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IN ITS FORTIETH YEAR.

LINDSAY-ONT. FRIDAY MARCH 1, 1895

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LINDSAY WOOLEN MILLS.

P.S.—Never buy a Jute Blanket for a Horse Cover, they will never wear and are hard, cold and uncomfortable.

Township of Mariposa.

Abstract Statement of Receipts and Payments

J. F. CUNNINGHAM, ESQ., TREASURER.

Municipality of the Township of MARIPOSA FOR A. D. 1894.

1894.	DR.	1894.	CR.
To balance from last audit.....	\$ 443 82	Total paid for Indigents.....	\$ 484 31
Taxes from collectors, 1893.....	1,239 02	Total paid for Roads.....	1,242 79
Taxes from North Half.....	5,874 00	Total paid for Salaries.....	995 75
Taxes from South Half.....	7,700 00	Total paid for Printing.....	133 50
Commission of Statute Labor.....	44 25	Total paid for County Rate, 1894.....	5,068 00
Miscellaneous.....	51 51	Total paid for Public Schools.....	3,600 00
		Total State Labor commutation.....	631 40
		Total Election Expenses.....	101 25
		Total Heating.....	3 65
		Total Board of Health.....	63 05
		Total Public Schools.....	3,608 39
		Total Drainage.....	372 09
		Total Miscellaneous.....	154 21
		Balance in hand.....	\$21,062 65
			\$24,700 00
			\$25,510 25

GOOSE LAKE DRAIN.—BY-LAW No. 225 AND 226.

Jan 1.	DR.	Payments.	CR.
To balance on hand last audit.....	\$ 78 33	Payments.....	\$ 6 00
Receipts.....	8 20	Balance on hand.....	81 89
	\$ 86 53		\$ 87 89

GRANT'S DRAIN.—BY-LAW No. 240.

To balance on hand last audit.....	DR.	Payments.....	CR.
\$ 496 17		\$ 25 38	
Receipts.....	30 36	Balance on hand.....	521 61
	\$ 526 53		\$ 547 00

CAMPBELL'S DRAIN.—BY-LAW No. 321.

To balance on hand last audit.....	DR.	Payments.....	CR.
\$ 38 92		\$ 125 39	
Receipts.....	77 64		
Balance due Treasurer.....	8 73		
	\$125 29		\$125 59

SHORT'S DRAIN.—BY-LAW No. 410.

To balance on hand last audit.....	DR.	Payments.....	CR.
\$ 1,822 93		\$ 1,084 79	
Receipts.....	502 61	Balance on hand.....	1,160 75
	\$ 2,154 54		\$ 2,154 54

We, the Auditors of the Municipality of the Township of Mariposa for A. D. 1894, hereby certify the enclosed to be a correct statement of the Assets and Liabilities of the said Township, as per Treasurer's books and papers, for the year ending 31st Dec, 1894.

GEO. DOUGLAS, Auditor.
J. R. WELDON, Auditor.

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VICTORIA COUNTY CHEESE

FORMATION OF A LINDSAY BOARD DECIDED UPON.

Representatives of the Different Factors Meet and Discuss the Proposition—Haliburton County Cheesemen Will Form Their Output Here.

For some weeks past attempts have been made by the Lindsay board of trade to bring about a meeting of the cheesemen of Victoria and adjoining territory for the purpose of considering the advisability of establishing a local cheese board. The impassable state of the road, owing to the recent fierce storms, necessitated two adjournments, but last week King Winter moderated his wrath somewhat, and on Saturday morning a well-attended meeting was held in the council chamber, which was presided over by Mr. Duncan Ray, president of the board of trade.

Among those present were—Messrs. John Campbell, John Cruick, Taylor Parkin, Thomas Robertson, E. C. Glendinning, Dennis Scully, J. D. Graham, Dar. Sinclair, Seth Armitage, J. D. Hunter, Capt. Hunter, C. S. Kevill, Wm. Sandford, Wm. Thurston, Wm. Flavelle, John D. Flavelle, Leary, Brown, White and a number of others.

