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LIBERAL ELECTED IN EAST LAMBTON RECOUNT GIVES M'CORMICK SEAT

(Special to The Post.)
SARNIA, July 15.—By the decision of his honor Judge MacWatt, rendered at the close of the recount proceedings late last night, the East Lambton seat in the recent Ontario contest has been awarded to Robert John McCormick, the Liberal candidate. Conservatives say they will carry the decision to the Court of Appeal. No less than 222 ballots were found in the ballot box with the counterfoil and printed numbers attached, which has been held to be against the law in a number of previous election cases. Of those, 77 ballots are marked for Martyn, and 46 are marked for McCormick. The 123 ballots with counterfoil attached are from the polling subdivision of Theford. If these ballots were counted they would give Dr. Martyn a majority of 31 in that polling subdivision. If, however, on the other hand, they were declared illegal, it would give Robert McCormick, the Liberal candidate, a majority in the riding of about 25. Then again, if these disputed ballots are allowed, Dr. Martyn, the Conservative member-elect, will have a majority of nine or eleven in the riding. Judge MacWatt held a count at his chambers last night, when the case was argued by the legal representatives of the respective candidates, and decided in favor of Mr. McCormick.

Judge Reserves Judgment.
WOODSTOCK, July 15.—County Judge Wallace yesterday morning reserved judgment in the South Oxford recount, and it is probable that the case will not be decided for some days. Forty-five ballots are under dispute, but most of the objections are of a minor nature, several ballots having been marked in ink, blue pencil, etc. Others are numbered and these have distinguishing marks upon them, which is claimed to be contrary to the act.

W. A. Sinclair, Conservative candidate, has a majority of four, and both sides are hopeful that the final decision will be in their favor. Col. T. B. Mayberry was the defeated Liberal candidate.

NEW DAM IS NOW COMPLETE

The new dam at Fenelon Falls is now complete as far as the Seymour Power Co. and the main section is concerned. For the past two months all Lindsay's light and electric power has been obtained from the Seymour Power Co.'s system of water powers along the Trent Canal other than Fenelon Falls where the water was shut off to allow the new dam to be constructed.

The water was turned in again on Thursday and for the first time since April the big dynamos were running again Saturday last. However, Lindsay is not yet receiving any of the power as it is being used in Fenelon Falls while the village is rebuilding the dam and approaches to its own power plant.

After that Lindsay will continue to get its power from the east and the Fenelon Falls plant will be kept merely as a reserve in case of breakdown of any part of the company's system or of overload. The Fenelon plant develops about 1500 horse power. In spite of the changes made Lindsay has not been in any way inconvenienced during the two months.

BAND WILL PARADE
Bandmaster Fuller, of the Salvation Army Band, has received permission from Headquarters, Toronto, for the band to participate in the Firemen and Band Competition parade on July 30th. It will be strengthened for the occasion.

It is better not to become matrimonially entangled with the girl who displays a disposition to argue with pa and ma.

PLACE CLOCK WHERE IT CAN BE SEEN

In connection with the location of the clock in the post office tower, it might be stated that Mr. John Carrow, M.P.P., telephoned the Department of Public Works and also the Minister of Militia concerning the matter. The Minister of Public Works, Hon. Bob Rogers, is at present in the West, but it is felt that the Deputy Minister, J. B. Hunter, B.A., is vested with sufficient authority to order a change in the plans.

His Worship Mayor Beal has also notified the Department that the proposed location of the clock is unsatisfactory. The contractor is proceeding with the work in the tower and anyone who views the proposed location of the clock from say, the corner of Kent-st and Cambridge-st, will easily see that a portion of its face will be hidden from view by one of the little turrets on the post office.

MILLERSMITH

(Special to The Post.)
L.O.L. No. 952 celebrated the 13th July in Lindsay. The turnout of the lodge was good, being 50 strong, and its standard was very commendable.

The Orange Order was addressed on Sunday morning by Rev. Mr. Webster.

Mr. Roll Thurston and a number of others motored to John Ashmore's Sunday from Bobcaygeon.

Dr. Harrington, of Clarence Centre, Erie County, New York, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Thos. Harrington, and also his brothers, Dr. Harrington is an old Millersmith boy, and is now prominent in his profession in the U.S.

