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Arrangements are being made for a visit to this county of Hon. W. R. Meredith. Three meetings will be held—Durham, Owen Sound and Thornbury. The dates of these meetings have not yet been arranged.

The budget debate is now progressing quite fluently in Ottawa. The big guns were blazing away last week and this week the small muzzle loaders are popping away. On Monday there were still 25 members of the Opposition who wanted to "get at him." An Ottawa correspondent explains that the anxiety of members to speak on the budget debate is due to the fact that it is about the one opportunity of the session in which they can, without infringing parliamentary usages, discuss every imaginable subject under the sun.

We present our readers this week with a supplement containing the complete list of tariff changes as brought down by Minister Foster last week. While many changes have been made and reductions made on the many necessaries of life, still the great and cardinal principal of protection has been maintained. The tariff as it stands to-day is essentially the poor man's tariff, with the duty placed principally upon luxuries. The new tariff appears to give very general satisfaction, the sole objectors being manufacturers of certain lines who think their wares are not sufficiently protected, and merchants interested in Canadian manufactures of certain classes. The Montreal Witness, a staunch Reform journal, says: "The government is being congratulated on all hands for having adopted a tariff reform policy. The unanimity is extraordinary, almost unprecedented."

Township Council.

Artemesia township council met on Monday for the transaction of business, with the reeve in the chair. All the members were present.

Communications were read from W. K. Flesher, re deviation on road between Flesherton and the station; from Edward Ross and others, petition re roads in the south of the township; from John Bannon, re taxes on part lot 190, 2nd S. T. R.; from Robert Turner and others petition re bridge and deviation on lot 3rd S. D. R. Bylaws No. 499, appointing township officers; 500, appointing W. J. Bellamy township clerk, at a salary of $200; and 501, to close up a part of 150 side road, received their third readings and became law.

Mr. Vause personally waited upon the council regarding repairs on South Line at Lots 34 to 36. Referred to Mr. McMillan.

A. Graham and W. Hislop waited upon council re repairs to valley road at Lot 23, 24, con. 11 and 12. Referred to Mr. Messrs. Kells and Thompson.

Jas. Magee waited upon council re culvert on back line west. Referred to Mr. Best.

Robert McLeod and others waited upon council, re furnishing wire for fences.

Ward Harrison waited on the council, re repairing south line at lots 30 to 44.

The committee appointed to examine the Eugenia bridge presented their report which recommended that the new bridge be built in the place where the old one now stands; to be built on stone butments not less that 30 feet apart, and the bridge to be built at least four feet higher than the present structure. The report did not recommend any specified width, but The Advance was given to understand by the reeve that it was proposed to make it fourteen feet wide, or two feet wider than at present.

Moved by T. Kells, seconded by D. McMillan, That the report of committee, re Eugenia bridge, be accepted and left subject to any other construction the reeve may see proper to make with a view to economy and durability. Carried.

Moved by T. Kells, Seconded by D. McMillan, That the committee appointed to examine and report on the construction and place of building Eugenia bridge, be paid one dollar each for their services. Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Best and Thompson, That the ward appropriations be divided as follows: Ward 1, $150; ward 2, $150; ward 3, $150; ward 4, $150. Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Best and McMillan, That any person or persons taking sand or gravel for his or their own use, or for the purpose of making roads, shall leave the roads in as good repair as before. Any person refusing to comply with the above condition will be procuted according to law. Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Best and McMillan, that the clerk request pathmasters to consult the ratepayers when doing the road work as to who they desire to be pathmaster next year, and report the result to the clerk when making their returns. Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Best and McMillan, That John Bannon be refunded two dollars for statute labor charged on lots 14 and 15, Ludlow's survey, the statute labor having been performed in 1893. Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Kells and Best, That the bill of John Bellamy, caretaker of town hall, $3.75, be paid. Carried.

Moved by T. Kells, seconded by D. McMillan, That the petition of Wm. H. Walker and Wm. Wilson be left over until next meeting of council so that the trustees of S. S. No. 9 and 13 have an opportunity of consulting the ratepayers. Council meeting to be on the 30th April. Carried.

Moved by Messrs. Kells and Thompson, That the petition of Robert Turner, re bridge, lot 27, con. 3 S D. R., be accepted, and that said bridge and approaches be put in a proper state of repair by the commissioner of ward No. 1, and charge to special grant. Carried.

Moved by T. Kells, seconded by G. Thompson, That the committee appointed to examine the auditors re report for the year 1894 having reported favorable, that the same be accepted, and that 200 copies be printed in pamphlet form and distributed. Carried.

Moved by Geo. Tpompson, seconded by D. McMillan, That D. McMillan be appointed commissioner for Ward No. 6, T. Kells, for No. 2, J. Best for No 3, and Geo. Thompson for No. 4, for the year 1894. Carried.

