

Editorial Note and Comment

Russia is threatened with a famine of bread and coal this winter.

The French, Italian and Russian Governments have sent reinforcements to Crete and the Turk will have to be civil and withdraw his forces at last.

Toronto pays about \$500 a month as rent for 16 churches, stores etc. to use as school buildings.

Ottawa will soon be third city in the Dominion. She claims 50000 of population and is thus rapidly gaining on Quebec whose population remains nearly stationary at less than 70000.

Mr. Ogilvie, Yukon Commissioner, is showing the iron hand. Word has arrived that an organized raid was made on gamblers, crooks and harlots and fines to the amount of \$10,000 collected.

The Russian peace proposal looks well on paper, but how near we are to it may be judged from the fact that day and night work is being pushed on four new battleships and 40 torpedo boats in Russian yards.

Six Dominion vacancies are to be filled next month, and following good Liberal tactics, the elections are to be held in one day.

The State of Minnesota had a painful experience last week when bands of Indians went a war hunting, killing six or seven and perhaps more.

Bank buildings are made stronger safes are made impregnable by subtle combinations and other devices, but the busy burglar laughs at locksmiths and gets there just the same.

East Wellington nomination to supply the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. Craig, is being held this week with every prospect that Hon. J. M. Gibson will be the Reform nominee, and probably unopposed.

A meeting was held in Toronto last week, presided over by Bishop Sullivan to discuss and secure the adoption of a scientific method of dealing with inebriates.

WANTED—SEVERAL TRUSTWORTHY PERSONS in this state to manage our business in their own and nearby counties.

A BANQUET FOR HARDY.

The admirers of the Premier have decided to banquet him in November as a tribute to his worth and in response to the growing feeling that in him the country has a progressive and clean handed man who said himself on one occasion "I have always tried to stand for the people."

The movement for the banquet has no doubt been stimulated by the course of events of late which have been decidedly in favor of the premier. He received much obloquy for hanging on to his Minister of Agriculture, Dryden, but the courts have unseated Dryden's opponent on the score of corrupt practices.

The Plebiscite Vote.

The 2000 majority we gave last week was too rosy by thousands. Quebec instead of 2800 against is reported to be about twice that number and if this is correct the majority is wiped out entirely.

THE VOTE AROUND US.

North Grey was reported for a few days 500 against, the result below tells a different tale.

Table with 2 columns: Candidate, Majority. Rows include Keppel, Holland, Sydenham, Derby, Sarawak, Sullivan, Owen Sound, Total majority, and Proton.

Proton had a majority in every ward but one, and by polling stations is as follows:

Table with 3 columns: Poll No., YES, NO. Rows 1 through 6.

Majority in favor, 168.

VILLAGE OF DUNDALK. Majority in favor, 47. East Bruce, For 1104; Against 1421. Majority against 317.

North Bruce, For 1026; Against 602. Majority for 424.

What Scrofula Is.

Scrofula is a disease as old as antiquity. It has been handed down for generations and is the same to-day as in early times.

TEACHER WANTED.

TEACHER Wanted for School Section No. 3, Bentinck and Glenelg for the year 1899. Second or Third Class certificate. Male preferred.

J. L. SMITH, M. D., Secy.-Treas. S. S. No. 3, Dornoch, Ont.

TEACHER WANTED.

Male Teacher wanted for S. S. No. 7, Proton for 1899. Address stating Salary and qualifications.

PRICEVILLE.

We are having fine Oct. weather now. The woods are beginning to indicate the near approach of winter, the leaves are falling from the trees, so in a few weeks at the longest, the beautiful weather we have enjoyed for the past months will be substituted by the chill of November's chilly blast.

The sacrament will be dispensed in the Presbyterian church on Oct. 23rd. The Rev. Mr. Campbell of Dromote will conduct the preliminary service on Friday previous.

We did not hear whether the Rev. Mr. Darroch, pastor of the Baptist church is back again or not we expect to see him in duplicate form when he comes back so we will refrain from saying anything further till we have it for a positive fact.