Miss Locklin, of Evansville, returned to her home near Belleville on Sunday morning.

EIGHTEEN POUND FISH

Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Norman McConnell, while trawling near McConnell's Island, caught a maskinonge that tipped the scales at 18 pounds. The big fish was landed without difficulty.

MOUNT ALBERT

(Special to The Post.)
Mrs. Richard Long and daughter of Portage la Prairie, have been the guests of Mrs. H. D. Ramsden.

Misses Ruth and Dolly Petrie, of Toronto, are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Marr.

We are pleased to hear that little Madeline Ross is recovering, after a severe attack of typhoid fever.

Mr. Roy Graham, of this town and Miss Williamson, of Vander, were married last week. We extend congratulations and best wishes.

Mrs. C. W. Davidson is visiting friends in Toronto.

Congratulations to Miss Vera Walton on her success in passing with honors, her musical exams from the Dominion Conservatory of Music in Montreal.

We are sorry to hear all the teachers in both the high and public schools have tendered their resignations.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mann, of Keswick, have returned home after a visit with relatives here.

Miss E. Harrison, who is teaching in the west, is spending her vacation with her parents here.

Mrs. Haigh is home from the west on a visit.

Garden fruits of all kinds promise an abundant yield.

July 8th was Civic Holiday here. Many took in the S. S. excursion to Beaverton, and report a good time.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church purpose holding their annual garden party on Mr. J. D. Rowland's lawn on July 29th.

THOUGHT IT WAS SUICIDE

A prominent merchant was discovered a few days ago brandishing his razor at midnight. His wife called for assistance, but found her Hubby was only paring his corns. Far better not to risk blood poisoning—use Putnam's.

CANDIDATE SECURED HONORS

In the list of successful entrance pupils published Tuesday, Miss Eva L. Mitchell of S.S. No. 6, Ops, should have been credited with honors. This was omitted in the preparation of the results for publication.

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President.

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Hats now on display, trimmed in latest styles from New York and Paris.

Bridal and Mourning Hats a specialty

MISS MITCHELL
Parlor over Campbell's Grocery Store, Kent-st.

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DEPARTMENTAL EXAM RESULTS RECORD OF VICTORIA COUNTY PUPILS

The Department of Education yesterday announced the results of entrance examinations as follows: Results into public schools, senior high school, senior public school graduates, diploma, lower school examination for entrance into the Normal and Faculties of Education.

Grades of successful candidates and the statements of marks of those who failed that have not been mailed to principals or parents will be sent in the course of a few days.

Principal examiners have already the answer papers of each grade whose marks appear to be in appeal. Where such candidates failed his statement of marks will be stamped as re-read. A further appeal will be allowed in all other cases of failure appeal will not be refused, if made before August 1st, and accompanied by the fee of \$2.00. In view of all examinations taken, however, it is unlikely that such appeals will succeed. Candidates are recommended to consult their principals in the advisability of entering appeals.

Following is the record for Victoria County for lower school examinations for entrance into Normal—

H. C. Adams, M. Allety, J. M. Burrows, C. Barbour, J. R. Brandon, C. F. Chambers, P. Cross, E. B. Currie, B. Clancy, M. E. E. Duequette, E. V. Dean, F. M. Graham, V. I. Glass, H. Herald, H. C. Hancock, A. E. L. Hughan, V. A. Hay, J. H. Irwin, B. Junger, L. Kerr, C. Kennedy, (hon.) M. V. Lynch, M. G. Lynd, L. McChesney, D. McDougal, W. McGill, T. McNeven, E. J. Mills, T. V. Murray.

ANOTHER CANAL SCHEME PLANNED

(Special to The Post.)
WASHINGTON, July 15.—Removal of restrictions upon the importance of electric power from Canada and retention of the present limit of 15,000 cubic feet per second upon the amount of water diverted for river power purposes from the Niagara river above the falls on the American side were advocated by Secretary Garrison in a letter to the House foreign affairs committee, made public yesterday. With the letter Mr. Garrison sent a report by Brigadier-General Kingman, chief of the army engineers, declaring that the enormous commerce on the great lakes probably soon would demand a ship canal between Lakes Erie and Ontario on American soil.

