

Holland Centre.

From our own Correspondent.

Miss Desvitt of Manitoba is visiting friends in this part.
 Born.—The wife of Mr. John Watson, of a son, still born.
 Married.—Mr. John Murray of Annot, to Miss Mary Stewart of Holland. May their happiness be great, and their troubles, little ones.
 Our last cattle fair was a good one, but we expect the next one to be the best of the season.
 Edward Sargent's shingle factory was destroyed by fire on the night of the 23rd ult. We understand it was insured for \$950.
 The Chatsworth correspondent to the O. S. Advertiser evidently feels much grieved because the Holland Council gave the Holland Centre a grant of \$15, while granting but \$10 to Holland Agricultural Society. He forgets that Holland Centre is in the centre of the township and thus in a position to accommodate a much greater number of Holland ratepayers than a show held at the boundary of the township.
 If 25 dollars is the whole amount to be granted to those institutions by the corporation, then \$6.25, or one quarter, would be a fair proportion for Chatsworth Show to receive. As to our Society being an illegal concern, as intimated by our Chatsworth neighbor, it is amusing to hear a sane man express himself thus. When Holland Centre Ag. Society was organized, a great majority of the township ratepayers were satisfied that the centre of the township was the proper place for the township show. \$150 was then subscribed and offered to the Tp. Ag. Society on conditions that the show would be held at Holland Centre; this offer was rejected, after which our enterprising citizens and neighbors decided to have an independent one, which has been a success, at least they have been able to pay their prizes in full, and that without the assistance of a government grant. Last year our society offered to amalgamate on conditions that the show would be held alternately in Chatsworth and Holland Centre, but they again declined, which only makes us all the more determined to go on and succeed.

Holland Council.

Holland Centre, Oct. 4, 1886.
 Council of the Township of Holland met on the above date for the transaction of business: Members all present; Reeve in the chair. Willisroft, Harvey, that we accept the proposition of the clerk to settle the matter of Alex Lyons for the sum of \$15.00. Moved and seconded that by-law No. 6, for the remodeling of U. S. S. between Holland and Sullivan' and also by-law No. 8 for appointing collectors to read first second line and engrossed on the minutes.
 A communication was read from Thos. Gordon in reference to by-law of U. S. S. No. 2 Holland and Euphrasia, also his &c., for arbitrator in the above matter. Galbraith, Harvey, that the council are ready and willing to pass by-law referred to in Mr. Gordon's letter at any time the expenses incurred and paid by the petitioners in accordance with sect. 72 on the Consolidated School Act of 1885.
 Galbraith, Harvey, that we adjourn till the tenth day of November.
 CARSON PRICE,
 Clerk.

Rattle Snake Killed

One evening recently near St. Mary's, a lady was out for a stroll, and suddenly came on a huge rattle snake by the roadside. She withdrew hastily and gave the alarm to the family, five or six boys and a quarter dozen of girls with the old gentleman, who all surrounded the reptile, armed to the teeth with pitchforks, axes and pieces of rails. They were immediately re-inforced by a large family who lives opposite, which strengthened their courage, but still the excitement ran high. One of the crowd, a strong and brave young man, thought of his double-barrel gun, hastened for it, crept cautiously as near the monster as he thought safe, took careful and deliberate aim, off she went; the monster gave one bound and fell apparently lifeless. One of the brave party ventured near enough to reach it with a ten foot pole, while the crowd held their position a safe distance back ready for an encounter, as they strongly suspected the wily and deadly reptile might be only waiting quietly to have revenge. This however found that the shot had proved fatal, but to their great dismay and chagrin it was a large girth which had fallen off a breachy horse.

Resolution of Condolence.

The following resolution was passed recently on the occasion of the sad death by drowning of Mr. Norton's son on the 12th July last at Walter's Falls.

WALTER'S FALLS, Aug. 4, 1886.

DEAR BROTHER NORTON,—The brothers of Cascade Lodge, C. O. O. F., hereby tenders to you and your wife and family, their sincere sympathy in the sad bereavement which has so recently fallen on you and them by the death of your beloved son. Death is sad in any form, but coming in such a sudden manner adds to the bitterness. Yet there is a bright beyond to which your son has gone a short time before you, where he waits the coming of his friends who will join him at last, making a full happy family around that Throne where parting is forever over. In offering you your condolence we trust you feel it is from our inmost hearts, for you having the fullest sympathy from the whole vicinity, how much more must we, your intimate friends and brothers feel for you, knowing the love you bore for your son. Friend and companion, yours is a severe blow, but it was God who struck it, and there is mercy in it if we could only lift the veil and get a glimpse into his eternal rest provided for all of us if we are only faithful unto death. As the Psalmist cried in his lamentations over his son, "He cannot come to me but I can go to him," so although you cannot bring back your son, you can go to him. Even though you cannot forget your boy, and all efforts at consoling seem a vain attempt, still in the Divinity ordained that time will mitigate all griefs and heal over all wounds. Again we ask you to accept our truest sympathy, and trust you will trust Him who alone can comfort you in distress.
 Yours in brotherly love.
 (Signed in behalf of the Lodge.)
 WM. LEMON, N. G.
 H. BONNELL, Secy.

Credit Sales

W. J. Sheperdson will have a credit sale on his premises, lot 23, con. 10 Euphrasia, on Friday the 22nd October commencing at 10 o'clock. This is a large sale, 117 head of stock, comprising a lot of bred sheep, Leicester, Cotswold and Shropshire. Free lunch at noon. See large posters for particulars or write him for one at Goring P. O.

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TIME TABLE.

Taking effect Monday, July 28th, 1886.

GOING NORTH.

STATIONS.	Mail.	Exp.
Toronto.....Leave.....	7 45am	4 50pm
Cardwell Junction.....	9 35 "	6 30 "
Orangeville.....Arrive.....	10 05 "	7 05 "
Markdale.....	10 20 "	7 22 "
Orangeville Jun.....	10 35 "	7 34 "
Shelburne.....	10 50 "	8 04 "
Dundas.....	11 25 "	8 30 "
Flesherton.....	11 47 "	8 55 "
Markdale.....	12 09pm	9 10 "
Berkeley.....	12 14 "	9 22 "
Holland Centre.....	12 25 "	9 32 "
Chatsworth.....	12 38 "	9 49 "
Owen Sound.....	1 06 "	10 20 "

GOING SOUTH.

STATIONS.	Exp.	Mail.
Owen Sound.....	5 40am	2 40pm
Chatsworth.....	6 10 "	3 07 "
Holland Centre.....	6 25 "	3 20 "
Berkeley.....	6 34 "	3 30 "
Markdale.....	6 47 "	3 52 "
Flesherton.....	7 09 "	4 06 "
Dundas.....	7 26 "	4 31 "
Shelburne.....	7 51 "	4 57 "
Orangeville Jun.....	8 22 "	5 25 "
Orangeville.....Arrive.....	8 30 "	5 35 "
Markdale.....	8 45 "	5 55 "
Cardwell Junction.....	9 25 "	6 30 "
Toronto.....Arrive.....	10 55 "	8 10 "

STRAYED!

THE premises of John McKay, Lot 78, 1 Con. 2, west of T. & S. Road, Holland Centre, about the middle of July, a Black pig, three years, nearly all red. The owner can have him by proving property and paying expenses.
JOHN MCKAY,
 Markdale, P. O.