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Lindsay, March 14th, 1894.—88.

## New Advertisements.

FOR SALE OR TO RENT.—On reasonable terms, the J. P. FITZPATRICK FARM, the NORTH-WEST QUARTER of LOT 18 and EAST HALF of LOT 19, in the 3rd Con. of Ops, containing 150 acres in all. 75 acres of ploughing, balance farm, good buildings. Apply to H. Millbrook, or to J. H. SOOTHERAN, Lindsay. March 14th 1894.—101-1.

PROPERTY FOR SALE IN THE VILLAGE OF OAKWOOD.—The undersigned offers for sale that desirable property in the village of Oakwood now occupied by him, consisting of a good frame house with stone foundation, and all necessary outbuildings. There is here also a half of land attached, on which a young orchard commenced to bear. Good water, both hard and soft, on the lot. Terms liberal. For further particulars apply to THOMAS MILES, or to the owner, JOHN SHERIDAN Oakwood P.O. Oakwood, Sept. 4, 1893.—71-tf.

NOTICE
—TO—
WESTERN LICENSERS.
—IN THE—
Districts for East and West Victoria.

Petition for a Tavern License, which is to be set on

The First Day of May

filed with the Inspector on or before

The First Day of APRIL.

JOHN SHORT,
Lindsay, March 15th, 1894.—101-3. Inspector.

MORTGAGE SALE
—OF—
Valuable FARM PROPERTY
In the Township of Mariposa,
In the County of Victoria.

Mortgages which will be produced at sale will be offered for sale by Public Auction at the Town Hall, in the Town of Lindsay, on

Saturday, April 7th, 1894

o'clock in the afternoon, the following freehold lands:—The North Half of Lot No. 14, in the 14th Concession of the said Township of Mariposa, containing 100 acres, more or less.

The farm is situated about 4 miles from Woodville, 9 miles from Lindsay and 1½ miles from Grass Hill station on the G.T.R. road. The soil is a good clay loam; 50 acres are cleared. The land is level and is well watered with pump and creek part of the year. The buildings consist of a frame house on stone foundation (18x28), 1½ stories high, with frame kitchen attached (16x14), 1 story high, also a good frame barn and stables.

Terms and Conditions: One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid down. Further particulars and conditions of sale will be made known at time of sale, or may be obtained on application to

CHISHOLM & CHISHOLM,
Vendors' Solicitors, Port Hope.
HENRY MULLIGAN,
Millbrook. —100-4.

OFFICIAL SALE
—OF—
Valuable Farm Property

Pursuance of a Judgment of the High Court of Justice given in an action re Johnston vs. Johnston there will be offered for sale by PUBLIC AUCTION, with the approbation of the Local Master at Lindsay, at his Office,

At the Court House, Lindsay,
—ON—
SATURDAY, March 24th,

1894, at 12 o'clock, noon, the following properties in parcels.

1. The West Half of Lot Number Twelve, in the 5th Concession of the Township of Fenelon, 100 acres more or less, partly cleared and under cultivation. Soil, clay loam. There are erected on this parcel a good frame barn, a frame stable and a log house.

The property is situate 2 miles from Fenelon Falls on the Victoria Railway.

2. The South East quarter of Lot No. 12, in the 4th Concession of Fenelon, 50 acres more or less. This parcel is situate on the road and a short distance south of the village. The soil is similar and there are no buildings.

3. About 55 acres of the South half of Lot No. 22, in the 11th Concession of Fenelon, occupied by Thomas Bailey, the deceased in his lifetime. All is now under cultivation, and there are on this property a frame house and barn, and it is very conveniently situated to the Village of Fenelon Falls.

Terms—Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid on the day of sale and the balance within one month thereafter, without interest.

Purchasers will not be bound to supply any more than abstracts or copies thereof or evidences of title than those in their possession.

There will be a reserved bid for each parcel.

Purchasers are to obtain vesting orders at their own expense. Parcels 1 and 2 are under Judgment of March 1st, 1895. The purchasers have the usual privileges of ploughing etc. of present year and full possession on 1st March, 1895. The other conditions will be standing conditions of the Court. Further particulars and conditions of sale can be had on application to R. J. McLaughlin, Lindsay, or Hugh O'Leary, Q.C., Lindsay, or John Hoskin, Q. C., Toronto.

Dated at Lindsay this 28th day of February, 1894.

R. J. McLAUGHLIN,
Vendor's Solicitor.

J. W. DEAN,
Local Master at Lindsay.

Lindsay, March 1st, 1894.—99-4.

