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HON. W. S. FIELDING In the budget speech Will tell the country how our debt has increased eight millions or more this year, and your wife will tell you how the house debt has gone up because you have not bought your Refrigerator, Coal Oil Stove, Range and other goods at

BOXALL'S The Weekly Post. LINDSAY, FRIDAY, MAY 5th, 1899.

RIVER OBSTRUCTION. Navigation has opened, but the Estuary is unable to reach the upper wharf. The inconvenience is not serious, as there are but few travellers as yet, but signs multiply to show that there will be serious trouble later on unless the council decides to act firmly from the outset.

A WASTED APPROPRIATION. About three weeks ago a Mr. Goffe introduced himself to a number of our citizens in the capacity of special advertising agent for the Canadian Journal of Commerce, Montreal, a publication circulating among the business men and manufacturers of Quebec and the Maritime provinces principally, and occupying relatively the same position in its territory as the Monetary Times does in Ontario and the North-West.

prominence, and the selected views of points of interest on our magnificent chain of waters, and knowledge of the grand fishing, would undoubtedly attract summer tourists. But the council said nay, and Mr. Yeigh departed to make way for Mr. Goffe with a more flattering scheme.

TOOK OUR ADVICE. We note with satisfaction that our aldermen have adopted the suggestions thrown out by The Post in recent editorials relative to tree planting, fencing and improvement of the market plot, and oversight of the river channel. A grant of \$100 has been made for tree planting, the understanding being that the work will be continued by succeeding councils. This is as it should be.

EDITORIAL NOTES. In some of the churches in Toronto last Sunday the mayor was severely denounced for lending his presence at a procession and reception to a prize fighter. The responsible office of Chief magistrate of Toronto this Good Sunday to carry with it some very onerous "duties."

The Niagara Y.M.C.A. is assailed by an indignant member, who writes to the Record complaining that he was refused entry to the baths Sunday. He raises the point that members bath their boots on Sunday, and asks if bathing is more harmful or a greater violation of the sanctity of the Sabbath than boot-blackening. The question is one for experts.

The Agent-General of Tasmania in London says that the Australian tariff will arrange their tariff so as to give a preference to imports from Britain, thus following the example of the Canadian parliament. Sir Charles Tupper may talk till he is black in the face about the way the liberals of Canada deceived Great Britain with their pretended preference, but results count. Canada set the ball rolling. Tupper talked; Laurier did. Britain wants to sell in order that she may be able to buy. Canada and Australia are helping her. Tupper and Foster only hindered.

It is announced from Ottawa that the Premier will at an early day announce the policy of the government regarding the redistribution of constituencies. What the people expect is that the new arrangement shall be absolutely fair to both parties -- so fair that its justice shall appeal to the minds of all interested. Should the Tories in the house of commons undertake to obstruct the passage of such a measure, or should they use their enactment into law, the people could reckon with them at the polls -- the sooner the better.

Police Court Calendar. County Magistrate Deacon issued a warrant last Tuesday for the arrest of David McFarquhar, a resident of Cambridge vicinity, who is believed to be insane. Constable Short and a trusty "special" left at 3 o'clock to execute the warrant, and lodged their man in the goal here this same evening.

COMMERCIAL NEWS. Decline of a Cent a Bushel on Chicago Wheat Options-Liverpool Also Declines-The Prices. Liverpool, May 3.-Wheat futures yesterday closed 1/4 to 1/2 per cent below Monday's final figures.

TORONTO STOCK MARKET. Wheat, white, bu. 71 1/2 to 72 1/2. Wheat, red, bu. 71 1/2 to 72 1/2. Wheat, five, spring, bu. 67 to 69. Wheat, good, No. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100.

LOCAL MARKETS. Red Fife Wheat 30.65 to 0.65. Goose Wheat 0.65 to 0.65. Spring Wheat 0.65 to 0.65. Fall Wheat 0.40 to 0.40. Barley, No. 1 0.40 to 0.40. Barley, No. 2 0.40 to 0.40. Barley, No. 3 0.40 to 0.40. Oats, 2-row 0.30 to 0.30. Oats, 3-row 0.30 to 0.30. Peas, Mummies 0.65 to 0.65. Peas, Prince Albert 0.62 to 0.65. Peas, Black Eye 0.75 to 0.75. Clover, Alsike, per ton 3.00 to 4.00. Clover, Red 3.25 to 4.00. Flax Seed 1.50 to 2.00. Rye 0.50 to 0.50. Buckwheat 0.20 to 0.20. Timothy Seed 1.00 to 1.75. Lard 0.10 to 0.10. Eggs, fresh, per doz. 0.10 to 0.11. Butter, per lb, for roll 0.13 to 0.15. Butter, per lb, for roll 0.13 to 0.15. Potatoes, per bag 0.50 to 0.65. Beef 5.00 to 6.00. Live Hogs 3.50 to 4.15. Flour, new process, bla. 100 lb 2.30 to 2.50. Flour, new process, mixed 100 lb 2.30 to 2.50. Straight Roller Flour 2.00 to 2.00. Rolled Oats 1.80 to 2.00. Lamb, quarter 0.07 to 0.09. Apples, per bag 0.50 to 1.00. Apples, winter, per bbl 1.00 to 2.00. Dressed Hogs 4.00 to 5.25. Lamb Skins 0.25 to 0.50. Tanned Wool 0.09 to 0.10.

