

The Expositor.

ORILLIA, 9th JAN., 1878.

DEATH OF NAPOLEON!

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 manifested. 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.

At the close of the poll the several candidates, elected and defeated, addressed 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 acclamation. There was a close contest between Plunkett and Lovering resulting in the return of the latter by a majority of eight votes.

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 Tooke, 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, Bell, and Hickling; St. George's Ward, Messrs. D. ment, Anderson and Mac-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; Messrs. Craig, Lovering, and Duddy, Councillors.

ORO.

John C. Steele, Reeve; Jas. Johnston, Deputy-Reeve; Thos. Edmondson, James Robertson, and John T. Partridge, Councillors.

MUSKOGA TOWNSHIP.

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 acclamation. For Councillors—McClelland, 49; McCormick, 47; Canning, 38; Robinson, 37; Wianko, 14; Clipham, 13.

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 Mediterranean, will commence to run in the spring. Two steamers of 1,000 tons each are being specially built for this trade, to be named the Montreal and the Toronto.

CHEESE MANUFACTURE.—A Kingston paper says the different factories and companies which are rapidly 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 1878. The results of the past have proved beyond question that cheese making is a profitable business to all interested, and the trade has commanded a popularity among the farming community which cannot fail to secure for the movement a hearty support.

ONTARIO LEGISLATURE.

SPEECH FROM THE THRONE.

Yesterday at three o'clock p. m., His Excellency the Honourable William Pearce Howland, C. B., Lieutenant-Governor of 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:—

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 trust your expectations have in a large measure been realized.

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 the local affairs of Ontario has been eminently beneficial. The administration of our local affairs is now in our own hands; and our revenues has enabled us, without taxation, not only to defray all the charges of the Provincial Government, but also to afford essential aid to municipal works and improvements, but also to accumulate a surplus, now amounting to more than four millions of dollars.

The policy to be pursued with reference to the surplus, will doubtless engage your attention during the present session, and I hope you will place on a satisfactory footing the debts owing to the Municipal Loan Fund, and at the same time to do justice to the rest of the Province. I earnestly recommend to your attention such measures for these purposes as may be laid before you.

The works on nearly all the Railways to which, during the last session, you approved of giving aid, have been prosecuted with vigour. Some of these Railways have been so far completed that they are now open for traffic; and extensive sections of the country have, by means of your grant, secured permanent Railways, which will have a most salutary influence on their industrial interests.

The claims of other railways will be presented to you during the present session. I hope it will be found that, without an unhealthy stimulus being given to railway enterprise, and without unwise expenditure of the public money on the construction of lines, every part of the Province may, at no distant period, obtain the railway facilities adapted to its requirements.

The benefits which have arisen from aiding the drainage of swamp and wet lands in different parts of the province, and the advisability of your considering further provisions for bringing, by this means, into profitable cultivation an extended area of valuable land.

In-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 you for the improvement of our educational institutions; by providing additional means for obtaining a sufficient number of competent teachers; giving increased effect to the Council of Public Instruction; and making various amendments which experience has shown to be desirable in our School Law.

Bills for the consolidation of the Public and High School Laws; a Bill for regulating the Technological College, for which the Legislature has already made provision; and a Bill for giving to the Graduates of the Provincial University a direct influence in its management, are other educational measures to which your attention will be called.

Measures for the management of the Asylum for the Deaf and Dumb, and of the Asylum for the Blind, will be submitted for your consideration. No provision has hitherto been made in this Province for the training of idiot and imbecile children—a class which, I regret to say, is numerous enough to require the attention of the Legislature, and the same attention which has already been successfully given to other afflicted classes of the population. Experience in other countries having shown, by proper means, the condition of these children may be greatly ameliorated, I commend their case to your humane consideration.

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 to their former position in society, and of becoming 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 consolidating and amending the laws relative to our municipal institutions.

Since we last met, negotiations have taken place between the Dominion Government and myself on the subject of the Northern and Western boundaries of the Province, and the Government of Ontario has been abundantly sufficient to secure a favourable result. 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 obtained, which will, I hope, prove abundantly sufficient to secure a favourable result.

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 present. Mr. G. M. Wilson occupied the chair. The "Queen" and "Governor-General" were drunk with the usual honours.

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 commended 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, when many who would otherwise have supported him had promised to vote for Mr. Quinn.