Mr. Ray, after calling the meeting to order, said he was greatly pleased to see so many present after two futile attempts to hold a meeting—the third time proved the charm, indeed. The object of the board of trade in calling them together was to consider the establishment of a county cheese board, and thus enable the cheesemen to sell their products at the same time cut down the expense of selling. Dairying is now the chief business of the county, and pays best, hence every effort should be made to build it up to the highest point. To cause for this, Canada has the best of the cheese holds such a high place in England, and if the quality be maintained the demand will grow greater yearly.

Mr. J. D. FLAVELLE was then asked to give his opinion on the formation of a board, but he declined to speak at any length. It had been said that his firm would like to see the board established because they would have the advantage over outside buyers. There was no truth in this, he said, as the district would continue to attend the Peterboro board, and the establishment of a Lindsay board would simply mean that very soon it would have to break up and develop the butter industry also.

Mr. J. D. FLAVELLE said he would like to see a Victoria county board established. He had been informed by Mr. William Flavelle that Victoria county cheese was not known in England, and only sold under the name of Peterboro cheese. That was not right—the cheese made in Victoria county was of a different quality, and should be represented by itself on the English market. By having a board established in Lindsay the state cheese would be remedied, and cheesemen would also save money and time by being able to drive to town, and sell their cheese there.

Mr. J. D. FLAVELLE explained that the reason buyers like the Peterboro board is because they can visit factories advantageously; in a radius of seven or eight miles from Lindsay, and they can see the whole county of Victoria. It was said also that there was an advantage in freight. Cluzon, one of the Peterboro buyers, placed his goods in his freight on boxes. The railway men deny this, but as there are two lines of railway there is no difference in favor of Peterboro in the regular schedule of charges.

Mr. SANDFORD said he would like to see the board established on a satisfactory basis, but he feared they would not get the buyers to attend; in that event, however, as Mr. Flavelle had pointed out they would only have to join in with Peterboro again.

Mr. W. FLAVELLE pointed out that a board recently been formed at Nanaimo, where only some 300 or 350 cheeses are bound every two weeks. He thought that in the season there should be close upon 1,000 boxes to be sold fortnightly in Lindsay, and perhaps more. The Manchester factory should sell more, and also the other factory.

important point that should not be lost sight of was by establishing a local board we would be helping to build up our own county; during the time of the old board only about a carload of cheese was bound now there would be two or three carloads.

Mr. THURSTON said that for several years past he had advocated the formation of a board to meet in Lindsay; on many occasions salesmen went to Peterboro only to find that the buyers were ready to buy from the local factories, and he had to take what was offered or he had to come back to Lindsay to find a buyer. Local boards would be formed, help to foster and develop the cheese industry in the county and adjoining territory, and his was a rousing conclusion. (Hear, hear.) The firm had a very large stake in the county, and it was to their interest to help everything along that would benefit the county, and the ultimate prosperity. Mr. W. Flavelle had told them that Victoria cheese was not known in England, and he had heard it said that the Flavelle firm were selfish in the matter, but his experience with the firm would not justify any such conclusion. (Hear, hear.) The firm had a very large stake in the county, and it was to their interest to help everything along that would benefit the county, and the ultimate prosperity.

Mr. DENNIS SCULLY said the Victoria salesmen were treated very fairly in Peterboro; it was not natural they would want to go to the Peterboro factory, and the Victoria article thus took second place. One drawback to the formation of a local board was the distance on buyers would have to travel to inspect the cheese at the different factories; on the other hand expenses would be decreased—instead of \$3, he thought every salesman would be content to take \$2 and visit their country town, where they could transact other business as well. He thought, however, that Flavelle was one of his fastest buyers here, and outside men would not sell the cheese and raise all kinds of objections. The market price had fallen a trifle, but Mr. Flavelle never did that—he took every cheese that was at all saleable.

