

Ontario Lumber Merchants Association.

A well attended meeting of the Lumber Merchants of Ontario was held on the 6th of August, at Orillia, when it was agreed to establish a Lumber Merchants Association. Officers have been appointed and regulations made, a draft of an Act incorporating the Association was read and approved, and it was resolved that at the next session of Parliament an application should be made to obtain the Act.

WAGES AND CONDITIONS.

The following resolutions were passed in regard to wages for first-class men, including loaders and teamsters, shall not exceed \$18, or teamsters \$20 and Cooks \$20 per month. Hired Teams to be paid at the rate of \$2.50 per diem; when furnished with sleighs and chains. The teamster to receive the sleighs in good order, any breaks occurring afterwards to be repaired at his expense. When teams are fully equipped, the wages to be \$1.37 1/2 per diem. All repairs and Blacksmith work to be charged to the teamster. The above rate of wages for teams to include all Townships south of Anson, Minden, Dysart and Dudley. In these Townships, and those north of them an extra allowance not exceeding twenty-five cents per diem for necessary extra rates, may be given if necessary. The above resolution not to apply to agreements already made, where the men have actually commenced work. That all men on being hired shall sign an agreement of engagement. Such agreement to be signed at the Shanty before commencing work, or at the office of the employer, and to be open to the inspection of any member of the Association.

THE BARRIE CATHOLIC CHURCH.

The new Roman Catholic Church in Barrie has been furnished with a splendid roof organ. The Weekly News, Moravia, New York, has placed over its local matters the legend "No more Trust." Barrie St. Andrew's Society is flourishing, and doing considerable in the way of relief to destitute Scotchmen. Barrie is still so far uncivilized that a charivari took place there last week, without interference from the constables. Barrie epistolary are excited over a speckled trout weighing six and a half lbs., received from Thousand Bay, Lake Superior. The Barrie Examiner gives currency to a rumor that Judge Gowen is about to resign, and will probably be superseded by Junior Judge Archibald.

A STORM SIGNAL.

A storm signal has been placed on the highest point of the Northern elevator at Collingwood. It can be seen a considerable distance from the lake.

IT IS REPORTED THAT MR. JOHN BROWN

of Toronto, has made arrangements to import a large number of Chinese laborers to work on his contracts on the canal.

A YOUNG MAN, AN ENTIRE STRANGER,

about eighteen years of age, died suddenly at a farmer's in the vicinity of Richmond Hill, after eating green apples. So says the Herald.

THE MANUFACTURE OF SILK HATS

is about to be commenced at the Hat works in Ontario, a number of silk hat makers with their families having arrived there lately from the old country.

THE NORTH RIDING COUNTY OF SIMCOE

Agricultural Society holds its 36th annual exhibition in the Town Park, Barrie, on Tuesday and Wednesday, the 30th September and 1st of October next.

AT THE CONCLUSION OF THEIR FIRST ANNUAL

mid-summer trip, Ye Orpheus Orchestral Glee Club, of Barrie, held a supper for the entertainment of the club and their invited guests, to the number of about twenty.

POWELL IS SAID TO LIKE AND THRIVE

on potato bugs so well that the owner of a celebrated hennery at Galt wishes there were more of them, his fowl having found the supply insufficient for their appetite.

MR. J. L. PETERS, OF NEW YORK,

continues to offer four dollars worth of music, for thirty cents. That is the music in one number of his Musical Monthly, in sheet form, would cost \$4. The music is full size, and well selected.

A POLITICAL WARNING.—The London

Times, in an article upon the unfortunate condition of affairs in Spain, remarks: "Spain suffers from the total absence of any recognition of political duties by the sober and industrious middle-class upon whose participation in the functions of political life, so much of the stability of modern society depends."

HARD IS THE DECISION

they do business in the Exbridge Village Council. "Moved by Mr. Hamilton, and seconded by Mr. McGuire, that the Reeve be instructed to inform the Inspector of Licenses that certain parties are selling liquors without license, and that he said inspector be informed that he must either attend to the duties of his office or resign.—Carried."

A FIRE ORIGINATED WEDNESDAY MORNING

in a lumber pile belonging to Gilmour, Cummings & Martin, of Hilldale, which, but for the almost superhuman effort of the employees and neighbours, would have consumed over half a million of lumber, together with the steam saw mill and out-buildings. About twelve thousand feet of timber was partially destroyed, which loss will be covered by insurance.

