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Good, double-barrel Gun for sale. Apply to Smith, the barber.

SEE advertisement in this paper for tenders for the erection of new Methodist church.

Valentines, comic, sentimental and useful, at the Medical Hall. Turner & Co.

Miss E. WRIGHT of Flesherton has been spending a few days with Mrs. M. Brown.

ANDREW KENNEDY, Stevensburg, Mich., will accept thanks for renewal subscription for '85.

MR. AND MRS. SPENCE of Amaranth visited their son-in-law, Mr. S. Lewis, the past week.

Big Stock of Rejuvenator Bitters hand at Smith the barber's, and they are selling off fast.

SILAS HILL has returned from a visit to friends at a distance, we hope may become a permanent resident.

A NEW assortment of frames at Milton's Photo Gallery, selling at prices to suit the times. Call and secure a bargain.

We had a pleasant call on Monday on Mr. Stovel, formerly of the Mt. West Confederate but now traveller Gwatkin & Son, Toronto.

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THE Markdale House has undergone repairs, such as re-carpeting, painting, etc., which adds considerably to the appearance of the interior of the building.

WHAT THE PEOPLE SAY.—There is no going to Toronto for photographs in Hamilton can turn out such work. His pictures are wonderfully good and life like.

It's not too late to subscribe for the Standard, you can have 52 issues, or months from date of subscribing, at your choice but be sure and choose one of the two.

A LITTLE boy of E. Rooke's, the horse was run over by a team on Sunday last. The horse and rider were over him, but fortunately the horse was not seriously injured.

THE Thornbury Standard says, in reference to the railway extension. "The route from Durham to Flesherton is almost hill-less." It is evident the editor never travelled that district.

R. W. G. Crosson is agent for the Model Washer and will call on people personally no doubt. It is one of the best inventions for washing we have ever seen and will please find a ready sale.

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The following is a list in order of merit of the pupils of I Division of Markdale public school who obtained over 60 per cent. at the examinations for the month of January:—Class V—Mamie Bowes, Sam Douglass, Herby Brown, George Bowes, Lillie Walker, Robert J. Brown, Herbert Henry. Class IV, Sr.—Annie Cunningham, Richard Douglass, John Dundas, P. Thibodeau, Wm. McAleer. Class IV, Jr.—Herbert Hill, Lottie Mann, Mary Nesbit, Ben Coleman, John Kay, Harry Large. Class III—Pete Thibodeau, Mary Gannon, Frank Porter, Teacher.

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### NEW PAPER.—A copy of the first issue of M. Forest's new paper, the Representative, is before us. It is a forty-eight column eight page, is ably written, neatly made up, and well printed; has also a good advertising patronage to start with. In politics it is Conservative. From what we can judge from the appearance of the paper and what we know of Mr. Lambert, the editor and proprietor, we bespeak for the Representative a successful career.

J. R. TRIMBLE's great clearing sale by auction will be continued this week Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, when there will be offered some very choice goods in Black Silk, Ladies Dress Goods, and a general clearing of all goods. As I am bound to give up the General Business, all goods offered at this sale must and will be sold. A special line of good fresh Uncolored Japan Teas will be offered each day at this sale. Come one—come all and get bargains.

NEW PAPER.—The Presbyterian Review is the name of a new denominational paper, published in Toronto, the first number being issued the 18th December. It is handsomely printed in clear, large type, and is filled with original and well selected matter, which is calculated to interest, instruct and elevate the mind of its readers. The price (\$1.00 per year) is exceedingly low for a denominational paper, and it will require the hearty support of that influential body to insure its success. We welcome it to our exchange list, and wish it unbounded success.

ENTERPRISE.—Mr. John Moffat of the firm of Moffat Bros., founders, of this place, returned last week from a trip to Hamilton, Ont., Troy and Albany, N. Y. and other smaller places. Moffat Bros. propose enlarging their premises and going extensively into the manufacture of stoves and the above trip was made with a view to securing the most approved patterns. Troy is perhaps the most extensive stove manufacturing centre on the continent. The Moffat Bros. have been making box stoves for the wholesale trade and we are glad to learn that it is now their intention to enlarge and go into the manufacture of all kinds of wood burning stoves. We hope abundant success may be theirs.

### County Council.

From the O. S. Times.

The County Council of 1885 met in accordance with statute at 2 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon. Some of the representatives of the southern townships not having yet arrived, the Council adjourned till 7:30 in the evening without organizing.