Mr. Daniels (colored gentleman) was in our town for a while a week ago and was taking orders for a religious paper and others. He complains of the general closeness of those he came in contact with for their liberality in subscribing.

We had the pleasure of meeting with our friend John A. Graham the other evening, he has engaged to be the trustee of section No. 14 Egremont known as McQueen's School for the year 1899. The trustees are to be congratulated for the choice they made in securing the services of Mr. Graham as their teacher.

Mr. Donald McDonald has again been engaged for the third time in Allan Park school for 99 at a good salary.

Mr. and Mrs. David McIntyre of Balsam Valley attended the service in the Presbyterian church on Sunday last. We all very warmly admired Dave as a fine looking fellow but our admiration of Dave's looks have been surpassed by the fine appearance of his young and excellent looking bride with all other qualities corresponding. Dave is the happiest looking man in Balsam Valley.

Miss Mary Campbell of Rochester, adorns the parental home on the North Line Artemesia and is to remain for some time.

The Rev. Mr. Matheson will have a prayer meeting at the house of Mr. Donald McDonald south line Glenelg on Thursday of this week at 7:30 p.m.

We understand the Trustees have secured the services of our old teachers again in our village school for 99, Mr. Blakestone and Miss Darby. This is the 8th year for Mr. Blakestone in No. 12 Artemesia.

Old Mrs. Wright is sinking fast and by all appearance is not long for this world.

The funeral of Miss Earnest of Sackett's Corners' Egremont, took place to the cemetery here on Thursday of last week. She has been ailing for the last two or three years and ultimately ended in consumption. She was one of those women who possessed excellent christian qualities during her life time and died with full assurance of partaking of the rewards hereafter. She was for a number of years a member of the late Rev. Mr. McLeod's church.

Mr. Hector Campbell of Yeovil attended church here Sunday before last.

Mr. and Mrs. John McEae spent a few days visiting their daughter at Owen Sound last week.

Mrs. Malcolm McIntyre is home after spending some time in Toronto and other places.

Councillor D. McMillan enjoyed his trip to the North West immensely, he returned some time ago.

We see Constable Dan McDonald is repairing our sidewalks for the last day or two. This is a wise act for our township officers to do and save themselves from the responsibility of coming good for the consequences etc.

Messrs. Dugald McLean and Dugald McCormick Presidents of Artemesia Agricultural Society have been making preparations for our annual exhibition for the last few days.

We have been trying to collect notes from Mr. Arph. McDonald on Klondyke life which we will reserve for some future time as we did not get it prepared for this issue.

HUTTON HILL.

Mr. A. and Miss B. Alexander are visiting Walkerton friends.

Mr. J. Wright was home for the fall Exhibition.

Miss C. Hutton spent a few days here lately.

Mr. J. Baur Sundayed with his parents. John is an expert.

Mr. and Mrs. Machesney of Hanover attended the funeral of the late Mrs. G. Caffee.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lawrence of Egremont were the guests of Mr. J. Lawrence last week.

Mr. Chas. Hutton returned to the Manitoulin Island which has been his home for the past three years. There is a prevailing impression that Chas. will soon have a companion to assist in managing his farm.

Mr. W. Machesney is the guest of Mrs. S. Langril.

We are proud of Hutton Hill for taking such a noble stand on the prohibition question.

We regret we are called upon to chronicle the death of a much loved and highly respected friend and neighbor in the person of Mrs. G. Cuffe. She was an invalid for many years always bearing her sufferings with patience.

The entire sympathy of the many friends is extended to the bereaved family. She passed quietly away on Thursday morning. The remains were laid to rest in the Hutton Hill cemetery on Saturday in the presence of a large number of friends and neighbors. Services being conducted by Rev. Mr. Ryan of Durham. Deceased was in her 58th year and leaves as mourners her husband and five daughters: Mrs. J. Metcalf, Mrs. W. Cuffe and Misses Mary Maud and Georgina. Her maiden name was Hopkins.

