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The Weekly Post.
LINDSAY, FRIDAY, JUNE 9, 1899.

HALF-HOLIDAY, TOWN TRADE, AND OTHER MATTERS.

The merchants of Lindsay and their employees crowded the council chamber last evening to discuss the half-holiday question, which had suddenly become important owing to the near approach of the fall season for business.

The fact of the matter is, we have a few business men in our midst who act as brakes on the wheel of progress, and by their coldness and lack of interest kill many a scheme calculated to make our town what it should be.

We should not pin our faith to factories—it is well to have a few of them, but the agricultural trade must be our mainstay in the future, as in the past, and it should not be forgotten that industries will be keen to locate in a non-progressive town unless very strong inducements are offered, and Lindsay is not in a position to hold out alluring baits.

MODERN SHYLOCKISM.

It fairly takes one's breath away to be told, as Senator Dandurand told the senate a couple of days ago, that usury is being practiced in Canada to-day in a fashion that recalls the gruesome traditions of the middle ages of Europe.

The difficulty which arises is to prevent usury without making it impossible for money to be loaned at a relatively high rate of interest where there is good justification for the transaction.

The bill introduced by Senator Dandurand has been drawn with full appreciation of all the necessities of the case, and so far as the debate has progressed, he has received the hearty support of many members of the senate, who have had a large experience in the business world.

MARIPOSA.

(Correspondence to The Post.)
Mariposa Council Proceedings.—The municipal council of the township of Mariposa met at Oakwood on Monday, the 5th of June.

Moved by J. H. Knight, seconded by Dr. Herriman, that the members of the West Victoria Farmers' Institute be requested to reprint the pamphlet entitled "The Birds of Ontario," by Mr. Chas. Nash.

A Very Profitable Address.
Professor Shuttleworth of the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, was then called on to give his address. He started by stating that he was present at the Institute's annual meeting at no expense to the Institute.

WEST VICTORIA COMMERCIAL NEWS.

FARMERS' INSTITUTE MEETING.
A Poorly Attended Session.—The Financial Statement and the Election of Officers.—Prof. Shuttleworth's Address on "Soil and Tillage."

The annual meeting of the West Victoria Farmers' Institute was held in the council chamber on Tuesday afternoon. There were present the following officers: Wm. Channon, president; Donald Jackson, vice-president; Jas. Keith, sec.-treasurer; Dr. Herriman, H. Knight and John Brady, members.

The Secretary reported that there had been six meetings held during the year—at Lindsay, with an attendance of 120 in the afternoon and 80 in the evening.

The secretary explained that if the Association continued to hold six meetings each year they would find themselves short of money, and he suggested that the number be reduced.

It was then moved by J. H. Knight, seconded by Donald Jackson, that there be two regular meetings a year, one in the afternoon and one in the evening.

A motion was made by Dr. Herriman, seconded by Mr. Reid, that the salary be made \$20 a year which was carried.

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WHAT TUPPER SHOULD DO
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FARM FOR SALE.
Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to June 30th, 1899, for the purchase of Lot 12, Co. A, Mariposa township, known as the old Ellison estate.

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New Advertisements

FOR SERVICE.—The undersigned has for service on his premises, Lot 18, Co. 7, Op. a THOROUGH BRED DURHAM BULL; also a Pure-bred, Champion Bull, Terms: either, \$1 cash, J. H. MOORE, North St., 72nd St.

Agricultural College

By an Act of the Ontario Legislature, Every County in Ontario is entitled to have an Agricultural College. The County of Victoria has been selected to have one.

IMPORTANT SALE OF VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction at the Simpson Hotel, in the Town of Lindsay, on Friday, the 30th day of June, A. D. 1899, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the certain premises or tract of land and premises situate, and being in the Township of Victoria, in the County of Victoria, containing two hundred acres, by the said mortgage or lease and being composed of the East Half of Lot 12 numbers one and two in the Second Concession of the said Township of Victoria.

Municipal Council of the Corporation of the County of Victoria

will meet in the COUNCIL CHAMBER in the COURT HOUSE, LINDSAY, on TUESDAY, the 30th day of June, 1899 at 2 o'clock p.m., for general business.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RY.

UPPER LAKE SERVICE
Every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday during season of navigation, Steamships ALBERTA, ATHABASKA and MONTANA will leave Owen Sound at 5.30 p.m., after arrival of S.S. Express leaving Toronto at 1.30 p.m.

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FARM PROPERTY, in the TOWNSHIP OF MARIPOSA

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale by the PUBLIC AUCTION, by the undersigned, at the Simpson Hotel, in the Township of Victoria, on FRIDAY, 7th day of July, 1899, at the hour of TWO O'CLOCK in the afternoon, the following property, that is to say:—

The East Half of Lot No. Five in the Con. Township of Mariposa, containing one hundred acres of land, more or less, and except the parts heretofore sold to the late Wm. G. Tuckett and Lindsay Railway Co. and for a Public School site.

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