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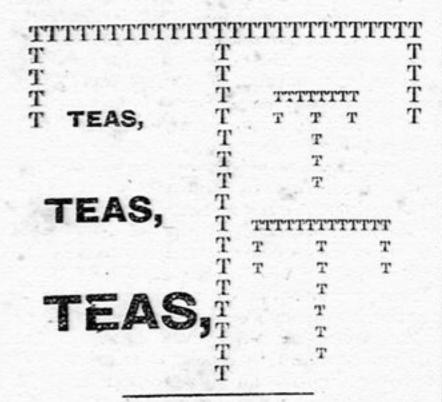
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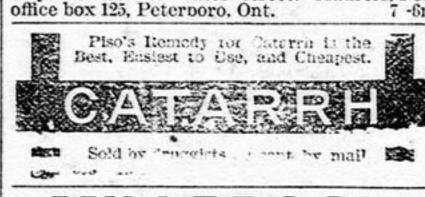
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I have pleasure in informing the farmers of this vicinity that I have opened a market in the village of Millbrook, which will be held every

Wednesday Forenoon,

skins, wool, and scrap iron, or give in exchange dry goods, groceries, tinware, coal oil, flour and meals of all kinds

Farmers and others having anything to sell will do well to call and see me. Highest prices and square dealing.

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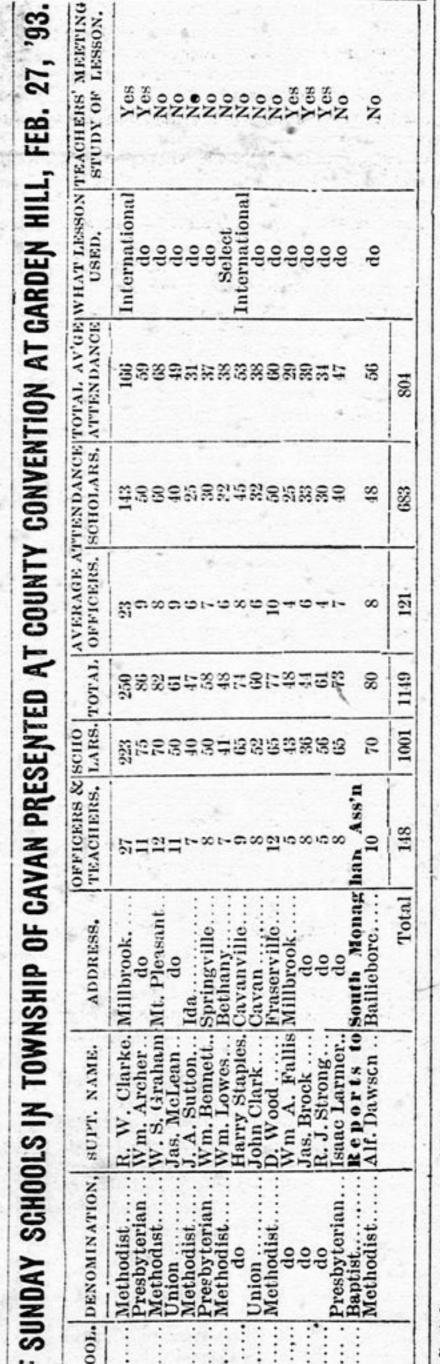
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SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

The East Durham Sunday School Workers Compare Notes.

The East Durham County S. S. convention held in the Presbyterian church. Garden Hill last Monday and Tuesday, was a great success. The first session opened on Monday afternoon at 2.30 by devotional exercises conducted by the pastor of the church, Rev. J. A. Bloodsworth.

Reports were given from Hope and Cavan townships which showed that advancement is being made in Sabbath school work. Qui'ea number of Sabbath school scholars have united with the church during the year. The Cavan report is as follows :-



Rev. J. A. Bloodsworth read a paper on How to retain the older scholars in the school." He emphasized the thought that if the parents would say to their children, "come to the Sabbath school," it would have a greater effect than what: is more commonly said, "go to Sabbath school." Several testified to their appreciation of the

In the absence of Rev. T. S. McKee, who was to read a paper on the "Relation of the dent, Mr. R. W. Clarke, for the very able S. S. to temperance work," the question was and successful way in which he has performintroduced and briefly discussed.

In the evening after a service of song and year. prayer the report of the nominating com-

mittee was given and adopted.

been appointed president for the coming year, was introduced by Mr. R. W. Clarke of Millbrook, the retiring president. Words of welcome were then tendered

all visiting members of the convention by the Rev. R. Johnson of Canton.