FARM TO RENT.—North half of Lot 10, Con. 2, Mariposa, 100 acres, 95 cleared. Land clean and in good state of cultivation, one of the best in the neighborhood. Plowing all done. Liberal terms to good tenant. GEO. C. FOSTER, Little Britain, Ont., Feb. 15th.—97-tf.

DESIRABLE DWELLING TO RENT—On William-st., near Kent, above A. Campbell's Flour and Feed Store. Contains nine rooms; will alter rooms to suit desirable tenant, or would rent to a society. Apply to D. RAY & CO. Nov. 28th. 1893.—86.

FARM FOR SALE—150 acres, composed of south-half lot 5 and north-west quarter lot 4, in the 3rd concession, Eldon; nearly all clear; first-class soil and in a good state of cultivation; fair buildings, with stone stabling under barn. This farm adjoins the village of Lorneville, within two miles of Woodville. Apply to DONALD McINTYRE, Lorneville P. O. March 7th, 1894.—100 8

FARM FOR SALE.—The subscriber offers for sale the west half of lot No. 1, in the tenth concession or Eldon, 100 acres, 88 of which are cleared. There is on the farm a HEWED log house and frame barn, and hewed log stable. It is situated 5 miles from Woodville, 1½ miles from Hartley, and 1½ from Grass Hill station, on the G.T.R. For terms apply to the owner on the premises, or by letter to Hartley post office. DENNIS MACKIN, Eldon, Dec. 8th 1894.—92-tf.

THE SINGER SEWING MACHINE
**Still at the Head.**
At the World's Fair in Chicago the Singer Manufacturing Company received
**54 FIRST AWARDS,**
being the highest number of awards obtained by any exhibitor, and more than double the number received by all the other sewing machine companies.
**The Singer Manufacturing Company,**
JOHN HORE, General Agent.
OFFICE.—No. Kent-st., Lindsay:—90.

CHEESE FACTORIES FOR SALE.—The undersigned offers for sale his CHEESE FACTORY at DOWNEYVILLE, Ont. Said factory is situated in one of the best farming sections in Victoria County, eight miles from Lindsay. Factory and apparatus are in first-class repair, out-put has been within the last three years as high as thirty six tons in a season. No opposition. Large territory to work upon. A grand chance for a man wanting to start business for himself.

Also, his CHEESE FACTORY at SCOTCH LINE, Verulam, Victoria County. This factory is situated on the main road, running from Lindsay to Bobcaygeon, fifteen miles from former and eight miles from latter place, in a fine farming section. Out-put, from twenty to twenty-five tons per season. Buildings in good repair, apparatus good; will dispose of said properties at reasonable figures. For further information call upon or address, JOSEPH LUCAS, Downeyville, Ont., or C. F. KEVILL, Dunsford, Ont.—85

NOTICE.

*In the matter of the Guardianship of Eulalie Charlotte Widdess, Edna Elizabeth Widdess, and Ethel Isabella Widdess, infant children of Robert Widdess.*

Application will be made by the above-named infants to the Surrogate Court of the County of Victoria, before the Judge in Chambers, at the Court House, in Lindsay, after the expiration of twenty days from the first publication hereof, for an order appointing their father, Robert Widdess, of the said Town of Lindsay, guardian of the said infants, Eulalie Charlotte Widdess, Edna Elizabeth Widdess, and Ethel Isabella Widdess.

Dated at Lindsay this 8th day of March, A. D. 1894.

EULALIE CHARLOTTE WIDDESS,
EDNA ELIZABETH WIDDESS,
ETHEL ISABELLA WIDDESS,
by R. J. McLAUGHLIN,
their Solicitor.
100-3.

AUCTION SALE
—OF—
VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain registered mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, and upon which default in payment has been made, there will be offered for sale by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the

Benson House, in the Town of Lindsay
in the County of Victoria, on
Thursday, the 15th day of March,

A. D. 1894, at the hour of One o'clock in the afternoon, the following valuable lands and premises, viz

**The South half of Lot No. 3, in the Eighth Con. of the Township of Fenelon,**

in the County of Victoria, containing One Hundred Acres, more or less. This property lies in a well settled district and is distant about five miles from the Town of Lindsay, and has erected thereon a dwelling house, barn and stable.

TERMS: Ten per cent. of the purchase money to be paid down at the time of sale. Terms for payment of balance will be made known at the time of sale. For further particulars apply to

REID & OWENS,
Freehold Building, Toronto.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

*In the matter of the NAPANEE PAPER COMPANY.*

NOTICE is hereby given that the Napanee Paper Company, carrying on business at Napanee Mills, Fenelon Falls, and other places, as manufacturers of pulp and paper, have made an assignment under R. S. O. (1887) Chapter 124, and Amending Acts, of all their estate, credits and effects, to Marshall C. Bogart, of the Town of Napanee, in the County of Lennox and Addington, agents for the general benefit of their creditors, and I have been duly appointed Assignee and Trustee, of the said estate by the said creditors.

