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LINDSAY, FRIDAY, FEB. 15, 1895.

on Friday last the reform convention advertised to take place at Coboconk was postponed to Friday, Feb. 22nd, one week from to-day. Every sub-division in the riding should have its full complement of delegates and alternatives at the convention in order that the strongest candidate may be selected.

SOUTH RIDING REFORM CON-VENTION.

The friends of the reform party will hold a convention in the Academy of did not attack the government on any such Music, adjoining THE POST office, on ground. The Mail and Empire does not Saturday, March 2nd, at 11 o'clock a. m., raise itself by thus distorting what The Post did say. The Post was simply ridi for the purpose of nominating a candi, cu'ing the absurd effort of Mr. Bughes to toria at the coming Dominion elections. Circulars have already been sent out calling on the liberals in each sub-division as to let hi to appoint delegates and alternatives to be present at the convention. We wish to impress on our friends the necessity of prompt action, as in all probability the few years no less than eighteen agriculwrits for an election will be issued at an early date. We believe the time was to the wall and compelled to go out of entitled, "Impurities in Clover Seed" A tabulated never more opportune to redeem the business. That there may be no doubt as riding, and all that is required is united to the truth of this statement he gives and earnest work on the part of liberals and the friends of good government. It is expected that there will be several and his powerful combine is alluded to prominent speakers present, but we on public platforms as a sample of the and St Mary's, and the most unfavorable test in this are unable this week to announce their praise-worthy industries fostered under names. We bespeak a large and profitable | the N. P. A huge business is concentrat.

DISREPUTABLE TACTICS.

Ordinary people naturally associate with body, the Canadian house of commons, a sense of truthfulness too honest to misrepresent, and a quality of honor too lofty for the creation of occasions to asperse the character of a former political opponent who is not in active political life. Such an association of ideas, however, is entirely at fault when the conduct of the member for the north riding of Victoria another dash for cur treasury. If the is under examination. In last week's works are such good value, why this per-Warder Mr. Hughes takes advantage of an interview with Mr. Barron, which appeared in the Toronto News a fortnight ago, to pen one of the most vicious and unju tifiable attacks he ever made on that | for a by-law to be submitted to the rate gentleman. The interview was innocent payers to sanction the purchase of the and ordinary enough, but in a moment of | works. The people heard nothing of this weakness Mr. Barron said that Mr. at the time of our municipal elections, a Hughes is not so strong as he once was. With this statement for a text -- and eyerybody has heard it over and over again from conservatives in the north, high and low-Mr. Hughes says many things of Mr. Barron, all of them equally mean and untrue. It is a favorite weapon of pany, formed in this town, was to buy the the Warder's to bring in the matter of works-it was such a grand chance. But, religion in attacking an opponent, and of course what he says of Mr. Barron in enhanced value of their Lindsay property | with sales at \$5,25. this way is false and contemptible. That and they would not sell. Bah! Do these Mr. Barron has been looking for the pushers of ours think that we are all nomination from "his old convention" has no truth whatever in it. It is of a piece with the statement that Mr. Barron has forced his "little lecture" on the clergy of South Victoria until it has "fallen flat." our old system of waterworks is completely Mr. Barron's lecture, which was prepared gone from us. (I am open to correction if with much care and intelligence, was de- I am misinformed.) It was by common ivered by him oftener outside of South Victoria than in the riding, and we are or deeded over to the Lindsay Water. ware that this literary effort was received amount of the company's stock. So far so d with attention and pleasure wherever good. But the whole stock of the comware that this literary effort was receivt was delivered. The charge that he spoke against Sir John Thompson, as a whole plant, old and new, is mortgaged to Jatholic premier, with Protestants, and igainst Sir Mackenzie Bowell, as the and are trying their best to sell to Lind-'Orange premier," with Catholics, is say for sixty or sixty-five. or seventy thousand dollars. Will the Hamilton qually false, and that statement that Mr. parties take any of the company's stock Barron rejoiced that his enforced retireless. So we are asked to pay \$10 000 at that really the market cannot be considered as a good nent relieves him from handshakings least, in honest cash, for our old system, criterion of how prices stand. The feeling was firm

