

A NEW REVENUE LAW.

Intended for last week.

The Province, and particularly Toronto, has been set a talking owing to the new scheme of Prov. Treas. Harcourt to raise a revenue to meet the shortage occasioned by the restrictive timber legislation recently introduced.

It was a forgone conclusion, that restricting our forests to Canadians only, was bound to cause, at least for some time, a decrease in revenue, and it is only common foresight on the part of our government to provide for this emergency.

The step taken is to put increased taxes (1) on breweries and distilleries and there are few to complain of any injustice there. (2) on banks and banking institutions, trust and loan, mortgage and such like companies, fire and life assurance companies, etc.

On life insurance business it is proposed to put one per cent; on fire insurance one-half of one per cent., and the life men complain of this as unjust. Most of them admit the correctness of the principle, and no doubt with a few emendations and alterations this important measure will pass into law.

It has long been felt that a large amount of capital in just such institutions was escaping its fair share of "The white man's burden," while the farmer, whose land is his capital, has no means of escaping. While the tax can not be returned to the various municipalities it sprung from, the next best thing is that the province as a whole is a gainer, and not simply cities & towns especially, where head offices are situated.

Toronto stands to lose a very great deal and will likely oppose it. Most of the head offices are there, and the tax on their income, derived though it is from all over the province, has benefited only the city.

North East Normanby.

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At this late date we presume any reference on our part to the Donnelly-Ferguson nuptials is almost superfluous. We however take the opportunity to wish Mr. and Mrs. Donnelly much happiness, also to remark that if we may judge by the wrapt attention of one or two of our young people paid to every detail of the ceremony several such events must be on the tapis.

R. Morrice has disposed of his threshing outfit to a Mr. Hopkins of Benack, and has purchased an adjacent 50 acres from Mr. Jas. Marshall.

Two weeks ago Miss H. Fee and friend spent Sunday with the former's sister, in the vicinity of Williamsford, and reported the roads in a very bad condition. Hard to turn out "tearers you know."

One of our noble young men, whose thought tends towards grace, made a splendid attempt to win a bag of wheat on a wager lately. In view of his responsibilities of the near future it is too bad he did not succeed in his one-handed effort. Perhaps D. will come down handsome.

W. Carson recently purchased a team of heavy draught horses.

One night last week one of Jas. Webber's horses came out of a kicking match in a badly damaged condition.

While leading a spirited colt one day last week R. Marshall had the misfortune to receive a not very gentle salute from the heels of the same. We are pleased to know Bob is able to be at work again.

Owing to the storm there was no service in Knox church Sunday. The roads were badly blocked in places.

Saturday night two of our young men made off towards the land of the rising sun, and as they have not since been heard from it may be necessary to organize a relief party.

A young man from the south was seen hurrying homeward with a suspicious looking load of twine the other day. What's in the wind?

Wm. Marshall, Sr., and daughter returned last week from the vicinity of O. Seund where they had been on a visit to relatives. Mr. Marshall brought down a load of seed grain.

On Wednesday of last week Mr. S. Petty, one of our most respected young men, was united in marriage to Miss T. Copland of Eramosa Tp. After a short visit to friends in St. Mary's Mr. and Mrs. Petty will move to their future home near Dreamore.

Jas. Petty attended the wedding of his brother S. last week. We have it on good authority that Jim also went Gadding in the Royal City.

Angus McTavish who disposed of his farm to Colin Blyth lately, gave his friends a farewell party Thursday night of last week, and with his parents will shortly move to Mt. Forest.

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C. McARTHUR.

HORTICULTURAL.

A handful of citizens met in the Town Hall on Monday night to listen to a lecture by Mr. McNeill, representing the Ontario Fruit Growers' Association. He prefaced his lecture by some useful and trite observations on the value of horticulture as a refining influence in the home and society generally, and spoke of the value of union and instanced the success attending the fighting of San Jose Scale. Efforts were at present being made to secure cheaper transportation of fruit, and urged that all should make full use of their privileges as members of the Ontario Horticultural Association.

His topic was, "The Manner of the Fertilization of Flowers." He showed the practical value attaching to Darwin's writings, especially his "Origin of Species." He went fully into the different methods nature employs in fertilizing plants and succeeded in making very interesting the wise and remarkable process nature employs in reproduction. He proved an interesting lecturer and tells a good story.

Inspector Campbell made a few laudatory remarks on the lecturer and his subject, and spoke on the happy change he had noticed in the rural districts in the dozen years he had moved among them in the matter of floral taste and decoration in the home, and spoke suggestively on what could be done for the streets of our towns and cities.

