# Che Expositor.

"Measures, not Sten."

ORILLIA, 9th JAN., 1873.

## DEATH OF NAPOLEON!

(By special Telegram)

The Ex-Emperor Napoleon died at Chiselhurst, this morning at 12:20 o'clock. Household in deepest distress. Empress inconsolable.

#### MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

ORILLIA. On Monday last, though quiet, the election was keenly contested, and a strong feeling of excitement was manifest. For the Reeveship, Mr. Sutherland maintained the lead from the poll opened until noon, when Mr. Quinn turned the majority, and kept steadily advancing until at the close he was twenty ahead. From an early hour it was evident that the Councillors would be Messrs, Booth, Wainwright, Bailey, and Kean. The following is a statement of the number of votes polled by each candidate:

For Reeye-Quinn, 117; Sutherland, 97. For Councillors-Booth, 129; Bailey, 128; Wainwright, 128; 71; Wilson, 80; Vick, 61.

At the close of the poll the several dressed the electors, thanking their supporters, and promising to "bury the hatchet" for another year. So mote it be.

ORILLIA AND MATCHEDASH. In this township the Reeve, John Regan, Esq., was elected by acclabet ween Plunkett and Lovering resulting in the return of the latter by a majoriry of eight votes. Everything passed of in the most quiet and orderly manner. The number of votes polled for each candidate were as follows:-Trimble, 144; 88; and Plunkett, 80.

MARA.

Reeve, Philip McRae, Esq., Deputy-Reeve, J. P. Foley. Councillors, Messrs. McPhee, McDonald and Hannon.

TOWNSHIP OF MACAULAY.

Mr. R. E. Perry, Reeve, by acclamation; Councillors, Messrs M Moore, James, Tookey, J. Cooper, and W. Kirk.

BARRIE.

Mr. Boys elected Mayor by a majority of sixty over Mr. Simpson, the former Mayor. Deputy Reeves: -Burton and Sewrey. The Councillors for St. Andrew's Ward are Rawson, Ross and Sullivan; St. Patrick's Ward, Messrs. Seels, Ball, and Hickling; St. George's Ward, Messrs. D. ment, Anderton and Mis-.campbell were returned by acclamation. There was great excitement

MEDONTE. Mr. Wm. N. Rutledge elected to the Reeveship, by a majority of 90:-Fitzgerald elected to Deputy-Reeveship by acclamation; Messis. Craig, Lovering, and Duddy, Councillors.

ston, Deputy-Reeve; Thos. Edmondson, James Robertson, and John T. Partridge, Councillors.

MUSKOKA TOWSNHIP. Reeve, J. P. Cockburn, by acclamation; Councillors, J. T. Kirkpatrick, Thos. Jones, W. H. Taylor, and Thos Featherstone.

THORAH.

Chas. Robinson, Reeve; Donald Ross, Jas. Cameron, Chas. Galloway, and Duncan Gillespie, Councillors. MORRISON.

J. H. Jackson, Reeve, by acclama-For Councillors-McClelland, 49; McCormick, 47; Canning, 38; Robinson, 37; Wianko, 14; Clipsham,

A CHILD was found dead in bed at Midland, on the 2nd inst. Coroner Dr. Spohn was sent for, but on his arrival, and after hearing the circumstances of the case, he did not

consider an inquest necessary. A NEW line of ocean steamers to run between Montreal and Quebec and ports in France and in the Mediterrean, will commence to run in the spring. Two steamers, of 1,000 for this trade, to be named the Montreal and the Toronto. This would be a great benefit to the trade now existing between the ports named.

CHEESE MANUFACTURE.-A Kingston paper says the different factories and companies which are rapiply increasing in number and influence, will, before the advent of spring, make active preparations for the more extensive manufacture of cheese during the summer of 1873. The results of the past have proved beyond question that cheese making is a profitable business to all interested, and the trade has commanded tario and Quebec, and has commenced its a popularity among the farming operations. community which cannot fail to secure for the movement a hearty support. Further, it is a most gratifying fact to Canadians to know spect are preferred in the English market. We hope that the manufacture of cheese will occupy the atmore than it has hitherto done.

