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The Weekly Post. LINDSAY, FRIDAY, APR. 27th, 1900. LOCAL NEWS-LETTERS.

LITTLE BRITAIN. Now is the time to purchase your spring suit. Don't wait for the rush. Our stock is complete and we never had a better range of cloths, which comprises English and Scotch tweeds, serge, etc. We can make you up for a neat-fitting suit or a light overcoat at prices lower than elsewhere. If you are requiring a suit don't fail to give us a call. J. J. Rich, Little Britain—17th.

CRESSWELL. (Special Correspondence of The Post.) The farmers are busy putting in their grain. Miss Bella Patterson is spending a few days under the parental roof. E. Evans sells the best wheel on the market for the money. See them. Mr. Hugh Grant has an eye out for a good bargain. By trade Hugh is the possessor of one of the finest looking horses in the vicinity of Cresswell. The early bird catches the worm. Mr. D. McEadyen, our worthy teacher, is again back to work, after spending his holiday season out of our midst.

REABORO. (Special Correspondence of The Post.) Mr. Editor,—I wish to explain through your columns a statement that I made at a meeting held in the Reaboro Cheese Factory, April 20th. Mr. W. L. Reid accused me of having thrown a slur on Mr. Brown, which I, Mrs. E. A. Watson, secretary for that year, know to be so and tried to explain at the meeting. But I have found out since that people cannot hear right, so I wish to put it in print, hoping they can see right if they cannot hear. I said Mr. Joe Brown got this cheque of \$5, of which \$1 and some cents belonged to Mr. Brown for cheese that he had sold to patrons, and that \$1.38 belonged to the patrons, which was used at the time of the oyster supper held in the hall on the 23rd, 1897. Reaboro Cheese Factory, Nov. 23rd, 1897. This is what I said, but I wish to explain further that the \$1.03 was used to get tea and sugar for that supper, and Mr. Brown furnished the oysters out of his own money and not out of the patrons' money, as they were intended to be a treat for the evening. Mr. Brown, who is very sorry to have thrown a slur on Mr. Brown, which I had no intention of doing, but I knew Mr. Thos. Calvert was not guilty of what W. L. Reid accused him, and that is why I spoke—sure, etc., Mrs. E. A. Watson, Reaboro.

OMEMEE. (From Our Own Correspondent.) The spring is very favorable for farmers, who are very busy. The Buckhorn dam has raised 2 ft., causing very high water here. The roads are now excellent, both to Lindsay and Peterboro. Our bicyclists are hard at practice. Miss Davy Stephenson, teacher, returned to resume her duties at Lindsay on Monday, after Easter holidays, spent pleasantly at Omemee and other places. Gardening is now the order of the day. We are to have more social residences built—Mr. E. G. Adams and E. Elsom being the owners, besides the Presbyterian manse. Rev. Mr. Kinnawin, writing for additional degrees. Sergt. McCrear's parents are somewhat anxious, hearing of so many Canadians being so severely ill, but the Sergt. always reports good health. There is a great demand for laborers throughout the country and times were never better at this season.

GALWAY. (Special Correspondence of The Post.) The concert and bazaar social held in Scott's hall, Kirkfield, on Monday evening, April 16th, in aid of the building fund of the R.C. church, was a most unqualified success. The hall was filled to the utmost capacity and the seating room was at a premium. The elaborate program that was presented to the audience was a great attraction. The well-rendered selections of Prof. Coe and his talented wife, who in their different roles established themselves to be artists of a high order. In their up-to-date sketch, they kept the audience in rars of laughter. In their second act, "The Clockmaker's Hat," they were greeted with rounds of applause. In the latter play they

were ably assisted by Miss E. Doherty and Mr. William Deagan, of Fenelon Falls. A dialogue by Master Joe O'Leary and Lawrence Doherty was well received. Mr. J. A. Gillogly, of Lindsay, assisted in the program. The duties of chairman were most acceptably performed by Mr. R. Mansfield in his usual happy manner. Rev. Father O'Leary has reason to be proud of the success of his entertainments, and we trust the rev. gentleman will make it an annual affair.

