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Lindsay, January 29, 1891.—38.

New Advertisements.

JUDICIAL SALE —OF— VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

In the Matter of the Estate of Adam Hudspeth, deceased.

TORONTO GENERAL TRUSTS CO. vs. HUDSPETH.

Pursuant to the judgment in this action there will be sold, with the approbation of the undersigned Master, the lands and premises following, namely:

TOWN PROPERTY

In the Town of Lindsay.

PARCEL I.

Lots 1 and 2 on the south side of Russell street and lot 6 on the east side of Lindsay street containing three-quarters of an acre, more or less, upon which is erected a substantial two-storey brick house of sixteen rooms, the residence of the late Adam Hudspeth.

PARCEL III.

Park lot V, in the town of Lindsay, containing 6 acres, more or less, and known as lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 as laid down on a plan of the sub-division of park lots D. M and V. made by Michael Dean, P. L. S., and filed in the registry office for the county of Victoria. This parcel will no doubt speedily come into the market for building purposes.

PARCEL V.

An undivided half interest in broken lot 28 on the north side of Ridout street, 27x50 feet, more or less and in a boat house 22x24 feet erected thereon.

PARCEL IX.

The west part of lot 8 on the south side of Francis street, 89 feet 6 inches by 198 feet, more or less. This is a vacant lot and a very desirable site for building.

PARCEL X.

The east part of lot 8 on the north side of Wellington street, 68x198 feet, more or less, upon which is erected a two story brick house 26x36.

PARCEL XI.

The east half of lot 9 on the north side of Wellington street, 56x198 feet, more or less, upon which is erected a double rough-cast two storey dwelling.

PARCEL XII.

Part of lot 16, north of Peel street, known and described as follows: commencing 48 feet south by the line of Sussex street, from the north-west corner of said lot, then south parallel with Sussex street 50 feet, then east parallel with Peel street 112 feet to the eastern boundary of said lot, then north along said boundary 50 feet, then west parallel with Peel street 112 feet to the place of beginning, and containing about 5,600 square feet, more or less, upon which is erected a frame cottage 18x24 feet. Subject to a life lease to Peter Griffin and wife.

PARCEL XV.

Under power of sale contained in a mortgage, dated 18th December, 1879, part of lot 4 in block U, as laid down on a plan of the sub-division of lot 23 in the 5th concession of the township of OPS (inter alia) and which said parcel of land may be otherwise described as follows: commencing at the north-east angle of said park lot U, thence south 16 degrees east 3 chains, 30 links, to the north boundary of Job Tyrell's land, thence south 74 degrees west 4 chains, fifty-four and six-tenths links, thence north 16 degrees west 3 chains, 30 links, more or less, to the south side of Eglington street, thence easterly along Eglington street 4 chains fifty-four and six-tenths links, more or less, to the place of beginning, containing by admeasurement one and a half acres, more or less, upon which is erected a frame one and a half storey house 18x24 and a frame stable 10x20.

PARCEL XVI.

Under the power of sale contained in a mortgage, dated 5th February, 1864, lot 6 in block K, south Pottinger street, 112x198 feet, more or less a vacant lot.

FARM LANDS

In the County of Victoria.

PARCEL XVIII.

Lot 14, con. 3, OPS, containing 200 acres, more or less; 180 acres cleared; good clay loam soil; brick house 18x28, with frame kitchen 14x24; two frame barns 38x66 and 36x60 respectively, both on stone masonry foundations with stabling below.

PARCEL XIX.

The south half of lot 18, con. 4, EMILY, 100 acres, more or less; 60 acres cleared; log house, barn and stables; soil clay loam.

PARCEL XXII.

East half of lot 8, con. 8, VERULAM, containing 100 acres, more or less; 60 acres cleared; soil clay loam. There are upon the property two log houses and a frame barn.

PARCEL XXIV.

Lot 26, in the 1st concession, DIGBY, 132 acres, more or less; about 20 acres cleared; no buildings.

PARCEL XXV.

The east half of lot 27, in the 1st concession, DIGBY, 65 acres more or less; nearly all cleared; log house and stable.

PARCEL XXX.

Under power of sale contained in a certain mortgage, dated 11th April, 1877, lot 27, concession 2, DIGBY, 104 acres more or less; about 30 acres cleared; no buildings.

PARCEL XXXI.