Now that he had announced his intention of being a candidate for the Reeveship in 1874, several of those who voted against him this year had come forward and offered him their support next election. He hoped that what- ever 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 both to Orillia and the townships which were so far away from their respective County Towns as to cause serious loss and inconvenience to the settlers. He was prepared to go throughout the proposed new County and advocate the project.

There was no doubt that if properly conducted, the Provisional County would be set apart during the present Session. He denied having either directly or indirectly dragged politics into the contest. The man who does so has more at heart than the prosperity of the place.

He regretted that Messrs. Wilson and Tudhope had been defeated. On the other hand, the election of Mr. Wainwright, one of the soundest men in the Council, who was last 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 coincided with 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 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 encore.

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 Mr. Keen they had got an energetic and useful Councillor. He thanked the company for the compliment they had paid the Council.

Mr. F. Keen requested his constituents to let him know their wants, and, if right, he would endeavour to bring them through Mr. Wm. Tudhope, 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.

"The Lumbering Interest." Mr. Jaynes gave an eloquent reply. He was highly pleased with Orillia, its picturesque situation, people, enterprise, prospects, &c. "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 a merchant, and felt proud of being connected with the mercantile interests of a town so enterprising as Orillia.

Messrs. G. M. Wilson, F. Keen, 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-Chairman, 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 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. Tebbis, and four other young bachelors, gallantly responded for "The Ladies," proposed by Dr. Slaven, 4th Vice Chairman. "The Press." Dr. Ramsay and Mr. P. Murray responded. The proceedings were enlivened with songs by Messrs. Thomas Taylor, J. J. Hasley, Thos. Goffart, Sr., and C. Moore.

The company sang "God Save the Queen" and dispersed, at an early hour. "PETERS' MUSICAL MONTHLY" is hailed with delight from month to month. The January number contains eight pieces of excellent new music. Price 30 cts. J. L. Peters, Publisher, 89 Broadway, N. Y.

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Five sleighing. Boys improve every chance for coasting. THE PUBLIC SCHOOL was re-opened on Tuesday. SINGLE COPIES OF THE EXPOSITOR, five cents each. KEEP ONE EYE ON YOUR WOOL 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. Kermet, lately of this town, has commenced business in Barrie.

Cows steal many a mouthful of hay and straw from sundry country sleds on our streets. THE weather during the past week has been remarkable for sudden and frequent changes.

THE Midland Railway Company runs two trains each day between Orillia and Port Hope. THE Pocket has not been nearly so witty since the Hamilton Spectator discontinued its currency.

SEVERAL more fines for obstructing sidewalks. This amusement appears to be getting expensive. COOL BREWERS' Variety Troupe have engaged the Temperance Hall for Wednesday, 22nd inst.

THE tax collector is after the dilatory, and warns them not delay settlement beyond the present week. VILLAGE and township Councils meet on Monday 20th. The County Council will assemble on Tuesday, 23rd inst.

WHEELER & REDMOND'S Minstrel 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 Monday next, at the Albion, at one o'clock.

SINGLE COPIES OF THE EXPOSITOR are still obtainable at Cooke Bros', J. J. Hind's, or at the office of publication. Price 5 cts. MANUFACTURERS.—We trust the new Council will devise some liberal scheme for the encouragement of new manufacturing enterprises here.

CONGREGATIONAL.—Rev. Mr. Manabea will preach at Rugby at half-past ten, at Bethesda Church, Oro, at two, and Vespra 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 Magistrate, 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.

PROLIFIC.—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 week, an unfortunate wretch, while drunk, crept into the hall of Booth's Block, to 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 new venture success. NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.—Cheap Metals; Agricultural Meeting; Manitoba Intelligence; Beaverton Letters Uncalled for; Estray; Jewellery; January Sale; and Morrison Council. Read these, and look out for more next week.

N. R. COUNTY SIMCOE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY.—The Annual meeting of the 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, at 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 absent from our streets at least one day of the week. THE Orillia St. Andrew's Society met on Wednesday evening, and resolved to celebrate the Burns Anniversary, 25th inst., by a Concert and Soiree, in the Temperance Hall. The Committee appointed to carry out this resolution will meet to-morrow evening, and particulars will be published in a few days.

PERSONAL.—We are pleased to learn that Mr. H. M. Sutherland will shortly

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

BET.—A gentleman who attended 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 over.

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 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 unrestrictive 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; Mr. D. L. Sanson Treasurer, and Mr. John C. McMullen Secretary. The Committee met last evening, and found there was over \$200 already subscribed, and after making arrangements for a further canvass of the village, they adjourned until Friday evening.

