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THE OMEMEE MIRROR.

OMEMEE, THURSDAY, DEC. 24, 1896.

LOCAL LACONIC

We wish our readers one and all a peaceful and happy Christmas.

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BRADBURN'S HALL.

ON CHRISTMAS NIGHT.

UNDER AUSPICES L.O.L. 113.

ADMISSION 25 AND 15 CENTS.

Try this Christmas to do one act of kindness.

Jas. Hanna, of Peterboro, is in town visiting friends.

Mrs. Thos. Henderson spent Saturday in Lindsay visiting friends.

Mrs. Isaac Graham and children were visitors to Orillia last week.

Miss M. McBurney, of Lindsay, is visiting with Miss Mabel Gardiner.

The Misses Florence and Gertrude Elliott are home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wilson of Ops, visited their Omemeo friends Sunday.

The Christmas Music will be repeated in Christ Church on Sunday evening next.

Busy hands have been at work this week, beautifying Christ Church for the Christmas Festival.

Mr. C. V. Bennett, of Waterford and Miss Maggie Bennett, of Kingston, are home for the holidays.

Miss Annie Lethbridge, of Lifford, was the guest of Miss Lena M. Henderson, of Emily, the last week.

Rev. W. R. Young's lecture was well attended and much enjoyed as also was Miss Houghton's recitations.

Major Sam Hughes, M. P., Editor of the Victoria Warbler, gave the Mirror a friendly shake on Monday.

Isaac Graham, the genial G. T. R. agent at Omemeo, is off duty this and next week enjoying a holiday trip.

Mr. G. L. Hay, of the firm of Stratton and Hall, was a visitor in town this week and gave the Mirror a call.

William Gardiner is spending a few days in town. We are pleased to learn he was successful in passing his exam.

On Christmas day divine service will be held in Christ Church, Omemeo, at 10.30 a.m., and in St. John's, Emily, at 2.30 p.m.

Rev. Newton Hill, Mrs. Hill and Master Egrie Hill, will eat their Christmas dinner with Mrs. Hill's mother at New-tonville to-morrow.

Don't fail to try "Dr. Sheir's Sciatic Cure," also "Catarrh Remedy," which are giving great relief to sufferers from these diseases, put up at East End Drug Store Lindsay.

Don't forget that Christmas is a Holy Day. Some part of it belongs to God, who gave to men the first precious Christmas gift even that of His Own Beloved Son—Churchman.

Rev. J. U. Tanner, Messrs. G. W. McKim, J. D. Thornton, Misses Houghton, Thompson, Shields and Rutherford took part in the program in connection with the social at Mt. Pleasant Monday evening.

At the second annual convention of the Peterboro Presbyterian Young People's Societies, which was held in St. Paul's church, on Monday of last week, Rev. J. U. Tanner was appointed Honorary President.

R. Ruddy, of Millbrook, has a quantity of private and company's money to lend on easy terms and low rates of interest. No commission charged. Omemeo Office over Post Office; open every Monday afternoon.—16-17

When you are in Lindsay call at the Mansion House, opposite the Market, Lindsay; Terms, \$1.00 per day. First class accommodation. Choice wines, liquors and cigars at the bar. F. P. Hinds, Proprietor.—2-3m

The Mirror congratulates Mr. and Mrs. Hill upon the success attending their efforts. Mr. Hill is one of the most popular Methodist Ministers, we understand ever stationed here, judging by his congregations, social means of grace, and the financial standing of the church. His hearers are trained to use their reasoning faculties and think for themselves. His sermons, prayers, conversation and actions breathe hope and confidence in humanity, in the British Empire, and his God.

Miss Curry spent a few days this week with friends in Millbrook.
 J. S. Smith of Bancroft, is spending his Xmas holidays, in Omemeo.
 Buy your lamp goods, coal oil, machine oil, brooms, mops, brushes, etc., at W. D. Stinson's.—21

Dr. T. Popham McCullough, Eye, Ear, Throat and Nose Specialist, Dr. Yeland's old stand, lately occupied by Dr. Kempf, Peterboro. If you have any disease of the above parts give him a call.—34-3m

Chester Foe and Miss Maud Foe were visitors in Omemeo this week; they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mulligan. Mr. Foe gave the Mirror a friendly call. He says that a very exciting time will be on shortly in his native township of Cavan and in Millbrook over the elections.

The Rev. D. N. McCamus preached two powerful and instructive sermons to very large congregations in the Omemeo Methodist Church in connection with the anniversary services on Sunday last. The collections were good, we understand the amount raised was far in excess of that from the old fashioned teas.

A very pleasant and interesting event took place at the Methodist Parsonage of this village Monday evening last, Dec. 21st inst., when a large number of the members and friends of the Methodist Church assembled at the home of the Rev. Newton Hill, their popular pastor, bringing with them well laden baskets. Almost immediately after entering the house, Mr. Hill and his estimable wife were made aware of the object of the visitors, as Mrs. James Thornton in a most becoming manner, read a very complimentary address from the more than members and friends of Mr. Hill's congregation, expressive of the high esteem in which he and his wife are held by them, and referring in a very pleasing and thankful manner to the great and precious work, under the blessing of God, accomplished by them during their three years' pastorate, about drawing to an end on this field of labor. Miss Mabel Gardiner also read a most choice address, more especially from Mrs. Hill's Sunday School Class, and also her class of young ladies in the church, and the young people of the Epworth League and of the church, generally, expressive of the high esteem in which Mr. and Mrs. Hill are held by them. Miss Sherman then stepped forward, and in behalf of their friends asked the pastor and his wife to accept two elegant parlor chairs as a memento of their esteem, and as a memento of Christmas 1896. In behalf of himself and wife, Mr. Hill thanked the friends for their presence, for their kind words and beautiful gift.