Under power of sale contained in a certain mortgage, dated 30th November, 1878, the south part of the town reserve on the south side of Portage Road in the township of BEXLEY, which is butted and bounded as follows: commencing where a post has been planted at the south-east angle of lot 1, on the south side of Portage Road, thence north 11 degrees, 30 minutes east, following the limit between said lot 1 and said town reserve, 9 chains, 50 links, more or less, to the north-west angle of the south 50 acres of said town reserve, thence north 74 degrees east, parallel to the southerly limit of said reserve 53 chains, more or less, to the waters edge of Balsam Lake, thence southerly following the said waters edge to the southern limit of the said town reserve, and thence south 74 degrees west along the last mentioned limit 53 chains, more or less, to the place of beginning, containing 50 acres, more or less. No improvements.

PARCEL XXXII.

Under power of sale contained in a certain mortgage, dated 15th February, 1878, lot 27, concession 8, DALTON.

PARCEL XXXIII.

Under power of sale contained in a certain mortgage, dated 28th March, 1884, the north halves of lot 16 and 17, concession 1, DALTON, containing 100 acres more or less.

PARCEL XXXIV.

Under power of sale contained in a certain mortgage, dated 15th September, 1889, the west half of lot 10, concession 2, ELDON, 100 acres more or less; 90 acres cleared; log house 20x30; frame barn 38x60; orchard of about 35 trees watered by a never failing creek. Will be sold subject to a mortgage of $1,200 for five years with interest at six per cent yearly.

County of Ontario.

PARCEL XXXV.

The north half and south-east quarter of lot 22, concession 13, BROCK, containing 150 acres more or less; 145 acres cleared; first-class clay loam soil; two miles from Cannington; frame house 18x24, and log house 20x26; frame barns 30x78, 30x40 and 30x60; frame stable 22x60; small orchard and never failing creek; subject to the life interest of Mrs. Ainsworth.

PARCEL XXXVI.

The north half of lot 23, concession 14, BROCK, 100 acres; all cleared; frame house 18x24; frame barn 34x60, on stone masonry foundation, stabling below; log barn and log stable; small orchard; first-class clay loam soil.

County of Haliburton.

PARCEL XXXVII.

Lot 24, concession 6, LUTTERWORTH, except half an acre thereout, heretofore sold for a school, and one-eighth of an acre sold to one Lasbury, 57 acres, more or less; also the south-east corner of lot 25, concession 6, Lutterworth, containing half an acre, more or less; 30 acres cleared; soil, first-class clay loam; a two storey frame house, 24x40; frame barn, 30x50; frame stable, 25x40, and another frame dwelling 20x26. Moore's Falls P. O. is kept in the house.

The undersigned Master is prepared to receive up to

THE FIRST DAY OF MARCH, NEXT,

SEALED OFFERS for the purchase of each, or any, of the aforesaid parcels, addressed as follows:

W. W. DEAN, Esq.,
LOCAL MASTER OF THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE,
LINDSAY, Ont.

and marked on the outside "Re Hudspeth, offer to purchase Land Parcel No ."

Each person submitting an offer will be bound by the same for one month after the receipt thereof by the Master.

The highest or any offer not necessarily accepted.

TERMS:—One-fifth of the purchase money cash, on the acceptance of the offer, to be paid to the Plaintiffs or their Solicitors, and the balance in one month thereafter, without interest.

The Vendors will not be bound to supply any title deeds, papers, abstracts or copies of deeds, abstracts, or other evidences of title than those in their possession.

All other conditions will be the standing conditions of the court.

For further particulars apply to THE TORONTO GENERAL TRUSTS COMPANY, or EDGAR & MALONE, Barristers, Toronto; or McINTYRE & STEWART, O'LEARY & O'LEARY, or MOORE & JACKSON, Barristers, Lindsay; or HALL & HAYES, or DENNISTOUN & STEVENSON, Barristers, Peterboro.

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Lindsay, Jan. 15, 1891.—36.

New Advertisements.

SERVANT GIRL WANTED.—Apply to MRS. NEELANDS. Lindsay, Jan. 22, 1891.—37-2.

FOR RENT.—A Comfortable Seven Roomed House on Cambridge-st. Apply to W. A. GOODWIN, Lindsay, Jan. 28, 1891. —38-tf.

