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EMILY TOWNSHIP IS COMPLETELY SERVED WITH RURAL MAIL DELIVERY ROUTES

The township of Emily now enjoys the distinction of being thoroughly covered by the rural mail delivery service.

Within the past few days two splendid routes have been perfected, the result being that the residents of this enterprising township are served by the rural mail delivery with a daily service.

One of the routes starts at Downeyville and runs three miles east, following along the Pigeon Creek road to King's Wharf, then up the Fourteenth of Emily south to cheese factory corner, to Fox's corner, and then on south to Downeyville.

The other route starts at the village of Omeme, and brings all the mail to Downeyville for the eastern route. It then extends to Fox's Corner, then west to the boundary of Ops, and Emily, one mile south, then east to Scully's Corners, and south to Omeme.

This route does away with the proposed route south from Lindsay to the Pottery Corners, Ops, and then east to Emily, as it would duplicate five miles of the district covered. This proposed route would be twenty-four miles long, and Inspector Smith saw a more convenient and shorter route for the people of south and east Ops. This route, it might be stated, will start at an early date.

The residents of Emily are to be congratulated on their enterprise and progressiveness. The rural mail service is a great boon to the farming community.

COBOURG LOST TO PETERBORO

Last night in the Brock street rink before about 600 fans, was played one of the fastest and most interesting games of hockey ever played in Peterboro. The Cobourg aggregation were like so many cats in action. Whilst they lost they played a cyclone game. Credit is due to their goal keeper, who was Johnny on the spot with his stick every time. It was noticeable that almost every goal of the twelve scored by the Petes, was sent through at close range. The Petes, however, seemed to show better team work. The game ran very close for some time. Harvey Sproule the referee, is a lightning calculator in off side and fouls and displayed fair play throughout. The ice was like a mirror, and little cut up. When the curfew rang the score stood Petes (Inter.) 12, Cobourg 9.

A broad minded man is seldom chesty.

ANNUAL WATING DISTRICT L. O. L.

A very enthusiastic and well attended meeting of the District Orange Lodge was held Tuesday afternoon in the lodge rooms in Adams' block. District Master Jos. Brown took the chair, and after regular routine business of the lodge had been disposed of, the election of officers for the ensuing year were held. District Master Jos. Brown, retiring from the chair, stated he was not open for re-election, since he believed the honor should be passed around among the many good men who were members of the lodge.

The following officers were elected: Robt. Nugent, L.O.L. 952, District Master.

Wm. Burke, Deputy District Master.

A. Marshall—Chaplain.

J. Kelly—Secretary

A. Currins—Director of Ceremonies.

T. R. Trotter—Treasurer.

Thos. Downey—Lecturer.

The meeting was one of the best in thirty years, and was notable for the extremely good feeling that prevailed between the lodges.

One notable feature showing the progress the Order is making is that a new lodge will be started here in Lindsay District. Everything is in a very prosperous condition.

In the evening a meeting of L.O.L. 557 was held in the lodge rooms. A very pleasant evening was spent, and everything is prosperous. Mr. Jos. Brown, retiring District Deputy, took the chair, and put through the evening's business in the best possible style.

UNIONISTS DROP THE FOOD TAX

LONDON, Jan. 15.—Andrew Bonar Law and Lord Lansdowne decided yesterday to retain the leadership of the Unionist party in the House of Commons and the House of Lords respectively, and to abandon the stand they have heretofore taken on the subject of food taxation in connection with the scheme of Imperial preference.

In reply to the memorial addressed to him on Jan. 9 by a representative meeting of Unionists, in which the abandonment of the policy of food taxes was advocated, Andrew Bonar Law, who also spoke for Lord Lansdowne, says:

"It would have been more agreeable to ourselves and in our view more for the interest of the Unionist party that a change of method should have been accompanied by a change of leaders."

Mr. Law goes on to say that, as in the opinion of the memorialists a change of leadership would be "fatal to the interests of the party and the country, we feel it our duty to comply with the request."

WAR RESUMED IN FOUR DAYS TURKS DETERMINED NOT TO YIELD

LONDON, Jan. 15.—Unless unforeseen events should change the current of affairs, the war in the near east will be resumed within a week, and Europe will witness the horrors of a winter campaign.