MR. WALLIS, MECHANICAL SUPERINTENDENT

of the Grand Trunk Railway, has issued a circular to the staff in his department, enjoining them to practice total abstinence from intoxicating liquors. This is the third time of a department who has taken a similar stand, and we are glad to see improvement in the reliability, safety and efficiency of the Grand Trunk in consequence. Would it not be well for the superintendents on other railways to follow their example?

ONE OF THE GIANTS.—A newly made

Canadian from Prince Edward Island caused quite a commotion by his appearance on Change this morning, owing to his vast size. He stands 6 feet 6 inches in his stockings, and is broader in proportion. His weight must be more than 300 lbs. If all the inhabitants down there are of equally gigantic proportions it is not much wonder that they hesitated so long before annexing with such insignificant people as Canadians would appear to them.—Montreal Witness.

GRAND NEWS.—A newspaper has published

glowing accounts of what they call a daring feat by Ballen at Niagara Falls. It is stated that after walking across the rope he returned to the middle of it and jumped thence into the river, 140 feet below. The jumping consists in letting himself down by a rubber rope, until within some eight or ten feet of the water, into which he then quietly drops, to be picked up by a boat stationed for the purpose. Not half so daring a feat as crossing the rope.

MR. JOHN LOVELL IS WELL KNOWN

for the enterprise, care and tact with which he supplies the country with the most reliable information concerning our rapidly growing country. The Gazette of British North America, to be issued this month, and corrected up to the latest possible moment, will be a valuable compendium of trustworthy information, as full and of later date than the Dominion Directory, which the rapidity of change and improvement incident to a new country has already rendered far from reliable.

THE SEPTEMBER NUMBER OF WOODS

Household Magazine is on our table. We always have a good word to say for this publication. It is regular, reliable, and goes ahead. We learn that the firm of S. S. Wood & Co. dissolved in March last, the "Co." (S. E. Shutes, Mayor of Newburgh,) retaining possession of the magazine, and receding H. V. Osborne (Temson) as editor. So, though the publication really changed hands, it has not suffered from the management of a new publisher or new editor, but under the redoubled efforts of its energetic proprietor, has gained new force and new attractiveness. Price only one dollar a year. Address Woods' Household Magazine, Newburgh, N. Y.

ANOTHER PEST.—This neighbourhood

is threatened with a pest in the shape of a weed which may yet prove to be a greater annoyance than the Canada thistle. It is known as the Timothy Clover, and is believed to have originally come from Mexico. It is a large plant and is covered with seed pods and firm and sharp prickles from half an inch to an inch in length, and it is said that it was first brought here in Buffalo Bales. It has spread very rapidly this season, and care should be taken by all interested to have it cut down before the seed matures.—Hamilton Spectator.

IT IS PROPOSED TO ORGANIZE

a county ride association. We notice that some of the Provincial Association consists of 1000, which will not tend to bring such competitors, nor affiliated associations into favour with all classes of our people. Drink has done more to injure the service than any other drawback, and its use is not so conducive to the steady nerves required for good marksmen that the patrons of the ride do wisely in encouraging its use by the Province. Discontinue the use of alcohol and its use will be heartily with any project for increasing the efficiency of our volunteer army.

GOOD LAND.—A correspondent of the

Parry Sound Courier says that several West of the Province have been discovered both on the North and East road extensions in that district. It is stated that in the townships of Spence and Croft there are hundreds of acres in a place free from stone, with good loamy clay soil, and a suitable level. We are assured that there will be a better settlement in those townships than any yet started in the Free Grant Districts. On the North and East, the land is reported as excellent, and, with other evidences, a young prairie has been found, containing some two or three hundred acres, and quite dry.

SOME GOVERNMENT ORGANS

are taking note of the Local Election in Montreal West, and claiming the result as virtually equivalent to a verdict by the Division of "Not Guilty," upon the charges against the Dominion Government. Seeing that upon the face of things the total nominal Reform vote cast was 735 over the nominal Conservative, the above reasoning does not look very conclusive. Mr. McGavran presented himself as more of an independent candidate than the nominee of any party, and although he may have profited by the votes of Conservatives, the guilt or innocence of the Ministry was not one of the issues involved in his election, as he took care himself to make understood; and many of those who voted for him, not on any political grounds, but as being the most respectable of the three candidates, would feel hurt at their action in so doing being construed as favorable to the Dominion Government. Except as a rebuke to the leaders of the Reform party for their inconsistency in officially sanctioning the candidate in the election in Montreal West has really no political significance. The use these Government organs are making of this election as an approval of the conduct of their patrons is like drowning men catching at straws.—Montreal Witness.

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