As to the situation below the Falls, Secretary Garrison said there seemed no reason for an express limitation upon water diverted there. He endorsed in a general way the pending Smith and Cline bill, which, he said, "closely approached the legislation needed for the protection of the Niagara River, and for the best and most economic use of its waters for power developments not inconsistent with navigation interests."

The Secretary's letter will be before the committee to-day, at a meeting called for a general discussion of the Niagara water-diversion problems, which have vexed Congress, the War Department and New York State authorities for years. Representatives of the Seneca Indians are expected to appear to support the Senecas' claim to rights in the Niagara, under the Pickering treaty, which split larger life and fuller and better desire. "Plain living and high thinking" was not the best motto. He wanted better living and higher thinking. It was altogether a spurious maxim that declared, "Blessed is he that expects nothing, for he will not be disappointed."

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DR. MACMILLAN AT WINNIPEG

Rev. J. W. MacMillan, formerly of St. Andrew's church, Lindsay, and now of St. Matthew's Presbyterian church, Halifax, in the course of an interesting and arduous sermon Sunday night at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, Winnipeg, said that at charity workers were acquainted with the fact that many poor people were so because they did not want to be rich. They would not work for better food and higher living because they did not really desire it.

The former popular pastor was preaching to a large congregation on the text, Matthew vii. 7—"Ask and it shall be given you: seek and ye shall find." Dr. MacMillan told of an incident in the novel by R. L. Stevenson, "The Master of Ballantrae." A certain likeable but shiftless character was asked why he did not do better in life, and he replied, "I fear that I have been afflicted with the malady of not wanting. I am not fit to have been struck that way."

The preacher used this statement to point his moral, and asked, "Why do men not do high deeds?" The answer was because their wants were so little and so few. The people who had low views of life and narrow requirements needed to be awakened.

Dr. MacMillan declared that it was a mistake to fancy, as many did, that Christianity stood for the narrowing down of the scheme of life. Buddhism meant the annihilation of desire, but not so with Christianity, which spelt larger life and fuller and better desire. "Plain living and high thinking" was not the best motto. He wanted better living and higher thinking. It was altogether a spurious maxim that declared, "Blessed is he that expects nothing, for he will not be disappointed."

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PETITION CIRCULATED

It is understood a petition will be circulated among the merchants with a view to having the stores closed on the afternoon of July 30th—the date of the Firemen and Band competition. The petition is not circulated by those behind the demonstration.

Dr. Paul accompanied by his wife and children of Syracuse, N.Y., are visiting with Mrs. McDiarmid, Mrs. Paul's mother, on Colborne-st.

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CLAXTON'S STORE NEWS

Items of interest to Economical Buyers

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GLOVES—Ladies' long, white Lisle gloves in all sizes. Reg. 25c. Per pair	Exceptional Values	SILK DRESSES—Ladies silk dresses the latest style in all sizes. Reg. up to \$15. To clear each
19c	SHEETINGS—72 in. wide made from the best Egyptian cotton, plain or twilled, per yard	\$8.95
RIBBONS—A new lot of fancy and plain ribbons in all the newest colors. 3 to 4 inches wide. Per yard	OILCLOTH—In fancy and plain colors 45 inches wide. Per yard	36c
10c	GINGHAM—Scotch gingham suitable for dresses, aprons and children's wear. To clear Per yard	25c
COMBINATIONS—Ladies' summer-weight combinations with 1/2 sleeves and without sleeves. To clear per suit	7c	WAISTS—Fancy silk blouses. All sizes while they last, each
HOSE—A special line of ladies' hose in all colors. Clearing price per pair	33c	\$3.50
15c	REPP—A Choice selection of fancy stripe repp. Reg 50c. To clear per yard	HOUSE DRESSES—Don't miss this chance, a few only to clear
DRESS GOODS	89c	89c
Extra good quality Tweed. Suitable for skirts and children's dresses. 38 inches wide, per yard	MESSALINE SILKS—In all colors, proper summer goods, 36 inches wide. Per yard	59c
35c	45c	OVERALLS—Leather label overalls. Our price per pair
PRINTS. We carry a large stock of the best English Prints in all colors	11 1/2c	\$1.19
Get Wise	9c	UNDERWEAR—Fine balbriggan under shirts and drawers, to clear
Our 12 1/2 quality this week. Per yard	9c	45c
Our 10c. Quality this week per yard		

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