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G. S. THOMPSON, LITTLE BRITAIN, Ont. Acting Manager.

A. D. Swan, of Bristol, has been appointed resident engineer of the new Montreal harbor works.

Robert N. Irvine, town clerk of Deseronto, for 25 years, has resigned and A. L. Davey succeeds him.

At Scottsboro, Ala., a negro who attempted to attack the daughter of Jas. Ridley, Bonver, was lynched.

A black vest button was found embedded in the heart of Fred Pompiety, who died in Denver.

COUNTY COUNCIL'S JANUARY SESSION.

Continued from page 10 Archibald McGillivray, of Dalrymple, was also granted a free pedlar's license.

The grant to the Ross memorial hospital was voted on the condition that at the end of the year if there is a deficit the county will pay half and the town half, the county's share not to exceed \$1,100.

WHITE PLAGUE

A request from the Ontario association for the betterment of consumptives that this county should join in urging upon the government the need of providing an institution for the unfortunates will be acceded to.

The National Sanitarium Association asked for a grant to the Muskoka free hospital. A grant of \$50.00 was made.

The Canadian association asked for the co-operation of the council in recommending the government to increase the grant for the erection of sanitariums.

The council decided to co-operate.

SWEET CHARITY

The committee was called upon to consider the circumstances of an unfortunate family residing on the boundary between Victoria and Haliburton counties. They are in destitute circumstances and the good people of Kinnmount have been assisting them for some time.

The clerk was instructed to communicate with the authorities of Haliburton expressing this county's willingness to authorize the board of managers of the House of Refuge to admit them to that institution, if Haliburton agrees to pay half the cost.

MISCELLANEOUS

A number of accounts were passed by the committee and reports were received and filed from the Children's Aid Society, North and South Victoria agricultural societies, Lindsay Law Association, public libraries of the county, etc.

Mr. Graham said the building was out of date and suggested making enlargements that would last for 10 or twenty years, if not for all time.

Mr. McLean outlined a plan for the proposed work which would lessen the expense.

The report was referred back to the committee. The report of the standing committee on education was adopted by the council in committee of the whole, with Mr. Callan in the chair.

COUNTY PUPILS

A by-law to appoint a committee to deal with adjustment of the amount to be paid for the maintenance of county pupils in conjunction with the boards of education of Lindsay and Omernose, was given several readings and signed and sealed.

BOBCAYGON BRIDGES

Messrs. Byng and Tiers moved that the committee on roads and bridges take into consideration and report upon the advisability of repairing or erecting new sidewalks on the Bobcaygon bridge.

PORTRAIT OF DR. MASON

The clerk was instructed, on motion of Messrs. Tiers and Byng, to secure a picture of ex-Warden Dr. Mason, have it suitably framed, and hung in the council chamber.

SATURDAY.

The county council concluded the business of the January session Saturday morning at 12 o'clock.

REPORTS ADOPTED

Mr. Byng presented the report of the standing committee on finance and assessment, which was adopted as read. The clause referring to the Sussex and Peel-st. sewer extension amended, the council agreeing to pay the town as their share of the cost the sum of \$382.65.

Mr. Byng presented the report of the board of management of the house of refuge which was received and adopted.

Mr. Grant presented the report of the standing committee on roads and bridges which was adopted as read.

Mr. McLean, chairman of the property committee, presented his report, which was adopted.

A by-law appointing a committee, to be known as the improvements committee, was signed and sealed.

PETITIONS

The petition of the municipal council of the county of Victoria to the legislative assembly of the province—re the amendment of the act respecting the improvements of public highways was passed.

10c. The latest success.

Black Watch The big black plug chewing tobacco.

STATISTICS IN MEDICINE

OLD REMEDIES RETAIN THEIR POPULARITY

Investigations of French Physicians Show that Large Production of Synthetic Medicines is Not Crowding Out the Old Favorites.

A late despatch from Paris says Prof. Grimbret presented a notable paper before the Academy of Medicine on therapeutic tendencies in the last ten years. Basing his figures on medicines furnished to 219 large asylums and hospitals by the State Pharmacy, he finds that the old-fashioned medicines retain their popularity.

