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The best argument we can put forth to-day to induce you to fill your wants at once, and liberally, is that our prices in nearly all instances are as low, if not lower, than prices governing the market to-day and which we would have to pay had we not protected ourselves for our customers months ahead.

Just passed into stock this week 5 doz. Ladies' Jackets and Capes, including many special novelties not shown early in the season and about ⅓ less than regular price.

Inch Beaver Cloth for Ladies' and Misses' Jackets in all the leading colors, special prices according to quality. 75c, $1 00 $1.25 $1 50

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36 inch Silk, Wool and Mohair fancy Dress Crepons, best make, 65c, 75c, 90c. $1.00, $1.25

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Sofa Cushion Tops, something entirely new and very pretty, all colors,.....25c

Darning Wool, three large cards for....5c

Honey Comb Shawls, colors, white, cream, grey, black, cardinal, coral and sky: size 50 x 50, at 75c., 54 x 54, at.....$1 00

White Victoria Lawn, hemmed and tucked for aprons, 36 to 40 inch wide, special prices,.....14c, 20c, 25c

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Men's dark full furred Wallaby coats, best Italian lined, very high storm collar, full lengths, prices, $16 00 to $25.00

Grey Goat Robes well lined and trimmed, extra large sizes and very dark fur, every robe warranted, prices $6.00 to $9 00 according to quality.

The cold November days suggest a heavy ulster. Be sure to see Carter's leader in freize ulster, plaid lined, deep storm collar, muff pockets, half belt full length, all sizes, regular $8.00 quality for.....$3 95

Men's single breasted beaver cloth Overcoat in blue and black, three inch velvet collar, extra good Italian lined perfect fit, $5.00, $6 00, $7 00, $9.00, $10 00, $12.00, $14.00, according to quality.

Our offer was accepted for 275 pair of Men's Pants. This lot has been passed into stock, they are marked and ready for you at about ½ regular prices Come while the assortment is large.

Men's wool fleece lined Mitts with wool cuff and solid calf skin front and back, this mitt is known as the Klondyke Kumfort, every pair guaranteed. Only to be had at Carter's. Special price 50c Men's working leather Mitts, fleece lined, very special, per pair,.....25c

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New Advertisements.

WANTED—Experienced Teacher, holding a Second Class Professional Certificate, for U S S. No. 3, Verulam and Fenelon. Apply to JOHNSTON PATTERSON, Secretary, Fenelon Falls, Ont.—97w4

TEACHER WANTED — Applications will be received till Dec. 2nd, for an experienced teacher for the year 1900, to teach in S.S. No. 6, Eldon. State experience, salary, etc Holding 2nd or 3rd class certificate. COLIN MacMILLAN, Secretary, Glenarm P.O.—97w4.

HEIFER LOST.—On the road between Cambray and Con. 11, Mariposa, on Oct. 30th, One Light Roan Heifer, two years old. Finder will please send information to WM. RICH, Oakwood P.O.—97w2.

FARM TO RENT.—North half of Lot 10, Con. 5, Ops. Four miles south of Lindsay, consisting of one hundred acres. Brick House, Barn and outbuildings. Ploughing partly done; possession given this fall. Apply to JAS. KILLEN, Lindsay P. O.—w4.

FOR SALE—A number of thoroughbred Shropshire Rams, bred by Mr. W. Cornell, of West Ops, sired by 'Traveller,' and he by "Newton Lord." Will sell at a bargain; apply to Lot 19, Con. 10, Ops, or MR. W. J. MOORE, Lindsay P.O. —97w3

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the shareholders and patrons of the Palestine Dairy Committee will be held in the School house, Palestine, on Monday, Dec. 4th, at 2 o'clock, p.m. JOHN FOREMAN, Secretary.—w2.

STRAYED from the premises of the undersigned, Lot 3, Con. 12, Mariposa, two Ewe Leicester Lambs. Finder will be suitably rewarded. Also for sale several Leicester Ewes, four Lamb Rams and one Aged Ram. Apply to JOHN BAGSHAW, Cannington P.O.—97w3.

STRAYED—From the premises of the undersigned, Lot 15, Concession 13, Mariposa, Four Yearling Calves, one red steer, one red heifer, one red steer with some white spots on it, and one spotted grey steer. Anyone giving information that will lead to their recovery will receive four dollars reward CHAS. McKAY.—w2.

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Cambray, Ont.

Recent Graduate of W. H. and M. Hospitals, New York, also S.C.H., Toronto. Reasonable terms.—w2

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$5 REWARD—A Reward of $5 will be paid to any person giving information that will lead to the conviction of any person selling liquor in the County of Victoria otherwise than according to the law as laid down in the Liquor License Act. The address of the sender will be treated with confidence and the information will be acted on promptly. JOHN SHORT License Inspector, Box 42, Lindsay.—dw.

