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ne Column, 1 year, $50 ; half col., 1 year, $28 quarter col., one year, $15.

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At the Liberal convention held in Markdale last week Mr. John Boland of this township was nominated to carry the Reform banner in the next Legislative election. Mr. Hartman, the last candidate, declined undertaking the task again. Mr. Boland is not an orator, but in a canvass for votes he has few peers, and we believe he will put up a strong fight. Next Tuesday will tell the tale of who his opponent will be. We wish to state emphatically that this should be the strongest man available, and the convention will make a huge mistake if it uses second class timber.

During the course of a conversation with Inspector Campbell, recently returned from England and the Continent, we learn that the Klondike craze is attracting Britshers in a similar manner to the South African discoveries some years ago. John B. has had his eyes oponed recently to the valuable inheritance he possesses on this continent. Mr. C. also says that numerous "wild cat" schemes are appearing there in this connection, just as they always do where excitment reaches a sufficiently warm temperature.

A Bold Stroke for Canada

Canadians are very generally aware that they have now reached an eminence from which they can look backward with relief and forward with hopfulness. The year has been an eventful one for Canada. It has seen the great wealth of British Columbia acknowledged by mining experts from every country in Europe; the gold finds in the Klondike region have also attracted the world's attention, whilst the social and political occurrences in connection with the Jubilee year have been of incalcuable value to the country. Toronto Saturday Night's Christmas Number had been prepared with a view of gaining for Canada as much as possible from this favorable state of British feeling, and of correcting some palpable misrepresentations of our climate and resources. Thousands of copies of the Christmas Number are sent to Great Britian, and this year the editor attempts to correct false impressions about the Canadian climate, to show that the Klondike with its ice is a thousand miles north of agricultural Canada, and that the St. Lawrence River should attract the pleasure seekers of the world during summer.

The two beautifnl, high-art, colored supplements which are this year given free with the book, also carry out the idea. One is entitled "The First Harvest in Canada," and the other, "Canada Sixty Years After.". These are beautiful pictures, painted by Mr. J. D. Kelly of Toronto. Every home that is, or has been, connected with a farm will desire to have them framed for its walls. They are said to be the finest specimens of lithographic art yet produced in Canada.

"The Graves of Three Great Canadians," an article describing the last resting-places of Sir John Macdonald, Hon. Alexander Mackenize and Hon. George Brown, with photographic views of the same, and half-tone portraits of the three men as we knew them, will prove highly interesting.

Several first-class original stories by Canadian writers and illustrated by Canadian artists, make up the bulk of the book, while a new feature will be a record of the leading sporting events of the year, with portraits of the Canadians who have won international and other triumphs.

Each copy is strongly wrapped in a pasteboard tube. The number is sure to attract great attention. It will be by far the best souvenir to send to your friends. It will be for sale in this town by the stationers and newsdealers. The publishers' address is Toronto Saturday Night, Saturday Night Building, Toronto.

Shelburne Perjury Case

Shelburne, Oct. 25 — Magistrates Brown and McCue heard the perjury case preferred against Reeve Hamilton by Mrs. Stevenson on Saturday. A summons was issued by the magistrates to Judge McCarthy to appear at to-day's hearing and produce his notes. The judge came in answer to the summons, but flatly refused to give evidence, quoting from the criminal code in justification, and also protesting that as he might be called upon to try the case he could not be witness and judge in the same cause. An appeal was suggested to the Attorney-General, to compel him to testfy, but as definite promise of action was made the judge was allowed to go.

Hamilton and two others Adam Loudon and James Sammon, were committed for trial.

Kimberley

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. Bert Armstrong, principal of the public school, has been re-engaged for next year. The second teacher, Miss Whyte, is attending model at Meaford, and a Miss Soule of Duncan has taken her place for the balance of the year.

Squire Stewart, Geo. Stewaat and W. Beaton of Lloydtown will make up a party to visit the wilds of Muskoka next week for venison.

This village needs a dressmaker and tailoress.

We understand that our sawmill men are very busy at present filling orders.