At 7:30 the different members of the Council had handed in their certificates, as follows:—Artemesia—W. S. Christos, Reeve; J. A. Blakeley, Deputy. Bentinck—D. McNicol, Reeve; J. Messenger and J. McCallum, Deputies. Collingwood—T. McKenny, Reeve; A. Campbell and W. Hewgill, Deputies. Derby—J. Robertson, Reeve; W. Brien, Deputy. Euphrasia—T. Gilray, Reeve; W. Fawcett, Deputy. Egremond—W. Caulfield, Reeve; D. McCormick, Deputy. Glenelg—T. Davis, Reeve; J. McMillan, Deputy. Holland—J. Cameron, Reeve; A. Shute, Deputy. Keppel—W. Totten, Reeve; John Clark, Deputy. Normanby—V. Lang, Reeve; A. O'Farrell and C. Widmeyer, Deputies. Osprey—T. Gamsy, Reeve; E. Potts, Deputy. Vernon—A. McPhail, Reeve; S. Rogers, Deputy. Sarawak—K. W. McNaught, Reeve. Sullivan—A. Pringle, Reeve; J. Stewart, Deputy. St. Vincent—Jas. Bowes, Reeve; N. Read, Deputy. Sydenham—W. Lang, Reeve; H. Gordon and C. H. Heming, Deputies. Durham—D. Jamieson, Reeve. Meaford—B. Agnew, Reeve; D. McCann, Deputy.

Onen Sound—John Chisholm, Reeve; J. W. Frost and Jas. G. Miller, Deputies. Mr. John Gale, Assistant Clerk, took the chair, and called for nominations for the office of Warden. Mr. Bowes, seconded by Mr. McKenny, nominated John Chisholm, Reeve of Owen Sound.

The ballot was then taken, with the following result: Chisholm 83, Lang 8. The election of Mr. Chisholm was then made unanimous by a standing vote. Mr. Chisholm was declared duly elected, and was conducted to the Warden's chair by his mover and seconder. The Warden elect then briefly returned thanks for the honor conferred on him.

A committee was then appointed to strike the Standing Committees, as follows: Cameron, Clark, Gamey, Bowes, and Read.

Messrs. T. Gamey and A. M. Stephens were appointed members of the Board of Audit.

Messrs. Christie, McNicol, Read, McKenny and Frost, were appointed a committee to complete the revision of the standing rules.

Council adjourned till 2 p. m., Wednesday.

[We are unable to give a further report of the Council proceedings this week owing to a press of other matter]

### Euphrasia Council.

The members elect of the township council of Euphrasia for the year 1885, being Thomas Gilray, Esq., Reeve; William Fawcett, Esq., Deputy Reeve. James Boyd, Henry Hurd, and William Shepherdson, Esquires, Councillors. Said members elect having assembled at the hall of said township, according to law, on Monday, the 19th January, 1885, made and subscribed their declarations of qualification and office in due form and took their seats at the council board.

Minutes of last session of council read and confirmed.

Robert Abercrombie, on nomination of the Reeve, and W. F. Dodson on behalf of the council were appointed auditors and a By-law passed confirming said appointment.

Moved by Mr. Hurd, seconded by Mr. Fawcett, that A. F. Buchanan be appointed assessor at a salary of \$75 and a By-law passed accordingly.—Lost.

Moved by Mr. Boyd, seconded by Mr. Shepherdson, that John Clugston be appointed assessor at a salary of \$80 and a By-law passed accordingly.—Carried.

On motion of Messrs. Fawcett and Shepherdson, A. C. Paterson, A. T. Buchanan and George Crabtree were appointed members of the Local Board of Health.

By-law 346 appointing an assessor, and By-law No. 347, appointing a local board of health were carried through the different stages and passed.

James Falls was appointed caretaker of the township hall at a salary of \$15 with instructions to hand over to the Treasurer whatever he may receive as rent for the same.

The Reeve and Deputy Reeve, were appointed to enquire into the validity of the Treasurer's security as required by statute.

The time for the collectors to return their Rolls was extended until the last Saturday in February next. The Reeve's Order issued on the Treasurer in favor of John McKenzie, for \$15, to be applied for the relief of old Mr. Powley an indigent.

The Treasurer was ordered to pay for the use of school houses used as polling stations at last municipal election as follows, viz:—Union S. S. No. 4, \$2; S. S. No. 14, \$2; S. S. No. 15, \$2; S. S. No. 9, \$2; and for the use of Orange Hall, Village of Kimberley, used also as a polling station, \$2.

The Treasurer was ordered to pay as follows for the service of Deputy-Returning Officers, and their poll clerks at municipal elections, viz:—James Struthers, Esq., \$5.50, and poll clerk, \$2; Nicholas Hewson, \$5.10, and poll clerk, \$2; Nathaniel Curry, \$4.70, and poll clerk, \$2; Daniel Silverthorn, \$4.70, and poll clerk, \$2; James Yelland, \$5.08, and poll clerk, \$2; Thomas Abercrombie, \$4.00, and poll clerk, \$2.

The Reeve's order was issued on the Treasurer in favor of Robert Dunlop, clerk, for \$20, services in connection with the last municipal election.

Moved by Mr. Fawcett, seconded by Mr. Hurd, that this council now adjourn until the last Saturday in February next, and further that this council meet on the last Saturday of every month throughout the year, for dispatch of business, instead of the first Friday in each month, as heretofore.—Carried.