MANSION HOUSE, LINDSAY,
Opposite the Market,

UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT.

The undersigned respectfully informs the people of the County of Victoria and the travelling public generally, that he has leased the above hotel for a term of years, and has renovated and refurnished it throughout, making it one of the most comfortable stopping places to be found in Lindsay.

Having been for a number of years engaged in catering to the summer tourist trade in Bobcaygeon, my guests may rely on the best service at all times, including a good table.

The bar will be kept supplied with good brands of Liquors and Cigars, and farmers and others will find first-class accommodation for teams in the commodious yard and stables.

A call will be appreciated.

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Naturally the boys have kicked out their shoes during the summer. Now it's school time and new shoes must be provided.

Our "little men's" Perfect shoes will prove a delight to those who wear them and a satisfaction to those who pay for them. They are made for hard wear, but look well.

Prices, 90c, 95c, $1.00, $1.10 and $1.25.

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THE LECTURES:

SIR JOHN BOURINOT—"Canada's Debt to the United Empire Loyalists."
SIR CHARLES TUPPER—"The Past the Present, and the Future of Canada."
MR. BOURASSA—"The Contribution of the French-English Races to the Making of Canada."
HON. DAVID MILLS—"The English in Africa."

The First Lecture, Friday, December 8th, Sir John Bourinot--"Canada's Debt to U E Loyalists"

COURSE TICKETS, 50 cents. - - SINGLE TICKETS, 25 Cents.

VICTORIA COUNTY COUNCIL

NOVEMBER SESSION.

Considerable Business to be Transacted --House of Refuge to be Discussed.

The November session of the county council opened at the court house yesterday afternoon.

Warden Bryans informed the council that the clerk being laid aside by illness, it was necessary that a person be appointed to act in his stead, in compliance with the requirements of the Municipal Act.

Moved by Mr. Bailey, seconded by Mr. Graham, that in the event of Thos. Matchett, esq., clerk of this council, appointing James R. McNeillie, of the town of Lindsay, as acting clerk during the absence of the said clerk through illness, which renders him incapable of performing the duties of his office as clerk, such appointment of the said James R. McNeillie as acting clerk be accepted, and the same be hereby confirmed.—Carried.

The Warden submitted a document, signed and sealed by the clerk, appointing James R. McNeillie to act in his stead, after which Mr. McNeillie entered upon the duties of the office.

The members were all present, except Mr. Austin and Dr. Wood. The minutes of the last day of the June session were read and confirmed.

Warden Bryans' Address.

The Warden delivered the following address:

Gentlemen,—In opening this session of the Council there are several matters to which I should especially call your attention.

Up to and including the June session, authority had been given to John Bailey, esquire, member for the Fifth Division, for the practical re-building of Montgomery's bridge, the filling in of High Gully bridge, and the repair of Victoria bridge, Gold Creek bridge, Talbot River bridge, on the boundary between the townships of Bexley and Carden, a small bridge known as Black River Hill bridge, and the Grass River bridge, south of the village of Victoria Road, all on the Victoria Road. As the work progressed it became apparent that it would be necessary to re-build Gold Creek and Talbot River bridges also, instead of making repairs only I gave Mr. Bailey authority for the change, realizing that the best interests of the county would thus be served. The repair of the Head River bridge on the boundary between the townships of Carden and Laxton was also authorized. I have inspected the works in company with James Graham, esq., member for the Second Division. It is gratifying to be able to state with regard to the bridges which have been rebuilt that the structures have been made permanent by filling in the passages to the fullest possible extent, and that in all the works Mr. Bailey has carried out the purposes of the council in a thorough and efficient manner. A report will be submitted by Mr. Bailey.

It has been found necessary to authorize repairs on the Fenelon Falls bridge, and I have taken advantage of the fact that the piers were exposed by the damming back of the water in connection with other works, to have the joints of the lower courses of the stone work cemented and repointed.

In connection with the proposed repairs on the Little Bob bridge, I am pleased to inform you that as a result of a conference between William C. Switzer, esq., member for the Third Division, whom you appointed to represent you, Morgan Johns, esq., member for the Fourth Division, whom I requested to attend, and representatives of the council of the county of Peterborough, arrangement has been made with the Mossom Boyd Co to keep the planking of the bridge in repair for five years for the fixed sum of $30 per annum.

A communication was received from the clerk of the county of Ontario as to needed repairs on the Nonquon bridge, which has been maintained by the counties of Ontario and Victoria, and at my request, George Johnston, esq., member for the First Division, represented this county.

My attention was called to an account for repairs on a bridge designated as Big Eddy bridge, made by a commissioner for the county of Ontario. No action has been taken further than to ascertain where the bridge is situated, and I am informed the structure is across Black River, on the boundary between the counties of Ontario and Victoria.