#### CNTARIO LECISLATURE.

SPEECH FROM THE THRONE.

the Province of Ontario, proceeded in State to the Chamber of the Legislative Assembly and, being seated on the throne, was pleased to open the Second Session of the Second Parliament of the Province of Ontario, with the following Speech:-Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legisla-

tire Assembly:-I am rejoiced in meeting you again to deliberate on the affairs of the Province, I am able to congratulate you on the continued prosperity which the Province has

enjoyed during the past year. We have now had six years' experience of the working of the great measure of Confederation, which the people of Upper Canada frankly accepted, and from which they anticipated much advantage, and I am confident you will agree with me that their expectations have in a large measurebeen realised. In some of its details the Act of Union may have done less than justice to this Province, and incidents to be regretted may have occurred, as in the first establishment of all new constitutions; yet the general effect on the local affairs of Ontario has been eminently beneficial. The administration of our local affairs is now in our own hands; and our revenue has enabled us, without taxation, not only to defray all the charges of the Provincial Government, and pa afford essential aid to numerous railway enterprises and other public works and improvements, but also to accumulate a surplus, now amounting to

more than four millions of dellars. The policy to be pursued with reference to the surplus, will doubtless engage your attention during the present session. Kean, 120; Wallace, 106; Tudhope, hope that the existence of this fund will enable you to place on a satisfactory footing the debts owing to the Municipal Loan Fund, and at the same time to do Justice | Sabbath School, and in the welfare of candidates, elected and defeated, ad- to the rest of the Province. I earnestly recommend to your attention such measures for these purposes as may be laid be-

which, during last session, you approved showing our esteem for you in a visible vigour. Some of these Railways have of the accompanying present, trusting when been so far completed that they are now | you look on it, you will think upon your open for traffic; and extensive sections of little flock in the wilderness, and that you secured permanent Railway facilities which to the throne of Grace, even amidst the on their industial interests. The claims know that your labour here has not been of other railways will be presented to you unfruitful, and can say that if any of us during the present session. I hope it will fall by the sword, it will not be because be found that, without an unhealthy stimu- we were not faithfully warned, as we can lus being given to railway enterprise, and all testify that you have not shunned to without unwise expenditure on the part | declare unto us the whole counsel of God. of municipal corporations, every part of | We hope that where you are going. God will Harvie 137; Thomson, 129; Lovering, the Province may, at no distant period, continue to be with you, and that the seed obtain the railway facilities adapted to its sown by you may fall on good ground, requirements.

The benefits which have arisen from | honor and glory of God, through his Son aiding the drainage of swamp and wet our Saviour. That you may have a long lands in different parts of the province, and successful career of usefulness, and points to the advisability of your consid- that Mrs. Sanderson and yourself may ering further provisions for bringing, by | have health and prosperity, is the sincere this means, into profitable cultivation an ex tended area of valuable land.

In the recess, I have adopted additional means for promoting an increased immigration of agricultural labourers and others into the Province; and I am happy to say that I have reason to believe that the means taken will have valuable results during the ensuing season.

I recommend to your careful consideration measures which will be laid before in the presentation of this very beautiful you for the improvement of our educa- and choice gift. It is worthy of being tional justitutions; by providing additional | highly esteemed on account of its intrinsic means for obtaining a sufficient number of | value; but its preciousness is increased an competent trained reachers; giving in- hundred fold by the motives and feelings creased efficiency to the Council of Public | which prompted you to bestow it. Ishall Instruction; and making various amend- ever regard it as a memorial of the kindments which experience has shown to be ness, love and gratitude of a deeply atdesirable in our School Law.

ing the Technological College, for which | most happy to convey your thanks and the Legislature has already made provi- good wishes concerning her, which we both sion; and a Bill for giving to the Gradu- heartily appreciate. My heart's desire ates of the Provincial University a direct and prayer to God for you is that you may Mr. Kean they had got an energetic and influence in its management, are other | be built up still more and more; that God educational measures to which your at- will send you one who will come in "the tention will be called.

Asylum for the Deaf and Dumb, and of with the Church of the first-born above." the Asylum for the Blind, will be submitted for your consideration. No provision has hitherto been mede in this Province John C. Steele, Reeve; Jas. John- for the training of idiot and imbecile children-a class which, I regret to learn, is numerous enough to re quire on the part of the Legislature the same sttention which afflicted classes of the populat. on. Experience in other countries having shown, by proper means, the condition of these children may be greatly ameliorated, I recommend their case to your humane con-

I recommend to your attention the propriety of adding to the Institutions under the Government care, an Inebriate Asylum, where those unfortunate persons who by long indulgence in habits of intemperance have lost their self-control, may have an opportunity of being restored by proper restraints and influences to the

position of useful members of society. There will likewise be submitted for your attention, measures for promoting the better administration of justice in the Courts of the Province ; for giving increased efficiency to the law for the trial of controverted elections; and for consclidating and amending the laws relative to our municipal institutions.