Moved by Geo. Thompson, seconded by Jas. Best, That the petition of Edward Ross and others be entertained and that a grant of $50 be given by this council to put said road in a safe condition for public travel, and that the commissioners for Wards No. 3. and 4 attend to the same. Carried.

Moved by Geo. Thompson, seconded by Jas. Best, That J McNevin be paid $1 for repairing the bridge over the Saugeen river on 70 sideroad Carried.

Moved by D. McMillan, seconded by Jas. Best, That the commissioner of Ward No. 1 get a grant of $50 to be expended on Con. 2 S.D. R., east of 30 side line. Carried.

Moved by T. Kells, seconded by G. Thompson, That the commissioner of Ward No 2. expend $50 on base line, known as Magee's swamp.

Moved by Jas. Best, seconded by D. McMillan, That the sum of $50 be expended towards fixing side road 190, and that the same be expended in gravelling said road- Carried.

Council adjourned to meet again on Monday, April 30, 1894, for the transaction of general business.

Osprey Council.

The Municipal Council of Osprey met in McLean's Hall, McIntyre, on March the 25th according to adjournment from Feb. 19th last. The members were all present excepting Reeve Gamey who was unable to attend owing to illness. Deputy Reeve Preston in the chair. Minutes of last meeting read and signed. Communications were read from Dr. Ball, bill $3, Medical attendance on Murdock McKenzie, indigent; from Robert Beatty, asking charity; from Reeve Gamey, stating that he was unable to attend owing to illness; from Joseph Seeley, bill $5. for taking M. McKenzie, an invalid indigent, to Collingwood hospital and expenses; from Bureau of Industries, circular re auditors report; from county treasurer, re arrears of taxes on lots 15 and 16, con. 1 S. D. R.; from Amos Ogilvie, bill $1 25, repairing road scraper; circulars from bridge building co's and American road machine co.

On motion of Messrs Monaghan and Clark, bylaw No. 318 to repeal bylaw No. 227, appointing inspector of trees, was read a 1st, 2nd and 3rd time.

Monaghan—Taylor—That the clerk notify the county treasurer to erase all taxes charged against lots 15 and 16, con 1 N. D. R., and place the amount against lots 15 and 16, con 1 S. D. R, having been an error in the return of said lots. Also to erase the taxes on lot 35, con. 7, for 1893, having been paid to the township treasurer, also to erase taxes charged against lot U, W. pt. 26, con. 12. Carried.

Clark—Monaghan—That the bill of Amos Ogilvie be returned to him to be certified by the pathmaster and forwarded to the commissioner of Div. No. 5. Carried.

Monaghan—Clark—That the clerk write to Dr. Ball, of Singhampton, informing him that the council cannot recognize his bill as there is a resolution on record that the bills of medical attendance on indigents would not be recognized unless ordered by the council. Carried.

Clark—Monaghan—That the bill of Joseph Seyley be paid less $3. Carried.

The council adjourned to meet at Singhampton as an assessment committee on May 21st and as a court of revision at Maxwell on May 28th next.

The Eugenia Bridge.

To the Editor of The Advance.

DEAR SIR.—If your paper knows more than all beside about building County bridges, please instruct, so that more than one quarter dozen of our, or of any township, dignities may understand whether the county has no voice regarding what shall or shall not be accepted as the length, breadth, height, construction, material, etc., of any and every such bridge.

For instance, it is said that $700 is either in the hands of, or at the command of the Artemesia Council, for erecting a bridge over the Beaver river in Eugenia. That three only of the township councillors came last week and viewed the present bridge without any notice to the rate payers to be there to advise, object, or for their amusement: said three discussing with few as did happen to see them, as to how it might be made. But on their own concluding mentioned "stone abutments 30 ft. between, the width of bridge to be only "14 ft." about same as now, and but "6 ft. higher than the present" "themselves to oversee" and hire work done by the day, and on such style deal out pay. Thus whatever the finished affair would compare, no remedy for compelling completing deficiencies would be there. Has either of the "three" any bridge building experience? or better would be natural tact and capability for such. They plan to have it pushed through "during seeding time," thinking least public travel then to interfere with. So inside of five days had timber coming. The bridge positively requires for public safety and convenience to be the width two 12 ft. plank end to end would reach, and the surface not an inch lower than 22, but say 20 feet above the water, which would be ten or 8 ft. higher than the present bridge. In seeding time work and material should cost dearer, and the river is then higher, but in June, men, women and wide-awake children could wade or on a plank sidewalk run across in time of bridge being torn up. And then cheaper done too. And again, on that best of all rock bottom river how much, or how low price should such a bridge be built for? if by how contract, if by days work, if by night work? and who refunds if the bridge should float or prove to be the other end north? or if the workers by the day should get their daily pay, and better than eastward therefrom, what about a "stone arch" or "iron bridge" to endure?