Mr. Hughes appears to admit that e goes to considerable trouble to dis- l cost The local pushers claim to represent the Butchers' Catt'e-If the offerings had been as heavy as usual, there would have been a decidedly weak

of straw for the gratification of pugilistic skill seems to be used by Mr. Hughes only for the purpose of talling the elecman they must elect. The conservatives are dubbed "loyal and true gentlemen." and the conservative leaders in North C. E. Hymn Book Victoria are told that "they are too honorable to play any grit-jesuit game," citiz as (i. e., to set up or support any opponent CLEAR TYPE BIBLES. to Mr. Hughes.) They are warned of the penalty for so doing, if these words means anything. "And, besides, they have the ed in fate of all such too clearly stamped on history's page to be anxious to commit political suicide." If this warning to Dr. Wood and other independent conservatives up north is not a confession that the present member is not so strong as he once was, then we fail to decipher the intent of this impudent and presumptuous attempt to play the bully while he scatters sand into the eyes of the men of North

The attack can do Mr. Barron no harm, and we believe it will not profit the editor

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The overdue French liner Gascoigne about which so much anxiety was felt, reached New York on Tuesday morning last, eight days behind time. The delay was due to a broken piston rod and to terrific gales, which prevented repairs

Hamilton Times: Margaret L. Sheppard, the notoricus, has turned up in Buffalo, where she appears in the role of converted nun, and works the same game as she did in parts of Ontario. A copy of her con | England, and they will be interesting to fessions" as made in the witness box in our farmer readers. All animals from the Toronto would be "good readin" for the

The Farmer's Sun, the patron organ, ed prevalence of pleuro pneumonia among figures that the maintenance of the senate | the Austral an herds. Seventeen animals represents an annual cash outlay equiva- are included in the account sales, eight lent to the produce of 11,000 acres of Shorthorns and nine Davons. The latter wheat, yielding 20 bushels to the acre and | were very superior in quality, well above selling at sixty cents a bushel. This is a the average and equal to to the best cattle striking way of calling attention to a received from the United States. The

Rev. John Connolly, Roman Catholic though this seemed almost incredible priest at Biddulph, was recently removed in view of the fact that the animals had to Ingersoll, and prior to his departure was presented by his Protestant friends as the Davons The day's allowance of with a handsome ebony gold-headed cane | food per animal on the voyage was 16 lbs. as a mark of their respect. To hinder and NORTH RIDING CONVENTION.

Owing to the very inclement weather

Victoria the government is attacked by a lbs. each), were sold at 5d per lb., or £96 liberal paper, THE LINDSAY POST, on the 6s 7d. The total sum realized wasthereground that it has not given the constituency sufficient public works. THE POST declares that the Fenelon Falls bridge was arranged for during Mr. Barron's time, who was a liberal, and it asks: 'What has been done since?" To this question it an swers, 'Nothing for the general public.' Here is an attempt to incite the electors | stated in a pravious dispatch, arrangeagainst the government because it has not been extravagant."....THE LINDSAY POST date to contest the south riding of Vic. | secure for himself the nomination of his

Mr. T. J. McBribe, the Northwest, manager for the Massey-Harris Co., boasts in the public press that during the past tural implements firms have been driven the names of the firms. The crowding out referred to is one of the results of the consolidation of the Massey-Harris firms, ed in Toronto, while eighteen towns of exceedingly bad results. These latter reports for the the Dominion mourn the financial wreck most part are made from the small towns and vil Some sales Tuesday were :- Two heifers and one cow the province should place their orders | trade, farmers should dispose of their seeds to reputwith the agents of Sylvester Bros. M'f'g | able merchants only. An export trade is in a peculiar the idea of membership in that honorable to what is a grasping and monopolistic concern. No wonder Massey is able to donate a \$100 000 music hall to the city of

> COMMUNICATIONS. The Waterworks Deal.

|To the Editor of THE POST.]

SIR,-I am compelled to believe that the owners of the Lindsay waterworks and their local friends are bound to make sistent anxiety to sell them? Of all people in the world banks and insurance companies are the last to part with a profitable investment. I am surprised that a few members of the council are still moving few weeks ago. A municipal vote means annoyance, loss of time and expenditure of hard cash. Who will foot the bill? Our hard-working honest people during these hard times are not in a position to squander good money.