Creditors are requested to file their claims with the said Trustee with the proofs and particulars thereof required by the said acts, on or before the

First Day of May, Next.

AND NOTICE is further given that after the said first day of May, 1894, the said Trustee will proceed to distribute the assets of the said debtors among 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 claims he shall not then have had notice.

Dated at Napanee, March 7th, 1894.

M. C. BOGART,
Assignee and Trustee.
—100-4.

Valuable PROPERTIES
FOR SALE
On Easy Terms.

**The Bannan Hotel.**

Brick, east side of Lindsay-st., Lindsay. Has been within the last year remodelled, refitted and enlarged; supplied by the town water; occupied by a good tenant; will be sold subject to his lease, which has about three years to run from 1st December next. Good sheds, first-class stabling, everything in good order.

*The Patrick Connor's Farm.*

East half Lot 23 in the 7th Con of Ops 100 acres; about 3 miles from Lindsay. A first-class farm

*The Fitzgerald Farm.*

The North half of Lot 2, in the 10th Con. of Emily; 100 acres; a fair farm.

*The Andrew Wilson Farm.*

Lot 11, and South half of Lot 12, 6th Con. of Emily.—300 acres; good farm; good buildings. For particulars re any of the above apply to

*H. MULLIGAN,*
MILLBROOK, or to
*J. H. SOOTHERAN,*
LINDSAY.

Lindsay, March 1st, 1894.—99-6mo.

*Sylvester Bros. Mfg. Co.*

THE MONITOR
IMPROVED
COMBINED SEEDER.

We wish to call the attention of the farmers of Victoria and neighboring counties to our **New Monitor Seeder.** This is a combined machine, with many valuable patented improvements. We can guarantee it superior to anything now in the market.

Our **Spring Tooth Cultivator** is a new implement that we would specially request intending purchasers to inspect before placing orders elsewhere.

**Our Light Steel Binder** is so well known that commenting here on its good qualities is, we feel, quite unnecessary.

We will continue to manufacture a full line of **Farm Machinery and Implements**, any of which we guarantee to be equal to, if not superior to, anything ever offered in the market. Farmers will do well to examine our goods for themselves before taking the statements of agents or combinations, whose interest is not identical with ours, nor yet with the farming community.

The combination we want to make is with the farmers of Ontario, and to those agents who say we are to be out of existence in a year or two, we say our existence depends not on them. With a continuation of the patronage so liberally bestowed on us in the past by the farmers of Ontario, we will continue, even to the dissatisfaction of some big concerns, to place the very best implements in our hands at the lowest prices, besides giving you home manufactured goods, which in itself is a decided advantage, for in case of accidents repairs can always be obtained without delay.

Sylvester Bros. Mfg. Co.
*LINDSAY, ONT.*
Lindsay, Feb. 1st, 1894.—95.

*Dominion Bank.*

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Round Trip Tickets to General Public at
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Good going p. m. trains March 22nd, and all trains March 23rd and 24th, returning until March 27th, 1894.
To **Teachers and Students First-Class Fare and One-Third.**
Good going from March 16th to 22nd, inclusive; returning until April 2nd, 1894, on surrender of the Standard Form of Certificate.

*T. C. MATCHETT, Agent.*
C. P. R. OFFICE, 91 KENT-ST.
Lindsay, March 14th, 1894.

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S. C. Brown Leghorns' Eggs
For HATCHING
*From First Prize Stock at Port Hope, Hamilton, Bowmanville, and wherever exhibited.*
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J. W. BRITTON,
*26 Cambridge-st.*
Lindsay, March 13th, 1894.—101-3pd.

*SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT.*

We are ever on the alert to secure any advantage for our subscribers that may offer itself and with that object in view we have secured the exclusive right from the Globe Publishing Co. of Philadelphia, to handle THE HOLY LAND PHOTOGRAPHED, which is issued in serial form in seven parts, each part containing 16 photogravure views. The parts have been sold at 25 cents each, but we have so arranged that we can supply each part to subscribers only who cut out the coupon which appears below, for 10 cents, and 2 cents postage, and those presenting a coupon, with 10 cents, will be supplied with the parts at this office. This is a grand opportunity for securing views of the most historical and interesting places in Holy Land, and should be in the hands of every bible student. Part One has already arrived, and can be supplied at once. We do not purpose holding this offer open indefinitely, therefore those wishing the views should send without delay.