Mr. SANDFORD said he thought the proposal to establish a local board was a timely one—the quantity of cheese now manufactured in the county warranted such a step being taken, and the saving in expense to each factory would be considerable. As for Mr. Flavelle, he had never seen a step taken, even when there was no other bidder he always gave the highest price for Victoria cheese, and besides that, he was the fastest inspector he ever met with.

Mr. SINCLAIR briefly expressed his approval of the proposed board, and said that if established his factory would sell in Lindsay.

Mr. GRAHAM, of Fenelon, tendered his support to the proposal; he thought we should stand by our own county whenever possible.

Mr. WHITE, of Macville, said his section had been better represented but for the bad roads. Some of the patrons of his factory had met and discussed the matter, and he thought it would be a good thing to have a board established in Lindsay. It had been suggested that the board meeting should be held a few days later than Peterboro, so that the salesmen might gain an idea of the ruling prices there.

Mr. J. D. FLAVELLE said the suggestion was a good one. He thought there was an open day following the Peterboro meeting.

Mr. CAUSEY enquired if suitable accommodation could be procured in Lindsay for board purposes.

Mr. WHITE said he could provide the use of the council chamber or town hall free of cost. They would find the council willing to do everything to secure convenience and comfort to those attending. Mr. Ray again referred to the importance of having Victoria county cheese known and sold in England, and he thought a board should not become as good as the Peterboro board, which is said to be the best in Canada. He felt confident that in a very few years the output in this district would increase by 50 per cent.

Mr. ROBERTSON, referring to the butter trade with England, said he had no objection to the development of the cheese industry. It used to be that October cheese came to market, and in the September article had won first place. If the farmers would adopt the plan of raising their calves in winter they could establish creameries and develop the butter industry also.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOURERS

HOLD A MOST SUCCESSFUL CONVENTION.

Representatives From the Various County Societies Meet in Lindsay—A Large Attendance and Encouraging Progress Reported.

The fifth annual convention of the Victoria County Union of Christian Endeavor was held in the Cambridge-st. Methodist church on Thursday and Friday, Feb. 21st and 22nd. The storm which prevailed the day before so blocked the roads that some of those who were on the programme were unable to be present.

One of these was Mr. Alex. Gilchrist, of Glenora, vice-president of the County Union, who was to take charge of the Thursday afternoon session. In his absence Mr. H. S. Porter, president of the Cambridge-st. Methodist society, took charge of the prayer service and opening exercises.

THE OPENING ADDRESS.

The address of the afternoon was given by Rev. J. W. Totten, Lindsay, on "The Deepening of the Spiritual Life." Mr. Totten based his remarks on the 37th chapter of Ezekiel. He emphasized the fact that it is in quality and not quantity that the strength of a society lies. Success depends very much on spiritual life. Another point was that spiritual life comes from God through His revealed will and presence of the holy spirit. Proper environments—prayer, bible study, various means of grace, earnest work—are all essential to the development and deepening of the spiritual life.

At the close of his address Mr. Totten conducted a short testimony meeting along the line upon which he had been speaking. Mr. Hardy, president, then appointed his usual committees and the meeting closed with singing and prayer.

On Thursday evening the meeting began with a song service under the direction of Mr. W. H. Coomb. Mr. A. E. Hardy gave his address as president of the Union, giving a few statistics showing not only the growth of the society in our midst but all over the world. There are now about 37,000 societies, with 200,000 members enrolled. He spoke of the amount of machinery now at work in the church, and impressed the fact of the need of trusting, not to the machinery for success, but to the power of the holy spirit. Faithfulness to the pledge is one essential to the success of the society.

He said, also, let there be no friction between the Sunday school and the Christian Endeavor society—they are separate organizations, neither doing the other's work. The business of the Sunday school is to teach, that of the C. E. society is to train and put into practice the other agencies of the church.

Owing to the storm Rev. Dr. Galbraith, of Toronto, who was to give an address, was not able to be present, and the president called on Rev. S. J. Shroy and Mr. Johnston to speak for a few minutes. Mr. Shroy spoke about the inter-denominational spirit existing between the young people of the different churches as a result of the C. E. movement. Mr. Johnston spoke of the danger of formality and the necessity of deep and earnest experience of the power of God. The meeting closed with singing and prayer.