NO SEED OAT SWINDLE but I wish to inform the public that I have on hand a quantity of SEED OATS, called "KING OF THE WEST," grown from seed imported from Franklin City, Pa., U.S., which neither rust nor blight affected last year. Free from wild oats or mustard or any other obnoxious weeds, to my knowledge. It yielded 55 bushels to the acre, without any fertilizer. Grows very heavy straw. Price, 75 cents per bushel delivered at Lindsay or Fenelon Falls. Cash to accompany order. New bags, 20 cents. NATHAN DAY, Lakeview Farm, Fenelon Falls P. O. Jan. 28, 1891.—38-4.

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VICTORIA COUNTY COUNCIL.

January Session—A. E. Stabback, Reeve of Eldon, elected Warden on the 7th Ballot.

The January session of the Victoria county council opened Tuesday afternoon in the council chamber. A preliminary hour was spent in the smoking-room exchanging congratulations, introducing new members and discussing the wardenship, always the great question of the opening session.

The new council is composed of the following reeves and deputies, who filed their certificates and took their seats:

Mariposa	Dr. Vrooman, reeve.
	Robert Adam, 1st deputy.
	D. Carmichael, 2nd deputy
Lindsay	P. Fisher, reeve.
	Robt. Bryans, 1st deputy.
	R. Kylie, 2nd deputy.
Ops	E. H. Hopkins, reeve.
	D. Walker, dep.-reeve.
Emily	T. H. McQuade, reeve.
	W. C. Switzer, dep.-reeve.
Eldon	A. E. Stabback, reeve.
	Dr. Wood, dep.-reeve.
Fenelon	John Chambers, reeve.
	M. H. Berkley, dep.-reeve.
Verulam	Jas. Lithgow, reeve.
	John Kelley, dep.-reeve.
Bexley	John Ham, reeve.
Somerville	John Fell, M.P.P., reeve.
Carden	John Alton, reeve.
Laxton	John Bailey, reeve.
Dalton	Joseph Thompson, reeve.
Bobcaygeon	Capt. Bottom, reeve.
Fenelon Falls	Hugh McDougall, reeve.
Woodville	James Stuart, reeve.
Omemee	Dr. Cornwall, reeve.

The clerk (Mr. T. Matchett) took the chair and called for nominations for warden. It was decided after some discussion to elect the warden by ballot; to allow half an hour for nominations; the lowest after three ballots were taken to drop out. The following nominations were made:

A. E. Staback by Dr. Wood, seconded by Mr. Alton.

Dr. Vrooman by Mr. Adam and Mr. Ham.

Capt. Bottum by Mr. Lithgow and Mr. Kelly.

E. H. Hopkins by Mr. Berkley and Mr. Bailey.

The first ballot resulted as follows: Stabback, 11; Vrooman 6; Bottum, 4; Hopkins, 4.

Second ballot: Stabback, 10; Vrooman, 6; Bottum, 5; Hopkins, 4. Mr. Hopkins wished to withdraw, but it was held he should remain until the third ballot was taken.

Third ballot: Staback, 11; Vrooman, 9; Bottum, 4; Hopkins, 1. Mr. Hopkins withdrew his name.

Fourth ballot: Stabback, 11; Vrooman, 9; Bottum, 5.

Fifth ballot: Stabback, 11; Vrooman, 10; Bottum, 4.

Sixth ballot: Stabback, 11; Vrooman, 10; Bottum, 4. Capt. Bottum dropped out.

Seventh ballot: Stabback, 13; Vrooman, 12.

Mr. Stabback was declared elected and was escorted to the chair by his mover and seconder and robed.

The WARDEN briefly thanked the council for the honor they had done him, and expressed the confident hope that they would assist him in discharging the duties of his office.

Dr. CORNWALL moved, seconded by Capt. BOTTUM, that a committee composed of Messrs. Fell, Fisher, Dr. Vrooman, Lithgow, Hopkins and the mover and seconder be appointed to draft standing committees for the current year.

AUDITORS.

Mr. John Kelly was on motion appointed auditor of county accounts for the current year. The warden nominated Mr. S. Irwin as the other auditor.