CHEESE MARKETS. Belleville, Ont., May 3.-Belleville cheese board organized for the season yesterday. Dr. Simmons was elected president, and D. J. Fairfield secretary-treasurer. 740 boxes offered, sold 18¢ at 9¢ to 9 1/2¢.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM LAKE OF BAYS, MUSKOKA. This interesting place is now rapidly coming into prominence, situated in the heart of the beautiful group of Muskoka. It is reached by Grand Trunk Railway System from any point TO HUNTSVILLE. Tickets, folders and all information from G. T. R. Agents, or write M. O. DICKSON, Dist. Trav. Agt., Toronto. GEO. WILDER, C.P. & T.A. A. M. PATON, Depot.

NEWSPAPERS AND MAGAZINES. It is really astonishing how The Canadian Magazine keeps up the value of its contents and the excellence of its appearance. Among the contributors to the May number are John Charlton, M.P., Robert Barr, John A. Ewan, Henry J. Morgan, Joanna E. Wood, Beckles Willison and W. A. Fraser. One of the brightest pieces in the issue is Robert Barr's encounter with three bicyclists who were exceedingly clever tellers of fairy tales. The Prince of Wales will be read with interest, especially as his famous Canadian trip is fully described. The article on the Dairy Industry of Canada, with its numerous pictures of cheese and butter factories from the Atlantic to the Pacific, is one which should interest every active Canadian mind. The whole number is beautifully printed.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RY. Fishing. The best Trout and Bass streams are to be found on the line of the Canadian Pacific. Open Season for Trout commences 2nd of May. Open Season for Bass commences 10th of June. For further particulars and copy of "Fishing and Shooting" consult any agent or O. B. McPHERSON, A. G. P. A. 1 King St. East, Toronto. T. O. MATCHETT, LOCAL AGENT 87 Kent St., Lindsay.

FOR SALE, CHEAP. Nine-roomed Brick Dwelling, with one-quarter acre of land, some fruit trees, stables and out buildings; excellent water. In the Village of Woodville. Apply to PETER McINTYRE, Woodville, Ont. BICYCLE FOR SALE - Brantford "REDHEAD" enamelled black, in fine condition, weighs 20 lbs, and has not been ridden 250 miles. Price \$10 cash. Can be seen at Post Printing Office, -Went.

HOUSE TO RENT by the Sadler, Dundas & Flavelle Milling Co. - Brick House on corner Kent and Millars, formerly occupied by MR. THOS. SADDLER, six rooms down stairs and six rooms up stairs; both hard and soft water in kitchen. Apply at office of THE SADDLER, DUNDAS & FAVELLE MILLING CO., -W.

TO BRIDGE CONTRACTORS. Tenders addressed to the undersigned and marked "Tenders for Bridge" will be received up until noon on Tuesday, the 23rd day of May, for the bridge over the creek crossing the bridge on the Southwestern Line of RR, at Lot One. Plans and specifications of the proposed bridge may be seen at the Postoffice, Lonsdale. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. A. McFARLANE, Bridge of Eton, Arg., & P.O. Argyle May 4 1899. -G2-2.

FREE. Rose Dentine Tooth Powder. This is a new and unique combination of several elements, all of which are selected because of their purity and excellence in cleaning and preserving the teeth. 10c a tin. Send us your name and address and we will send you a tin to try. Return the money when all are sold & we will give you the latest watch and chain free. We also give violins, air rifle, golf clubs, etc. NATIONAL MANUFACTG CO. DEPT. 1. TORONTO.



CLOTHES... TO MEASURE. Our MR. McKNIGHT'S cut, fit and finish are unrivalled. It will please and pay you to try us for your New Suit. Dundas & Flavelle Bros.

MAKE IT A POINT To share in the benefit of our GOING OUT OF BUSINESS SALE. Have you stopped to consider your household needs for Spring? Remember our large stock in all its lines is TO BE CLEARED OUT. Come early and see our special offers in Table Linens, Cottons, Towels, Towellings, Carpets, Oilcloths, Tapestry-hangings, Lace Curtains, Dress Goods, Men's and Boys' Suits. Very special offers in Gloves, Corsets and Veilings. Great drives in Ladies' Vests, Cotton and Cashmere Hosiery. See our Umbrellas, Parasols and Sunshades.

E. E. W. M'GAFFEY. New Advertisements. BRITTON BROS. FASHIONABLE JEWELRY. HOOP BRACELETS. WAIST SETTS. BELTS AND NECK BUCKLES. BRITTON BROS., Opticians. THE LEADING JEWELLERS, LINDSAY.

COME GENTLE SPRING. LADIES' HEAVY BOOTS. CHILDREN'S HEAVY BALMORALS. MISSES' HEAVY AND FINE BOOTS. NEILL. Victoria L. & S. Co. New Advertisements.

The Victoria Loan and Savings Company. Incorporated under Cap. 189 R. E. O. Head Office, - LINDSAY. Money to Loan on town and farm property at current rates of interest. CHEWING TOBACCOS. MAHOGANY -AND- BLACK. Try them. The GEO. E. TUCKETT & SON CO., Limited.

FOR SALE HOLLY LODGE. Lately the residence of Mr. Geo. Matthews, on the 4th Con. of Ops. at the west end of Kent-st., Lindsay; the Lot contains about 8 acres, 4 acres well planted with fruit and ornamental trees, the rest in pasture land. The house is two-story Gothic cottage (22x36); also stable, driving-house, sheds, etc., and a small house for gardener's residence. Will be sold for half the original cost. For terms, etc., apply to GEO. MATTHEWS, Lindsay. Lindsay, April 8, 1899. -dwlw.