We heard last year that a private com oh, misfortune! the parties in Hamilton had become suddenly awakened to the there was a good demand and the market was firm

Indeed, facts have accumulated in connection with the waterworks which would our eyes sufficiently open. First of all, consent valued at \$10,000-it was given up works Co. The town received the same commit the town to buy the whole water

which the company got for nothing. That in most lines, but dull generally. Superintendent with farmers' wives, is too absurd for con- is a sample of the business ability of the David Walker of the main market reports local plant at a figure which has been proved

is funny! Is Lindsay to buy at once al work for the town and private parties? Enough to think of just now .- Youre,

COMMERCIAL NEWS.

OFFICE OF THE CANADIAN POST Australian Liva Stock in the English

Particulars are now available of the result of the recent experiments in the shipment of live cattle from Australia to Antipodean colonies are slaughtered at the ports of landing, owing to the admitt-The Mail and Empire says: "In North each), brought 51d per pound, or £75 124 be remembered that the price of cattle in Australia is very much lower than in the

Impurity in Clover Seed. An article drawing attention to the impurity of the clover seed exported by Canada and the United seeds received by English importing houses are very mpure, is but too true. In September last the Onever, as made by other than wholesale seedsmen, gave

thing! cheap," and certainly they appear to be getting what they ask for, [Monetary Times,

Buf'alo Bartey Market. Buffalo, Feb 12,-Barley quiet; No 1 Canadian, 65c No 2 to arrive 62c to 63c; No 3 extra, 60c to 61c; native ally the range is from \$25 to \$40 per head, according grades steady; some demand for cheaper qualities but to quality.

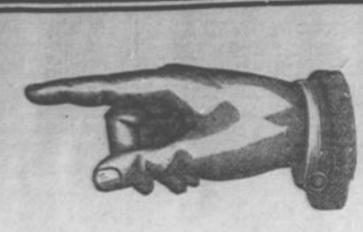
Toronto Farmers' Market. ontinue small Oats were firme . Wheat-Firm; one load sold at 61 c. Barley-Stead 7, 500 bushel selling at 18c Oats-Firmer, one load selling at 36c. Hay and Straw - The offerings Tuesday were larger and \$8 50 to \$10 for clover, and 1 load of straw at \$8 Dressed Hogs - The receipts I uesday were moderate,

which were cattle, The offerings included 22 lambs, week ended Saturday, February 9th, as follows :-Catle, 1,970; sheep and lambs, 834; hogs, 2,834; weigh

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market Tuesday. As a result of the light offerings the market was steady, though dull, Hardly anyout now; they have been delayed by the blockade,

Stockers and Feeders-Quiet. Only one or two ead were picked up for farmers Prices are nominal

those figures. Stores and half-fat hogs are nominally Sheep and Lambs-Not many were in and all sold

Milch Cows and Springers-There were about eight

steady prices. So little trade was done, however, that prices paid cannot be considered as giving a good idea Calves-Only one or two head offered and sold, so

that the market is purely nominal. Choice veals would bring from \$5 to \$7 per head. Common and poor calves are not wanted at all, and realize only

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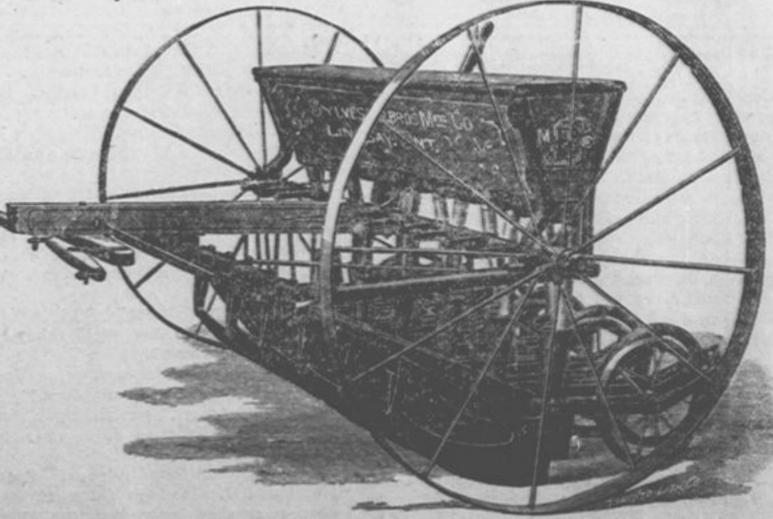
--- Anything we have left in them at nearly half-price—a Boy's \$5 00 Coat for \$2.75; a Boy's \$4.00 Coat for \$2.25. We have yet a nice range of Men's Ulsters. See them.

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