Mr. S. Irwin and Mr. E. H. Hopkins were appointed auditors of accounts for the administration of justice for the current year.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

The council rose for a short time to enable the special committee to strike the standing committees. The committee reported as follows:

Finance and Assessment.—Mr. Adam, chairman; Messrs. Bailey, Bottum, Bryans, Chambers, Fell, Hopkins, Lithgow, McDougall, McQuade, Stuart, Dr. Vrooman, Dr. Wood.

Roads and Bridges.—Mr. Lithgow, chairman; Messrs. Adam, Alton, Bailey, Berkeley, Bottum, Carmichael, Chambers, Dr. Cornwall, Messrs. Fell, Fisher, Ham, Hopkins, Kylie, McDougall, Switzer, Thompson. Walker.

County Property.—Mr. Hopkins, chairman; Messrs. Adam, Bailey, Berkeley, Carmichael, Dr. Cornwall, Messrs. Fisher, Kelly, McQuade, Dr. Wood.

Education.—Dr. Cornwall, chairman; Messrs. Adam, Bailey, Berkeley, Bryans, Chambers, Fell, Ham, Kelly, McDougall, Dr. Vrooman, Mr. Walker, Dr. Wood.

Printing.—Mr. Switzer, chairman; Messrs. Adam, Alton, Dr. Cornwall, Messrs. Fell, Fisher, Ham, Hopkins, Kelly, Kylie, Dr. Wood.

Appointments to Office.—Mr. Bottum, chairman; Messrs. Carmichael, Fell, Ham, Lithgow, Kylie, McQuade, Stuart, Walker.

Advisory.—Messrs. Adam, Lithgow, Hopkins, Dr. Cornwall, Messrs. Switzer, Bottum.

The council adjourned till ten o'clock Wednesday.

Valuable Presents Given Away.

The attention of our readers is called to the large list of prizes given in connection with the Ladies' Journal to subscribers between now and March 25th, for correct answers to the following questions: Where in the Bible are the following words first found: 1st, Money; 2nd, Coal; 3rd, Wood. There are three large lists of valuable prizes, consisting of a magnificent Saddle Horse, Pianos, Gold and Silver Watches, Silver Tea Services, China Dinner Sets, Silver Dinner and Tea Knives, large cash rewards and scores of other prizes. Send ten cents in stamps for sample copy of Ladies Journal containing these lists in full, or better, send one dollar and answers and get Journal for 12 months. Address, Editor, Ladies' Journal, Toronto, Canada.

LOCAL NEWS-LETTERS

ZION—MARIPOSA.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

LITERARY SOCIETY.—The young people of this neighborhood, desiring mutual improvement and entertainment, organized a literary society Thursday evening, Jan. 22nd, with the following officers:—Mr. J. Vallentyne, president; Mr. H. Shaver, secretary; Mr. D. Yerex, treasurer. A program committee was appointed. We hope the society will prove successful.

CAMERON.

CARD OF THANKS.—(To the editor of The Post.)—SIR,—Would you please insert in this issue of your paper a card of thanks to Dr. Graham of Fenelon Falls for curing my daughter, Minnie Dewell, of a severe attack of eczema of the face. She had been suffering for a long time, but under the treatment of Dr. Graham she is entirely recovered and enjoys better health than ever.—Yours gratefully,

MRS. E. DEWELL.

CAMBRAY.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

MUSICAL RECITAL.—Mr. and Mrs. Church of Lindsay have been engaged to give one of their very popular musical recitals in the Methodist church on Friday evening, February 6th. A splendid evening may be expected.

A GAY OLD LOTHARIO.—It is generally reported that Mr. Richard James, a well-known and hitherto respected farmer of this neighborhood, has ran away with a young married woman of about 24 or 25 years. The relations of the two have for some time caused much comment. Mr. James is a man of 56 years of age, and his conduct receives the severest condemnation.

OAKWOOD.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

PERSONAL.—Mr. and Mrs. Newell, Iowa, are visiting here at present. Mrs. Newell is youngest daughter of the late Mr. R. Demaray, formerly of this place, and sister of Mrs. W. H. Webster of this vicinity. Mr. Newell is a native of Co. Middlesex. They are staying at Mr. Webster's....Mr. Arthur Pearson, Norland, who has spent the last year in the northwest territory and British Columbia, is visiting here, and staying at his uncle's, Mr. W. H. McLauchlin.

FRATERNAL.—The Oddfellows of this town, to the number of twenty, visited Little Britain on Sunday, the 25th inst., and attended divine service in the Methodist church. They wore their regalia. The Canadian order flourishes here.