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## LOCAL NEWS-LETTERS

*KIRKFIELD.*
[Special to THE POST.]

MILLINERY AND DRESS MAKING.—The Misses Staples of this place desire to inform the ladies that they have opened a millinery and dressmaking business in this village and are prepared to do fashionable and stylish work on shortest notice.—[801-3.

*VICTORIA ROAD.*
[Special Correspondence of THE POST.]

POSTPONED.—The Victoria Road grand concert is postponed until Easter Monday night, March 26th, for the purpose of further organizing the concert, which promises to be one of the best entertainments ever held here, both from a literary and musical standpoint. The names of the talent secured will appear in next issue. See posters.

*READBORO.*
[Correspondence of THE POST.]

REVIVALS.—In spite of la grippe and muddy roads a goodly number have attended the revivals in the Baptist church. Messrs. Kennedy, Carew and John Rea condnctedthe services.

PERSONAL.—We are sorry to learn that Miss Nellie Allan is soon to leave our midst.

ENTERTAINMENT.—The much talked of school entertainment will take place on March 20th. The school will be assisted by talent from Lindsay and surrounding country. Doors open at 7.30. Admission, 10 cents.

*PALESTINE.*
[Correspondence of THE POST.]

RENTERS.—Mr. Chas. Hepburn, of Mariposa, has rented Mr. John Bermingham's farm, comprising three hundred acres, for a term of seven years. Mr. Hepburn will find that he has cast his lot in a very quiet community. We wish him every success in his undertaking.... Mr. Finlay Brown has rented Mr. Joseph V. Staples's farm for a number of years. We wish him success, and we trust, if reports are true, to have the pleasure of extending our congratulations to him in the near future. Full particulars later.

RETIRING FROM FARMING.—Mr. John Truman, sr., one of our highly esteemed farmers, is retiring from farming to enjoy the pleasures of a retired life. He purposes to take up his residence in the thriving village of Kirkfield in the future. We learn that Messrs. Henry and George Kearns, two of our go-ahead young men, are going to work Mr. Truman's farm this summer. We wish them success in their venture.

P. OF I.—A meeting of the Patrons of Industry, of this place, will be held on Tuesday evening, 20th inst., in the school house. Let those that are interested govern themselves accordingly and attend the meeting, at 8 o'clock.
PRO BONO PUBLICO.

*ROSEDALE.*
[Correspondence of THE POST.]

SICKNESS.—Andrew McNeil is sick.... Lizzie Mason is putting in her eleventh week, caused by relapse of la grippe, with no signs of improvement.

REAL ESTATE.—Peter Perdue has bought the Swanton farm that he has held under lease for some years.

CENSUS.—The census of our town has been taken. There is an aggregate of 12 souls—three widows, three husbands, three wives and three children.

PERSONAL.—Miss Gale has returned refreshed after visiting Lindsay and the circumjacent villages for some weeks. Her sister, Anne, has returned to her former situation.

WEATHER.—Jack Frost give us a call on 27th Feb., and bit a good many people. The heat of the 4th and 5th of this month finished the sleighing for the present.

ELECTIONS.—The provincial candidates are slow at getting into the field. They may do better when the grass starts to grow.

*DUNSFORD.*
[Correspondence of THE POST.]

LECTURE.—Mr. J. A. Barron, of Lindsay, delivered his popular lecture "The Mutiny of the Bounty," in the Methodist church here the other evening. The lecture is very interesting and instructive, and was attentively listened to by a large and appreciative audience. At the close a vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Barron, the whole of the audience rising to their feet. The people of Dunsford are anxious to hear the adventures of the castaway captain and those mutineers who remained at Otahiti. Mr. Barron would be heartily welcomed at his earliest convenience.

SCHOOL TRUSTEE.—At the school meeting last Saturday Mr. E. Thurston was elected trustee in place of Mr. J. Gow, who has left the section.

C. E. T. S.—At the next meeting of the C. E. T. S., on Thursday March 21st, the subject for discussion will be:—"Resolved, that intemperance has caused more misery than war." Mr. Walter Kennedy will lead the affirmative, and Mr. Walter Bell the negative.

LOTTERY.—We have been informed that our energetic postmaster, merchant, etc., has secured an agency for the Louisiana lottery. Mr. Germyn is a hustler and will most likely prove a successful lottery agent.

[Special Correspondence of THE POST.]

SCHOOL REPORT.—The following is the list of pupils who have taken honors in their weekly examinations for Feb., in S. S. No. 7, Fenelon:—Class I., 67 per cent. or over; class II., 50 per cent. or over to 66 per cent; class II., Rosie Hay and 56 per cent., 5th class; Eva Hay, 53 per cent., sr. fourth. None in any of the other classes has taken 50 per cent. for the Feb. examinations.

