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Ladies' Cream Pale Ring Fine Silk Ladies' Cream Pale Ring Fine Silk Ladies' Fancy Silk Handkerchiefs, each	250
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Boys' Silk Windsor Ties, two for	25 10 25 25 25
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A BRECHIN ROMANCE.

WANDERING BOY RETURNS WITH POCKETS WELL LINED. Away 25 Years and Comes Back Unex-pectedly to Cheer Up His Aged

Father and Pay His Old Debts. There is great rejoicing in the household of old Archibald Cameron, a farmer living near Brechin, on the Midland Railway, and the cause of all the joy is to be assigned to the unexpected reappearance of a son, Alexander, who disappeared from home over 25 years ago, and who has for the past 20 years been considered dead.

Twenty-five years ago or more this son, Alexander, then a young man of 19, started in business for himself in Brechin, and later in Beaverton, his father supplying the funds to get him started. He was so unsuccessful, however, that, instead of making profits at all, debt after debt began to mount up, until at last he was compelled to announce himself a bankrupt. He felt his disgrace so keenly that one day he vanished completely, and it was never known whether he had made away with himself or had simply run away. At any rate, he was considered dead and mourned as such. The years rolled by, and changes came in the Cameron home. The mother died, sons and brothers got married, but old Archie still lived and clung to his farm, though sadly beset by hard times.

Just before Thanksgiving day a stranger appeared in Brechin, and at the hotel asked if there was such a man as Archie Cameron living near there. He was told

the returned prodigal.

But Cameron had not come home with his pockets empty, as when he started.
On the contrary, he seems to have all sorts of money. He says he has been in the mines on the Pacific coast ever since, and latterly in Washington Territory, and has latterly in Washington Territory, and has evidently made more than he ever could have in the small store in Brechio. Thanksgiving morning he started in to pay old debts, and Thanksgiving night saw a jubilation in Brechin and Beaverton, where several of his creditors live, that must have gladdened several hearts.

Oakwood and Little Britain houses are not only selling but are well stocked with liquors, and daily and nightly, openly and on Sunday, selling to both men and boys, and yet you coolly ignore these facts.

I desire as much as any man to see the law respected but cannot see why you should select Mr. Hines and make him the scapegoat. If this kind of spite work is to be kept up it is time that the public were aware of the fact. It seems also strange that the only selling but are well stocked with liquors, and daily and nightly, openly and on Sunday, selling to both men and boys, and yet you coolly ignore these facts.

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A peculiar incident in his return is that
he had to prove his identity to his father
before old Archie would credit his state ment. Ten years ago an imposter came along, who, for three months, succeeded in palming himself off as the long lost son. He was detected, however, by the absence of a scar, a distinguishing mark on one of the cheeks of the right man.

That Cameron, at this late day, should begin to pay his old debts, is a striking tribute to his integrity.

LINDSAY BOARD OF HEALTH.

Annual Reports from the Sanitary Inspector and Medical Health Officer. The annual meeting of the board of

SANITARY INSPECTOR'S REPORT. Sanitary Inspector Douglas presented

In submitting my report I may say that the town is in a very healthy condition; the typhoid fever pa-tients have recovered and no new cases have developed. Three cases of scarlet fever were reported during the summer, two of them proving fatal. Diphtheria is a thing of the past, nearly a year having elapsed without a case having developed although it is lurking in the country not far from the town. Isolation and therough disinfection are the best safeguards. The fall cleaning has been delayed owing to various causes, but I expect to complete the work all right.
I have had Mrs. Hudson, of the east ward, summoned before the magistrate to answer to a charge of having sold meat that was unfit for food.

The board's outlay has been very small this year Following are a few accounts: MEDICAL HEALTH OFFICER'S REPORT. The yearly report of Dr. McAlpine, medical health officer, was next read by the

During the year ending November 15th. 1896, the health of the residents of the town has been good, and excepting an unusually large number of cases of typhoid fever this fall, the town has been remarkably free from contagious and other diseases.

I submit the following table of contagious diseases as reported this year, and also a report of those of

Cases, Deaths, Cases, Deaths Diphtheria 2
Scarlet Fever ... 3
Whooping Cough 4
Measles 4
Typhoid Fever .. 26

I attribute the decrease of diphtheria to prompt reporting and isolation of all suspected cases by the medical attendants, and to the thorough disinfection of the premises and all contaminated articles, under the supervision of Mr. Douglas, the sanitary inspector I wish to call your attention to the necessity of having a public disinfector engaged by the town, who would be responsible for the thorough disinfection of infected premises, etc. Such an officer would be of invaluable service to the board in effectually de-

stroying the germs of contagion.