BETHANY.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

POLITICAL JOTTINGS.—Business is very quiet just now. Politics have been at fever heat and are somewhat abated, although hard feelings to a considerable extent still exist. The poor of the south of Manvers are very grateful to Mr. Hugh Wilson of Cannington. Mr. Wilson spent a few days among them previous to the election. His two valises were not nearly as heavy on his way home. Come again Hugh! Campbell's friends are very grateful to Sam and Jim Hughes for the support they received from them as a result of their extraordinary (canal horse) speeches.

A DOMINION CANDIDATE.—A deputation waited on Dr. C. H. Brereton to see if he would stand for the Dominion as an equal righter. The Dr. refused. He is the only one in Bethany capable of representing the riding. Why not try Jim Hughes?

LITTLE BRITAIN.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

RETURNED.—Mr. M. J. Morgan has returned from Orillia, but the "pet lamb" has not and may not return for some time.

REMOVAL.—Mr. Swinson, tailor, who has been with us for a few months, has gone to Sunderland for his health, as he could not stand trade in our town. We wish him and his assistant, Mr. M. Puley, success in their enterprise, and we heartily sympathise with the friends they have left behind who certainly feel their loss.

REVIVAL SERVICES.—The revival services which have been carried on for two weeks and which are to be carried on till further notice are doing a good work among the members, and it is expected will bring many to a "saving knowledge of the truth."

PARADE.—The C. O. O. F. lodge of this village held their annual church parade last Sunday morning, having a deputation from the Oakwood and Cannington lodges present. The fundamental principle of friendship, love and truth were thoroughly explained in most eloquent terms by Rev. W. R. Young, B. A., who chose for his text Ecclesiastes iv., 12, "And a three-fold cord is not easily broken."

WOODVILLE.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

ILL.—Mr. Duncan Carmichael, near here, is very low with dropsy....Donald Campbell (livery Dan) is very low with inflammation of the lungs.

CHURCH OPENING.—The Eldon congregation of the Presbyterian church are opening their fine new church next Sabbath. Dr. Mowat from Kingston is to dedicate it. The Presbyterian church here is not to have regular service next Sabbath, to enable them to go to the Eldon church opening.

HONORS.—The people here are very proud of their townsmen, Mr. A. E. Stabback, getting into the warden's chair. The boys will likely serenade him with the brass band on his return.

COURT.—The division court was held here on Thursday.

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.—The directors of the Eldon agricultural society held a meeting on Monday evening to consider a circular from the secretary of the agriculture and arts association, which offers a prize of a bronze medal for the best township farms, a silver medal to counties, and a gold medal to a group of counties. Any farmers in Eldon township wanting to compete must hand in their names to Mr. J. C. Gilchrist, secretary of the Eldon society, as they are to be recommended by the agricultural society. There are several well-kept farms near here, such as Mr. Beecroft's, Anderson's, Ray's, McKee's, Graham's, Grant's, etc.

BEAVERTON.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

KNOX CHURCH.—The annual meeting of Knox church congregation was held on Monday last the 25th inst., in the basement. The attendance was very good. The Rev. D. C. Johnson, pastor, presided. The several reports presented by the secretary-treasurer were very encouraging. The report on the building fund showed that sufficient means had been provided to pay the whole amount of debt off the church. The congregation is to be congratulated on having such a magnificent building free of debt.

COMMUNION.—The communion was dispensed in Knox church last Sabbath. The Rev. Mr. Bethune of Gravenhurst assisted the pastor.

NORTH ONTARIO REFORM CONVENTION.—A reform convention will be held in Beaverton on Friday, 5th February next, commencing at one o'clock p.m., to appoint delegates to attend the convention at Toronto, on the 18th and 19th February, and to transact other important business. A large representation is expected.

BACHELORS' BALL.—The bachelors' ball, which was held in the Alexandria hall last week, was fairly attended. The boys report having a good time.

COUNCIL MATTERS.—At the meeting of the council, held here on Monday of last week, the council did not re-appoint one of the old members of the board of health and assigned as a reason that they were too extravagant and officious. The old assessor and auditors were reappointed.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH.—The communion will be dispensed in St. Andrew's church here next Sunday morning. The Rev. Dr. Smith of Queen's college will conduct the services, and on Tuesday evening, Feb. 3rd, will deliver one of his popular and interesting lectures in the basement of the church.