WILL C. ROGERS, teacher.

*LORNEVILLE.*
[Correspondence of THE POST.]

FARM BOUGHT.—Mr. Hamill, of Hamill Bros., from near Port Hope, recently purchased a farm near Lorneville, and they have taken up their residence on this place. The young men come highly recommended as pushing, industrious farmers and good neighbors.

*MANILLA.*
[Correspondence of The Post.]

LECTURE.—Mr. John A. Barron, Q. C., of Lindsay, will deliver his lecture, subject, "The meeting of the Bounty," in Manilla Methodist church on Thursday, the 22nd inst., and in Peniel Methodist church on Friday, the 23rd inst. The service to begin at 7.30 p. m. The lecture is along the line of Christianity and will be helpful to church work.]

*ELDON.*
[Correspondence of THE POST.]

MOVING.—The people of Eldon are not totally discouraged by the bad crops of the last few years, but are now making use of the fine weather in locating themselves. Mr. Gilbert McEachen has taken up temporary residence in Mr. D. McEachen's house, near the station; Mr. Chas. Moore has moved to Mr. G. McEachern's farm, where he expects to remain a term of years; and the Bickle brothers take the Moore farm, and Mr. Wm. Grant goes to Mr. A. F. Smith's farm.

PERSONAL.—Rev. D. D. McDonald occupied his own pulpit last Sunday. He has been west assisting a friend in evangelistic meetings; in his absence his pulpit was occupied by Mr. Muldrew with the characteristic earnestness of the Knox students.

CONVALESCENT.—We are glad to know that the sick neighbors are all recovering.

*OMEMEE.*
[Correspondence of THE POST.]

MAPLE SUGAR.—Good sugar making, quantities of syrup offering at $1.10 per gallon.

PUBLIC HEALTH.—There is not much sickness at present.

SAD ERRAND.—Lieut. Rea, 45th batt., and sister, attended the funeral of their brother-in-law, the late David Armstrong, of Toronto, who died very suddenly from hemorrhage at the age of 51. The deceased at one time lived in Lindsay, also in Omemee, but the last 20 years of his life were spent in Pennsylvania coal oil regions and in the city of Toronto. He was possessed of more than ordinary intelligence and business abilities. John and George Rea, of Ops, are also his brothers-in-law.

A GOOD OLD AGE.—Mr. John German, one of the oldest residents of Emily township and Omemee, who was buried Monday last, had reached the good old age of 85 years. The funeral was largely attended.

C. E. ANNIVERSARY.—The Christian Endeavor anniversary services were held on Sunday and Monday last. Owing to Mr. Bartlett's (of Kirkfield) sickness, his place was supplied by Mr. Fralick..... The Monday evening's entertainment consisted of a lecture by Mr. Campbell, of Cambridge-st. church, Lindsay, which was well received, the subject being "Matrimony." There was an unusual number of bachelors to the front, and many went away bound not to let dull times or anything else prevent them from becoming wiser and happier men in the near future.

PULPIT SUPPLY.—The pulpit of the Presbyterian church will be occupied next Sunday by a Knox college student, but arrangements have been made with Mr. McKay, now of Knox college, Toronto, to supply the pulpit permanently for a limited time.

ELECTIONS.—There is very little talk over coming elections or politics, and the prohibition question is not much discussed.

INSURANCE.—Life insurance agents are making very frequent visits to our village—perhaps oftener than anything is accomplished. J. D. Thornton appears to be doing quite a business among the farmers in the old popular fire insurance company, the London Mutual.

BUILDING.—There is more talk of building operations, Mr. Jas. Thornton, retired farmer with us, is figuring now in putting up a long block of buildings the coming summer.

HEAVY LOSS.—Mr. Thomas Bradburn, of Peterboro, was in town on Monday last on business about his stock farm, three miles west of here. He reports having lost heavily over the financial embarrassment of Peterboro capitalists lately, his loss exceeding $30,000.

*MONMOUTH.*
Correspondence of THE POST.]

DEATH.—The grim visitor has again been with us the past week, and again it is a young wife and mother that is called away in the person of Mrs. Joseph Hadley, who was ill only about four days, but in that short period of time she suffered more agony than most people are called upon to suffer in a lifetime. Trouble falls heaviest when unexpected, and the young husband and sorrowing relatives have the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community in their great sorrow.

ROBBING THE TOWNSHIP.—Mr. Adam Graham, of Bear Lake, was bold enough to come over into our township this week and carry off one of its fairest daughters in the person of Miss Clara Day. (What are the Monmouth boys doing—sucking their thumbs, I guess.) We wish the young couple long life and much happiness.