Since we last met, negotiations have lot may be cast. taken place between the Dominion Government and myself on the subject of the Northern and Western boundaries of the Northern and Western boundaries of the Province. The correspondence will be laid before you. Meanwhile, I have directed investigations to be made which were necessary to the establishment of the rights of Ontario, and a mass of evidence in favour of the boundaries claimed by Ontario has been accumulated, which will, tons each are being specially built I hope, prove abundantly sufficient to secure a favourable result.

The Government of Quebec still maintains its objections to the award of the arbitrators appointed under the Act of Confederation for the settlement of allquestions arising between the two Provinces; and the Government of the Dominion having declined to recognize the award until its validity shall be determined by some competent tribunal, I have endeavoured to expedite the preliminary proceedings necessary to bring the matter before the Privy Council in England. Some progress to this end has been made, and I hope no obstacle will be found to prevent a satisfactory decision being arriv-

ed at during the present year. A Joint Commission has been appointed for surveying the boundary between On-

will learn with satisfaction that the reve-

ed surplus previously in hand. The Estimates for the present year will tention of the farmers of this locality be submitted to yeu. You will find that they have been framed with every regard sature. - Office Free Press.

to economy compatible with the efficiency of the public service.

I now leave you to your important duties, in full confidence that you will ap-Yesterday at three o'clock p. m., His ply yourselves to the performance of them Excellency the Honourable William Pearce | with patriotism and earnestness. May the Howland, C. B., Lieutenant-Governor of Almighty Ruler of all so guide your deing the prosperity and happiness of our

The Speaker afterwards took the chair The usual routine motions having been introduced by the Attorney-General, and adopted, the House adjourned.

#### PRESENTATION.

At a meeting held at Bethesda Congre gational Church, Oro, on the 6th inst. the Rev. J. G. Sanderson was presented with an address, and a very beautiful massive gold Watch, on the occasion of his leaving his present sphere of labour, for the city of Ottawa. The address and watch were presented by Thos. McLeod, Esq., and Silas Locke, Esq., Deacons, in the name of the Rugby, Oro, and Vespra Congregational Churches. Mr. McLood read the Address as follows:-

" To the Rev. J. G. Sanderson: "REV. AND DEAR SIR, - We, the membersof the Rugby, Oro and Vespra Churches, to whom you have ministered faithfully for so long a time, deeply regret that you feel it to be your duty to leave us, although we cannot but acknowledge that you have fully earned the right to doso; and t would be selfish in us to try and prevent your departure to a field where the tax on your physical energies will not be so severe. You have remained with us from infancy. as it were, to manhood, and we can say in all sincerity that you have preached Christ faithfully to us. We would also take this for the interest she has taken in the Rugby trust you will convey to herour best wishes for her temporal and eternal happiness. The works on nearly all the Railways to We feel that we cannot let you go without bringing forth fruit an hundred fold to the prayer of the three churches lately under your care. 'The Lord bless thee, and keep thee. The Lord make His face shine upon Lord lift up his countenance upon thee and give thee peace."

MR. SANDERSON'S REPLY. My dear Friends: "I very heartily appreciate your kindness tached people, with whom I have lived Bills for the consolidation of the Public | and laboured so happily for many years. and High School Laws; a Bill for regulat- On behalf of Mrs. Sanderson, I shall be fulness of the blessing of the gospel of Measures for the management of the Christ," and that we may meet at last

## PRESENTATION.

Mr. W. E. Fletcher was made the recipient of a beautiful Meerschaum pipe, accompanied by the following address, prehas already been usefully given to other paratory to his leaving Toronto, for Orillia, where he now is in the employ of Mr. G. M. Wilson:-

> "DEAR SIR,-It is with sincere regret that we learn you are about to depart from amongst us. During the time you have resided in this city, we have always found you the same kind, generous, and genial friend, both as a fellow-boarder and your gentlemanly and courteous conduct in your business capacity. We are sure your late employers regret losing the services of such a valuable and useful servant; and we trust and hope that those whose services you are about to enter, will reciprocate the knowledge and aid you are sure tion, people, enterprise, prospects, &c. to bring to their business. As a slight token of our good will and esteem, we beg your acceptance of the accompanying meerschaum pipe, not for its intrinsic value. but in remembrance of the many kind and sincere friends you have left here; whose good wishes will follow you wherever your