The entertainment in the public hall on the evening of Oct. 14 was a grand success. The speakers were Rev. Mr. Hale, J. M. Davis, Esq., and others. The proceeds were over $57, which is a matter of pride and congratulation to all concerned. Some of the excellent talent present was Mr. Caesar of Markdale, who charmed the audience with several songs, accompanied on the instrument by Mrs. Caesar ; Mr. Bowers and son, on the violin and cornet ; Miss White and the Misses Davis, recitations. Altogether the program was one of the best ever given in Kimberly.

Rev. Mr. Plunkett has become a resident of our flourishing village. He is domiciled in the residence lately occupied by Mr. Bell.

Building operations are brisk. Mr. Melvin Harris is erecting a residence on Centre Street.

Mr. E. R. Hammond and Mr. M. Berkey of Pennsylvania were guests of Mr. M. R. Hammond last week.

Mr. John Plewes and family have removed to Kirkville, Collingwood township, where Mr. Plewes has purchased a mill.

Mr. Walter is now our miller. It is expected that Mr. Jos. Henderson will be the owner of this mill in future.

8th Line, Osprey

From our own correspondent

Beautiful weather. Since the rain turnips are growing nicely and fall plowing is progressing favorably. Some tall threshing is being done and some taller threshing stories told. The boys have tired discussing the capabilities of the Bird, and now revel in widows and fat pies. It is reported there was a case of "sick 'em, collie," on the 8th last night, but the young man beat the dog.

Mr. Jas. Inkster is home from the Northwest, looking well. The threshing machine he was with got burned in the prairie fire.

A Miss Cameron has been engaged in S. S. No. 5, Osprey, for the balance of this year and next, as the present teacher, Miss H. Stafford, is leaving this week to attend the model school in Meaford.

The clearing and levelling of the school grounds was let recently to Mr. S. Brownridge.

Between blasting and the help of Joe Smith, George Madden has about cleared the farm of stones.

Mr. John Hudson's fall wheat was 16 inches long week before last.

Maxwell.

From our own Correspondent.

Miss Scheniman of Buffalo is spending a few days with her parents here.

St. Mary's English church has received a fresh coat of paint, and its appearance is considerably improved in consequence.

Osprey cheese factory closes down for this season on Wednesday of this week after a most successful summer's work. The output of the last two days was set aside for the especial use of patrons.

Mr. A. Nelson of Egremont spent several days of last week in and around our village.

Mr. James Buckingham lost a valuable horse last week.

Rev. A. Hudson last Sunday evening formally read the notice of his resignation of his charge here The resignation will take effect next month. It is probable Nov. 21 or 28 will be Mr. Hudson's last appearance in the pulpits of Maxwell, Feversham and McIntyre.

Again has come round the time when the sportsman takes his gun in hand and tramps the woodland in search of the much-sought partridge. So far we have not heard of any one returning very heavily laden with his spoil.

Port Law

From our own Correspondnt.

That dreaded disease, diphtheria, has broken out in this section. Mr. Lafayette Badjerow's family are all down with it at present, and they have already lost one child. It has also spread to the home of Joseph Croft, where several members of his family are also afflcted. The public school has been closed and the entire community seems to be in dread of the disease spreading. We think the "lHealth Officer" should at once take some action to have this dreaded disease stamped out.

CROWDED OUT LAST WEEK

Mr. and Mrs. John McNevin spent the past week visiting friends in Bolton village.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Summers of Osprey were welcome callers at Port Law during the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Blackburn of Nottawasaga spent Saturday and Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. Blackburn, Sr., of the 4th con.

The entertainment in connection with the Mt. Zion Sabbath school, which came off recently, was a decided success The program was entirely got up by the teachers and children of the Sabbath school. Your correspondent thinks both teashers and pupils deserve great credit for the manner in which they entertained the audience.

Mr. McGee of Parry Sound and Mr. and Mrs. John Benson spent a few days visiting Mr. Mrs. Jamieson of this port, during the past week.