An expert authority on being interviewed states that the tendencies of the medical profession in Canada are along exactly the same lines. He gives the following old-fashioned vegetable mixture as the safest and best treatment for all stomach and liver troubles, constipation, disorder of the kidneys and bladder, and states that many of the leading physicians use these ingredients in some form, often by some fancy and expensive name:—

Fluid Extract Cascara..... 1/2 oz. Syrup Rhubarb..... 1 oz. Carriana Compound..... 1 oz. Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla 5 oz.

Take one teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime. This acts in a pleasant way, and is free from the bad effects of strong purgatives and synthetics. We advise all our readers to cut this valuable formula out and use it. Any druggist can supply these ingredients at a small expense. You can mix them at home if you prefer.

A petition to the legislative assembly re municipal sanatoria, was passed.

Mr. W. H. Stevens, school inspector, drew the council's attention to the fact that the education department of the provincial government required the assessors in school sections in the different sections from five to twenty-one years of age, as well as all those from eight to fourteen years of age—the compulsory school age. The county clerk will attend to this matter and notify the proper officials.

County Council Will Widen Road

Thoroughfare South of Lindsay-st to be Made Wider Below the Bridge

It will be of interest to those who have occasion to travel over the road south on Lindsay-st. into Ops township, to learn that the county council will widen the thoroughfare immediately south of the bridge. It will be remembered that considerable work was undertaken on this road last season, but it seems a portion of it was made too narrow, and in consequence considerable difficulty was experienced in passing when two vehicles met, several accidents having actually occurred during the past few weeks.

Mr. Peter Hawkin, reeve of Ops, has been empowered by the council to improve the thoroughfare, and the work will be undertaken as early in the spring as possible.

—Potatoes are 75 cents a bushel in Winnipeg.

—Lynn Knox has been appointed town clerk of Goderich.

—Hamilton bricklayers and builders have renewed their contract for 3 years at 50 cents an hour.

—Two thousand dollars a foot was paid for a block beside the Bank of Montreal site in Winnipeg.

—President Roosevelt approves of the recommendation to remove the wreck of the Maine from Havana harbor.

—The little town of Monesson, 30 miles from Pittsburg, is excited over the kidnapping by tramps of Edna Spratt, aged 15 and Jeanette Rankin aged 16.

—At a session of the county court held last Thursday before F. D. Moore, K. C., county magistrate, a Fenelon township resident was charged with assaulting his wife. He was allowed to go on suspended sentence after providing a surety that he would keep the peace.

Indigestion

Stomach trouble is but a symptom of and not in itself a true disease. We think of Dyspepsia, Heartburn, and indigestion as real diseases, yet they are symptoms only of a certain specific Nerve sickness—nothing else. It was this fact that first correctly led Dr. Shoop in the creation of that now very popular Stomach Remedy—Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Going direct to the stomach nerves, it brings about that success and favor to Dr. Shoop and his Restorative. Without that original and highly vital principle, no such lasting accomplishments were ever to be had. For stomach distress, bloating, biliousness, head breath and sallow complexion, try Dr. Shoop's Restorative—Tablets or Liquid—and see for yourself what it can and will do. We sell and cheerfully recommend.

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Principal Falconer Delivers Address

An Inspiring Utterance by Toronto University's Principal

The Academy of Music was crowded last Friday by an audience that had braved the unfortunate weather conditions prevailing to hear that gifted scholar, President Dr. Falconer, of Toronto University.

Mr. S. J. Fox M. P. P., occupied the chair and seated on the platform were a number of the representative citizens of both town and county.

Dr. Reid was the first speaker and he was followed by Prof. Falconer in an inspiring and scholarly effort that proved a literary treat of the highest order.