May children gather round their knee,
In numbers twenty-five,
And may they all resemble him,
And keep his name alive.

HUSBANDS.—We noticed in a recent issue of THE POST an item about Bobcaygeon husbands, but, by the way, there are some husbands wintering here that should be served the same way.

REMOVAL.—We are sorry to learn that we are about to lose one of our prominent citizens. We refer to Matthew Johnson, our worthy postmaster and obliging merchant. He and his amiable partner are about to migrate to the Pacific coast in search of better health. It is our earnest wish that he may recover his lost health and that his pockets also may be lined with many a golden clinker in his new home.

ARRIVAL.—A little stranger arrived at the home of Caleb Kinnee lately, weighing a pound and a half. As it did not require much room it was allowed to stay, but we have not yet heard if they intend raising it or not.

FARMING.—Thomas McConnell has rented the farm of N. Bryant, and is about to commence farming on his own hook. We think we "smell a mice" just here, as Tom is not a chap who is fond of his own society.

CHEESE FACTORY.—We would like to inform the world that we are going to have a cheese factory this summer, and if it performs well it will do more than the neighboring ones have done, judging by report.

SICKNESS.—Mrs. William Barrie appears to be slowly recovering from an attack of inflammation of the lungs....Mrs. Mat. McCrea is just now seriously ill with an attack of pleurisy. We hope for a speedy recovery for both parties.

CHANGE.—Mr. John Walden Hales has given up his agency business and is back on his farm again. His old friends and neighbors are glad to find him once more—in the right place.

LUMBERING.—Pusey's party at Bear Lake broke up this week, after a successful winter's operation. The ground is very scantily clad with snow here now, and the roads are the "relics of decency."

*BEAVERTON.*
[Correspondence of THE POST.

SAD DEATH.—The many friends in this place of Mr. C. Blackett Robinson, of Toronto, publisher of The Presbyterian and other papers, learn with regret of the sudden death by drowning of his eldest son, Charles Alexander, in the port of Hong Kong. It appears he and one of the crew were ashore, and on returning to their ship, and while stepping out of the small boat, he fell into the water and sank immediately, never to rise again alive. Charlie was a general favorite with his schoolmates here, and although he has been absent for a number of years, his practical jokes and school-boy days are still fresh to many here, who sincerely sympathize with his family in their sudden bereavement.

ICE GONE OUT.—The river is now completely clear of ice, being the earliest on record, and the trio who capture the luscious sucker are hovering around the river awaiting its appearance.

COURT.—Division court meets on Friday, when a number of interesting cases will be disposed of.

ESCAPED A SCORCHING.—The house of Mr. T. C. Hodgkinson, Thorah, had a narrow escape from burning on Sunday last, one of the rooms being badly charred, but owing to the strenuous efforts of Capt. Paterson and others a serious fire was averted.

FOR POSTERITY'S SAKE.—The Checker lacrosse team visited the gallery of Mr. Bell on Saturday last and left their size for a large photograph, and we expect shortly to see a number of windows decorated with a group picture of one of the best country or town teams in Canada.

FLOUR MILL.—The flouring mill, under the proprietorship of Mr. A. Dobson, is busy night and day trying to keep up with the rapidly increasing demands for flour, etc.

*LITTLE BRITAIN.*
[Correspondence of THE POST.]

OBIT.—Mrs. Yeo died last Friday at her son John's home in this village. Mrs. Yeo, who had reached the ripe old age of eighty-four years, survived her husband by a period of seven months. The funeral, which was largely attended, took place Sunday forenoon. Rev. Mr. Greatrix preached the funeral sermon at the regular hour of service.

A. O. U. W. MEETING.—A big time may be expected at the A. O. U. W. lodge next meeting. Speeches will be given by various members on the following subjects: "Natural Products of Canada," "Country Roads," "What is the greatest evil in the World," "How to be Happy," "Best way to spend Evenings."

SUGAR-MAKING.—Several of the farmers in this locality have begun sugar-making. They say there were two or three good runs. Our largest makers, Messrs. Glenny, Dix and Whiteside, have not yet tapped. Last season the two latter gentlemen made and sold about $250 worth of syrup.

SOCIAL EVENING.—One night last week a few of our young friends met at Mr. S. Champion's. A very pleasant time was enjoyed by all present. Mr. West Sloan was the "stir" of the evening.