DAVID STOREY. HENRY HARTLEY, ROBT. RAYMOND, W. H. McDougall, THOS. KEELE, THOS. MILBURN,

P. B. DAVENPORT." . Toronto, Dec. 26th, 1872.

## MAGISTRATES' COURT

A sittings of the Court was held on Tuesday, 7th January, 1873. Present,-Esqs. Joseph How, James Beel, and William Slee, for drunkenness, were each fined \$1 and costs. G. M. Wilson fined \$3 and costs, for obstructing the side-walk. T. F. Ellis, three charges of a like offence, resulted in fines and costs to the amount Mississaga and Peter Streets, with rubbish and building material, fined \$1 and costs.

W. N. RUTLEDGE, Reeve of Medonte, is said to be a candidate for the Wardenship.

THE editor of the Orillia Expositor Chairman. gives expression to the belief that his brother editor of the Packet will, after more mature reflection, etc., etc., anent I have given directions that the Public certain matters, "blush to the tips of his songs by Messrs. Thomas Taylor, J. J. Accounts shall be laid before you. You ears." This we fear can never be. The Hatley, Thos. Goffatt, Sr., and C. Moore. quantity of the vital fluid required to be sum estimated; that the expenditure has abstracted from the body of the Packet Queen" and dispersed, at an early hour. that their productions in this re- fallen short of the amount anticipated; man, and propelled to the summit of his and that a considerable addition has, in auricular appendage, in order to get up a consequence, been made to the accumulat- first-class blush, would be so great that a with delight from month to month. The collapse and speedy death would surely January number contains eight pieces of follow such a revulsion of the laws of excellent new music. Price 30 cts. J. L.

#### COMPLIMENTARY SUPPER

On Monday evening, the friends and supporters of H. M. Sutherland, Esq., entertained him at an oyster supper at the "Queen's." There were about eighty liberations that they may result in promot present. Mr. G. M. Wilson occupied the Tuesday. chair. The "Queen" and "Governor-General," were drunk with the usual hon-

> In proposing the toast of the evening, the Chairman expressed confidence that, though defeated now, Mr. Sutherland would next year be elected Reeve. He eulogised Mr. Sutherland's ability and energy as a municipal officer, and condemned the apathy shown by Mr. Quinn in reference to the new county movement. He thought that if elected Mr. Sutherland could have done more for the Village. He proposed "Our Guest." The toast was received with three times three cheers. H. M. Sutherland, Esq., expressed his

thanks for the entertainment, and for the manner in which those present received the toast. He did not feel discouraged by a defeat which he attributed to having entered the field too late, whon many who would other wise have supported him had promised to vote for Mr. Quinn. Now that he had announced his intention of being a candidate for the Reeceship in 1874, several of those who voted against him this year had come forward and offered him their support next election. He hoped that whatever had been said or done during the contest would cause no ill-will, but that all would forgive and forget. The question of a new county was of great importance opportunity of thanking Mrs. Sanderson both to Orillia and the townships which so far away from their respective our young people generally. We are County Towns as to cause serious loss and sorry that she is not with us to-night, but inconvenience to the settlers. He was prepared to go throughout the proposed new County and acrocate the project. There was no doubt that if properly conof giving aid, have been prosecuted with | manner, and therefore begyour acceptance | ducted, the Provisional County would be set apart during the present Session. He denied having either directly or indirectly mation. There was a close contest the country have, by means of your grants, will sometimes remember usiny our prayers dragged politics into the contest. The man who does so has more at heart than already exercise a most salutary influence excitement and bustle of a city life. We the prosperity of the place. He regretted that Mesers. Wilson and Tudhope had been defeated. On the other hand, the election of Mr. Wainwright, one of the year returned by the vote of the returning officer, but this time stood second to head of the poll, was a gratifying proof that his (Mr. Sutherland's) defeat had not been a condemnation of his course in the Council, since his views had generally coincidedwith those of Mr. Wainwright, and they had acted together upon all the important questions which came up last year. He concluded by expressing the hope that his thee, and be gracious unto thee. The public course in the future would be such as to earn the commendation of his friends Mr. Thomas Taylor, of Guelph, sang "Trust to Luck;" which elicited a merited