THE FRIDAY MORNING MEETING.

On Friday morning over one hundred young people attended the sunrise prayer meeting in the Y.M.C.A. hall. Mr. J. L. Allan took charge of this very helpful meeting. At 9:30 the forenoon session opened with devotional exercises presided over by Mr. F. A. Robinson, Y.M.C.A. secretary, after which Rev. Dr. Galbraith, who arrived in town very late on the previous evening, gave a most excellent and inspiring address on "Good Citizenship." Two essentials of good citizenship are "True Patriotism" and "True Christianity." True patriotism implies not only a feeling of loyalty, but a desire to promote the best interests of our country. He should be proud to work, in fact should consider it a burden to be idle.

Another element in the character of the true patriot is the effort to economize all the resources of his country. When we look at the liquor, tobacco and chewing gum bills of our country, we are struck with their magnitude. Is it any wonder there is business depression? Would it not be a miracle if it were otherwise? A true patriot will also take an active interest in the educational advancement of his country and of its laws. He should be a patriot in the truest sense of the word, and his heart should be set on heaven and his feet on the law that recognizes the sale of strong drink, which is the ruin of our country. No patriot can be true with the prosperity of our country by his wickedness, for every true citizen must be a true Christian. Righteousness exalts a nation; the prosperity of a country depends on the recognition of the divine will.

After this earnest address a paper on "Work among Boys" was read by Mr. Alex. Horn, and a short and profitable discussion followed. The open parliament conducted by Mr. E. Calhoun on the prayer meeting alone sufficient to make and keep the society vigorous, and have the same effect on the outside by methods of work, bible study, etc., that might with profit be followed in many societies. The morning session closed with prayer.

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Rev. Dr. Smith, of Port Hope, followed with an inspiring address on "The Christian Endeavor and his Bible." He took for the basis of his remarks, Ezekiel. He showed that just as the vision which Ezekiel had inspired him, so should the revelations which God love through Christ inspire His followers today, and this revelation is given in the Bible. As Ezekiel was to eat the Roll, so are we to make the bible our own food on it, live on it. Again, as Ezekiel went and sat down by the brook Chebar with the children of captivity in order to be able to sympathize with them and help them, so let us look about us and go in and out among people, and the slight of their need will set us up to activity. Take to them the love of God as we find it in His revealed word—the bible.

Meeting closed with singing and prayer.

AN INTERESTING CLOSING SESSION.

The Friday evening meeting—the closing session of the convention—was opened with a song service, after which Rev. J. W. Totten, of Lindsay, presided. The president, was called to the platform and made a few remarks. Rev. A. P. McDiarmid, of Toronto, presided over the "Missions." This was the great commission of the church, and must be viewed in the same light as that in which Christ viewed it. It is not enough to appreciate the importance of it. When we view the world from the pinnacle of the temple we must not see grandeur, but degradation and sin. There was one man of vision; another was Calvary. It was there Christ gave His life for the world, and here let us receive that life. Think of this: nineteen-twentieths of all money contributed is spent at home, and yet 100,000 die of starvation, and 100,000 are not heard of the love of God. The facilities for mission work now are such that it should be the supreme work of the church to send the gospel to the heathen. Such sublime opportunities given us bring tremendous responsibility. What Christ calls upon His church to do for the salvation of the lost—give our lives, with the assurance that He will use them. The world needs the consecrated talents, energy and love of youth, and shall we not give them for the service of God?

The consecration service was led by Mr. Geo. Mills, Jr., of Kingston—a fit closing to such an impressive service. A number took part in this solemn act of consecration, and the thoughts they were going to carry home to their societies.

The meeting closed with singing "God be with you till we meet again," and the benediction by Rev. R. Johnston, Lindsay.