The allies have fairly made up their minds to take up arms a second time. The Turks last week were threatening to leave London and let matters take whatever course they might. Now the Balkan delegates are convinced that the Turks are merely drifting, without a fixed policy, and they have decided to end the seemingly fruitless debates and wire-pulling and begin the battles anew where they left off more than a month ago.

The Ottoman Government failed to convene the grand council yesterday and apparently has no intention of meeting the allies' ultimatum on Adrianople. The allies do not believe in the efficacy of the note which the powers will present at Constantinople, because it is couched in too mild terms and simply advises Turkey to submit to the fate of war and abandon Adrianople for fear of complications in other parts of the empire, at a time when Turkey could not find moral or financial support in Europe.

The Turkish Government knows that this means nothing, because it is aware that the powers will be unable to agree on any coercive measures. Thus the presentation by the powers of the note, it is pointed out, might mean simply the opening up of a new chapter in the already wearisome diplomatic parleying and the shifting of the debates from one between the belligerents to one between Turkey and the powers.

After their second resort to arms, the Balkan delegates assert, their peace terms will be different from those which Turkey is now rejecting. They declare that Bulgaria will not be satisfied with a frontier line from Rodosto to Midia, but will draw it just before the gates of Constantinople, and they suggest a war indemnity of \$200,000,000 or more.

RAILWAYS AND COURTESY TO PUBLIC

The railway companies are seriously taking up with their employees the subject of the necessity of general courtesy to travelers. Practically all the big companies are laying stress on courtesy as a requirement in dealing with the public, and during the past few weeks a number of official bulletins have been issued to the various grades of the service on this subject.

The Canadian Pacific Railway has issued a bulletin in which special attention is drawn to that portion of the recent speech of Sir Thomas Shaughnessy in which he counselled employees to safeguard the good reputation of the company for considerate treatment of passengers and requesting them to be unfailing in courtesy to everybody.

In connection with this bulletin, the general passenger agent says that the C. P. R. has never considered it necessary to publish special bulletins on this subject, for the reason that from the very beginning of its services the Canadian Pacific has been noted for the unvarying courtesy displayed by its employees: it is a sort of 'hall-mark' distinguishing agents, trainmen and other employees.

PRESBYTERIANS SUBSCRIBE FUND

TORONTO, Jan. 51.—Toronto Presbyterians have subscribed a fund to pay the return expenses of the minister, his wife and lay representative from each congregation in Canada to the general assembly, which meets in Knox Church, this city, on Wednesday, June 4.

Dr. Grant, superintendent of home missions, is in charge of this subscription, which are in addition to all the regular funds.

Toronto Presbytery yesterday, at Cooke's Church, agreed to supplement the liberality of the donors of the fund by arranging for the free billings of the representatives. Four thousand are expected.

CONTRACTOR BOGUE VISITS LINDSAY

Contractor James Bogue, of Peterboro, was in town today on business. He is still suffering from the effects of the injuries received at Millbrook, when his leg was broken, and is only able to get around on crutches.

In talking to a Post reporter regarding the new armory, Mr. Bogue stated that very little could be done at present except getting the material on the ground in readiness for spring. The structure would then be pushed to a speedy completion.

TO ABOLISH THE TITLES OF HONOR

Ottawa, Jan. 14.—J. H. Burnham, M. P. for West Peterboro, would abolish the present system of conferring honorary titles in Canada. He gave notice of a bill this morning designed to accomplish that end. It is entitled "An Act to Abolish Titles of Honor in Canada."

Mr. Burnham explained his proposal in characteristic fashion. "This is a democratic country," he asserted, "and knighthoods are contrary to the spirit of democratic institutions. I would not attempt in any way to interfere with the prerogative of the King. If His Majesty wished to knight any one, well and good but I maintain that the government should not recommend any one for honors, and that no honorary titles should attach to specific positions."

"A man who accepts a knighthood very often is tied down and not able to express opinions, whereas if he had no decoration he would be able to cut loose."