PERSONAL.—Mr. Saunders, who was visiting his sister, Mrs. Champion, has returned to Lindsay. Mr. Saunders intends starting for Arkansas in a few days, where he will spend the summer with his brother.....Mrs. Bapty, of Lindsay, is visiting at Dr. Vrooman's..... Mrs. Stephens and her daughter, Miss Florence, are spending a week in Lindsay.....Our jolly joker, Mr. W. Yeo, is enjoying his holidays. He is now on a trip to Norwich. .....Miss M. Rushland has returned to Toronto.....Mr. Worthington, of Uxbridge, is visiting at Mr. Hambly's..... Miss Nellie Thompson, of Oshawa, is at her sister's, Mrs. J. Jenkins.

CHURCH NOTES.—Mr. Manly, of Toronto, will fill the pulpit in the Methodist church here next Sunday evening.

*SUNDERLAND.*
[Correspondence of THE POST.]

PUSHING CATTLE BUYERS.—It seems to be a positive fact that we have two of the most active cattle buyers that can be found in the country. They are ever on the move. Two and three, and sometimes four, carloads of stock are shipped from here nearly every week. The farmers should be thankful for such trustworthy men to deal with.

LOOKING AHEAD.—We understand from good authority that Mr. John Baker, jr., of this place, intends erecting a fine brick house ere long. That's right, John, you are adopting a wise plan by getting the cage before the bird.

HYMENIAL.—One of our former young ladies, in the person of Miss Minnie Reddith, who is now residing in Toronto, was married last week to a Torontonian. It was rather a surprise, as we always thought there was a magnet drawing her this way. But alas! it failed to connect.

COUNCIL.—The township fathers were again assembled in the council chamber for the transaction of business on Saturday, March 10th. Reeve Vrooman occupied the chair. Members all present. They manipulate affairs in a business-like manner. Several important matters were dealt with, among which was the dispute about a tract of land owned by Mr. Umphrey, and situated on the west corner of the lot previously occupied by Mrs. Shannon. The land had been assessed in our school section until two years ago, when the assessor made a mistake by crediting to the Vallentyne S. S., and they now endeavor to claim it as their property, but without success. The trustees of our section fought the matter out, and finally succeeding in re-claiming the property, and also the taxes for the two past years.

DEMORALIZING.—That terrible card system is again taking hold of some of our citizens. Men who have other business to command their attention, and men who can scarcely make both ends meet in their financial affairs, are found seated around a table in a room rented for other purposes, spending their time in that low, degrading and contemptible card business. A word to the wise should be sufficient. Therefore we will simply say, the proprietor and the tenant had better have such work cease before the law compels them.

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THE FARMER AND THE TARIFF.—Things are very quiet around here just now except as the monotony is broken about every other day by some auctioneer's voice as he cries "How much am I offered," and the goods and chattels of some farmer (who has to get out of the business because he can't make it pay with his only market across the Atlantic), are offered for sale. But their eyes are being opened, and it will take more than the Orange pope of Toronto to convince the farmers around here that the N. P. is their friend.

WRONG-DOING.—As a consequence of the times there is a great deal of idleness, and surely the old adage is true here that "idleness is the mother of mischief." For instance:—A surprise party, principally from Vallentye and Vroomanton, swooped down upon our village lately and took possession of a neighbor's house for the purpose of a dance, and had not common decency enough to bring along their supper. Either poverty or cheek....Again, we thought the nest of gamblers that cursed our village some time ago was completely routed, but with nothing else to do the infatuation came back upon some of these with such terrific force that common respect for the dead was forgotten, poverty ignored and family respectability is trailed in the dirt. But the men are known, their den is known, they know the penalty. A word to the wise should be sufficient.

*SONYA.*
[Correspondence of The Post.]

PATRONS.—A lodge of the Patrons of Industry was organized here on Saturday last. The membership is small as yet, but will probably increase. Mr. Stratton, of Reach, is organizer in this section, and he has started a lodge at Pinedale, with one at Seagrave assured in the immediate future. Our farmers will have now a fine opportunity to become merchants, agents and politicians. Who is going to parliament?

BUSINESS NOTES.—Mr. James Innes has purchased Mr. Geo. Swinson's farm..... Mr. Swinson, our tailor, has four assistants, which speaks well for trade in this hamlet.

PERSONAL.—Miss Wylie, of Toronto, is visiting at Wm. Real's.

*BEXLEY.*
[Correspondence of THE POST.

THE ENTERTAINMENT OF THE SEASON.—

"Full many a gem of purest ray serene,
The deep unfathomed caves of ocean bear;
Full many a flower is born to blush unseen,
And waste its fragrance on the desert air."