Typhoid fever has been unusually prevalent within the last two months both in the town and country. the last two months both in the town and country. The same disease has been equally prevalent in all the neighboring towns. Typhoid fever occurs more frequently after a hot and dry summer, when the water in the wells is low. The well water being low is more likely to be contaminated with sewage, and with the coming of the fall rains there is greater pollution of the water supply, which is considered to be the chief medium through which the poison enters the human body. Every effort should therefore be made to have pure and wholesome water for domestic numbers.

Tregarding the partition of the townships for country council purposes, we again print the divisions for the information of our readers:

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In my report last year I stated that no case of contagious disease had been reported by any of the esidents who use town water, and I am pleased t have the same favorable report to make this year.

The town of Lindsay is favorably situated for avoiding the dangers which result from the poliution avoiding the dangers which result from the pollution of the wells with sewage. Abundance of pure spring water, and in many parts of the town flowing wells can be found by digging down or boring from ten to twenty feet. I would therefore recommend that the town council pass a by law prohibiting the use of stoned wells, and making it compulsory upon the citizens to construct wells in such a manner that

eitizens to construct wells in such a manner toat surface water shall be thoroughly excluded.

In this connection, the matter of privy pits and so-called dry earth closets may properly be referred to. Wherever a privy pit exists pollution of a neighboring well may be looked for. The same may be said of dry earth closets at we have them. The liquid contents dilute the solid matter in the boxes, and when tents dilute the solid matter in the boxes, and when the boxes are not water-tight, as is too often the case, the diluted matter contaminates the soil and may percolate into the neighboring wells. It would, therefore be in the interest of the public health if a by-law were passed prohibiting the use of privy pits and ill constructed dry-earth closets within the limits of the corporation, and substituting properly constructed dry-earth closets. The sanitary inspector has reported that a number of yards, cellars and stables, in different parts of the town, were in an unsanitary condition. These cases have been satisfactorily attended to. Samples of water from suspected wells have been analyzed and some of the wells have been condemned as unfit for use.

During the summer numerous complaints were made about the drain on the north side of B ind-st,, and several investigations were made by myself and Sheep Brown and several investigations were made by myself and Sheep Brown and several investigations were made by myself and Sheep Brown and several investigations were made by myself and Sheep Brown and side of the series of the town.

made about the drain on the north side of Bind-st., and several investigations were made by myself and the sanitary inspector, and although the drain at the east end was found to be in a filthy condition, apparently from the decomposition of sewage poured into the drain from one or more of the residences higher up the street, we were unable to find who the guilty parties are, as they all deny that sewage enters the drain from their houses.

The annual meeting of the Dominion Sheep Breeders' Association will take place in the same city on Dec. 9th.

The annual meeting of the Dominion Swine Breeders' Association will be held in Gaelph on Dec. 10 h.

The 13 h Ontario Provincial Winter Charles are, as they all deny that sewage enters the

A LIQUOR CASE DISMISSED.

McIntyre.

Inspector Short Fails to Convict Hotelkeeper Hings of an Infraction of the Law-An Interesting Letter Read and Commented Upon by Magistrate

Mr. F. P. Hinds, proprietor of the Man sion house, appeared before Magistrate McIntyre last Monday to answer to a charge of having sold liquor on Saturday evening, Nov. 21st, after the legal hour for closing. He pleaded not guilty, and Inspector Short called three witnesses, one of whom was admonished several times by Magistrate McIntyre to tell the truth and thus maintain his own self-respect and the good opinion of all who knew him. He drink from the proprietor, but the next witness swore positively that the occur

rence took place an evening or two earlier.

Magistrate McIatyre told Inspector
Short that it would be impossible to convict on the evidence. No evidence was as unsatisfactory as that given in liquor cases—it was about as difficult to induce a man who takes liquor after hours to tell the truth about it as it is to get a prostitute to tell who cohabits with her. His comments were induced by the fact that Inspector Short had received a letter referring to the case; that officer very often the pand guidance and should bear the consequences of their wilfullness. But a consequence of their not doing his duty, but the letter in question was a superior sample, and he would read it for the information of those in the court room. It ran as follows:

LINDSAY, Nov. 27th, 1896, there was, and that old Mr. Cameron was even then in the blacksmith's shop close at hand. At the stranger's request he was summoned to the hotel, and, after a short conversation, in which old Mr. Cameron told of the whereabouts of his family, the new comer announced that he was none other than the son Aleck. The surprise and joy of the father can be imagined, and on Thanksgiving day the fatted calf, or rather the fatted turkey, was killed for John Short, esq., license inspector, Lindsay: other than the son Aleck. The surprise and joy of the father can be imagined, and on Thanksgiving day the fatted calf, or rather the fatted turkey, was killed for name, but are noted for their card playing and gambling and that it is no secret that many of our so-called lunch counters, restaurants and even boarding houses, sell liquor to their patrons, many of them both day and night. If you are so very anxious that the law should be strictly kept, how is it that you cannot see these things stopped and also that both Oakwood and Little Britain houses are not only sell-

aware of the fact. It seems also strange that only ones persecuted are known friends of the Ontario government. Several of our friends are anxious the memory clings, though it may be but humble, espacially if the parents, in addition of temporal neccessito know why this is as we are determined that equal justice must be dealt to all or we shall have to take steps to bring the matter before higher authorities. The so-called temperance houses would also be the Give equal justice to all, and merit the approval of the public, which I am sorry to say you do not pos-sess at present. I send you this privately, as I do

not wish to make any charges in the press at present.

Pro Bono Publico. Continuing, Magistrate McIntyre said it was about time that sort of thing should stop; he knew—and citizens generally were of the same opinion—that Inspector Short tries to do his duty conscientiously, and never pressed a case unless he had reasonable proof of wrong-doing. He was constantly watched and his movements reported to the hotelkeepers, and when he entered a case found it almost impossible A. Jackson, G. W. Milis, J. Maunder and Mayor Smyth being present. ing out for prohibition; how on earth could it be enforced when even now people training your children. Will you neglect aid the hotelkeepers in their attempts to to evade the law. The reference to politics or will you earn the commendation of in the letter was unjust, as Inspector Short does not permit himself to be swayed by his political leanings when performing his

> West Victoria Farmers Institute. The opening meeting of the West Victoria Farmers' Institute will be held in the council chamber, Lindsay, on Friday next, Dec. 11th, beginning at 1.15 p m., and the sessions promise to be extremely interest-ing. Messrs. Thos. A. Daff, A. McNeill and A. Elliott, from the Guelph Agricultural College, will give addresses on various subjects pertinent to the farmer, and several papers will be presented by well-known local men. Music and songs will enliven the evening session. It is to be hoped that the farmers of the district well attend to larger numbers than her

North Ops Cheese Factory. The annual meeting of the patrons and stockholders of North Ops cheese factory was held on Monday last at one o'clock, when Mr. John Jackson, secretary-treasurer, read the report of the season's opera-tions, which is given below:

Amount of cheese manufactured 35,700 lbs. Average number of lbs, of milk to pound Paid for manufacturing \$ 357 09 Paid for drawing Paid for market weighing

County Council Divisions. As many people appear to be in the dark regarding the partition of the townships

Division No. 2 comprises the town of Lindsay and polling sub-divisions 1 and 2, Division No. 3 comprises polling sub-

divisions 3, 4, 5 and 6, Ops, east of the Sougog river, the township of Emily and the village of Omemee. Division No. 4 comprises the townships of Verulam and Somerville, and the village of Bobesygeon.

Division No. 5 comprises the townships of Fenelon, Bexley, Laxton, Digby, Long-

ford, and the village of Fenelon Falls, Division No. 6 comprises the townships of Eldon, Carden and Dalton, and the Styx," by John Kendrick Bangs. village of Woodville. Nominations will be held on Dec. 21st, does not convey a very clear idea to the but voting takes place on the same day as the municipal elections. As two representatives will be elected to the district will be elected to the est as it proceeds. It has the same exhibitions will be elected to the reader's mind, but the story gathers interest as it proceeds. the municipal elections. As two represen-tatives will be elected in each division,

voters will receive two ballots, which they may mark for one candidate if they prefer Of Interest to Farmers. The annual meeting of the Dominion Cattle Breeders' Association will be held in Guelph on Monday, Tuesday, Wednes-

day and Thursday of next week. The sessions will be held in the city hall, and the first session will begin at 7.30 p.m.