BETHANY. (Special Correspondence of The Post.) Owing to the beautiful weather we have been favored with, the fall wheat and rye and clover is coming out all right, and we are certain this good prospect will cheer up the farmers, as they are the backbone of our country, when they fall, so does every other industry. Mr. Thos. Jackson has just completed sowing Mr. Foster's wood, and we are sure he will be overjoyed to know his night labor is over. Mr. Richard Vance is contemplating joining the benedictines. Mr. Dalbert Adams, our former grocer, we are pleased to say, has purchased from Mr. J. A. Vance, of Millbrook, his full stock of fresh groceries and has occupied his new store this week. His many visits quite frequently, as he gave perfect satisfaction to all while dealing out in this village. We join in wishing him every success. Mr. G. A. Ewing, who had been suffering for some time with a felon, we are pleased to say is about all right again. Mr. Francis Adams, of Omemee, has been lately employed by Mr. T. Ivory Sons to help attend their many customers in the village along with Mr. Rupert Gardner. Miss Jennie Morton, who has been sitting for some time, we are pleased to say is recovering again, and we hope to see her about our village ere long.

CANNINGTON. (From Our Own Correspondent.) Mr. S. J. Haight, inspector of the Imperial Life Insurance Co., spent a few days in town last week. Rev. Mr. Rice, of Toronto, spent his holiday with friends here. Miss G. Talbot has returned from Lindsay, where she has been attending St. Joseph's Convent. Miss Lenora Morrison, of Brechin, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Argue, of Amherst. Rev. Mr. Duncan occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church on Sunday last. School opened this morning with a fair attendance. The children will work with renewed diligence after their holidays. A young girl, Miss Edith Annett, died quite suddenly on Thursday last. She had been in her usual health and had just returned from attending a funeral when she took a fit, to which she was subject, and expired in a few moments. The funeral, which was largely attended, took place on Saturday to the Methodist church cemetery. The parents have the sympathy of the community.

BOLSOVER. (From Our Own Correspondent.) Farmers are busy again at their spring work. Mr. Erod Stabback and family are about to move to Rochester, U.S.A., and Mr. L. Gilchrist, of Woodville, and family, intend moving to Bolsover. We all extend a hearty welcome to them. They will be a very acceptable addition to our town. Mr. Geo. Foliott has left for the West. We are sorry to lose George, who was a general favorite among the boys. Norman McLean, of Lorneville, and Mr. Norman McLean paid a flying visit to Lindsay last week, also Mr. J. Nugent and Mr. Peter Ferguson. A very sociable time was spent at Mr. D. McEadyen's home last Friday, a number of our young ladies and gentlemen attending. Their spirits bright. With great delight they danced so gay till morning's ray. The Christian Endeavor was very largely attended at last Sabbath evening. Messrs. Asa Clark and Miss McGirr led the meeting very successfully. A collection in aid of the Indian famine fund was taken up. We are pleased to note that Angus McLean is again improving after his attack of inflammatory rheumatism. Mr. N. N. McLean, general manager, is prepared to sell goods at cheap prices for butter and eggs. Call and see his spring stock of hats, prints, etc.

GELETT. (From Our Own Correspondent.) I have not noticed any news from our neighboring village in your valuable paper for some time, so thought I would write this week. What has happened your correspondent? Mr. Edward and family have moved to our village and opened a store last Monday. I have not visited it yet, but intend doing so in the near future. We wish him success. Mr. John Sedgwick has moved out of Mr. John Sedgwick's house to Ritchie Falls, and Mr. Washington Sedgwick moved in last Monday, and Tuesday. Mr. F. W. Moore returned to his dentistry in Thornbury last Monday morning, after spending his Easter holidays in our village. Mr. A. J. Hartle, from Michigan, visited his sister, Mrs. A. J. Scott, last week. Messrs. A. Berrie, sr. and jr., with their families, left last week for Michibou. Mr. W. E. Ritchie went West last week. Mr. A. H. Brandon spent a couple of days in Lindsay last week, relieved of duty by Mr. M. Dart. We expect a few weddings shortly. I do hope all our pretty girls will take their matrimonial duties now and leave me to hunt up my partner in some foreign land after I get my house built. I have the nails ready to build any time. Misses Laura Ritchie and Jessie Donnelly left our town two weeks ago to spend the summer in Toronto. Miss Ritchie is a student at Victoria Road last Saturday. She intends staying for a couple of months. Mrs. Newell accompanied her as far as Fenelon. Our farmers are all busy with their spring seeding at present. Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hughes have been visiting friends in Picton the last two weeks. They are expected home Saturday evening. Mrs. George Dawkins visited her sister, Mrs. Asa Clark, at Baptist last week, and had the misfortune to be on the L.B. & O.R.R. train last Monday when the accident happened near Ironside. However, her pony, Milton Harrison, was with her and hired a rig, and they arrived home safely. Mr. Frank Moore, of Thornbury, was a guest at Mr. W. E. Ritchie's Easter week. Miss M. Ee, teacher on the North Line, returned to her school after