The above lines were fully exemplified in the latent musical talent which has been heretofore unnoticed, but was recently brought forth on the occasion of the late basket social by the Bexley choir. The large and attentive audience was repeatedly delighted by the pleasing way in which the selections were rendered, but when Miss Minnie Brintnell gave that Irish song, with violin accompaniment, all were enraptured with its sweetness and melody. Some of the most striking parts of the entertainment were a dialogue between Mr. J. Peel and Miss Davey, of Laxton, in which she took part so naturally as to call forth repeated cheers. A comic recitation by Miss M. A. Balls; a reading by Master Fred Peel, the moral of which was that young men should be careful not to take too great a weight on their knees; a speech by the Rev. Jas. Collins, of Toronto, on "Mistakes"; recitations by Mr. J. Peel and Mr. T. Davey, of Laxton, were all very enjoyable. The programme was closed by tableaux illustrating whether is it best to be a young man's slave or a old man's darling?"

*OAKWOOD.*
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ADDRESS AND PRESENTATION.—On the evening of Feb. 28 a large number of the members and congregation of the Oakwood Methodist church assembled at the residence of Mr. T. H. Foster and presented Miss Foster with the following address, accompanied by a well-filled purse:—*Dear Friend and Sister,*—Like woman's influence, music is calming, soothing, restraining, and at the same time elevating and purifying. Music has always occupied an important place in the services of the house of God, and the individual, gentleman or lady, who presides at the instrument holds no unimportant place in the church of the living God and adds no inconsiderable interest to the services. Music has attractions, and often the choir has as much to do with a full church as the man who stands in the pulpit. What beauty is to the eye, what sweet is to the taste, or fragrance is to the smell, music is to the ear. It at once reaches the heart, absorbing every feeling and faculty of the soul. All ideas of the material, the solid and tangible, are superceded by the ideal, thought is extended from the finite to the infinite, and the hearer's soul vibrates in unison with the supernatural but living harmony in which its life for the time being is submerged. Under the spiritualizing influences humanity is lifted beyond the material to the immaterial, and the soul is plunged in an ocean of harmony. Occupying as you do, the very important position of organist, we naturally feel more than ordinary interest in you. As representatives of the members of the congregation of the Methodist church at Oakwood, we desire in the first place to congratulate you on your success as an organist; in the second place, to assure you of our heartfelt gratitude for your past efficient services; and in the third place, to express a hope that you may long be spared to render such valuable service to the church we hold so dear. Living as you do at a distance from the church, the wonderful regularity with which you have attended practice and divine service implies a great amount of self-denial and sacrifice. The spirit you have shown among the members of the choir has elicited the warmest praise. As an evidence that we mean all we herein have stated, please accept this purse, and may the God of all mercies bestow upon you that grace by which you may glorify Him in whatever position you may in the future be called to occupy, is our best wish for you.—Signed on behalf of the Methodist church, Oakwood.

MRS. THOMAS BOWES, SR.,
MRS. R. G. WEBSTER.

Though surprised, Miss Foster thanked the friends for their kindness and sympathy.....Mrs. Bowes and Mrs. George Webster collected the funds. Mrs. Bowes reading the address and Mrs. Webster presenting the purse. Miss Foster was too overcome by her emotions to make a lengthy reply, but feelingly expressed her thanks for the marks of appreciation shown her, and will not soon forget the kindness of those who had assembled to do her honor. Afterwards baskets were unladen and a bountiful repast served, Mr. and Mrs. Foster, with others, extending a hearty welcome. Music and singing soon brought the time for parting.

BASKET SOCIAL.—Mr. Peter McCorvie's well arranged residence (12th line), a little to the north of this town, was filled to the doors on the occasion of Mrs. and Mr. McCorvie giving a basket social on the evening of March 9th, the proceeds to be applied to the general funds of the Presbyterian church. The worthy couple being highly esteemed, and to the manor born, people flocked from this vicinity and the different lines to well up in the Glen, filling the house as above. There were too many present to permit of any program being carried out except the auctioneering of the well-filled baskets and the disposing of their contents by the buyers. There must have been over one hundred present. Mr. A. Cameron proved a worthy knight of the hammer, although Charley Knight was there also. There were some odd matches resulting from the auctioneer's cry of "gone," but the baskets did seem to go far off. Your own cor. was "thar," and was among the lucky ones, securing a daisy and her well-filled basket. The proceeds amounted to over $26. The hostess furnished the tea, sugar and cream "galore," and the wee hours were soon on where all enjoyed themselves so highly and without a "chough endoris (gaelic) each and all wended their way, hoping to meet some other day.

PATRONS.—The patrons of this vicinity were slow in discovering that the aims of their managers were simply political scheming, but promptly headed off all trickery by disbanding after getting their wisdom teeth cut.

OBIT.—Mr. and Mrs. John Ferguson,