WEDDING BELLS

ANDERSON—PATTON

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Patton, Cambray, on Wednesday, Jan. 8th, when their daughter, Alice, was united in marriage to John W. Anderson, of Ruddell, Sask. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. T. H. Howard in the presence of a number of relatives and friends. The bride, who was given away by her brother, Mr. Neil Patton, entered the parlor to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, played by Miss Fernie Anderson, of Cameron, and looked very pretty in a gown of white embroidery net over silk and carried a bouquet of white carnations and maiden hair ferns. She was attended by her sister, Miss Annie, who wore a dress of white embroidery and also carried a bouquet of carnations and ferns. The groomsmen were Mr. Alton Anderson, of Cameron cousin of the groom. After the ceremony the party sat down to a sumptuous repast. The young couple left on the evening train for Orillia, Midland, Muskoka and other points, the bride travelling in a navy blue suit with white beaver hat. The groom's gift to the bride was a gold pendant set with pearls, to the bridesmaid a locket and chain, and to the groomsmen a set of gold cuff links. The wedding presents were costly and numerous, showing the high esteem in which the bride was held, among them being a gold watch and fob from the groom's parents.

The happy young couple will leave for their new home in Ruddell, Sask. some time in February.

FRENCH CHILDREN WILL WALK OUT

(Special to The Post.)

OTTAWA, Jan. 15.—"We have instructions from the parents of all the children attending the bilingual schools in Ottawa to have their children put on their coats and walk out the moment this regulation is enforced," said Trustee Samuel Genest of the Ottawa Separate School Board yesterday.

"We will ignore the regulation just the same as we did, as though it had never gone into effect," said Mr. Genest, "and French will be taught in the schools just as it was formerly."

Walloped on suspicion

It is said that a grade teacher at Kearney, Mich., after having a medical examination in her school recently, wrote the following note to the parents of a certain little boy: "Your boy, Charles, shows signs of astigmatism. Will you please investigate and take steps to correct it?" To which she received a note in reply saying, "I don't understand clearly what Charles has been doing, but I have walloped him to-night, and you can wallop him tomorrow, and this ought to help some."

When your boy is not making progress at school, have his eyes examined at Morgan's Optical Parlor.

If misery loves company, marriage is apt to make good after all.

EARL GREY DEFENDS SIR WILFRID RECIPROCITY IS NOT ANTI IMPERIAL

(Special to The Post.)

LONDON, Jan. 15.—The Times yesterday morning published a letter from Earl Grey, in which he takes exception to the way in which Austen Chamberlain referred to Canadian affairs in his speech Monday night. He desires to protest, he says, against the assumption that Laurier's policy of reciprocal free trade in certain natural products between Canada and the United States showed any want of Imperial spirit on his part. On the contrary it was the belief of Laurier and his colleagues that the free entry of the products of Canadian farms, fisheries and forests into the protected market of over ninety million people would add greatly to the wealth of Canada, and thus create an increased market for protected manufactures in Canada and the United Kingdom that caused them to favor the policy of reciprocity.

"It is possible I may go further and say it is not improbable that had this policy been accepted by the people of Canada, British preference would be further increased."

"As one of those whose desire is to secure the nearest possible approximation to inter-imperial free trade that the revenue requirements and national necessities of each self-governing united empire will permit, I am inclined to agree with those who believe that the adoption of the reciprocity proposals might have brought about a nearer approximation to that ideal of inter-imperial free trade which so dear to the heart of Austen Chamberlain. Laurier's policy was not conceived in any anti-imperial spirit, but the speeches of Taft and others alarmed Canadians as to the character of the Canadian people to reject the proposals of Canadian statesmen, who were just as prepared as Chamberlain himself to spend their last dollar and spend their last drop of blood in any struggle necessary to maintain the integrity of the Empire."

CAMBRAY

(Special to The Post.)

The Women's Institute held their meeting at the home of Mrs. Dr. Ray on Friday January 3rd. Owing to the stormy afternoon there was not as large an attendance as usual. The meeting opened in the usual way by singing the Maple Leaf.

Rev. Mrs. Howard gave a splendid demonstration on making pudding which was enjoyed by every one also the pudding which was served at the close of the meeting.

An instrumental was given by Miss M. Shier.

A reading "Beginning on a journey" given by Mrs. Arksey was very much appreciated.

An instrumental was rendered by Mrs. Gilbert.

Mrs. Wm. Fair gave a splendid talk on White Slave Traffic.

God Save The King brought a very profitable meeting to a close.

There will be a social held on Feb 15th at the home of Mr. I. Moynes. A good programme is being prepared. Refreshments will be served. Admission 15c. Every body come.

Grant Asked for Poultry Show

Mr. D. C. Trew the well known local poultry expert appeared before the council and asked for a grant of \$50.00 for the annual show. The Society required the money. The request was referred to the Finance Committee.