Mr. W. H. Carpenter, 1st Vice-Chairman, gave "The newly-elected Council." Mr. S. Wainwright regretted that they had lost the services of Mr. Sutherland at the Council Board. He had found that gentleman always ready to support good measures, and to state his opinions freely and fully ; quick in apprehending the true position of a question, and ready in action. A man in whom he could trust, and who would do what was right. He hoped to see Mr. Sutherland elected next year. In useful Councillor. He thanked the company for the compliment they had paid

Mr. F. Kean requested his constituents to let him know their wants, and, if right, he would endeavour to bring them through Mr. Wm. Tuchope, being called upon said he appeared, not as a member of the newly elected Council, but as a defeated candidate. And he did not regret that this was so, since the position was not one for which he was anxious. Mr. Sutherland, though defeated at the polls, was not defeated in the hearts of the people.

"The Council of Orillia and Matchedash" Mr. Wm. Trimble, 2nd Vice-Chairman, responded, and afterwards proposed "The Mercantile Interests." Mr. Wm. Ramsay responded.

gave an eloquent reply. He was highly pleased with Orillia, its picturesque situa-

"Our Mercantile Interests." Dr. Slaven was frequently called upon to respond for the army, navy, volunteers, medical profession, and various other toasts, but thought they had now hit upon the right one. He was amerchant, and felt proud of being connected with the mercantile interests of a town so enterprising as Orillia.

Messrs. G. M. Wilson, F. Kenn, J. B. Thompson, W. R. Tudhope and George Clarke, also responded.

"The Professions." Dr. Ramsay and S. S. Robinson responded.

Mr. James Tudhope, 3rd Vice-Chair-A. King, D. L. Sanson and A. J. Alport, | man, proposed the "Agricultural Interest" to which Mr. Sutherland, as Secretary of the Agricultural Society, was called upon to respond. He stated that the Agricultural Society of Orillia, as well as the agricultural interests of North Simcoe, is rising in importance. It was perhaps not of \$16.75. Oliver & Co., for obstructing generally known that, according to the returns to the Department of Agriculture, this County raises more wheat to the acre than any other in the Province.

Mr. T. H. Tebbs, and four other young bachelors, gallantly responded for "The Ladies," proposed by Dr. Slaven, 4th Vice

"The Press." Dr. Ramsay and Mr. P. Murray responded. The proceedings were enlivened with

The company sang "God Save the PRTERS' MUSICAL MONTHLY is bailed

## Tocal Matters.

FINE sleighing.

Boys improve every chance for coasting. THE PUBLIC SCHOOL was re-opened on SINGLE copies of THE EXPOSITOR, five

KEEP one eye on your wood pile, the

other on a thermometer. NEVER order goods out of town when

you can get just as good at home. PERSONAL -Mr. C. H. Kermott, lately of this town, has commenced business in Barrie,

Cows steal many a mouthful of hay and straw from sundry country sleds on our

THE weather during the post week has been remarkable for sudden and frequent changes. THE Midland Railway Company runs

two trains each day between Orillia and Port Hope. THE Packet has not been nearly so witty since the Hamilton Spectator discontinued

its currency. SEVERAL more fines for obstructing sidewalks. This amusement appears to be

Cool Burgess' Variety Troupe have engaged the Temperance Hall for Wednesday, 22nd inst.

getting expensive.

and warns them not delay settlement beyond the present week. VILLAGE and township Councils mee

THE tax collector is after the dilator y

on Monday 20th. The County Council will assemble on Tuesday, 28th inst. WHEELER & REDMOND'S Minstrels will

exhibit in the Temperance Hall, on Thursday and Friday evenings of next week. THE annual Meeting of Orillia Union Agricultural Society will be held on Mon-

day next, at the Albion, at one o'clock. SINGLE copies of THE EXPOSITOR can be obtained at Cooke Bros'., J. J. Hind's, or at the office of publication. Price 5 cts. MANUFACTURES. - We trust the new

soundest men in the Council, who was last the encouragement of new manufacturing enterprises here. Congregational -Rev. Mr. Manshea will preach in Rugby at half-past ton, at

Bethesds Church, Oro, at two, and Ves-

Council will devise some liberal scheme for

pra at six, on Sunday next. THE skating rink is closed every Wednesday and Saturday, and open to the public on other evenings. The rink has been re-flooded, and is in good order.