HOLSTEIN.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Magwood and children were in Kenilworth this week, where Mr. Magwood is going to preach anniversary sermons. Rev. Mr. Thompson of Kenilworth, preached in the Methodist church here both morning and evening.

Mrs. Robert Williamson and daughter Maggie, of Arthur, are visitors at her father's, Mr. John Horsburgh.

The Misses Inglis of Toronto, are visitors at their cousin's, Mr. W. J. Sharp.

Intended for last week.

Miss Ida Smith of Toronto came home on Saturday to spend a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith.

Miss Lizzie Ellis of Guelph is the guest of her mother Mrs. George Ellis.

Mrs. Wm. Burrows is in Flesherton visiting her daughter Mrs. Henry Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Doupe were in Newbridge this week attending the funeral of Mr. Doupe's brother-in-law Mr. Henry Zin.

Miss Nellie Conroy of London is the guest of her friend Miss Kate Healy.

Mr. Wm. Kerr and Mrs. Davis of Sarnia who have been here visiting their father Mr. Chas. Kerr returned home on Saturday.

Among those who took in the excursion to the States on Thursday were Mrs. W. T. Brown, her sons Max and Arthur for Sarnia, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Pannock for Bay City. Mrs. Jas. Swanson and Mrs. John Muddock for Michigan.

Report of Jr. Dept. Holstein School for September. — II Class Sr.—James Tribe Theodora Klump, Milford Logan. II Class Jr.—Arthur Brown, Lizzie Seaman, Paul Seaman.—Johnnie Hatz, Eddie McAnulty, Ellis Pettigrew. I Class Sr.—Charlie Stephens, Flossie Mark, Katie Morrison. I Class Jr.—Hazel Main, Bert Pettigrew, Sophia Freemans.

E. E. Raven, Teacher.

HAMPDEN.

Intended for last week.

Master Stewart Watt left for Hepworth Friday.

Master Alf. Campbell returned to his home in Hepworth last week.

Mr. Hagan of Owen Sound is spending a few weeks with his daughter Mrs. N. Echin.

Mr. Geo. Young Jr., and Mrs. Nichol both of the hospital are visiting relatives here this week.

Miss Mary Collett of Allan Park is visiting relatives here this week.

Mr. Chas. Cooper left Monday to resume his duties in the "Queen City."

Messrs. C. Welz and J. Torry of Orchard spent Sunday with friends here.

Mr. H. Hopf of Cedarville paid his old home a flying visit this week.

Consumption

Will SCOTT'S EMULSION cure consumption? Yes and no. Will it cure every case? No. What cases will it cure then? Those in their earlier stages, especially in young people. We make no exaggerated claims, but we have positive evidence that the early use of

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Ramsay and Morlock. Grand Fall Opening of Millinery Mantles and general Dry-Goods going on this month until further notice. A rich display of Novelty Silks, Dress Goods, Trimming, Laces &c. In our Silk and Dress Goods Department, We invite your inspection.

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FAIRWELL MILLS. The undersigned beg to notify the Public that the business heretofore conducted under the firm name of P. & G. Watson, will henceforth be known as C. & G. Watson.

House and Lot to Rent. That desirable residence property on Lambton Street, near the Station, lately occupied by the undersigned, 8 acres of land in connection. For further information apply to GEO. RUSSELL, Prop.

Cattle Estray. Came to the premises of the subscriber Lot 24, Con 20, Egremont about July 5, 3 year-old cattle. Owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and remove the Animals. NEIL CAMERON, Boothville, July 30, 98.

TEACHER WANTED. The undersigned will receive applications for the office of teacher in S.S. No. 1, Bentinck for the year 1899, up to October 22nd 1898. CHAS. REHKOFF, Sec. Treas., S. S. No. 1 Bentinck, Hanover P. O.

SHEEP ESTRAY. STRAYED from Lot 20, con. 3, w. G. R Bentinck, five (5) Sheep, a ram, 2 ewes and 2 lambs. Information may be left at this office or McFarlane's drug store. R. MacFARLANE, Prop.

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