COBOCONK.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

INSURANCE CHANGE.—Mr. Reekie of Lindsay, agent of the London Mutual Ins. Co., having changed districts with Mr. John Harshaw of Norland, has come here to reside. Mr. Harshaw has removed from Norland to Lindsay.

PROMOTED.—E. B. LeRoy has been promoted from the position which he held in the Toronto office of the Canada Permanent Loan company to a better office in same company in Winnipeg. We are sorry to lose him.

PERSONAL.—Mrs. G. Rumney is very ill at present, but we hope to see her around again.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT.—Last Wednesday afternoon Philip White met with an accident at Wager's mill, just north of Corson's Siding. While working at the "edger" the saw caught his hand, mangling it badly. Dr. Broad of Coboconk was summoned and amputated the arm at the wrist. He is doing as well as could be expected. Much sympathy is felt for him and his family.

NOTES.—Sleighing splendid and everybody busy.....The West Victoria teacher's convention will be held here in a week or so. Further notice later.

SUNDERLAND.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

PERSONAL.—Dr. John Baird of North Dakota, formerly of Saintfield, Ont., was in town Saturday last visiting friends. The west appears to agree well with John, if we may judge from his hearty appearance......Mrs S. N. Kivell and Mrs. Harry Baldwin are both visiting friends in Lindsay..... Mrs. Harry Waddell has returned from visiting friends in Barrie.

NEW STORE. Mr. Chas. McPhaden has opened out a stock of dry goods and groceries in the block formerly occupied by Mr. Neil McPhaden of Lindsay. Charlie is a young man of considerable energy and ability, and we hope as time rolls on to note for him that success which we feel confident his ability and integrity will win for him.

BACK AGAIN.—Mr. A. J. Wakely has returned from Sterling and resumed the duties of station agent here.

THE PULPIT.—Rev. Mr. McLeod of Sonya occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church here last Sabbath, preaching services of much merit both in the morning and evening.

CARNIVAL.—A grand carnival is announced to take place in the rink next Friday evening. Mr. Bryant will spare no trouble to make this a success.

SUCCESSFUL.—We are happy to notice that our townsman, Mr. A. Lyons, has received his certificate of having passed the civil service examination held in Toronto recently. We congratulate Mr. Lyons on his success.

COUNTY COUNCIL.—Our reeve and the two deputies are in Whitby attending the meeting of the county council.

OMEMEE.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

LACONICS.—Farmers are taking an advantage of the good sleighing .....Very little drunkenness or pugilistic encounters since the law has been put in force.

HOTEL CHANGES.—Mr. Brown successor to Isaiah Wilson, hotel keeper, is getting a fair share in his line. He keeps a good hotel.......The Bradburn House is about to change hands; Mr. Wilson, being the proprietor in prospect.

BUSINESS CHANGES.—Mr. Sutherland, our new tin smith, and Mr. White, our new butcher, are booming business in their respective lines and are here to stay. Very few empty houses left in Omemee.

THE ROLLER MILL.—The Stephenson roller mill is rapidly building up a large and satisfactory connection. Mr. Strachan, manager, is the right man in the right place.

HIGH SCHOOL.—Mr. Neil Robertson, our new high school principal, has come here to stay, judging from what the pupils report of the start already made.

SAD BEREAVEMENT.—The remaining members of the Patterson family have the warm sympathy of the community in their sad bereavement in the loss of three loving daughters and sisters and their mother all inside of a few years, the last two daghters dying within one week of each other.

OBITUARY.—One of our oldest and most respectable citizens, Mr. Alex Jones of Emily, departed last week. The funeral was very largely attended, deceased being one of the first settlers, and succeeded through industry, perserverance, and integrity in leaving all his sons in comfortable circumstances, and his life should prove a useful example to the young men of the present age.

THE COMING CONVENTION.—There will no doubt be a fair representation of Emily and Omemee at the convention in Lindsay Saturday, Jan. 31st., to name delegates to the great liberal convention at Toronto on Feb. 18th and 19th. People are anxious to hear and see the Dominion's feelings of to-day. Many farmers are still holding on to their products, owing to the low prices, causing merchant's and other business men to become very much hampered.