Head Quarters for Brown Loghorns
 The undersigned has for sale a limited number of Choice Young Fowl, from the best Fowl in Canada. Truss, \$2.00; Cocks \$1.00. Orders booked now for eggs for spring season, \$1.00 for 13; Housed Ducks Eggs \$1.00 for 8. orders by mail promptly booked.
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It is a sort of universal consent, it has been felt wise and good to connect the coming into the world of the Christ-child with home. The fact is the two are connected, naturally and necessarily and nothing can sever them. Home is what it is, and childhood is different from what it used to be, because Christ was born in Bethlehem. It is wise and well that we take the day which the Christian world accepts as the anniversary of the birth of our Lord and give it to home and gratitude and love. Each present we give or receive may thus remind us of that "unspeakable gift" which our Heavenly Father has bestowed upon a lost world.—Canadian Churchman.

Nomination Meeting.
 There was a fair attendance of electors at the meeting held last Monday, under the provisions of the new County Council Act, for the purpose of nominating Candidates for the representation of District No. 3, in the County Council for the ensuing two years. Nominations were received between one and two o'clock; the following gentlemen being placed in the field:
 Mr. W. C. Switzer, Mr. T. H. McQuade, Dr. V. C. Cornwall and Mr. S. Fox. The time for receiving nominations having expired, an after meeting was held to allow the candidates to present to the people their claims for support Mr. R. J. Grandy was unanimously placed in the chair. The only Candidate not present was Mr. McQuade, on account of unavoidable business he was unable to attend. Mr. Switzer was the first speaker; the first part of his address was devoted to a very full and clear explanation of the new law; he took particular pains to explain the provision by which a voter is given the option of either giving one vote to each of two Candidates, or giving any one Candidate two votes; Mr. Switzer then reviewed the affairs of the County during the last few years, and closed by an appeal for a renewal of the confidence which had been reposed in him for the last thirteen years.
 Dr. Cornwall came next, covering much the same ground as Mr. Switzer; he showed that the debt of the county has grown less every year; he asked the people to give the new law a fair trial and voting for the best men, make themselves worthy of the trust reposed in them.
 Mr. Fox spoke last, his speech although short, made a good impression; he asked for a fair measure of support from the people of Emily and Omemeo, so that the Township of Ops might not be unrepresented in the County Council. With four such strong men in the field, a keen and lively contest may be looked for.

Grand Orange Concert.

The most entertaining concert of the season will be held in the Bradburn Opera House, Omemeo, on Christmas Night next, under the auspices of Loyal Orange Lodge, No. 113.

Canada's Greatest Favorite, Prof. Jas. FAX, of Toronto, will be present, and ably assisted by the following talent: Miss Rose Williamson, Miss Stella Sanday, Mr. T. J. Parsons, Prof. H. W. Sherwood, Geo. W. McKim and W. J. Lamb, Omemeo, and Mr. M. J. Wilson, Barton Soloists, and Miss Jimima Wilson, Fenelon Falls.

The chair will be taken by the Worshipful District Master of Emily, Bro. Wm. Cottingham, at 8 p. m.

—me one, come all, and have two hours' hearty fun with members of L. O. L. 113.

Doors open at 7.30 p.m. Program at 8 a.m. Proceeds to go to the Benefit Fund.
 Geo. Lytle, Worshipful Master; John Gillis, Treasurer; Committee of management: Jos. T. Beatty, John J. Williams, Walter Moncrief, W. D. Stinson, C. R. Mitchell and A. Williamson.
 Admission, Adults, 25 cts.; Children, under 15 years, 15 cts.

"GOD SAVE THE QUEEN"

Bethel Circuit.

The Middle Road Sunday School intend giving their entertainment on Xmas eve. The program will consist of a cantata, entitled "Santa Claus Vision"; also recitations and songs. Come and enjoy yourselves. Adults 15 cts.; Children 10 cts.

There will also be a Xmas tree in connection with the entertainment.

On Monday Dec. 24, in the Bethel Church, the Rev. A. C. Cross, general secretary of Epworth League and Sunday Schools of the Methodist Church, delivered his popular lecture, entitled "The great Mammoth Cave with Two Hundred Leaguers." Admission 10 cts.

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Comprising that part of Ops lying East of the Scugog River, The Township of Emily, & the Village of Omemeo.

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,
 FREE AND INDEPENDENT ELECTORS,
 The following is a list of the Candidates nominated on Monday, 21st Dec. inst., namely: Dr. Cornwall, Mr. T. H. McQuade, Mr. W. C. Switzer, Mr. S. Fox.

There are only two members to be elected, consequently the two candidates having the highest number of votes will be declared elected for two years.

As the time is short and will not permit of my calling upon you individually, I take this method of asking your support provided you see your way clear to do so.

Each voter is entitled to two votes, which he can divide between two Candidates, or he can give both votes to any one Candidate by marking two x's opposite the name of such Candidate on the ballot paper.

Elections will be held at same time and place as for Local Councils, namely: on Monday, 4th January, 1897.
 Meantime, I remain,
 Ladies and Gentlemen,
 Your humble servant,
 VINCENT C. CORNWALL, M.D.
 Omemeo, Dec. 23rd, 1896.

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