PERSONAL.—Mr. George H. Fox, late local editor of the Ottawa Free Press, was in town on Tuesday, en route to Newmarket, where he goes to take control of the Free Press. We wish him success in his new field of labour. By the way, Mr. Fox is an earnest temperance worker, and entertaining 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.

ORDINATION.—The Lord Bishop of Toronto held an Ordination on Sunday morning last, in St. Andrew's Church, Grimsby, when the Rev. William Newton, Ph. D., Missionary at Lake Roseau, was admitted to the order of Priests. The Ordination 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 TALKS.—There are rumours of "sharp" dodges by over zealous supporters of both parties to prevent opponents 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 upon 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 Methodist Church have opened a new Church on the 10th Congregation of Oro. The dedicatory sermons were preached on Sunday, 29th 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 Edmondson, and addresses were given by the Rev. H. Parrish, and Rev. W. Nixon, Pastor. There was also a Social on Friday evening last, of which we could gather no particulars.

Y. M. C. A.—The Directors of the Young Men's Christian Association are requested to meet at their rooms, Booth & Corbett's 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 attendance of members and friends. The Committee have made arrangements for 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 Missionary, Tract, and other religious societies; for the increase of missionaries, and for the removal of hindrances to the spread of the gospel, and the conversion of the world.

SCHOOL MEETING.—The Annual School Meeting for the election of Trustees, &c., was held yesterday and better attended than usual. The report of the Trustees was adopted. Mr. Thos. Dallas and Dr. Sanderson were elected Trustees, in the stead of Messrs. World and Wainwright. The Board now consists of the above-named gentlemen, and Messrs. Wallace, Henderson, Evans, and Dr. Elliott. We might just hint that these meetings would be larger, and more interest shown in our educational affairs, if better notice of the time and place were given. Posting up two or three written notices is all the effort

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the trustees make to acquaint the people with those facts, and the result is the majority 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 same reason.

THE Ottawa Board of Public School Trustees have prepared a petition to be presented to the Ontario Legislature, asking that the Collegiate 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 public interest. We do not hold ourselves as responsible for, or endorsing, the opinions of our correspondents.] 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 prompted you in the matter, that the two boxes were put in my boot and shoe store, for identification, and the moment the rightful owner gives proof of his claims, the goods will be handed over to him. It is possible that the same party may wish you to ask through your next issue, why I did not advertise them. If necessary I can answer that also. A few days after the fire I went to the different Merchants, seeking their 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 here, just in the same condition as when received.

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.

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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. FLURR.

Business Locals.

BE sure and settle your taxes this week. THE Exchange is almost giving away clothing, making room for spring goods. W. B. TUDHOPE is doing a very large business in Sewing Machines. Call and see his new stock.

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, by W. & W. G. Bingham.

G. M. Wilson's January sale is going on. Woollens and Dress Goods at a sacrifice. Call now and get bargains. ALL parties who have not yet paid their taxes will take notice that the Collector is determined to put on costs after this week.

G. M. WILSON'S Fashionable Tailoring Establishment is still doing the business. Clothing made on short notice, and warranted 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 the new store, next door to the new Post Office.

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 low prices.

MARRIED.

At the residence of the bride's father, Oro, on the 24th of December, by the Rev. Robert Fairbairn, Mr. Thos. Baycraft, of Flos, to Kate, second daughter of Mr. John Anderson. At the residence of the bride's father, on Thursday evening, Dec. 26, 1877, by the Rev. W. E. Seelye, A. P. H. Stewart, of Toronto, Ontario, Proprietor of the "Ontario Templar," to Miss Addie Fiewelling, youngest daughter of the Hon. W. E. Fiewelling, of Clifton, King's County, New Brunswick.

By the Rev. James Dick, of Richmond Hill, on the 1st Jan. 1878, Mr. James Taylor, of Beaverton, to Miss Jessie Nixon, daughter of James Nicoll, Esq., York Township. DIED 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 widow of Mr. J. Hind, aged 45 years. Mr. 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 she was long a patient, she was ever when 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' Cemetery on Wednesday, and were followed to their last resting place by a large cortege of sorrowing friends. Suddenly, at Orillia, on Wednesday, 9th inst., Mrs. G. Fortnes, aged 70 years.

ORILLIA UNION

AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY! ANNUAL MEETING of the Members of the Orillia Union Agricultural Society, will take place at the "Albion Hotel," on Monday, the 19th Jan., at one o'clock, p. m. H. SUTHERLAND, Sec. and Treas.