FENELON FALLS.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

CHANGED HANDS.—Arnold & Graham have purchased the grocery and boot and shoe business of Mr. H. Austin. Both are straightforward business men. Mr. Arnold has been with the firm for the past four years. Mr. Graham is son of Mr. John Graham of Fenelon.

PERSONAL.—Rural Dean Allan of Millbrook preached the annual missionary sermon in St. James' church here last Sunday....Mr. Thomas Austin took in Lindsay on Saturday.......Mr. Charles Burgoyne has completed his course at the Belleville business college and returned to town to occupy a position in the firm of Burgoyne & Co......Mr. John A. Ellis left town this morning for Minden, where he intends buying logs for his new mill. He will be greatly missed at the coming tea meeting at Coboconk, as it was intended that he should occupy the chair on that occasion. Mr. Ellis is a strong man at a tea fight.

LUMBER SHIPMENTS.—Mr. Geo. H. Miller of New York is in town, having returned from a business trip to Midland, from which point he has for the past month been shipping out lumber to the New York market purchased by him last fall. He is now engaged shipping balance of stock purchased from Mr. John Ellis. We are informed that Mr. Miller is largely interested in mining enterprises at both Sudbury and Port Arthur. He has recently formed a joint stock company to be known as the "New York and Midland Land and Mining Co., limited," the stock of which is largely owned by Midland capitalists.

A MATRIMONIAL TRIP.—Mr. S. Hooper, the genial manager for Messrs. Burgoyne & Co., is down east at present on a business trip of very great importance, namely, matrimony. His many friends here join in wishing him and his prospective bride a long, happy and prosperous life.

THE POTATO TRADE.—Mr. R. M. McKenzie, late of Fenelon Falls, but now of New York, is buying potatoes for that market. It is very enjoyable to hear Mr. McKenzie's graphic description of his ride to the metropolis in the palace potato car. He was only a week on the trip.

DISAPPOINTED.—A party of Fenelon Falls skaters drove to Lindsay on the afternoon of the day the carnival was advertised for, but on arrival there were greatly disappointed to find they had their drive for naught, as the affair had been postponed on account of bad ice.

TELEPHONE AT LAST.—Fenelon Falls is at last going to be connected with the outside world by telephone. The Bell Telephone Co. have made arrangements with several local dealers in telegraph poles to supply a sufficient quantity to build a greater portion of the line to Lindsay.

JEWELRY.—Mr. R. J. Frost, our popular jeweler, reports trade as being very brisk. He has a large and first-class stock of everything pertaining to his line and his prices are bound to please.

WOODVILLE.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

PERSONAL.—John A. Barron, M.P., paid a flying visit to our town Tuesday.

CONCERT.—A grand concert will take place here on the 5th of February under the auspices of the Lindsay octette club. Lovers of high class music may expect a rare treat, as all members of the club are highly cultured musicians.

OBITUARY.—Mr. Donald Ferguson, one of our most estimable settlers, was buried on Tuesday. He had been unwell for some time.

A HAPPY MEETING.—Twenty-four years ago Wm. H. Herdman, brother of our genial landlord, Mr. C. N. Herdman, left Fort Erie. From that time until a year ago nothing was known of his whereabouts, and he was thought dead. Last winter news came to his father that he was located as a prosperous farmer in Iowa. A few weeks ago in company with his wife and children he visited his father in Fort Plain, New York state. It is needless to say it was a happy meeting.

CANNINGTON.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

OBITUARY.—It is our sad duty this week to record the death of one of our most respected and oldest settlers, Mr. William Cowan, which sad event took place at Kirkfield on Sunday night at the residence of his son-in-law, Mr. R. McKenzie. The deceased gentleman, previous to his death, had been enjoying good health, and it was not until a short time before his death that his friends entertained any serious fears for his recovery. Mr. Cowan was born in the County of Tipperary, Ireland, in the year 1818, and came to this country when eight years of age, and, with his father, settled in the township of Brock in his early years. He was a most vigorous and robust man and possessed of more than ordinary strength. He was the eldest of a family of five. His brother, Capt. Cowan, is living in the United States and is still alive. Mr. Cowan occupied a seat at the council board in the township of Brock for about twenty years, and was a member of the county council. He leaves behind him a family of three daughters, namely, Mrs. M. Perry, Mrs. Wm. Gibbs and Mrs. R. McKenzie, and two sons, James and John. By his genial and affable disposition he won the respect of all with whom he came in contact.