But what is the sense of making such a bridge anywhere to be at large cost of renewing every two years by taxes, and so almost exactly like the one now there? Why not come some dark night and paint the old one white, and on the railing write, "This is the 'county bridge?' We say, "We know it aye for we have got the county pay.

Better all "speak now" than condemn and blame afterwards

Eugenia 27, 3, '94. R. McLEAN PURDY

His Mail is Heavy.

FISHERIES INSPECTOR BRICKWOOD GETS LETTERS FROM ALL OVER THE DOMINION ASKING FOR PARTICULARS ABOUT DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS CURING HIM OF A CHRONIC RHEUMATISM.

KINGSTON, APRIL 2 Enquiry developes the fact that the story of J. H. Brickwood's wonderful cure of his rheumatism by Dodd's Kidney Pills has brought him notoriety. Mr. Brickwood daily receives letters from all quarters of Canada asking further particulars of his cure. He invariably answers that after all other remedies failed, Dodd's Kidney Pills restored him to health. Dodd's was the first kidney remedy in pill form ever offered the public. Its wonderful success in curing all forms of kidney disease, has led to the introduction of numerous cheap and worthless imitations. Purchasers, for their own safety should insist on getting Dodd's Kidney Pills. Sold in large boxes; price fifty cents per box, or six boxes for $2 50. To be had by of all dealers.

It is thought in Ottawa the budget debate will last ten days or two weeks longer.

Ernest Mann, bigamist, has been sentenced at Stratford to two years in penitentiary.

Lord Aberdeen has taken a residence at Halifax in which he and his suite will reside for part of the coming summer.

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At Brockville jail on Saturday morning a man named Covill, confined as a lunatic, snatched a razor from a fellow-prisoner who was shaving and killed himself.

Major Le Caron, who was once employed by the British Government to spy upon Irishmen in America, is dead.

The Best Medicine.

J. O. WILSON, Contractor and Builder, Sulphur Springs, Texas, thus speaks of Ayer's Pills:

"Ayer's Pills are the best medicine I ever tried; and, in my judgment, no better general remedy could be devised. I have used them in my family and recommended them to my friends and employes for more than twenty years. To my certain knowledge, many cases of the following complaints have been completely and

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Flesherton P. O

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the matter of the Estate of Roger Never, late of the Village of Flesherton, in the County of Grey, Esquire, deceased.

Pursuant to the provisions of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, Chapter 110, notice is hereby given that all creditors and persons having claims upon or against the estate of the said Roger Never, late of the Village of Flesherton in the County of Grey, Esquire, who died on or about the third day of September, A. D., 1891, are hereby required to deliver or send by post prepaid, to the undersigned, solicitors for the executors of the last will and testament of the deceased, on or before the Twentieth day of April A. D., 1894, a statement in writing of their names and address, together with full particulars of their claims and the nature of securities, (if any,) held by them.

And notice is further given that after the said Twentieth day of April, 1894, the said Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall have been given as above required, and the said executors will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claim or claims notice shall not have been received by them or their solicitors at the time aforesaid.

LUCAS & WRIGHT.
Owen Sound, Ont.
Solicitors for the said Executors.

Dated the 1st day of March, A. D., 1894.

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There will be sold by Public Auction on

Saturday, April 14, '94

at three o'clock in the afternoon at Hannah's Hotel, in the village known as Flesherton Station, by virtue of power of sale contained in a certain mortgage which will be produced at the sale, the following village property:

Village lot No. 11 on the N. Westerly side of Front Street in the village of Walterville, according to a map or plan of the subdivision of part of lot No 150 in the 3rd range or concession S. W. of the Toronto and Sydenham road in the township of Artemesia, made by Thomas B. Gilliland, Esq., P. L. S., said plan being filed in the Registry office for the South Riding of the County of Grey on the 12th day of September, A. D. 1874, except that small portion of about 24 by 30 feet heretofore sold and and conveyed off the South Westerly corner. Said lot originally containing about ½ of an acre, more or less.

On said lot are said to be erected a comfortable 1½ story frame dwelling, 20 by 26, on good stone foundation, and also a frame saddle shop, 16 by 18 feet.

TERMS—Twenty per cent. of the purchase money to be paid down on day of sale. For balance terms will be made known at the sale.

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R. COOK, ESQ., Flesherton Station. or to SUTHERLAND & SPROULE, Vendor's Solicitors, Toronto St., Toronto.

Dated this 13th day of March 1894