Mr. Trew pointed out that the Lindsay Poultry association had a deficit last year.

Both Ald. Irvine and Reeve Kylie felt that the county council and rural municipalities should assist the show. In connection with the use of the town hall for the purpose, Mr. Trew pointed out that in other parts of the country the use of the town halls were given for poultry shows.

The council were unanimous in granting the use of the market hall and council chamber for the show.



A. BONAR LAW. Who has decided to retain leadership of Unionist party in Great Britain.

COL. HUGHES RAILWAY MINISTER

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 14.—Colonel Sam Hughes probably will be the next Minister of Railways.

It is understood that on the appointment of Hon. Mr. Cochrane next autumn as Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, Premier Borden will select Colonel Hughes for the railway portfolio.

Colonel Hughes has the strongest sort of backing for the post. It is said that he would be quite willing to make the change. He thinks that with the big development going on in railways, both Government and corporate, there is a better chance for his talents in the administration of the railway and canal portfolio. He would not object to have the construction of the Georgian Bay canal commenced during his term at the head of the Railway Department.

In the event of Colonel Hughes going to railways, it is not unlikely that Major John Currie, of North Simcoe, will be made Minister of Militia.

KIRKFIELD

(Special to The Post.)

The Presbyterian Congregation held their annual meeting on Wednesday and it was largely attended by the congregation.

Encouraging reports were presented by the treasurers of the different schemes of the church, showing that the gross receipt from all sources exceeded those of 1911 two hundred and twenty five dollars.

The report of the seafarers also showed substantial increase in the membership.

The pastor and congregation are to be congratulated on the healthy condition in which they find themselves at the close of the year, and are looking forward to greater things for year 1913.

After the business meeting, refreshments were served by the ladies and an enjoyable evening was spent.

Much sympathy is extended to Mrs. J. F. Ross in the loss of her beloved mother, Mrs. McRae, of Beaverton, also to Mr. Faed in the loss of his father, Mr. Faed, of Cannington.

Quite a number attended the dance at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Ewen 10th con. last Friday night.

DIED

McADAM—At his late residence, 362 Huron street, on Monday, January 13, John Chevers McAdam, beloved husband of Margaret McAdam, of pneumonia.

Funeral on Wednesday, January 15, at 2.30 p. m. from above address to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Private.

Semi-Annual Clearing Sale

of Furs, Mantles, Ladies' Skirts and Dress Goods

- Mink Marmot Muffs, dark shades, 4 75 sale \$4.00 5 50 sale 4.75 6 00 sale 5.00, 7 50 sale 6.25, 9 00 sale 7 50
- Mink Marmot Stoles, 86 sale \$5. 8 50 sale 7.25, \$10 for 7.99, \$29 for \$16, 18 for \$15.
- 3 Ladies' Astrachan Coats, sizes 34, 36, 38, 25 inch coats, size 34, reg \$28 sale \$22 size 36, reg \$35 sale \$28, size 38, with sable collar, 33 inch, reg \$55, sale \$44.
- Ladies' large As rachen Mantle, size 44, length 34 inch, full furred, reg \$15, sale \$5.
- Ladies' Mink trimmed, rat lined, broadcloth shell coat, reg \$78, sale \$67.
- One sable trimmed coat, reg \$63, sale \$55
- Ladies' brown and navy shell fur lined coat, Western Sable collar, reg \$50, sale \$39

- Ladies' black broadcloth coat, Western Sable trim med, curled cloth lined with rubber interlining, reg \$23, sale \$22, reg \$25, sale \$20
- Ladies' cloth Mantles, 29 only, in black, navy, green and 1 fawn, semi fitting, reg \$10 and \$12, sale 7 00
- Ladies' Blanket Cloth Coats, 18.50 for \$14
- 2 only extra heavy Blanket Cloth Coats, reg \$19 sale \$15
- Ladies' black and colored Dress Skirts, reg 4 50 for 3.50, reg 6 00 for 5 00
- 15 per cent. off all Carpets and Rugs.
- 15 per cent. off all Dress Goods for the balance of the month.
- 10 pieces of 35 inch Flannelette, reg 12c sale 10c

E. E. W. MCGAFFEY

LINDSAY'S LEADER OF LOW CASH PRICES

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 Capital paid up \$5,000,000. Reserve Fund \$6,000,000. Total Assets \$76,000,000.
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