DUNSFORD.

[Correspondence of The Post.]

CHRISTMAS TREE AND ENTERTAINMENT.—The annual Christmas tree and entertainment in connection with the Presbyterian Sabbath school was held on the evening of the 23rd inst., when a most pleasant and enjoyable time was spent by all present. Rev. Mr. Anderson, the minister of the congregation, met the Sabbath school children at three o'clock and conducted an examination on the Sabbath school work. The bible classes were put through a close examination on the gospel of St. Luke and the remaining classes on the shorter cathecism, after which prizes were awarded to those worthy. The prizes for the bible classes were won by Miss Angelina Hay and Miss Aggie Woollard. In the medium classes the prizes were awarded to Miss Jennie Gow and Miss Leacen Irwin, while the lower classes were found so perfect in their work that it was necessary to give a prize to each. After the examination was completed tea was served by the ladies from 5 to 7.30 in the church, where everyone partook of a hearty supper, which was shown by the number of smiling faces to be seen after it. Tea being served, all repaired to the hall where a christmas tree that would be hard to excel for a load met their eyes. At the appointed hour Mr. Murdoch, the superintendent of the Sabbath school, took the chair and a very lengthy programme, consisting of dialogues, readings, recitations, singing and club swinging was carried out successfully, much to the credit of all who took part in it. It was carried out as follows:—(1) Music by the choir, entitled "Nearer Home." (2) An opening speech by Willie Jackson, which was well received by the audience. (3) An opening dialogue by twelve little girls representing the twelve months of the year, led by Father Time. The girls were dressed in white with crowns on their heads bearing the name of the month and each one carrying an emblem of the month which she represented, while Father Time was dressed in an oldish manner and carrying a sword. (4) A recitation by Jennie Gow, rendered in a very pleasing manner. (5) A piece of music by the school as a whole, entitled "We are out on the Ocean Sailing." (6) A dialogue, entitled "Cruelty is not courage," where a good moral was set forth. (7) A solo by Maud Woollard, where a fine talent for music was shown. (9) A dialogue, entitled "Santa Claus," nicely acted by one boy and two girls. (9) A recitation by Rosie Hay, entitled "Farmer Brown," which caused a good deal of laughter. (10) Song by a group of girls, entitled "The Fairies." (11) A dialogue by nine boys, entitled "What I would be." The boys were dressed according to their different occupations, which brought great applause from the audience. (12) A duet by Miss Angelina Hay and Miss Jennie Gow, entitled "When the mists have rolled in splendour." (13) Recitation by Effie Gow, entitled "Pussy Willows," nicely recited with motions. (14) A dialogue, entitled "Wishes." (15) A calisthenic song by a group of girls, entitled "Over the Mountains." (16) Recitation by Eva Hay, recited in a distinct voice. (17) Dialogue, entitled "The Little Mushrooms," which astonished the audience by their rapid growth on the stage. (18) Club swinging by Rosie Hay, for which Rosie deserves credit for the active manner in which she can handle the clubs. The children's part of the entertainment was then closed. (19) Music by the choir, entitled "Gently down the Stream of Time." (20) A reading by Mr. Francis Willock, entitled "Sandy and the Minister," where the Scotch accent was well displayed and received great applause from the whole house. (21) A dialogue, entitled "Running for office," a two act scene conducted by three characters. (22) A recitation by Miss Aggie Woollard, entitled "The Curfew shall not Ring To-night," where good emotional qualities were clearly presented. (23) Dialogue, entitled "The Shop Girl's Victory," where a good warning was set for young men. (24) Recitation, entitled "Barbara Frietchie," by Willie Hay. He captured the house at his appearance, every word and gesture bringing forth laughter. (25) Dialogue, entitled "Practical Joke," which brought the house completely down. (26) Reading by Mr. Bruce Greer, which was well rendered. (27) Music by the choir "When the Roses come Again." (28) Closing speech by Albert Hore. (29) Lighting of tree and distribution of presents, which consisted of books, candies, apples, oranges, dolls, cups, saucers, skates, autographs, pictures, hymn books, etc. An entertainment which is considered one of the best held in connection with the Sabbath school was then closed by the choir singing "Good Night Ladies," and all returned home feeling that they had spent an extremely pleasant evening.

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