STABLE SANITATION

Dr. Reid laid in opening that he wished to attract the attention of the farmers to stable sanitation. Providence had given us an abundant supply of fresh air and sunlight, and the speaker felt that many animals, through poor stabling, were not enjoying these privileges. He next referred to the prevalence of cattle tuberculosis, which was not so prevalent when animals had sufficient air and sunshine. Poorly ventilated barns are responsible for the prevalence of this malady. Put in plenty of windows in your buildings, he said, and provide plenty of ventilation, and allow the animals to breathe pure air. Closely confined animals can never be healthy. Sunshine and pure air are the most powerful adjuncts we have today, and are absolutely necessary for the preservation of human and animal life.

AN INSPIRING ADDRESS.

Dr. Falconer said that when asked to come to Lindsay, he felt that there was a strong reason why he should come in order to show the interest we must all take in the different departments of our life. In the universities they build upon the schools and country at large. There are over 3,000 pupils in the Toronto University and over two-thirds come from the province at large. Many of them come from the farm. No section sends a better class of students than those from the farm. We must lay emphasis on the farming community and be in touch with them. We are dependent more and more on the students at the colleges. We cannot get away from their influences. It is imperative that this country should have men of high character at the different vocations in life. Men are working at their callings who are never encountered in daily life, and in the course of time give the world the benefit of their talents by a discovery, and man is the better for it.

University maintenance is expensive because men have to be trained, and they all react on the people. That is why all should be interested in higher education. Everyone should be interested in schools. They appeal more directly to us. Some do not realize that the school is the foundation stone of the future, and yet there are some who would starve the schools. He could not understand how committees could act this way.

A nation's standing is not to be considered by the inhabitants of the cities. We need a strong, manly and intelligent countryside. There is not the chance in the big cities to develop their characteristics. Give a foreigner a bit of land and he is a new type of man. The health comes to him from the pure, intellectual and moral air he breathes.

Industry, intelligence, and integrity is a splendid motto for us all. The physical strength of the country stimulates us to industry. The man who is industrious is intelligent. Farmers need intelligence and it is in Guelph college and other similar institutions where this necessary requirement is imparted. Integrity is a moral and intelligent gift. It means that man does that which he considers right. He possesses intelligence to know what he pursues is correct. We believe there is a great future in store for our country, and we should strive to become a people and take our place among the nations of the world. We will be known as Canadians, because we have a distinctive individuality, and we will make a contribution to western civilization. It is our province to think carefully what our future will be. Let us remember that we are at the making of things, and we should practice tolerance and try to endure other people's opinions. We should not think of our town or province, but of the whole empire. Always give due credit to the opinions of others, but hold our own.

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered to the speakers by Drs. Vrooman and Blanchard.

An informal reception was afterwards held, when many of the citizens took advantage of the opportunity to meet Dr. Falconer.

CASTORIA. The Kid You Have Always Bought

Rev. L. W. B. Broughall, of Oakville, has been appointed dean of Halton.

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Nasty Wound from Hockey Stick. While practicing hockey with the Y. M. C. A. team on Thursday, Mr. J. Baldwin received a nasty wound above the eye. Mr. Baldwin was playing goal and had only been on the ice a few minutes when one of the boys in the middle of the ice shot on goal, striking Baldwin above the eye. A deep wound was inflicted, and it took three stitches to sew up the cut. Dr. Brown dressed the wound after which the young man made his way home.

Saturday Market. There was a very good attendance at the market on Saturday, and the produce was picked up rapidly. There was a great demand for butter and eggs and those who had them on the market did not have much trouble in getting rid of them. On the outside there was a large quantity of beef and other meats. Following are the prices: Eggs, 30c; chickens, 15c. a lb; turkey, 17c. a lb; cream, 15c; dressed beef, 5c. to 8c; dressed pork, \$8 to \$8.60 per hundred.

—Dr. Broad, V. S., has been appointed agent of the Dominion Animal Insurance Co., of Canada for the counties of Victoria and Haliburton. His card will appear in a future issue. —Roosevelt and Hughes are discussed as rivals in the United States Senatorship from New York to succeed Dewey. —Last year's county council of Wentworth left a surplus of \$1,200. —Rev. L. W. B. Broughall, of Oakville, has been appointed dean of Halton.

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