The annual meeting of the Dominion
Sheep Breeders' Association will take

SPECIAL ANNIVERSARY SERVICES

Rev. Mr. Shorey at the Baptist Church. Sunday was observed at the Baptist church with special anniversary services. Rev. S. J. Shorey preached in the morning, taking for his text a phrase from Matt. 6:10; "Thy will be done." Some people say that every event in the world is the will of God, but there are many things that are permitted by Him that He by no means approves. He made man the lord of creation and made him a free agent, but although created in God's likeness, man has followed courses diverse to God's way. and many of the events of our life are the outcome of the divergence of the human finally acknowledged having obtained a race from the course God planned for it. He might with justice have said that mon had neglected or spurned all his offers of help and guidance and should bear the

ring to the case; that officer very often received anonymous letters, some conveying threats and others upbraiding him for From the ants he drew the lesson forethought, and showed how it could be applied not only to business but to control of the tongue, of actions, of temper and of temptation. Then from the conies he showed that like as they, though not provided by nature with means of defence, The fourth, the spider, he quoted as an example of industry, weaving webs in kings' palaces as well as on the grass or weeds at the wayside. Wherever the spiders find fitting places and opportunity they set promptly to work and repair damage done to their webs time after time with apparently undiminished vigor. Life is no play time, but inevitably brings toll and care, and these thoughts from the wisest man that ever was will be helps to

> At the evening services Rev. C. E. Mc-Leod, of the Gilmour Memorial church, preached from Hebrews 11; 23: The earthly home is always a place to which tion to the provision of temporal neccessities, endesvor to bring up the children in the fear of God. From references in other parts of the bible it appears that part, if not the majority, of the Israelites gave way to idolatry while in Egypt. But the home of Amram and Jochebed was evidently dictated to the worship of the true God; how else could there have come three such characters as Moses, Asron and Miriam. Those years of his early life dur-ing which Moses was under his mother's care by order of the princess, were what enabled him to resist temptation, remain true to God, and be prepared for the great task the Lord had for him to de. So in the present day, in our Canada, women, who shall be good citizens and servants of God, or are leading them into paths of doubts and danger. Men and "Well done, thou good ond faithful servant." Mr. McLeod closed his sermon with an appeal to young people not to despise the guidance and advice of godly parents, and as they take their way out into the world to go "strong in the strength which God supplies through his

met for tea in the schoolroom, and afterwards adjourned to the church, where the pastor presided at a public meeting. After opening services Mr. R. Kennedy was called upon for a sketch of the history of will attend in larger numbers than has beseting young people and the value of resisting and avoiding them. A song by Mr. W. H. Coomb's followed, and that was succeeded by a recitation from Ben Hur by Miss Maud Whiteside, A.T.C.M. The portion selected was a conversation between Ben Hur and Iris, the Egyptian. It need scarcely be said that she held the audience in a state of breathless interest. The next item was the important one, the collection, prefaced by a few remarks from the chairman. A solo, "The Plains of Peace," was next rendered by Miss Ella Gross in a charming manner, after which Mr. McLeod, of the Gilmour Memorial church, addressed the meeting. A few words each from Revs. Totten and Macmillan, expressive of the cordial feeling of the pastors of the various denominations toward each other, and their interest in the prosperity of the sister churches, followed, and an anthem by the choir

On Monday evening the congregation

brought the meeting to a close. Telegraph Poles Wanted. H. D. McCaffrey is again in the market

his advertisement on this page. Book Binding Orders for book-binding should be left at this office. It is surprising how nice a volume can be made of these magazines. even though they are somewhat soiled

buying cedar poles for another season. See

from much handling.

Book Chat. -In "Mrs. Cliff's Yacht," Stockton continues the wonderful adventures of Capt. Horn, The book is most delightful reading.

-Harper's Weekly announces for 1897 serials by Miss E. Wilkes and E. F. Ben--Du Maurier's title, "The Martian,"

aration of style as Trilby. -Dr. G. L. Mackay's "From Far Formosa" has already run to its third edition. The honors among recent missionary books are being divided between it and "A Cycle of Cathay" by Dr. W.A.P.

-Mr. Coulson Kernahan is not very well-known in America yet, but the Eag-lish papers and critics speak very highly of him; 40,000 copies of his book, "God and the Ant," have been sold, and its sequel, "The Child, the Wise Man and the Devil,"

has run up to 20,000 already. -In 'Heather from the Brae,' the Revell Co. gathered a series of David Lyall's stories and gave them to a public largely unacquainted with their author. Hadder & Stoughton have brought out another and more complete edition under

drain from their houses.

I would recommend that the council uncover the drain and use it as an open drain between Albert and Cambridge sta, thereby preventing the concentration of the Bond st, flith at the Cambridge-st. end of this closed drain. A sanitary system of disposing of sewage is necessary to secure public health, and in the absence of such a system the council should not slowed one citizen to convey his sewage through a closed drain and deposit it at the front door of his neighbor.

I would also suggest that the Kent-st, sewer be extended into the river, and that flush tanks be placed in the catch basins, so that the sewer can be used for what it was originally intended.

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