Rev. J. Drummond then took the place of an absent speaker and delivered a short pithy address.

Mr. Day, General Secretary of the Provincial S. S. association, was then introduced to the convention and delighted the audience with his address on "The Sabbath school, its relation to other spheres of christian culture." He emphasized the following thoughts: The soul is a walled citadel an we cannot get at it as a crow flies to her nest. The word of God is the key and it will fit the lock of the human heart. Hearts are often left unopen because we do not use the key aright. Emphasizing the word children in speaking of the Sabbath school. Do not exalt the Sabbath school to such a degree that it is not subordinate to the home. The home must put in practice the princi ples learned in the Sabbath school. Child ren must be induced to attend the public services. Make them welcome there. Ministers should recognize the children in the public service. The Sabbath school is of divine origin. Homes are made better because of the Sabbath school. Christianity is lacking in the homes of the aristocracy of England because they have not been friendly to the Sabbath school.

TUESDAY MORNING SESSION.

Devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. J. R. Peake, after which Mr. Day held the best attention for nearly an hour with an Institute exercise. He said there are two kinds of teaching: 1. Expository. Questioning. Two kinds of education: 1 Giving knowledge. 2. Teaching to get and rise-self thinking. Two conditions of self-thinking: 1. Appetite. 2. Food. Two results that evidence successful teaching: 1. Apprehension. 2. Retention. The object of questioning is: 1. To find out the pupil's knowledge. 2. To find out his ignorance. 3. To stimulate thought and conscience. 4. Test our work. 5. To cultivate expression. This address was very helpful to Sabbath school workers.

Following this Mr. R. W. Clarke took up the subject of "Sabbath school Management," and all were agreed that the right subject was given to the right man. Mr. Clarke is the superintendent of the Methodist Sabbath school, Millbrook, and his school is indeed a model school. He believes in having everything done decently and in order and he practices what he preaches.

The afternoon session opened with singing and prayer by Rev. W. G. Clarke, B. A.

Rev. Mr. Bennett of Springville, read a very excellent paper on "Discouragements and Encouragements of Sabbath school work." Mr. Bennett covered the ground thoroughly. Many passages of scripture were referred to, containing encouragement for the Sabbath school teacher. Although the discouragements were many, yet the encouragements were sufficient to buoy up the teacher under all circumstances. Mr. Bennett said that the Sabbath school teacher should be converted to God before his or her appointment. This led to a short discussion, some two or three taking exception to it Mr. Day supported Mr. Bennett in the thought and said Armstrong, Walter Stewart. he would rather put a man in the pulpit with the hope that he would be converted than to put him in Sabbath school teacher with the Gardiner, Eva Stewart. hope that it would lead to his conversion. Mr. J. R. Smith of Elizabethville, follow-

ed with a paper on "The relation of the Christian Endeavor movement with the Sab- mour. bath school." He believes that the Christian Endeavor society fills the space between the Sabbath school and church proper. That the Christian Endeavor society is the same relation to the Sabbath school that the Model school is to the High school or the hospital to the medical science class-room. The paper showed very thoughtful and careful preparation and was very much appreciat-

Following this was a mass meeting o children addressed by Revs. J. Drummond B. A., and W. G. Clarke, B. A. Both a dresses were interesting and instructive. After devotional exercises in the evening,

the Rev. J. K. Smith, D.D., pastor of the first Presbyterian church, Port Hope, was introduced to the very large assembly and de-livered an address on "The responsibility and opportunities of Sabbath school teachers The address was a very masterly one, full of spirit, love and truth.

Rev. W. R. Young, B. A., of Millbrook, pleasure. was the next speaker, on the subject of "Enthusiasm." He said: Enthusiasm is not noise. It is not excitement. But it is the soul a man puts into his work. The address was very interesting, instructive and well received.

Following this Mr. Day opened the question drawer and all questions were answered much to the satisfaction and delight of all present.

for his address, and to the very kind friends tary for three years past. of Garden Hill, who so hospitably entertained the guests during the convention. Rev. Mr. Bloodsworth pronounced the benediction and a very interesting and profitable convention was brought to a close.

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

Between the afternoon and evening ses sions of Tuesday the ladies of Garden Hil provided tea in the basement of the church for all attending the convention. This was indeed a very thoughtful and generous arrangement, as it gave all the delegates chance to remain in the church and enjoy each others acquaintance.

Great praise is due to the retiring presied all the duties of that office during the

Mr. Ephraim Hawkins of Canton, having might have given a more extensive report. | what he is driving at.

