put in place by moonlight at eight o'clock that night. It was three o'clock before operations got rightly under way and for the purline plates the supply of long plies was deficient and because of this the task was of unexpected length. When it was over, however, its difficulties were straightaway forgotten, for the splendid supper that was served under canvas near the house. Mrs. Webster is famed in the neighborhood as an exceptional cook and on this occasion went her previous reputation one better. Afterwards a very pleasant evening was spent. Rev. J. E. Robeson, Methodist minister at Little Britain, was a host on the building. Law medicine, insurance, the civil service and commerce were represented respectively by Messrs. R. J. McLaughlin, Dr. Hall, W. Widdess, W. Galbraith and W. McLennan, to say nothing of the newspaper fraternity who came to the front in fine style under the canvas. There was no serious accident. The south side finished first and chief carpenter H. Brown had done his work well.