Mr. Gorsline, Rev. Mr. Jansen, Mr. Gilbert and Mr. Neil McKechnie and Mr. E. O. Windsor were each called on and expressed their pleasure in the lecture. President C. Firth at the beginning of the meeting made some appropriate remarks, and chairman Irwin, of the Chronicle, cemented the whole. A hearty vote of thanks was given the lecturer. A chart, with parts of the flower enlarged, was an interesting accessory.

Glorious News

Comes from Dr. D. B. Cargile, of Washita, I. T. He writes: "Four bottles of Electric Bitters has cured Mrs. Brewer of scrofula, which had caused her great suffering for years. Terrible sores would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could give no help, but her cure is complete and her health is excellent." This shows what thousands have proved.—That Electric Bitters is the best blood purifier known. It's the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion, builds up the strength. Only 50 cents. Sold by our Druggist. Guaranteed.

Honor Roll.

Report of S. S. No. 4, Glenelg.—5th class—Lizzie Scott, Sr. 4th—John McGirr, Alice Lawrence, Bella McGirr, Ellen Lawrence, Maggie McFadden, Jr. 4th—Bessie McGirr, Sterling Matthews, Albert McFadden, Sr. 3rd—Wesley McNally, Fred Matthews, Howard Lawrence, Jr. 3rd—Kate McNally, May Aljoe, Edith Williams and Willie Lawrence, eq. Sr. 2nd—Jas. Ector, Maggie McGirr, Murray Ritchie, Dan McFadden, Jr. 2nd—Fred Ritchie, Ida Wilson, Albert McGirr, Martha Lawrence, Arthur Weir. Pt. 2nd—Stanley McNally, Annie McGirr, May Hopkins, Mary Ritchie, Arthur Ritchie, Sr. 1st—Auggie McGirr, Alex Aljoe, Henry Willaughan, Jr. 1st—John Matthews, Willie Aljoe, Willie Staples. Average attendance 35. Mary Large, teacher.

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THE PARKS OF PITTSBURG.

By John Campbell, formerly a Glenelg Boy.

Continued from last week.

Next in rank is Highland Park at the extreme northeast of the city and consists of 300 acres. The first purchase for this park was made in 1872, from James McCully and was 46 acres. Yearly additions have been made to the park. It contains two of the largest city reservoirs and another is about finished. Its attractions are an excellent view of the Allegheny River Valley,—afforded from Mt. Bigelow, Lake Carnegie and the Brilliant Station Pumping works. The new entrance of granite and bronze, designed by G. Morretti of New York and erected by the Bonard Bronze Co., was completed in 1896. It consists of two doric columns, surmounted by two groups of heroic size, representing Welcome. Including the pedestal, the entrance is 56 feet in height. At the base of each column, facing the entrance which is 40 feet wide, is a woman holding a torch, these being supplied with incandescent lights. Flanking each of the columns is an ornamental balustrade, ending in heavy newels, which are surmounted by a bronze spread-eagle. The cost of the entrance was \$45,000.

West End Park, in the extreme west of the city, is reached by Electric Rail way. It contains 19 acres. Holiday Park, on Duquesne Heights, is also a part of the South Side Park System, and is a beautiful tract of land. Its area is 3 1/2 acres, bounded by 4 streets, near the Duquesne inclined plane, 35th ward. Grandview Park is on the hill-top in the 30th ward and overlooks the city. It contains 17 acres and cost the city \$62,000. Herron Hill Park comprises 13 acres in the centre of the city, overlooking the East Liberty Valley. This also has a reservoir.

Central Park lies in the heart of the city, on the bluff, on Bedford Avenue, overlooking the Lawrenceville district and the Pennsylvania Railroad Yards. It contains 5 acres. Second Avenue Park is the smallest of all, being only 342 in length by 40 in breadth. It is an attractive little spot in the centre of the city and in summer is, properly speaking, only a flower garden.

These parks are free to the people & in summer are one mass of humanity. Rich and poor, young and old, here are found mingling. The sacred concerts have a tendency to attract the residents and add to their pleasure.

The city boasts of an excellent street railway service. By boarding a half-dozen different cars and going through different sections of the city you would be surprised to find yourself at the same destination you intended to go to. It is only to be seen to be appreciated.

JNO. CAMPBELL, 36, S. 30th St., Pittsburg, Pa.

Advertisement for Scott's Emulsion, featuring an illustration of a man carrying a large fish on his back. Text: "HOW are the children this summer? Are they doing well? Do they get all the benefit they should from their food? Are their cheeks and lips of good color? And are they hearty and robust in every way? If not, then give them Scott's Emulsion of cod liver oil with hypophosphites. It never fails to build up delicate boys and girls. It gives them more flesh and better blood. It is just so with the baby also. A little Scott's Emulsion, three or four times a day, will make the thin baby plump and prosperous. It furnishes the young body with just the material necessary for growing bones and nerves." All Druggists, etc. and \$1.00. Scott & Bowyer, Chemists, Toronto.

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