SLEIGH BELLS. - Parties driving through our streets, without bells, should be introduced to the Magistrates, for a lesson upon their duty to their neighbours.

A PALACE PARLOUR CAR has been attached to the train leaving Orillia for Toronto at 5:10 a. m.; and on the train leaving Toronto for the north at 3:45 p. m.

Pugilistic.-There was some fighting at the "Queen's" on Monday evening. Considerable loud talking, nobody hurt, and -where was our efficient police force?

FULFILLED. -The prediction of our Ottawa correspondent, that the Star would not live long, has been fulfilled already. After twinkling two weeks, its light went out forever. THE subject of establishing a training

school for idiots at Orillia, in the building

formerly used as an insane asylum, is under consideration by the Government .-Guelph Mercury. Boys, be careful about stealing a ride by "catching on sleighs." A boy in town

had his leg broken, a few days ago, by being caught by another sleigh passing the one to which he was clinging. INSTALLATION .- The Sons of Temperance will hold a public installation of the

officers for the present quarter, on Tuesday evening next. Doors open at eight o'clock. Members are requested to attend at seven, sharp.

COLD COMFORT. - Late one night last of which we could gather no particulars. week, an unfortunate wretch, while drunk, crept into the hall of Booth's Block, to "The Lumbering Interest." Mr. Jaynes | sleep. He lay upon the hard floor until morning, with no covering but his ordinary clothes.

New Paper.-We are informed that

Mr. E. D. Hand, who lately sold the Bobcaygeon Independent, is about starting a new paper at Fenelon Falls. It will be called the Gazette. We wish Mr. Hand's | Committee have made arrangements for new venture success. NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. - Cheap Meals

Agricultural Meeting; Manitoba Intelli gence; Beaverton Letters Uncalled for; Estray, 2; Jewellery; January Sale; and Morrison Council. Read these, and look out for more next week.

N. R. COUNTY SIMCOR AGRICULTURAL Seciety. - The Annual meeting of th above Society takes place on Wednesday, the 15th., at the Queen's Hotel, Barrie, at 2 o'clock, p. m., for the election of officers, and other business.

PRIMITIVE METHODIST CHURCH.-The subject of the sermon on Sunday evening next, by the Rev. H. Parrish, will be "The Handwriting on the wall; or, the Doom of a Wicked King." Service in the Temperance Hall, morning and evening. DRUNK .- On Sunday afternoon, as the

congregation were leaving one of the Churches, a drunken individual was pursuing a devious course along Peter st. He blamed the snow; but some thought such evidence of the evil traffic should be abthe week.

Wednesday evening, and resolved to cele- stead of Messrs, World and Wainwright. brate the Burns Anniversary, 25th inst., The Board now consists of the aboveby a Concert and Soirce, in the Temper- named gentlemen, and Messrs. Wallace, ance Hall. The Committee appointed to Henderson, Evans, and Dr. Elliott. We carry out this resolution will meet to-mor- might just hint that these meetings would row evening, and particulars will be pub- be larger, and more interest shown in our lished in a few days.

that Mr. H. M. Sutherland will shortly | two or three written notices is all the effort Peters, Publisher, 199 Breadway, N. Y.

start on a tour of inspection of the leading manufactories of this province, preparatory than heretofore. Let Orillia flourish! and to this end it should not be forgotten that manufactories are its life-blood.

Ber.-A gentleman who attested his confidence in Mr. Sutherland's return by a bet of an oyster supper, entertained a party of about thirty at the Midland Hotel on Wednesday evening. He will perhaps agree with us that it would be wiser to refrain from risking bets upon a thing so uncertain as an election contest until it is

Some of the cars of the construction train on the Midland Railway ran off the track, north of Beaverton, yesterday, preventing the afternoon express from coming through to Orillia. The construction train, except the engine and tender, was completely wrecked. Fortunately, the occupants of the van, a number of navvies, escaped unharmed.

ANNIVERSARY SERMON .- On Sunday afternoon, Rev. John Gray delivered his annual sermon, or address, to the children of the Presbyterian Sabbath School. The remarks of the Reverend gentleman were well adapted to his little auditors, and neither uninteresting nor uninstructive to their elders, of whom there were a good number present.