THE OFFICERS ELECTED.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Rev. J. W. Totten, Lindsay; vice-president, Rev. J. A. Fraser, Fenelon Falls; secretary, Miss E. Danon, Lindsay; assistant secretary, Miss L. Houghton, Lindsay; treasurer, Mr. Alex. Horn, Lindsay; editor, Mr. H. S. Porter, Lindsay; junior superintendent, Mr. E. Bryson, Fenelon Falls; director, Miss M. Graham, Kinmount; Miss Bina Hearty, Omnes; Miss L. Gilchrist, Woodville.

CONVENTION NOTES.

—There were 64 delegates from outside societies who registered, which, considering the state of the roads, was very encouraging.

—The secretary's report showed a marked increase in the work during the year. In the county there are 12 societies, only 35 of which have been reported, showing an active membership of 1,300 and an associate membership of 530, the outlook for the coming year is a bright one.

THE LIBERAL CONVENTION AT COBOCONK.

North Victoria Honors one of Her Sons.

Mr. E. J. McLaughlin, with the nomination for the Liberal party at the convention of North Victoria was held at Cobocok on Friday last. Although the roads were almost impassable and the trains were blocked, and it was absolutely impossible for not a few of the distant delegates to be present, yet, in spite of all, some three hundred people were present, about one hundred and sixty being delegates. The veteran orator, Mr. Dickson, was in the chair, and at once called the convention to business. The following nominations were made: President, Mr. R. J. McLaughlin, J. A. Ellis, John Austin, A. C. Graham, Henry Austin, and Mr. E. J. McLaughlin, who was tendered the nomination of the delegates, and when the ballot was taken a considerable majority of the convention was found in favor of Mr. E. J. McLaughlin.

Mr. McLaughlin, in addressing the convention, stated that his own personal feelings inclined him towards the quiet of private life, but that he did not want to snirk any duty that might be cast upon him, and the way that nomination had been urged upon him without any solicitation led him to accept it as a duty. He might say that he was an outsider, but he had lived in the riding from his boyhood to manhood, and nothing had been added to stature since. He could claim nothing from the outside excepting experience, and that he trusted would not hurt him. Since he left the riding he had only lived a few months outside, and the necessities of his business required; but his business, his property, was chiefly in North Victoria, and his heart had always been there, and it might be said he left the south to others and had fought with his friends in the north.

Mr. McLaughlin expressed a general adhesion to the platform of the Liberal party, but said that in some respects he went further than the Liberal party, and in these matters he wished to have free scope and a full independence. "For instance," he said, "I am in favor of the doctrine of the patrons in regard to the sale of liquor in the entire abolition of that body, which is a great source of expense and which does no good; and much more should be done along these same lines in the abolition of many useless and expensive departments, offices, etc." Mr. McLaughlin spoke at some length on the questions of tariff reform, political corruption, and the urgent necessity of an honest and business-like administration of the public affairs of the country.

In regard to the Trent Valley canal, Mr. McLaughlin said that although Mr. Hughes appears to claim all the credit of this project, that the report of the commission committing the government to its construction was in the hands of the minister before Mr. Hughes came to parliament, and that the persistent advocacy of the scheme by Mr. Barron, who pressed the matter of the construction of the canal on the ministry at all times as seasons, in season and out of season, had been largely instrumental in committing the country finally to the project. That during the three years in which Mr. Hughes had been in parliament there was a complete cessation of the work until the very eve of an election, when it is brought on for the usual purposes. The Trent Valley canal ought to be proceeded with at once. Mr. McLaughlin wound up by calling on the Liberals everywhere to organize and work for the coming year of their country.

Resolutions were passed declaring the adhesion of the Liberals of North Victoria to the platform adopted by the convention of 1893, declaring confidence in the leadership of the Honorable WILFRED LAURENCE, All united in singing, "God save the Queen."

There never was a more united or enthusiastic convention held in the riding. Three cheers for Mr. McLaughlin and President Dickson were given at the close.

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LADIES' FINE JERSEY LACED BLACK WOOL LINED WATERPROOF, size 3, 4, 100...
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