Our worthy teacher, Mr. J. L. Wood, has been engaged for another year as teacher, and has got a large advance in his salary. We think the trustees acted wisely in this matter, as Mr. Wood has proved himself satisfactory to all as a teacher.

Priceville

From our own Correspondent

Last week our items contained two obituary notices and in this issue a similar number appear. Three old residents of this village have passed away inside of a month.

We are glad to learn that our friend, John Simpson, who is working in a wholesale establishment in Chicago, has been promoted to office work. You have our congratulations, John.

Mr. R. B. Riley leaves for Petrolea on Wednesday of this week, where he has secured a situation. We wish R. B. success in the oil regions.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Watson of Walters Falls attended the funeral of their little niece last Tuesday.

Died—In Priceville, on Friday, Oct. 22, John McAulay, aged 82 years. The late Mr. McAulay has resided in this village for 41 years. He was of a quiet disposition and respected by all. For a number of years he has suffered a great deal from chronic bronchitis, which eventually caused his death. Nine children have preceded him to the grave, and besides his sorrowing widow eight survive him, viz., Mrs. Findlay of Camden, N.Y.; Mrs. Lavigne of Detroit, Mrs. O'Melia of Flesherton Station, Mrs. John Burnett of the South Line, and Messrs. Walter of Algoma, Alex. of Cleveland and Duncan of this village. The funeral took place on Sunday to McKechnie's cemetery, and was very largely attended. The Rev, Mr, McKinnon of Springbank officiated:

Died—In Priceville, on Saturday, Oct. 23, Martha L., youngest daughter of Mr. John McInnis, of Cheboygan, Mich., aged 7 years 4 mos. The circumstances connected with the death of this little girl are very sad. About a month ago she and her mother left their home in Michigan to attend the funeral of her sister, the late Mrs. D. McKechnie of Georgetown. After the funeral she came to this village to visit her father, Wm. Watson, sr., and other relatives. On Thursday last the little girl complained of a pain in her head, but nothing serious was suspected. However, as the pains increased medical aid was called in and she was found to be suffering with brain fever. Everything that could be thought of was done to check the disease, but to no avail, and on Saturday morning death relieved the little sufferer. A telegram containing the sad news was sent to the father, who arrived here Monday night. The funeral, which took place on Tuesday afternoon to McKechnie's cemetery, was very largely attended. The service was conducted by Rev. J. S. Humphreys, who preached a very impressive sermon. The bereaved family have the deep sympathy of the community in their very sudden affliction.

The executive of the South Grey C. E. Union held a meeting in Dromore last Saturday. Mr. John McLeod represented the C. E, and E. L. of Priceville. The next C. E. convention will be held in Priceville in June or July, 1898.

M. Richardson & Co.

TOO BUSY

To write detail of new prices this week---They are interesting and will be more so next week when our new

Cash System

Will come into full operation. Believing that this is an opportune time to inaugurate the latest and best methods of Business, we ask our patrons to give it a fair trial. We purpose to give our customers every advantage that we have been able to secure by purchasing for

- CASH -

And to attract a still wider extent of territory to this place as a most profitable centre for trade.

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On the Ground Floor

We are right away down with prices. A look through the following lists will convince you.

New Braces extra value, at	$ 50	Boot and Shoe protectors, card	10
New Butchers Knives, Rodgers	25	The Handy Microscope	35
Heel Surporters pair only	10	Matchless Metal Polish	5
New Razors, Elliots best at	1.00	New Reading Glasses	35, 55

NEW TINWARE

Daisy Tea Kettle	15	Rd. Story Cake Tins, false bottoms sett	25
Cake Turners, wooden handle	10	Sq. Story Cake Tins, false bottoms sett	30
1 Gal. Feed Pans	20	Granite Tea Pots, each 45, 50, 65,	75
Covered Kneading Pans, only	45	Wire Toasters or Broilers	15
White Granite Wash Basins	25	Cov'd Self Basting Roast Pans, 75c	85
Copper Bottom Teapots, only	25		
Square Pie Tins, each	5, 8		

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