BANQUET .- At a meeting held at the "Queen's" Hotel on Saturday evening, a strong committee was chosen to get up a Banquet to the Midland Railway Co. Mr. George J. Booth was appointed Chairman; prompted you in the matter, that the two Mr. D. L. Sanson Treasurer, and Mr. John | caddies of tea in question are still where C. McMullen Secretary. The Committee | they were put in my boot and shoe store, met last evening, and found there was over \$200 already subscribed, and after making arrangements for a further canvass of the to him. It is possible that the same party village, they adjourned until Friday even-

local editor of the Ottawa Free Press, was in town on Tuesday, en route to Newmarket, where he goes to take control of the Courier. We wish him success in his new field of labour. By the way, Mr. Fox is here, just in the same condition as when an earnest temperance worker, and Enterprising Temple, of Ottawa, passed a resolution of acknowledgement for his valued services to the cause, expressing also their high esteem for his personal qualities, on the eve of his departure from that city.

OBDINATION. - The Lord Bishop of To rento held an Ordination on Sunday morn ing last, in St. Andrew's Church, Grimsby, when the Rev. William Newton, Ph. D., Missionary at Lake Rosseau, was admitted to the order of Priests. The Ordina tion Sermon was preached by the Bishop from Romans, 10th chap., 14th and 15th verses, "How then shall they call on Him. in whom they have not believed? And how shall they believe in Him of whom they have not heard? And how shall they hear without a preacher? And how shall they preach except they be sent ?"

ELECTION TRICES .- There are rumours of "sharp" dodges by over zealous supporters of both parties to prevent oppo nents from polling their votes, on Monday last. We cannot ascertain certainly what truth there is in these reports, but if there be any, we hope such unfair practices will be frowned down by all respectable men, and if any attempt be made to repeat them on another occasion, that the guilty parties will be punished. We do not believe any of the candidates for Reeve or Councillors would for a moment countenance such unlawful methods of securing their election.

CHURCH OPENING. - The Primitive Methodists have opened a new Church on the 10th Concession of Oro. The dedicatory sermons were preached on Sunday, 29th by W. & W. G. Bingham. ultimo, by the Rev. H. Parrish, of Orillia. There were good congregations morning and evening. A Tea-meeting held on New Year's Day was well attended. At the public meeting afterward, the chair was occupied by Mr. Thomas Edmonson, and addresses were given by the Rev. H. Parrish, and Rev. W. Nixon, Pastor, There was also a Social on Friday evening last,

Y.M.C.A.-The Directors of the Young Men's Christian Association are requested to meet at their rooms, Booth & Corbett's | Office. Block, on Saturday evening, at a quarter past eight o'clock. The business meeting of the Association will be held on Monday evening, in the same place, at half-past seven. We hope there will be a good at- low prices. tendance of members and friends. The opening a reading room immediately, and as this will require considerable outlay, they will solicit contributions from the townspeople. As the object is most philanthropic, the appeal should be generously responded to.

WEEK OF PRAYER. - Prayer meetings are being held every evening during the present week, in the Wesleyan and Presbyterian Churches alternately, by Rev. Dr. Fowler and Rev. John Gray. The programme for the two remaining evenings of the week is as follows: - Friday -- Prayer for Mankind; the circulation of the Holy Scriptures, and the spread of pure literature; for the overthrow of tyranny and oppression; for the removal of every form of Antichrist, for all prisoners and captives. Saturday-Prayer for Sunday Schools; for Missonary, Tract, and other religious societies; for the increase of missonaries, and for the removal of hindrances to the spread of the gospel, and the conversion of the world. SCHOOL MEETING. -The Acnual School Meeting for the election of Trustees, &c.,

was held yesterday and better attended sent from our streets at least one day of than usual. The report of the Trustees was adopted. Mr. Thos. Dallas and Dr. THE Orillia St. Andrew's Society met on | Sanderson were elected Trustees, in the PERSONAL .- We are pleased to learn time and place were given. Posting up

the trustees make to acquaint the people with these facts, and the result is the mato re-entering business on a larger scale jority are only reminded of the return of the time for holding the school meeting by reading a very short report of the proceedings. We had no reporter there for

THE Ottaws Board of Public School Trustees have prepared a petition to be presented to the Ontario Legislature, asking that the Collegia'e Institute and High School Boards be elected by the people: that those higher institutions be prevented from having preparatory classes, because of its impairing the efficiency of the common schools; that the high schools be controlled directly by a general board, in conjunction with the public school trustees, to be elected annually.

THE LAKE marine of the United States shows 1548 vessels of about 260,000 tons; this is only about equal to the tonnage owned by a single city of the Dominion, viz., St. John, N. B. We believe St. John owns more ships than any other city in North America.