A communication was received from Mr. J. F. Taverner, respecting the Forks bridge, Black River. Mr. Bailey has been able to give definite information as to the location of the bridge. I have not deemed it incumbent upon me to take any step towards its repair.

In view of the large number of bridges which, under the Municipal Act, come under the jurisdiction of the council, many of them small structures, I venture to ask you to consider whether or not the time has come for taking advantage of the provisions of the third sub-section of section 617 of the Act, which authorizes the council to pass a by-law excluding from its juridiction bridges over streams, etc., less than eighty feet in width.

During the recess I have had to deal with several cases of indigents; one person whom it has been almost impossible to have cared for within a reasonable limit of cost; one who is being maintained by the county, who was sent to the General Hospital, Toronto, for treatment, and another, an old woman, sent to the county gaol from the county of Haliburton, as a vagrant, who, after fruitless efforts on the part of Lindsay clergymen to have her maintained at the expense of the county from which she came, has been sent temporarily to the Home for the Aged to be cared for at the expense of this county. My experience in these cases gives emphasis to the conviction which I hold most firmly, that the county should not any longer defer the fulfillment of the duty that rests upon it to provide for the proper maintenance of its destitute and homeless poor.

The board of education of the town of Lindsay has a provision that when two or more members of the same family are in attendance at the Collegiate Institute the fee for each is seventy-five cents per month, and the question has been raised whether the same rebate might not be allowed to county pupils in similar conditions.

I deemed it my duty to attend the annual meeting of the Trent Valley Canal Association, held at Peterboro last week. Important and interesting reports were presented.

Under By-law No. 346 of the council the Sheriff is entitled to a certain allowance for services in connection with the sittings of the courts. Since the by-law was passed the statute has been amended so as to make definites provision for the services; it may, therefore, be deemed advisable to repeal the by-law.

In common with many of the municipalities in the province, the county of Victoria could not be otherwise than deeply interested in the sending of a Canadian Contingent of soldiers to take part in the war for the Empire in South Africa. I, therefore, did what was in my power to represent you in relation to the men of our own county, who offered themselves for the service.

A number of communications on various subjects will be submitted for your consideration.

On motion of Mr. Switzer, seconded by Mr. Cameron, the several paragraphs were referred to the committees respectively having power to deal with the various subjects.

Communications and Reports.

The Warden submitted the treasurer's statement of moneys at the credit of the corporation on the 31st day of October last.

The Warden submitted documents as follows:

Correspondence respecting Little Bob bridge.

From A. C. Graham, esq., respecting Grass River bridge.

From His Honor Judge Harding, respecting the examination of insane persons in the county gaol.

Correspondence respecting the case of Thos. Winter.

From the secretary Toronto General Hospital, respecting case of Frederick Comfort.

From John A. Ellis, esq., respecting Fenelon Falls bridge.

From Thos. Bell, caretaker of Norland bridge, respecting same.

From the clerk County of Ontario, respecting Big Eddy Bridge, on Black River.

From Mr. J. E. Taverner, respecting Forks bridge, Black River.

From John Bailey, esq., respecting same.

From the clerk county of Ontario, respecting Nonquon bridge.

From George Johnson, esq., respecting the same.

From Morgan Johns, esq., respecting Little Bob Bridge.

From Wm. Kennedy, overseer of county bridges, respecting Fenelon Falls bridge.

From Wm. Cameron, esq., respecting Talbot River bridge, Eldon and Thorah.

From the treasurer of the united counties of Northumberland and Durham, respecting claims for share of engineers' charges re Pigeon Creek, (Ops and Manvers) bridge.

From secretary Oakwood Public Library, respecting certain payments.

From the secretary Trent Valley Canal Association, report of receipts and payments.

From Messrs. Hogg Bros., Oakwood, relative to rate of goods by employees to be afterwards delivered in relation to the terms of by-law respecting pedlars.

From the Secretary of State acknowledging receipt of petition for establishment of a Court of Arbitration for adjustment of disputes between Railway Companies and organized bodies of employees.

From the clerk of united counties of Stormont, Dundas and Glengarry, transmitting drafts of petitions to the legislative assembly respecting free education in High Schools, and the assessment of the property of public companies.

From the clerk of the county of Grey, respecting a County Roads system.

From the secretary of the Prisoner's Aid Association, transmitting draft of petition to the Lieutenant-Governor of Ontario, respecting reformatory treatment of inebriates.

eRports of the Kirkfield and Lindsay Public Libraries.

On motion of Mr. Johnson, seconded by Mr. Channon, the documents were referred to the standing committees having power to deal with them.

Mr. Ellis presented the petition of W. J. Chirpaw and others, praying that a grant be made for building a lock-up at the village of Victoria Road.