spending Easter holidays in Omemee. We are sorry to learn that Mr. Jas. Duggan's eldest son is seriously ill. Mr. Walter Haight left last Monday to take a position on the G.T.R. as superintendent. Good for Walter. Mr. Jno. Connors returned home last week after spending the winter in Napanea. We understand he intends reopening his hotel here. Miss Essie McElwain has purchased a fine bike. Mr. Harvey Harrison has gone to Midland, where he has secured a position as fireman on the G.T.R. Mr. Ben Johnston returned home on a visit to his friends after an absence of seventeen years. Mr. Alex. Hartle, of Mich. U.S.A., is visiting relatives here. We expect to report a wedding in the near future. What's the matter with Col. Hughes? He must be lonely away out in the wilds of South Africa. EUFFALO BILL.

WOODVILLE. (From Our Own Correspondent.) Wm. McLean returned to Gravenhurst last week, where he has a contract. His boys having recovered from their illness are now able to be out in the woods. Rev. J. McD. Duncan and Mrs. Duncan are at present in Englewood, N. J., U.S. What's our sad duty to report the death of Neil Smith at his residence, 38 Agnes-st., on Thursday last, aged 39 years, after a short and severe illness. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Watson, of Beaverton, assisted by Rev. J. B. Duncan, in the Presbyterian church on Saturday at 2 p.m. quite a number coming from Lindsay, Graveland, and Beaverton, as well as friends from Mariposa and Eldon. The bereaved were six of his nephews, the late Neil Smith, an old resident of Mariposa, and had for the last ten years resided in Woodville and had many friends. Deceased was a kind-hearted and very obliging neighbor, to which all could testify who had made his acquaintance. He was known only to be respected. The choir of the Presbyterian church were present with 18 new elegant cushioned chairs worth over \$3 each by the congregation. They were used for the first time last Sabbath. Mark Chippindale, residing at 233 St. Nicholas-st., Lindsay, died on Sunday last after a very brief illness, aged 52 years. E. Mosgrove and H. Campbell, of Kirkfield, were in the village on Saturday last. Miss E. McPhaden returned from Toronto on Monday, having spent two weeks in the city with friends. The funeral of Mrs. T. J. Humphrey, who died at Calgary, N.W.T., last week, was conducted from the residence of her father, E. Crossberry, Brock-st., on Tuesday afternoon to the Cannington cemetery. Quite a number of the friends and acquaintances from Woodville and vicinity attended the funeral. L. Gilchrist and family are preparing to move to Bolsover in a few days. Our loss will be Bolsover's gain.

OAKWOOD. (From Our Own Correspondent.) A meeting was held in the town hall on Friday evening last in the interests of the County Hospital. The chair was filled by County Councillor (Cannington) Messrs. Stewart and Graham, from Lindsay, gave some useful information concerning the proposed building, their addresses were listened to by a very attentive, but not very large audience. Several ratepayers made a few remarks on the project. It is evident that the desire to aid the effort is on the increase in this neighborhood. On Monday afternoon last Mr. Pascoe was driving a large team belonging to Messrs. Bros., with a load of eggs, about two miles and a half east of the village, when one of the horses succeeded in getting one of his hind legs on the wrong side of the wheel, which resulted in a general capsize of the wagon and the load of eggs. Between 20 and 30 dozens were smashed, besides a large number of broken shells. It would seem to be a rather dangerous experiment to allow a horse that is inclined to use its hind legs too freely to be hitched to a load of eggs. Our business, Mr. George Mason, is about commencing to build a new house and shop for his increasing business. Mr. W. Tait is improving the property recently purchased from Mr. A. Waiton, on the south side of the village, by a new house and wire fences. Mrs. Southall, jr., from Buffalo, W. has former residence in the village has been visiting her brother, Mr. J. E. Cunnings. Mr. James Taylor is making preparation to build a brick dwelling house. Mrs. Banks has been confined to the house for a few days with pleurisy, but we are pleased to hear that she is somewhat better. Mr. Angus Patterson has been laid up with a serious attack of pneumonia, but is a little better. Rev. Brown, of Cannington, occupied the pulpit in the Methodist church last Sunday morning, and the pastor, Rev. L. Phelps, in the evening. Mr. Russell, the student from Toronto who is officiating the Presbyterian church for the summer months, is having increased congregations. He is likely to do a good work here. Mr. J. Pascoe, who left the employ of Hogg Bros., has secured a position in Cannington. Mr. J. P. Cunnings has been in Toronto in connection with his increasing insurance business.

VICTORIA ROAD. (From Our Own Correspondent.) Spence Bros., Kirkfield, are selling bicycles, of the very best make at moderate prices. A full stock of hardware, saws, paints, tinware, and oils always on hand—wrt. FENELON FALLS. (From Our Own Correspondent.) Mr. Wm. McIntosh's only son, a boy about four years old, Wednesday of last week, after suffering from brain trouble for four weeks. The funeral to the Fenelon Falls cemetery on Thursday was largely attended. Mr. and Mrs. McIntosh have the sympathy of all the residents here in their affliction. Dr. Mason's two youngest children have been suffering from inflammation of the lungs for the last week. The younger of the two, a boy of 11 months, has been in a serious condition, but is said to be improving slowly now. When Paul Boynton swam the "Soo" rapids a few years ago representatives of two nations watched him perform the feat successfully; but when the Billett's steer performed the same feat in the Fenelon Falls, it was only admired by about 200 inhabitants of the village. It was on Friday of last week that the daring feat was accomplished. It appears that Mr. Billett accomplished to Mr. John Copp, of Ball's dam, and was delivering them at the dam. Among them was a steer of Holstein breed wearing a mask. The animal seemed to be greatly agitated and became quite noisy. On passing over the canal bridge he made a charge at a little girl, and Mr. Billett's son, fearing for the safety of the child, forced the animal on at a rapid gait. The animal ran down the North Star mill, jumped into the eddy and swam across to the opposite side, where he lodged under the projecting rock, and there he remained until pulled out by the crowd on the wharf. The credit of the rescue is largely due to Messrs. George Wilson and Stephen Neilson, who rescued the animal after a great deal of difficulty, in a punt and pulled a rope on his horse. The first boat to leave port here this spring was I. A. Ellis' palace scow Omemee. There was anchored near the railway bridge on Monday morning, after a few hours' illness. The funeral to the Fenelon Falls cemetery on Tuesday was numerous attended. Roy, infant son of Mr. Thomas Smith, of this village, died on Tuesday of inflammation of the lungs. Messrs. McLaughlin, Brandon & Austin shipped their weekly consignment of hogs to Peterboro on Wednesday of this week.

KINMOUNT. (From Our Own Correspondent.) Quite a number of teachers passed enroute to their various schools after the Easter vacations. Mr. Chas. Hopkins, who has been down to Trenton writing upon his theological examinations, returned Saturday. His many friends will be pleased to hear of his success in this branch of his work. Our school re-opened on Monday with a large attendance of scholars, under the same staff. Miss Bertha Hopkins returned Monday from an extended visit to Peterboro and Port Hope. Mrs. L. M. Forest was a guest of Mrs. M. A. Hopkins on Saturday last. Traffic on the I.B.O. is in a state of temporary confusion, owing to several washouts on the line. Several days last week no traffic came over the line, and on Monday last, we understand, the train was derailed. The time of writing, still in the ditch, time of writing, whose destination is Bancroft and the neighborhood, will doubtless experience some difficulty in reaching that point. The Church of England in this village, has decided to give a basket social on Saturday evening next, 28th inst., in Scott's hall. The proceeds will be in aid of the church itself, old building, or shall repair our denial upon various repairs and alterations being performed. We anticipate a large attendance at this social. The last social event of the season, which will doubtless be very entertaining, as our Anglican friends have both the ability and will to furnish an evening's enjoyment. The admission fee will be 50c for gentlemen; ladies with baskets will be admitted free. The meeting of our school board, which was held on the evening of the 18th inst., was after some discussion again adjourned for two weeks. At the next meeting it will be finally decided whether we shall repair our old building or erect a new school. Estimates of the probable cost of both schemes are being prepared and will be submitted to those present. The feeling of the neighborhood seems to be in favor of the latter idea, which will doubtless find its adoption at the meeting, which all the ratepayers of the section should attend.

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The April Rush TO SEE GOUGH'S GREATEST SPRING DISPLAY of Men's and Boys Spring Clothing, Hats, Caps and Furnishings. Fashion's Spring Parade draws near! We have anticipated nearly every want by providing far beyond our usual stocks of Ready-made Suits and Overcoats for Spring wear, as well as Stylish Spring Hats and Caps, new weights of Underwear, Nobby Spring Neckwear, Fancy Spring Shirts, and Fashionable Collars and Cuffs. We have outstripped all previous records and start the month of April by keeping up our record for EVERLASTINGLY GIVING THE MOST FOR THE MONEY. You owe it to yourself to be well dressed. This is a thorough man's store, and all our goods can be sold cheaper here because the combined capital of our syndicate enables us to buy so much more cheaply. An intelligent comparison will convince you that it pays to deal at GOUGH'S. Look at these BIG EASTER EGGS: A \$5.00 Tweed Suit for \$3.90, A \$7.00 Serge Suit for \$5.00, A \$9.00 Spring Overcoat for \$7.00, A \$12.00 Spring Overcoat for \$10.00, A \$3.00 Spring Derby for \$2.25, A \$2.00 Felt Hat for \$1.50. Very Pretty Suits for Boys for \$1.90, All-wool 3-piece Suits for Boys for \$3.25, New Neckwear, latest out, 15c, 20c and 25c, Men's Spring Shirts, in a pleasing variety of new patterns, 65c, 85c and \$1.00, Collars, 8c, 10c, 15c. Cuffs, 15c per pair. B. W. GOUGH THE WONDERFUL CHEAP MAN. EVERYBODY'S STORE. Call on R. NEILL SATURDAY... D. J. MARKHAM stock of BOOTS and SHOES, and expect to have them at Bargain Tables Saturday. R. Neill's Trunks and Valises. What Wheel Will You Ride? ONE WITH A REAL GUARANTEE We are Agents for the Canada Cycle Co's Wheels. Our Cleavelands, Massey-Harris and Dominion Wheels are daisies. They have the very latest designs that is ahead of the average wheel design. They have given the greatest satisfaction, for they are easy-running, strong and cheap. SPENCE BROS., Kirkfield. IT'S THIS WAY WITH US. We aim to do an exclusive trade in Fine Footwear for ladies and gentlemen. We don't blame people for going to the city occasionally for goods—it's because the stores at home fail to do their duty. The day has passed when merchants can do business unless they give strict attention to the fashions, and introduce new lines as soon as they are placed on the market. We have decided to do this, and a glance at our window will soon convince you. Note our stylish American Goods—you'll find nothing more up to date if you travel the Dominion over. We carry also the fine lines made by leading Canadian firms, and they are certainly fit to compare with any. Of course we carry the usual cheaper lines in serviceable "working" footwear, and offer something extra in the line of Youth's and Misses' School Boots. Call and get prices. FINLAY & CHANTLER

United States to write No. 16 alone. There are not enough people in the Western Hemisphere at one letter each to complete No. 17. There are not quite enough people in Europe to write the letters in this chain belong to No. 18. Now, with regard to No. 19, if we exclude all those who have added a letter to this chain, there would not be enough left on the whole world to complete this number. For No. 20 and the succeeding numbers up to and including No. 30 would require more than 200,000 worlds such as this in which we live. If the letters were all sent to the rapid rate of 100,000 a day, and he would require to be nimble-fingered to do this, it would take him over eight months to complete the line. Several large cities would be required to exceed any public work ever undertaken by any nation. C. B. BENNE.

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