Franklin.

Our village has been quiet of late owing to the bad state of the roads. Some of our oldest settlers say it has been the coldest winter for forty years. A number of farmers had large quantities of potatoes frozen.

Mr. Fitch has moved to the farm which

he rented from Mr. James Lytle last fall. It is hoped that the election contest between Messrs Kennedy and Wilson is ended. as the very large majority obtained by Mr. Wilson on the last contest should be proof of the strength of the men. They are both fine men, but the electors thought the matter should be dropped. It is said that there was politics in the fight, but that carnot be so for very many of Mr. Wilson's strongest supporters were conservatives_ I notice that in your report of the meeting you gave the name of Mr. Richard Staples as chairman. This was wrong, as Mr. George Staples was in the chair, and he discharged his duties most acceptably.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stewart left on Tuesday for their home in Manitoba, after spending the winter here.

Mr. David Fallis the efficient assessor went his rounds in this vicinity last week. Wild cats are very plentiful in the swamp west of here. One of them walked into Mr. David Flack's barnyard last week and killed two geese and carried one away with him. there are now several crack shot looking for

Janetville.

Mr. Wm. Johns, a prominent Cartwright farmer, who also owns a fine farm in Manvers a short distance from this place, is erecting a handsome new brick dwelling, which rumer says will be occupied by one of his sons and somebody else.

Mr. Jas. Henry, on the island, is bringing in the material for a new brick house which will be commenced early in the spring.

Mr. Wesley Jones, who has the contract for clearing thirty acres of land near Janetville, purchased from Mr. Wm. Coulter, by the Rathbun Co., is progressing briskly and has the greater half of the job finished. He has banked a large number of telegraph poles, ties, posts etc., on Scugog Lake, pre-paratory to the spring drive. The cordwood will not be moved this winter.

Pontypool.

A grand literary and musical entertainment will be held at Pontypool about the and of the present month for the purpose of raising funds for the purchase of a school

Carmel.

Following is the standing in order of merit of the Carmel school for the month of Feli-

Junior IV.-Albert Robertson, Lottie

Gilmour. Senior III. - Lina Strong, Bertie Strong. Lilliard Jones, Richard Hard. Senior II.-Willie Armstrong, James Armstrong, Ellsworth Wereley, Harry

Junior II. -Stanley Armstrong. Senior Part II. - Mabel Gilmour, Charlotte

Sunior Part II .- Harvey Gardiner, Mag-

Part I.-Lambert Gibson, Johnnie Gil-

DISTRICT NEWS.

changes. -Last week wire cages were erected in the local branches of the Toronto and Dominion Banks at Cobourg for the purpose of screening the cashiers from the attack of robbers.

Hems of Interest Gleaned from Our Ex-

-Port Hope High School Board, by a unanimous vote has asked Mr. D. H. Lent to send in his resignation as English Master, to take effect at the commencement of next school term, as the Board desires his engagement to terminate with them.

-Capt Geo. Williamson, a former resident of Cobourg, took train on Thursday evening last at Toronto for an extended trip to Europe. He will be absent for an indefinite period, his tour being partly for

-The Senate of Toronto University has appointed the Hon William Proudfoot, ex-Vice Chancellor of Ontario, and Mr. W. R. Riddell, B. A., B. Sc., L. L. B., the only two examiners in Roman Law, Constitutional Law and History of Law. This is a worthy distinction.

-Mr. Herbert Tapscott of Precious Corders will leave for Brandon, Man., on Tues-After votes of thanks to the retiring presi- day next. He was presented with a faredent and secretary for their services during well address and a writing case by the teachthe year, to Mr. Day for his very valuable ers of the Bethesda Sunday school, of which aid during the convention, to Rev. Dr. Smith he has been the faithful and efficient secre-

How to get a "Snalight" Picture.

Send 25 "Sunlight" Soap wrappers wrappers bearing the words "Why Does & Woman Look Old Sooner Than a Man") to Lever Bros., Ltd., 43 Scott St., Teronto, and you will receive by post a pretty picture free from advertising, and well worth framing. This is an easy way to decorate your home. The soap is the best in the market and it will only cost Ic. postage to send in the wrappers, if you leave the ends open. Write your address carefully.

A Much Puzzled People.

Toronto Telegram It is hard to tell which way D'Alton Mo-Carthy is going by the way he votes. If he The reporter is sorry that he was not in- would give away an explanation with every formed earlier of his appointment so that he vote, an admiring country might understand