On motion of Mr. Switzer, seconded by Mr. Johnson, the petition was referred to the standing committee on finance and assessment.

On motion of Mr. Johnson, council adjourned until 10 o'clock Wednesday.

WEDNESDAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

Council resumed business at 10.30 a. m. Members all present. The minutes of Tuesday's proceedings were read and confirmed.

More Communications.

From Mr. W. J. Chirpaw, relative to timber for bridges.

From R. A. Callan, esq., respecting case of Thos. Winter.

Report of Registry Office committee.

Report of the commissioner appointed to rebuild and repair various bridges on the Victoria Road.

On motion of Mr. Graham, seconded by Mr. Switzer, the foregoing reports were referred to the proper committees

Dr. Wood Explains.

Dr. Wood, member for No. 6 Division, accounted for his non-attendance at the June session. He also gave a brief description of New Ontario, and his travels through that country, which proved very interesting.

On motion of Mr. Johnson, seconded by Mr. Ellis, the thanks of the council were extended to Dr. Wood for the interesting information given.

On motion of Mr. Johns, council adjourned until 10.30 Thursday.

Continued next week.

LOCAL NEWS-LETTERS

MT. PLEASANT.

(Correspondence to The Post.)

Things are quiet at present, save for the hum of the threshers, which may be heard on every side. Grain is yielding well.

The Presbyterians have re-organized their Sunday school, and with an efficient staff of officers and teachers, good results are sure to follow.

Our Creamery is not likely to be ready for work before next spring.

Mr. Kannawan, Presbyterian minister, grows more eloquent each week, and the church is taxed to the utmost to accommodate the people.

Mr. and Miss Beacock, of Cartwright, are guests of their uncle, Mr. E. Sanderson, at present.

Mrs. Casey is visiting at Garden Hill, and Mr. Casey intends taking a trip to Western Ontario.

Dr. Dean is in Toronto at present, and Dr. Thompson, of Omemee, is in attendance during his absence.

BALSOVER.

(Correspondence to The Post.)

The weather is keeping fine, consequently the farmers are nearly all in good humor, having finished their plowing.

We are glad to learn that Mr. Dunn and family are moving to our town.

We are pleased to have Mr. F. McRae among us again. Mr. McRae has just returned from a mission field in the Northwest, and looks well.

Rumors of parties are afloat: "I wonder if I'll get a bid?" is the general cry.

Mr. Angus Ferguson, of Eden, Mariposa, spent a few days here lately.

The hunters have returned home loaded with deer. We take much pleasure in congratulating them on their success and we hope they may be equally successful when hunting a dear.

We regret very much on hearing of the sudden death of Inspector Reazin's son. We extend our heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved father and mother. Mr. Reazin has been our P. S. Inspector for many years and is highly honored and respected among us, and we indeed feel very sorry that so sad an accident should happen.

Mrs. McKenzie and Mrs. Fraser, of Kirkfield, paid a flying visit to Mrs. Munro last week.

N. N. McLean, general merchant here buys sheep skins and hides, for which he pays the highest prices. Bring along your butter and he will give you highest price for it.

COLDWATER.

(Correspondence to The Post.)

The grain trade must be a paying one, as we have now three buyers on the streets. Mr. A. J. Wells, our well-known tailor, appears to get the greatest quantity, although we should suppose the grist mill people should get the most wheat.

We are to have another grist mill—this time a steam power one.—Mr. Chas Patterson having purchased a parcel of land from Mrs. Caswell at the south and of the village, on which he is erecting a suitable building, and he will soon have the machinery in and be at work.

Car loads of potatoes have, during the past week, been shipped from our station, the price given to the farmers being only 30c per bag. Apples of a good quality are scarce about here, so only one car has been shipped that we have heard of.

Mr. R. P. Ritchie, manager at McKeggie & Co's bank here, died at his home at Elmvale on Tuesday. He was greatly respected and is much regretted. His place is now filled by a Mr. Bishop.

Two church socials during the past week, one at the residence of Mrs. Parnham, which the Presbyterian ladies gave, realizing over $10, whilst the other was at the Methodist parsonage, bringing $16.50 to the fund.

Judging from the remarks of many deer hunting parties that have passed through the town, we can safely say that they have had a successful tour. Ducks, partridges, deer and other game are plentiful.

Mr. A. Colby, of the British American hotel, has, during the past week, been suffering from a severe attack of illness. He is expected to be on the mend at the time of writing this.

The town keeps in a healthy state, and our merchants all appear to be satisfied with business. The inhabitants are also keeping themselves in good order and quiet.

Our champion stone-putter, Mr. Geo. R. Gray, is a candidate for Chief of the Fire Brigade in Toronto. We wish him luck.

The churches are well attended—on Sunday, at any rate. We have no changes in the ministry to report.