#### CORRESPONDENCE.

[Our columns are open to all matters of pubinterest. We do not hold ourselves as responsible for, or endorsing, the opinions of our

Editor of THE EXPOSITOR :-

Sir,-In answer to a question which appeared in your paper a week or two ago, as to some boxes of tea that came into my possession at the late fire, I have to inform you, and those busy bodies who for identification, and the moment the rightful owner gives proof of his claims, the goods will be handed over may wish you to ask through your next issue, why I did not advertise them. If necessary I can answer that also. A PERSONAL .- Mr. George H. Fox, late few days after the fire I went to the different Merchants, seeking them owner. No one claimed them. Consequently I left them to one side, supposing that the owner would turn up in a day or two. Although no one has claimed them yet, they are still

I trust that this will serve as sufficient notice, so that all who may have the slightest idea of any claim to the goods will come at once and prove their property. JOHN HAMMOND.

Constable, Orillia. Editor of THE EXPOSITOR:

Sir. -- We are proud to hear of the generosity of the new Reeve of Morrison in granting aid to an old, infirm individual, for the big sum of ten dollars. Question, does the Reeve pay it ? I say, yes! PLURER.

THE Session of the Local Parliament opened yesterday.

An exchange tells about a little boy in school who gave one of the best definitions ever given of Economy:-Paring potatoes

Bracebridge has no weigh scales, and the Gazette says the want causes ill-will between the farmers and villagers. Guess work of any kind in business is pnestisfactory, and causes more loss than proper appliances would cost.

# Business Tocals.

Be sure and settle your taxes this week. THE Exchange is almost giving away clothing, making room for spring goods. W. R. TUDROHE is doing a very large business in Sewing Machines. Call and

Axes, Cross-cut Saws, &c., the largest stock in town, at the Sheffield House, next door to the Post office. THE Hardware Emporium will hereafter be known as the Sheffield House,

see his new stock.

G. M. Wilson's January sale is going Woollens and Dress Goods at a sacrifice. Call now and get bargains. ALL parties who have not yet paid their

is determined to put on costs after this G. M. WILSON'S Fashionable Tailoring Establishment is still doing THE business. Clothing made on short notice, and war-

taxes will take notice that the Collector

ranted to give satisfaction. W. & W. G. Bingham are opening a new stock of Cutlery and Electro-plated goods. Call and see their new stock at their new store, next door to the new Post

W. & W. G. BINGHAM are receiving the largest stock of Shelf and Heavy Hardware ever brought to Orillia, and as they now buy only for cash, all old and new customers will receive the advantage of

MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's father, Oro, on the 24th of December, by the Rev. Robert Fairbairn, Mr. Thos. Bayeraft, of Flos, to Kate, second daughter of Mr. John Anderson. At the residence of the bride's father, on Thursday evening, Dec. 26, 1872, by the Rev. W. E. Scovill, M.A., P. H. Stewart, of Toronto, Ontario, Proprietor of the "Ontario Templar," to Miss C. Addie Flewelling, youngest daughter of the Hon. W. P. Flewelling, of Clifton, King's County. New Brunswick. By the Rev. James Dick, of Richmond Hill on the 1st Jan., 1873, Mr. James Taylor, of Beaverton, to Miss Jessie Nicol, daughter of

At Bracebridge, on the 27th ult, the wife of Mr. H. J. McDonald, aged 35 years-At Orillia, on Monday, the 6th inst., Mary Jane Vick, the wife of Mr. J. J. Hind, 45 years.

James Nicol, Esq., York Township.

Mrc. Hind was, in early years, an energetic and prudent co-adjutor of her husband, who was one of the first merchants here. Up to the time her long illness began, and even when able since, she took a foremost part in works of benevolence. Her long illness was borne with Christian resignation. She was beloved and respected by all, young and old, who were acquainted with her. The remains were interred in St. James's Cemetery on Wednesday, and were followed to their last resting place by a

large cortege of sorrewing friends. Suddenly, at Orillia, on Wednesday, 9th inst., Mrs. T. H. Portas, aged 70 year.

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## Agricultural Seciety!

NNUAL MEETING of the Members A of the Orillia Union Agricultural Society, educational affairs, if better notice of the will take place at the "Albion Hotel," on Monday, the 12th Jan., at one o'clock, p.m. H. SUTHERLAND: